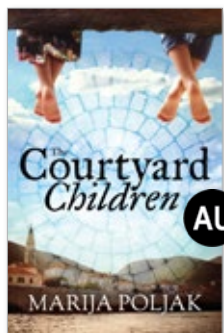


NEW RELEASES: OCTOBER 2020

BOOKS FOR ALL AGES



The Courtyard Children

RRP: \$19.99

Author: Marija Poljak | **Publisher:** Rhiza Edge

Format: PB | **Pages:** 240 | **Release Date:** 15/10/2020 | **Size:** 13.3 x 21 cm

ISBN: 9781925563962



AU

DESCRIPTION: An #ownvoices story featuring powerful themes of love, friendship, war, identity and forgiveness.

Mileva's family tree includes resistance fighters and patriots, and she was raised on the values of brotherhood and unity. Marko was born into a family where love is earned, not given, and was branded early on as a troublemaker and a lost cause. Despite their differences, the two grow to become best friends. Yet as the 1990s approach, Yugoslavia begins to crumble and ethnic tensions arise. No longer inseparable, their different cultural backgrounds force Mileva and Marko apart. When a tragic event changes their lives forever, Mileva struggles to make sense of her identity as she attempts to salvage all that is left of the life and love she once had.

BISAC: YOUNG ADULT FICTION / Historical / Europe (YAF024050)



Apprentice

Collective Underground # 1

RRP: \$22.95

Author: Kristen Young | **Publisher:** Enclave Escape

Release Date: 13/10/2020 | **Format:** PB | **Pages:** 288 | **Size:** 13.97 x 21.59 cm

ISBN: 9781621841487



AU

DESCRIPTION: The Love Collective is everywhere. It sees everything. Be not afraid. Apprentice Flick remembers everything, except the first five years of her life. And for as long as she can remember, Flick has wanted to enter the Elite Academy—home to the best, brightest, and most loyal members of the Love Collective government. Flick's uncanny memory might get her there, too ... even if it is the very thing that marks her as a freak. But frightening hallucinations start intruding into her days and threaten to bring down all she has worked so hard to accomplish. Why is she being hijacked by a stranger's nightmare over and over again? Moving to the Elite Academy could give Flick the future she's always wanted. But her search for truth may lead to a danger she cannot escape. This engaging general market YA is faith inspired, in the tradition of some of the world's best speculative fiction writers, including multi-award winning Steven Lawhead.

BISAC: YOUNG ADULT FICTION / Religious / Christian / Science Fiction (YAF051100)

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Once Upon A Place

RRP: \$29.95

ISBN: 9781910411377



Author: Eoin Colfer,
Illustrated by PJ Lynch

Publisher: Little Island Books | **Format:** HB
AU Release: 01/10/2020 | **IE release:** 15/10/2015
Pages: 256 | **Size:** 15.5 x 21 cm

DESCRIPTION: *'Stories and poems compiled by Eoin Colfer, author of Artemis Fowl. Rarely does one find such a rainbow of outstanding talent in one little book, one truly exceptional anthology.'* — The Sunday Independent

A collection of 11 short stories and 6 poems by Ireland's top children's writers, edited by Children's Laureate Eoin Colfer and illustrated by world-renowned artist PJ Lynch. *'This is my laureate project with a general aim of connecting today's screen-centric youngsters to the magic of the country they live in and its rich artistic heritage,'* says Eoin Colfer. Contributors include: Eoin Colfer, Roddy Doyle, Marie-Louise Fitzpatrick, film director Jim Sheridan, Siobhán Parkinson, John Connolly, and Sarah Webb, among others.
BISAC: JUVENILE FICTION / Short Stories (JUV038000)



The Gone Book

RRP: \$18.95

ISBN: 9781912417445



Author: Helena Close
Publisher: Little Island Books

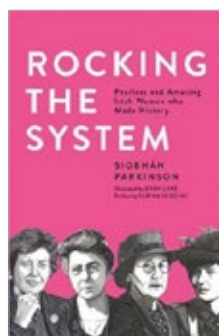
AU Release: 01/10/2020 | **IE release:** 02/04/2020 |
Format: PB | **Pages:** 304 | **Size:** 12.9 x 19.8 cm

DESCRIPTION: *I know you'll hate me. I just know you will. But I can't help it. I'm going to find you.*

Matt's mam left home when he was 10. He writes letters to her but doesn't send them. He keeps them in his Gone Book, which he hides in his room. Five years of letters about his life. Five years of hurt. Matt's dad won't talk about her. His older brother is mixed up with drugs and messing with dangerous characters. His friends, Mikey and Anna, are the best thing in his life, but Matt keeps pushing them away. All Matt wants to do is skate, surf, and forget. But now his mam is back in town and Matt knows he needs to find her, to finally deliver the truth.

