**SPOTLIGHT:** GABE SOTILLO

Gabe Sotillo is an artist living with autism. Gabe examines our universe from a unique perspective, personifying numbers and noting fascinating realities. Check out his website to see all of the wonderful things he is up to.

Gabe Sotillo and Mary Claire Branton have completed the book dummy for the first edition of their illustrated chapter book series! They are now meeting with agents and editors to collaborate with us.

Atlanta’s Tall Tales Bookshop will host a book signing and the second edition release of Luke Kranz’s The Airthy Award this summer.

Mikaela Lowery and Keller Pyle have finished their children’s picture book. Why Do Birds Eat Bagels? is absolutely adorable! (Release TBA)

Priscilla Johnson finished her first book of poetry at age fourteen. Pieces of Priscilla is about her journey out of the foster care system and is now in the design phase.

Congratulations to Elias Mask, our newest author! His new novel, Allens Stampede at age ten. His hilarious sci-fi comedy is now ready for design.

Congratulations, Jessica!

Charlie’s Port closed for six months to pack up, move to a new office, and nurture several projects. We were excited to reopen the first day of spring and celebrate the fruits of our labor, only to find the world shutting down because of COVID-19.

After a spell of disappointment, sadness, fear, and uncertainty, I realized that everything will be okay. Our kids and artists have worked hard on their projects, and there is purpose in everything we do. - Mary Claire Branton

Charlie’s Port is officially Non-profit!

We have worked tirelessly to obtain our tax-deductible status with the Internal Revenue Service. After years of preparation and hard work, the IRS has bestowed a 501(c)(3) status to Charlie’s Port! Now you can help bring our projects to fruition. Donate here!

Our Founding Director attended several national conferences in 2019 to introduce Charlie’s Port to the publishing world.

Stay connected with Charlie’s Port!