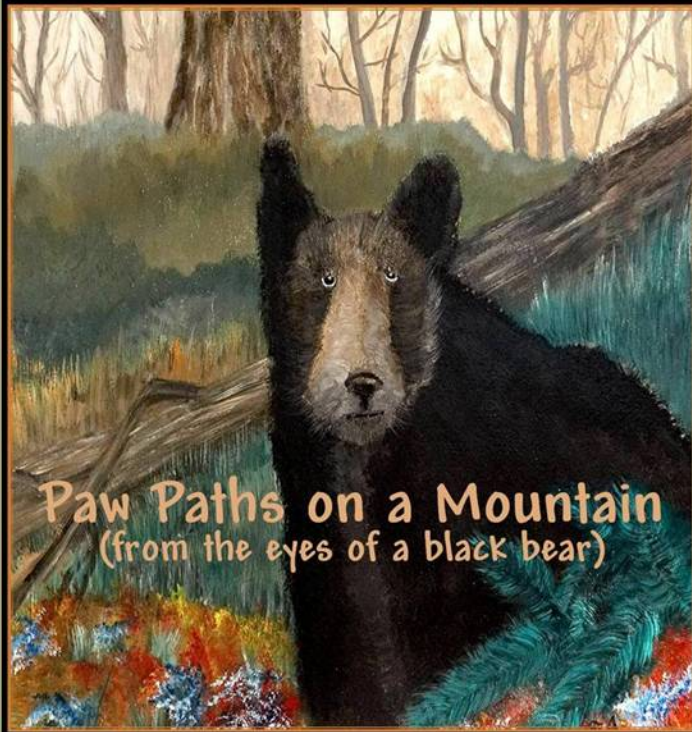


# Scott Anna Autographs His New Book at the Book Nook



**Paw Paths on a Mountain**  
(from the eyes of a black bear)

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On August 9th, 2005, I was awakened by the sound of my bird feeder crashing to the ground. As I jumped out of bed to investigate the loud noise I soon discovered the true beginning of my life as a wildlife artist and author. That morning, I watched "Big Momma" and her three cubs eating the remnants of the birdseed; then breaking into my screened porch to nab a bag of cat food. That experience was worth more to me than any story I have ever read.

After sharing this unique experience with several local people who live around me, I learned that "Big Momma" has been in the area for at least twelve years. And, I was told, she has a new group of cubs every two years, usually two or three of them. I have always wanted to write a children's book (for "children" of all ages) and with the information I was receiving about "Big Momma," a story started to develop in my mind, a story I have called: "**Paw Paths on a Mountain: From the Eyes of a Black Bear.**" The book, 102 pages, was released on July 27th and is replete with sketches and photos of the cast of characters to help tell the story. At this time the book is on sale at Sunrise Grocery on 19/129-4 miles north of Vogel State Park and can be purchased from my website, [www.scottanna.com](http://www.scottanna.com).

There will be a book signing at the Book Nook on Saturday, August 12 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. Please come and meet Scott and take a look at his new book.