Another outstanding book from award-winning Irish publisher, Little Island.

BISAC: YOUNG ADULT FICTION (YAF000000)



Rocking the System

RRP: \$20.95

Author: Siobhán Parkinson, **Illustrated by** Bren Luke

Publisher: Little Island Books | **AU Release:** 01/10/2020 | **IE release:** 01/08/2019
Format: PB | **Pages:** 208 | **Size:** 14.3 x 22.4 cm

'This book will inspire all its readers to play their part in creating a world that is fair, harmonious and equal.' — Sabina Higgins

DESCRIPTION: The stories of twenty Irish feminists who rocked the system and changed history, told by one of Ireland's leading writers for young people. Twenty illustrated essays on Irish women, historical and contemporary, who have defied cultural norms around femininity and achieved great things. The subjects include Irish women from Queen Medb to Eileen Gray, from Constance Markievicz to Sonia O'Sullivan, covering stateswomen, artists, writers, activists and rebels of all kinds. Written by multi award-winning author and first Laureate na nÓg (Irish Children's Laureate), Siobhán Parkinson. Perfect for use in schools as well as for leisure reading, this collection celebrates the role of women in Ireland's changing society. With a foreword from political activist and first lady of Ireland, Sabina Higgins.

BISAC: JUVENILE NONFICTION / Biography & Autobiography / Women (JNF007120)

ISBN: 9781912417438





Encyclopedia of Matildas

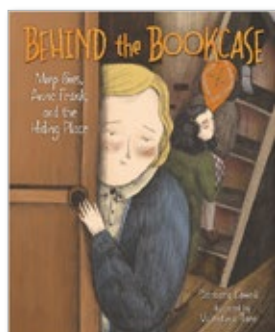
ISBN: 9780648133384

RRP: \$65.00 **NEW STOCK AVAILABLE OCT 2020****Author:** Andrew Howe, Greg Werner, Cover design by Leslie Prestley**Publisher:** Fair Play Publishing | **Date:** 13/05/2019**Format:** PB | **Pages:** 200 | **Size:** 21 x 29.7 cm

Celebrate the FIFA World Cup coming to Australia with this 200-page Encyclopedia of the fabulous Matildas!

DESCRIPTION: Inside this comprehensive volume, you'll find the cap number of every player, the number of games played, goals scored, match listing and a concise biography of each player. The Encyclopedia of Matildas is set-out in an easy-to-follow structure and includes photographs. It is a 'must have' guide for any fan of the game and is a wonderful addition to the library of every Matildas' supporter and fan of women's football.

See page 13 for more great sports titles from Fair Play Publishing.

BISAC: SPORTS & RECREATION / Soccer (SPO040000)

Behind the Bookcase: Miep Gies, Anne Frank, and the Hiding Place

ISBN: 9781541557253

RRP: \$32.95

**Author:** Barbara Lowell, Illustrated by Valentina Toro**Publisher:** Kar-Ben Publishing**Release Date:** 09/10/2020**Format:** PB | **Pages:** 40 | **Size:** 23.495 x 27.94 cm

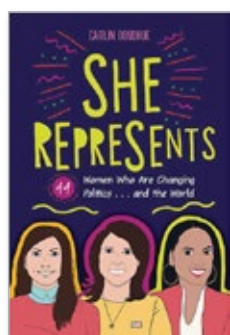
**ALSO AVAILABLE
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RRP: \$14.95

ISBN: 9781541557260



DESCRIPTION: Anne Frank's diary is a gift to the world because of Miep Gies. One of the protectors of the Frank family, Miep recovered the diary after the family was discovered by Nazis, and then returned it to Otto Frank after World War II. Displaced from her own home as a child during World War I, Miep had great empathy for Anne, and she found ways—like talking about Hollywood gossip and fashion trends—to engage her. The story of their relationship—and the impending danger to the family in hiding—unfolds in this unique perspective of Anne Frank's widely known story.

