

Amy Stewart is the award-winning author of five books on the perils and pleasures of the natural world, including three New York Times Bestsellers, *Wicked bugs, Wicked Plants* and *Flower Confidential.* Amy's new book, *The Drunken Botanist: The Plants That Create the World's Great Drinks*, will be published in March 2013, which will be the subject of her presentation.

Amy has written for the New York Times, the Washington Post, The North Coast Journal and many other newspapers and magazines. She is co-founder of the popular blog Garden Rant and is a contributing editor at Fine Gardening Magazine.

She and her husband Scott Brown live in Eureka and own the antiquarian bookstore Eureka Books.

Come join the Humboldt Library Foundation on Saturday, August 18, at 1:00 pm. in the Eureka Library to hear Amy Stewart speak of the natural world.