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## *Guardian of the Monarchs*

Book Review by Annette Bradley

Full of facts and attractive illustrations, this book is perfect for children who are interested in looking after our monarch butterfly population.

[Adele Gaddes](#) has woven rhyme into this educational and entertaining picture book which makes it easy and interesting to read. She even suggests the readers make their own 'Blaze', a butterfly scarecrow to scare off predators – what a great idea!

I'm sure many children will be inspired to follow her advice and get crafty in the garden.

The book is also visually appealing with a combination of large photographs and child-friendly illustrations which all support the details included about the butterfly features, life cycle, predators and behaviours.

This would be a great read-aloud book in any educational setting as well as at home for those budding gardeners and butterfly fans.

A perfect-bound paperback, 32 internal pages, printed in NZ using sustainable print practices. FSC certified. Price \$19.99. Available from [adelegaddes.com](http://adelegaddes.com) (or check this page to win a copy).



Parents, grandparents, teachers (etc) - would you like a copy of BLAZE Guardian of the Monarchs? Everyone who enters the prize draw above will also go in the draw to win a copy of BLAZE Guardian of the Monarchs, courtesy of Adele Gaddes. You'll LOVE this book!

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