BISAC: JUVENILE NONFICTION / Biography & Autobiography / Women (JNF007120)

She Represents: 44 Women Who Are Changing Politics ... and the World

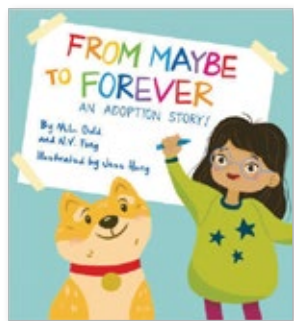
ISBN: 9781541579019

RRP: \$29.95

**Author:** Caitlin Donohue | **Publisher:** Zest Books | **Release Date:** 09/10/2020**Format:** PB | **Pages:** 216 | **Size:** 15.24 x 22.86 cm

DESCRIPTION: She Represents celebrates feminism and female contributions to politics and activism. Author Caitlin Donohue profiles forty-three leaders, shedding light on their motivations, goals, strengths, and even missteps. Readers will be inspired to pursue social change themselves.

BISAC: YOUNG ADULT NONFICTION / Biography & Autobiography / Women (YAN006140)



From Maybe to Forever

RRP: \$34.95

Author: ML. Gold, Illustrated by Jess Hong | **Publisher:** Creston Books

Date: 09/10/2020 | **Format:** HB | **Pages:** 32 | **Size:** 20.32 x 20.32 cm

DESCRIPTION: Waiting for a baby brother or sister is hard to do when you aren't sure what will happen or when. This is a story of adoption told from an older sister's point of view. **BISAC:** JUVENILE FICTION / Family / Siblings (JUV013070)

ISBN: 9781939547750



Does Your Dog Speak Hebrew?

Very First Board Books

RRP: \$14.95

Author: Ellen Bari | **Publisher:** Kar-Ben **Release Date:** 09/10/2020 | **Format:** Board Book | **Pages:** 14 | **Size:** 16.5 x 16.5cm

DESCRIPTION: A dog says "bow, wow" in English and "hav, hav" in Hebrew. Whimsical animals in American and Israeli settings compare their varied noises and sounds. Readers can explore which sounds are the same and which are different in droll depictions of animals in Israel and the United States. **BISAC:** JUVENILE NONFICTION / Animals (JNF003000)

ISBN: 9781541560895



Once Upon an Hour

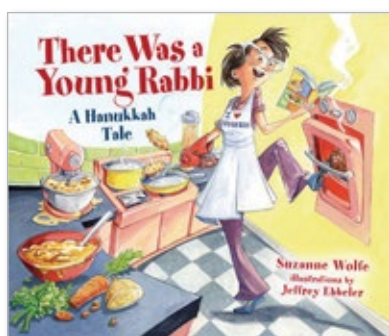
RRP: \$34.95

Author: Ann Yu-Kyung Choi, Illustrated by Soyeon Kim | **Publisher:** Orca Book **Release Date:** 09/10/2020 | **Format:** HB | **Pages:** 32 | **Size:** 22.2 x 27.3 cm

DESCRIPTION: Yu-Rhee, a young Korean girl, wants to know how to tell time using a clock. Her mother tells her a tale from her childhood based on the traditional Korean practice of timekeeping, where the 12 animals of the zodiac are assigned to 2-hour sections of the 24-hour clock. Told from the point of view of a mountain, the story follows a child as they climb the mountainside in search of a plant to heal their ailing mother. The climb is steep, the path wild and the way difficult. The mountain watches the child struggle and calls on the animals that live on the mountainside to help the child, but as sunlight turns to moonlight, each animal claims to be too busy. A story about determination and teamwork that shows the importance of helping others.

