

# The Juggler's **ALPHABET BOOK**

The ABCs of  
Inspiration, Encouragement, History, and Fun  
for Literate Jugglers of All Ages



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*The Juggler's Alphabet Book* is a concise introduction, in browsable A-to-Z format, to the venerable performing art that more recently has been embraced as a creative pursuit, fitness activity, recreational sport, and mind-body challenge.

**For jugglers**, it's a refresher on the essence of the craft, and a reminder of great artists along the continuum of its history.

**For non-jugglers**, it's a window into the juggler's world of pushing the limits of human precision and imagination.

**So jugglers**, share it with your kids, your parents, nieces and nephews ... or grandma. They'll learn what makes you tick!

**Know a juggler?** *The Juggler's Alphabet Book* will help you understand your eccentric uncle, cool girlfriend, hotshot kid, or hyperkinetic neighbor. When you finish reading this book, you'll probably want to learn to juggle and join the fun, too!

**The Throwback Series** presents new editions of selected classics from the early instructional literature of juggling, and the newest works on acro-juggling technique and training by R.W. Bacon.

**About the author:** R.W. Bacon enjoyed a 35-year performing arts career as an acrobatic juggler, comedy tap dancer, and jazz/ragtime musician. For most of those years he worked in dazzling synchrony with his wife, L.J. Newton, in their touring theatrical show, *Mr. Slim's Goodtime Ragtime Vaudeville Revival*; and in their circus/variety act, *Mr. Slim & L.J. - Classic Comedy Juggling*. Aside from books about his stage performance specialties, in a post-showbusiness museum career he is the author of a dozen books on varied history topics.



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