Meet the Author Series

Rachel Dodds

author of *Are We There Yet?*

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Live in person at 7:30pm · $25 plus GST

Do you love to travel but are worried about the negative impacts of travelling? Are you unsure if you can still travel now that you have children, and actually have fun? Do you want to travel more sustainably, but are overwhelmed and are not sure where to start?

This book will help you make responsible and sustainable choices before, during and after your trip. It will also help you to navigate travelling with children and will give you tips and inspiration for how to raise resilient, responsible kids who will grow to love travel as much as you do!

With detailed advice about all kinds of travel and over 100 stories from parents and grandparents around the world, this book is a step-by-step guide to how to travel more responsibly with kids. It is essentially a blueprint for making travelling with kids both enjoyable and responsible, as they experience new places and cultures.

Rachel Dodds is globally recognized for her work on sustainable tourism and is passionate about trying to help the tourism industry become more responsible. She has published widely and been an invited speaker at events globally.

Rachel has travelled to over 80 countries across six continents which has allowed her to learn about many regions and cultures but also understands that her travel has an impact. Her work focuses on how to make travel better, more resilient, more regenerative - overall more sustainable.

Are We There Yet? *is more than just a guide full of travel tips. It's an adventure in itself...The book is well organized, with detailed chapters that include sage advice on everything from planning the trip to summing up the adventure with more activities after returning home. Responsible traveling is a key point throughout, as adults and children alike must learn respect, not only for the country they visit but also for the people they meet. Each well-documented chapter has true experience stories that will heighten readers' awareness of what can happen, and what children can truly learn from these travel adventures. Traveling with children doesn't have to be a challenge, but a learning and enjoyable experience for the entire family. This is the book to help us do just that.*

- Emily-Jane Hills Orford for *Readers' Favorite*

Rachel Dodds has chosen to forgo her honourarium and instead put the money toward books for readers like you! Come by the Lyceum for a copy of *Are We There Yet?*

A percentage of proceeds from all book sales goes to World Animal Protection.

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