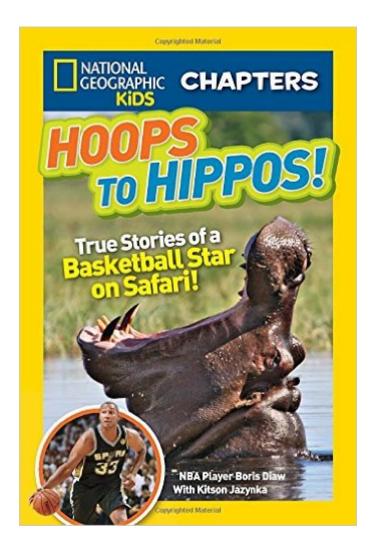
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# National Geographic Kids Chapters: Hoops To Hippos!: True Stories Of A Basketball Star On Safari (NGK Chapters)





## Synopsis

NBA star Boris Diaw of the San Antonio spurs takes young readers on safari as he explores his off-court passion: wildlife photography! Join Diaw as he escapes from stampeding wildebeests, comes face-to-face with lions, and discovers why you should never come between a hippo and its watery home. Through engaging stories and photos by Diaw, readers will discover a whole new side to this basketball champ. National Geographic Kids Chapter books pick up where the best-selling National Geographic Readers series leaves off, offering young animal lovers who are ready for short chapters lively, exciting, full-color true stories -- just right to carry in backpacks, share with friends, and read under the covers at night.

## **Book Information**

Lexile Measure: 0670 (What's this?) Series: NGK Chapters Paperback: 112 pages Publisher: National Geographic Children's Books (July 14, 2015) Language: English ISBN-10: 1426320523 ISBN-13: 978-1426320521 Product Dimensions: 5.1 x 0.2 x 7.6 inches Shipping Weight: 0.3 ounces (View shipping rates and policies) Average Customer Review: 4.9 out of 5 stars Â See all reviews (11 customer reviews) Best Sellers Rank: #446,946 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #55 in Books > Children's Books > Arts, Music & Photography > Photography #3155 in Books > Children's Books > Literature & Fiction > Chapter Books & Readers > Chapter Books #15469 in Books > Children's Books > Animals Age Range: 7 - 10 years Grade Level: 2 - 5

#### **Customer Reviews**

One of the things that I enjoy so much about these National Geographic Kids Chapter books, besides the gorgeous photographs, is how genuine they are. This one in particular was fun to read because the person telling the story wasn't a trained scientist but a dedicated amateur who has spent a lot of time around cameras and animals and learned a lot along the way. The stories Diaw shares about his developing interest and concern about wild animals and the adventures he has had photographing them makes for a compelling and quick read. The design of these books also makes them eye-catching and appealing for young readers. If you have an animal lover at your house, this is a great series for them to read.

This is a really neat book. It is informative and interesting even for us older kids. Diaw is a super player and a super writer/photographer. By all means get this one and enjoy!!!

I am both an animal lover and avid Spurs fan. Boris Diaw has earned five stars in both venues.

Boris is a heck of a photographer and an interesting person. My grandkids love this book!

Great book for our great grandson. We enjoyed the book and photos as much as he did.

I thought it was great and very informative. Kids could learn much in a fun way.

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