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# **Operation Shadowman**

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Oliver takes a dramatic spill from his bike - but who is behind it?

Oliver falling off his bike may be just a small thing, but the one who dug all the deep holes that caused his fall should at least pay for a new bicycle wheel. Tiril and Oliver's investigation into the culprit's identity leads them to the deserted Rønneberget and a nighttime encounter with the Shadowman. The case then takes an unexpected turn when they find a mysterious map. To solve the puzzle they will have to think outside the box as they scrutinize both past and present.

Jørn Lier Horst & Hans Jørgen Sandnes' Detective Agency No. 2 series is crime fiction for the youngest – clever, engaging, and full of thrills! Join our heroes Tiril, Oliver and their dog Ocho as they solve mysteries that have even the adults of Riverton scratching their heads.

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The books are easy to read, the mysteries are exciting and it's all finished with colorful illustrations. /.../ I welcome more books in the series!

- Oppland Arbeiderblad, Norway

# Jørn Lier Horst, Hans Jørgen Sandnes

Norwegian writer Jørn Lier Horst (b. 1970) and illustrator and animator Hans Jørgen Sandnes (b. 1979) have together created the bestselling children's book series Detective Agency No. 2 for ages 6-9. Jørn Lier Horst has won multiple awards for his crime fiction books for adults, and is



also the author behind the highly praised CLUE series for children aged 9-12. Horst's ability to create charming and believable characters has resulted in a rich universe full adventure and mystery. Together with Hans Jørgen Sandnes' award-winning illustrations, the Detective Agency No. 2 series' universe and its lovable young detective duo are brought to vivid life before the reader.

The Detective Agency No. 2 series follows the adventures of Tiril, Oliver and their dog Ocho. Together the two young detectives collect evidence, search for connections, and join the at times perilous hunt for criminals. Concluding each book is an afterword in which readers can put their own sleuthing skills to the test.