BISAC: JUVENILE FICTION / Legends, Myths, Fables / Asian (JUV012060)

ISBN: 9781459821279



There Was a Young Rabbi

RRP: \$32.95

Author: Suzanne Wolfe | **Publisher:** Kar-Ben **Release Date:** 09/10/2020 | **Format:** PB **Pages:** 24 | **Size:** 26.98 x 22.54 cm

DESCRIPTION: Hanukkah is a very busy time! Join the rabbi as she makes festive preparations—spinning the dreidel, cooking a tasty meal, lighting the menorah, and more—in this cumulative, rhyming story to remember the miracle from a long time ago! **BISAC:** JUVENILE FICTION / Holidays & Celebrations / Hanukkah (JUV017110)

ISBN: 9781541576070

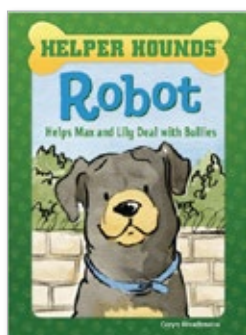


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ISBN: 9781541576087





Robot Helps Max and Lily Deal with Bullies

ISBN: 9781634407793

Helper Hound

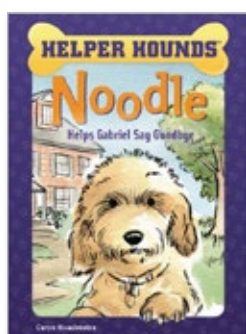
RRP: \$12.95

Author: Caryn Rivadenera | Publisher: Red Chair Press

Release Date: 09/10/2020 | Format: PB | Pages: 72 | Size: 13.97 x 19.05 cm

DESCRIPTION: Max and Lily are being teased and bullied at school. Their Aunt Eileen calls the Helper Hounds—and soon Robot, an endearing Rottweiler who knows all about bullies, comes to give support.

BISAC: JUVENILE FICTION / Animals / Dogs (JUV002070)



Noodle Helps Gabriel Say Goodbye

ISBN: 9781634409186

Helper Hounds

RRP: \$12.95

Author: Caryn Rivadenera | Publisher: Red Chair Press | Release Date:

09/10/2020 | Format: PB | Pages: 72 | Size: 13.97 x 19.05 cm

DESCRIPTION: After losing her first two forever homes, Noodle knows all about the sadness of goodbyes. But in her new home as an official Helper Hound, Noodle helps Gabriel deal with the loss of his grandfather.

BISAC: JUVENILE FICTION / Animals / Dogs (JUV002070)

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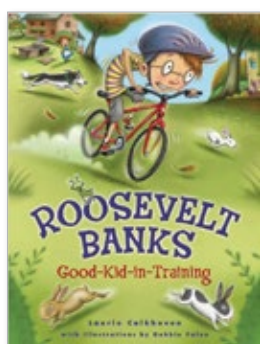
Penny Helps Portia Face Her Fears

ISBN: 9781634407786



Sparky Helps Mary Make Friends

ISBN: 9781634407779



Roosevelt Banks, Good-Kid-in-Training

ISBN: 9781947159198

RRP: \$14.95

Author: Laurie Calkhoven,

Illustrated by Debbie Palen | Pages: 128

Publisher: One Elm Books — Red Chair Press

Release Date: 09/10/2020 | Format: PB

Size: 15.24 x 20.32 cm



DESCRIPTION: When Roosevelt's friends plan a bike and camping trip, there's just one problem — he doesn't have a bike. Roosevelt's parents promise him a new bike if he can be good for two whole weeks. It's a struggle with hilarious outcomes.

BISAC: JUVENILE FICTION / Humorous Stories (JUV019000)

Jessie STEAM Mysteries

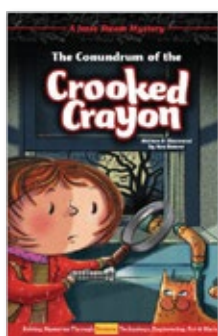
RRP: \$16.95 each

Author/Illustrator: Ken Bowser | Format: PB | Publisher: Red Chair

Date: 09/10/2020 | Size: 15.24 x 22.86 cm | Pages: 64

Ten-year-old Jesse Steam's curiosity about how the world works leads her to one mystery after another as she pedals around town with Mr. Stubbs, her tabby cat, keeping her company in the bike basket. Using simple scientific tools and their powers of observation, Jesse and her friends analyze, test hypotheses, and conduct experiments. If the kids get stuck, they know they can count on Professor Peach, a retired science educator, to step in with a clear explanation. In this series focuses on one STEAM subject including science, technology, engineering, the arts, or math. Each book also features a culminating hands-on makerspace activity to help kids solve their own STEAM-based questions!

