

The surfin'ary : a dictionary of surfing terms and surfspeak / compiled and edited by Trevor Cralle ; foreword by Ward Smith

Description

One of the surprising influences on modern American English is the language of the surfer. Everyday speech is alive with words that began in this mythic beach culture. Trevor Cralle has gathered together over 3,000 surfing terms from around the world to celebrate this rich and varied sport/lifestyle, whose roots go back to ancient Polynesia. Lavishly illustrated with the best in surf art and photography, take The Surfin'ary with you on your quest for the perfect wave.