BISAC: JUVENILE FICTION / Mysteries & Detective Stories (JUV028000)



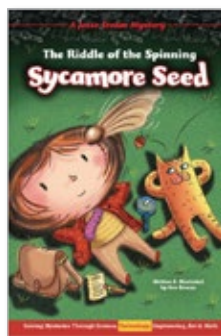
The Conundrum of the Crooked Crayon

ISBN: 9781634409346



Using **science skills**, Jesse discovers how the Sun is closest to Earth in summer, which is why the crayon melted.

While spring cleaning, Jesse notices a crayon on her windowsill that's bent over.



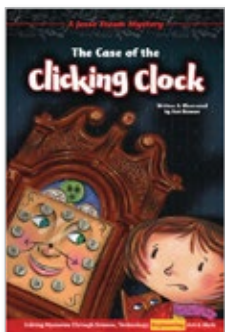
The Riddle of the Spinning Sycamore Seed

ISBN: 9781634409407



While in her tree house, Jesse sees a falling seed slowly spin to the ground. When she notices acorns falling fast to the ground, she uses **technology** to understand aerodynamics and learn about propellers and windmills.

While in her tree house, Jesse



The Case of the Clicking Clock

ISBN: 9781634409469



A trip to Jesse's grandparents' is great until she discovers a mystery in the attic. When she encounters a pair of spooky eyes during a storm, Jesse must use **engineering skills** to solve the case.

A trip to Jesse's grandparents'



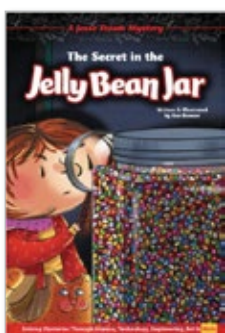
The Clue in the Painted Pattern

ISBN: 9781634409520



While camping, Jesse finds a piece of broken pottery that once belonged to a Native American tribe. When she later finds more pieces of the artifact, she uses her **art skills** to preserve the clay pot.

While camping, Jesse finds a



The Secret in the Jelly Bean Jar

ISBN: 9781634409582



DESCRIPTION: Jesse is having problems with her bike, but luckily, there's a local contest to win a bike taking place. To win, Jesse must use **math skills** to guess how many jelly beans are in a big jar.



Meg and Greg: Frank and the Skunk

Orca Two-Reads

RRP: \$24.95

Author: Elspeth Rae, Rowena Rae

Publisher: Orca Book Publishers

Release Date: 09/10/2020 | Format: PB | Pages: 160 |

Size: 14.92 x 20.95 cm

ISBN: 9781459824935



ALSO AVAILABLE

**Meg and Greg:
A Duck in a Sock**

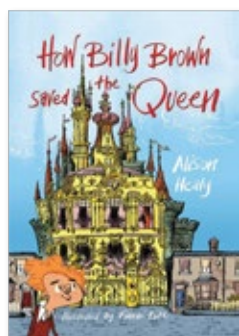
RRP: \$24.95
ISBN: 9781459824904



DESCRIPTION: *Frank and the Skunk* is the second book in the Orca Two Reads series designed for shared reading between a child learning to read or struggling to read and an experienced reader, following *Duck in a Sock*. The stories have special features to help a child with dyslexia or another language-based learning difficulty find reading success. Besties Meg and Greg are off to sleep-away camp for the summer!

Along with your standard camp activities (swimming and making crafts) the duo have a run-in with a skunk, sing a silly song about a king, go on a canoe trip that has one glitch after another, and make a mess in the lodge with a fresh batch of fudge! So sit down and cozy up for another set of Meg and Greg adventures, this one focusing on the phonograms: nk, ng, tch and dge.

BISAC: JUVENILE NONFICTION / Language Arts / Vocabulary & Spelling (JNF029040)



How Billy Brown Saved the Queen

RRP: \$16.95

Author: Alison Healy | Publisher: Little Island Books | Format: PB

AU Release: 01/10/2020 | IE release: 05/04/2018 | Pgs: 112 | Size: 12.9 x 19.8 cm

ISBN: 9781910411957



'Clever, quirky, and oodles of queenly fun –suffering ducks, one was most amused!'—Alan Nolan, author and illustrator.

DESCRIPTION: Billy Brown is good at maths but bad at sports. He wishes it were the other way around. When the Queen is struggling with a maths problem, it's Billy's time to shine! Only Billy Brown can help the Queen with her difficult maths problem, and she gives him a big gold medal. But when the Queen then comes to stay with Billy's family everything begins to get royally awkward. Then there's Billy's grandma, who used to be a spy ... A right royal riot of a read! **BISAC:** JUVENILE FICTION / Humorous Stories (JUV019000)



Hope Against Hope

RRP: \$16.95

Author: Sheena Wilkinson | Publisher: Little Island Books | Format: PB

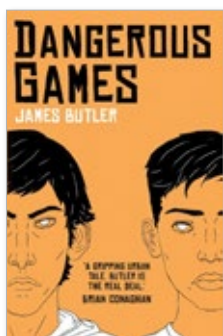
AU Release: 01/10/2020 | IE release: 05/03/2020 | Pgs: 240 | Size: 12.9 x 19.8 cm

ISBN: 9781912417421



'Funny, moving and full of wisdom, Hope Against Hope shows Sheena Wilkinson is a writer at the top of her game.' — Jan Carson, author of *The Fire Starters*, winner of the EU Prize for Literature 2019

DESCRIPTION: The year is 1921. Ireland has been at war for two years. Communities are torn apart by bitter hatred – and now a hard border splits the island. In Belfast, Helen's Hope hostel is a progressive space where young women live and work together – a haven of tolerance and diversity in a fractured city. But some people hate Helen's Hope and its values. Another pitch-perfect historical novel from the prize-winning author of *Star by Star*. **BISAC:** JUVENILE FICTION / Historical (JUV016000)



Dangerous Games

RRP: \$18.95

Author: James Butler | **Publisher:** Little Island Books | **Format:** PB

AU Release: 01/10/2020 | **IE release:** 11/04/2019 | | **Pgs:** 224 | **Size:** 12.9 x 19.8 cm

"A gripping urban tale. Butler is the real deal." – Brian Conaghan, author of *The Weight of a Thousand Feathers*

"The plot whips along and the dialogue is particularly strong ... It's a gritty, honest, compelling novel and I thoroughly enjoyed it." – Sarah Webb, *The Irish Independent*

DESCRIPTION: Kevin's da is dead. His brother steals carts. Uncle Davy is back – and he's bad news. When Kevin meets Conor he tries to help another boy without a father, but they're soon caught up in Davy's dangerous game. The stakes are high. But Kevin as to play, or everyone he cares about will lose. A pacy and exciting urban drama exploring the pressures of young masculinity and male friendships.

BISAC: JUVENILE FICTION (JUV000000)

ISBN: 9781910411919



Mortal Sight

Colliding Line

RRP: \$22.95

Author: Sandra Fernandez Rhoads | **Publisher:** Enclave Escape

Release Date: 01/10/2020 | **Format:** PB | **Pages:** 304 | **Size:** 13.97 x 21.59 cm

DESCRIPTION: When Worlds Collide, Shadow Wrestles Light Seventeen-year-old Cera Marlowe wants a normal life; one where she and her mom can stop skipping town every time a disturbing vision strikes. But when a girl she knows is murdered by a monster she can't explain, Cera's world turns upside down. Suddenly thrown into an ancient supernatural battle, Cera discovers she's not alone in her gifting and vows to use her visions to save lives. But why does John Milton's poem *Paradise Lost* keep interrupting her thoughts? In a race against time and a war against unearthly creatures, will decoding messages embedded in the works of classic literature be enough to stop the bloodshed and protect those she loves?

BISAC: YOUNG ADULT FICTION / Religious / Christian / Science Fiction (YAF051100)

ISBN: 9781621841548



For Whom the Sun Sings

RRP: \$22.95

Author: W.A. Fulkerson | **Publisher:** Enclave Escape

Release Date: 01/10/2020 | **Format:** PB | **Pages:** 288 | **Size:** 13.97 x 21.59 cm

DESCRIPTION: The world is blind ... then one boy is born with sight. Nestled in a mountain haven, the remaining people of the world live in a village that is ordinary but strict. A severe peace must be kept severely, as they say. It's all that keeps them from descending into the chaos that claimed the world a hundred years ago. Led by the Prophet Valdas and his Regents, the villagers work, play, marry, and have families. They gather in ceremony once a year to celebrate their Day of Remembrance. Life is planned, precise, and predictable until the special abilities of eleven-year-old Andrius threaten to undermine it all.

BISAC: YOUNG ADULT FICTION / Religious / Christian / Science Fiction (YAF051100)

ISBN: 9781621841531





The Vault Between Spaces

RRP: \$22.95

Author: Chawna Schroeder | **Publisher:** Enclave Escape

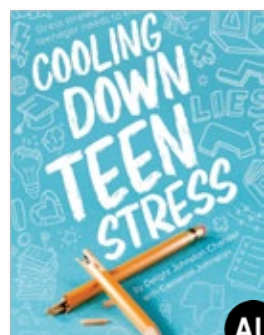
Release Date: 01/10/2020 | **Format:** PB | **Pages:** 304 | **Size:** 13.97 x 21.59 cm

DESCRIPTION: Every legend must start somewhere... No prisoner who enters the gates of HopeWell ever leaves. But from the moment Oriel sets foot inside Anatroshka's most formidable prison camp, she unsettles both commandant and prisoner alike with eyes that see beyond the surface and music that trails her everywhere. Petite and delicate

though she appears, Oriel bows before neither threat nor punishment. Moreover, she makes no attempt to hide her intention: Oriel plans to escape the inescapable HopeWell. But when facades are stripped away and myth becomes clothed in flesh, what begins as a prison break becomes a mission to stop the invasion of evil itself.

BISAC: YOUNG ADULT FICTION / Religious / Christian / Science Fiction (YAF051100)

ISBN: 9781621841524



Cooling Down Teen Stress

RRP: \$19.95

ISBN: 9781922373120



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Author: Delight Johnston

Chandler, Illustrated by Cameron Johnston

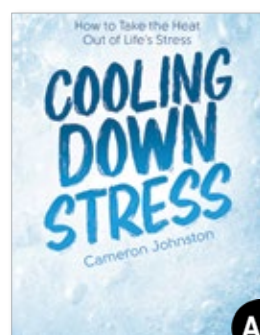
Publisher: Signs Publishing | **Format:** PB

Date: 01/10/2020 | **Pages:** 128 | **Size:** 15.3 x 22.8 cm

DESCRIPTION: An exciting story, by a teen for teens, that relates to the stresses of everyday life. Live a year with Derisa—energetic, smart, caring and otherwise typical high school student—as she navigates challenges in and out of school. Her story grapples with real life-and-death teen issues, like dating, parents, fear, jobs, grades, suicide and grief. Following each chapter is an interactive teen stress strategy, providing readers with high-impact awareness tools to assess their stress levels and manage stress. There are practical solutions for external stressors, like not enough time, money or friends—and for deep-seated, internal stressors, like low self-worth, guilt and negative emotions. This book is priority reading for every teenager.

"Very well written, especially because the author is a teenager! Phrasing and word choice are age and culture appropriate."—Writer's Digest

BISAC: PSYCHOLOGY / Mental Health (PSY036000)



Cooling Down Stress

RRP: \$19.95

ISBN: 9781922373144



AU

Author: Cameron Johnston |

Publisher: Signs Publishing | **Format:** PB

Date: 01/10/2020 | **Pages:** 176 | **Size:** 15.3 x 22.8 cm

DESCRIPTION: Chris Brooks' new start-up is booming and everyone thinks he is a success. But when his 30-year-old sales manager unexpectedly dies of a heart attack and his friend Kate is diagnosed with cancer, Chris is forced to take an honest look at how he's really doing. Cooling Down Stress follows Chris and his wife Jessica as they attend a series of wellness seminars and learn strategies for managing their stress effectively. Based on author Cameron Johnston's extensive experience in presenting seminars on this topic and his analogy of cooling down soup, this engaging book provides simple, practical steps to relieve stress, anxiety and depression, improve well-being and deal with deep-seated issues like anger and grief.

"Cameron's books and the stress soup concept are outstanding." — Dr Hans A Diehl, bestselling author, founder of CHIP and Professor of Preventative Medicine, Loma Linda University, School of Medicine.

BISAC: PSYCHOLOGY / Mental Health (PSY036000)

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COME**Refugee**

RRP: \$28.95

ISBN: 9781922444035



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Author: Reece Pocock**Publisher:** Shawline

Publishing Group | **Release Date:** 22/10/2020
Format: PB | **Pages:** 230 | **Size:** 15.24 x 22.86 cm

DESCRIPTION: In a time when the world is still recovering from the aftermath of World War II...A man leaves his history in the war and his devastating wounds of his murdered family. But the war will not fade far from his mind as memories flow from the deaths at Dresden to Germany; the deserters; the killing fields...littered by dead bodies...hospitals overwhelmed and refugee centres, so under-supported... Rolf Krieger arrives in Adelaide after leaving Germany to start a new life. He uses his skills as a carpenter to gain work with Bill Kelly, a good man who becomes a friend and confidant. He finds love in the arms of Bill's sister, Elaine, a war widow with two children. He experiences happiness, until the haunting events from his past track him down in the form of a stranger seeking him out because he thinks Rolf stole from a dying aristocrat before the war ended and now, he wants Rolf to repay the sin in blood... They come together in an attempt to rebuild their lives after the dynamics of a conflict that so far has ruined them... Peace will not be found at the end of this war...

BISAC: FICTION / War & Military (FIC032000)

COVER
TO
COME**Isabel and Chloe – The Journey Begins***French Wolf Trilogy #1*

RRP: \$28.95

ISBN: 9781922444059



AU

Author: Samantha Hampstead | **Format:** PB**Publisher:** Shawline Publishing Group | **Pages:** 185**Release Date:** 22/10/2020 | **Size:** 15.24 x 22.86 cm

DESCRIPTION: Chloe will protect her sister, Isabel, from evil until their last breath... The life of Chloe, a 13-year-old French girl during the 1500's can be challenging when working as a servant for a prominent aristocratic family during the Crusades. It can become even more hazardous as she learns she is 2nd in line to the Portuguese Throne and one of the last remaining members of the House of Aviz. Raised in hiding by their Father, Chloe, with her sister Isabel, grow in protected solitude and innocence until Isabel bears the child of a man linked to the throne. As the ripple of shock lingers, they uncover the truth of their father being the great King Sebastian of Portugal, who has been forced into hiding due to an assassination attempt years earlier. Isabel's child will reshape the modern world as they know it; including the monarchy and all the lands surrounding. Chloe and Isabel are part Cathar which means for them to live in constant threat and fear as they oppose the Catholic Church. Chloe will protect her sister, Isabel, from the evil that comes for them until their last breath...even as fate propels demons to haunt them; they must remain true to the knowing that Isabel's newborn son will become the true king of the land as he is to be...

BISAC: FICTION / Medieval (FIC014020)

COVER
TO
COME**Wood For the Trees**

RRP: \$26.95

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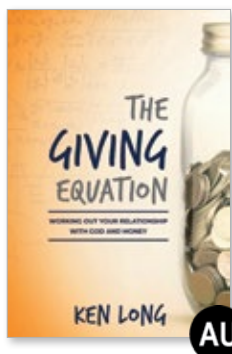


AU

Author: Ian Belshaw | **Publisher:** Shawline Publishing Group**Release Date:** 22/10/2020 | **Format:** PB | **Pages:** 160 | **Size:** 15.24 x 22.86 cm

DESCRIPTION: Luke Barclay, a man inspired by tales of his youth becomes a modern-day bushranger. Stephen Owens, a veteran police officer on the hunt for a criminal yet burdened by concerns for his own family amidst the challenge of the pursuit. Across dusty plains and through wild Australian bush, the new kind of bushranger and experienced lawman play a game of fox and chicken. Perspective vary as minds begin to unravel but the goal of consequence and legacy remain unshakeable. Two conflicted men aspired by passions are blended into a tale of timeless tribute to the Australian outback, its people and the recent past of a glorified history.

BISAC: FICTION / Thrillers (FIC031000)



The Giving Equation

RRP: \$14.95

Author: Ken Long | **Publisher:** Signs Publishing

Release Date: 01/10/2020 | **Format:** PB | **Pages:** 96 | **Size:** 13.5 x 19.8 cm

ISBN: 9781922373168

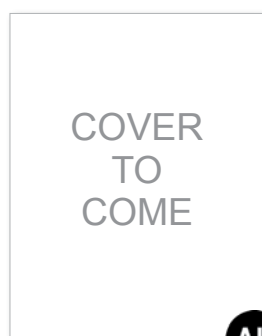


DESCRIPTION: It's logical that if I give a certain amount of money, I have less money left to live on, right? That's simple mathematics. But it's also an equation that makes many people reluctant to give. The Giving Equation provides a fresh way of thinking about stewardship, explaining two different mindsets towards our personal finances: the G-economy and the Me-economy. Far from causing us to lose out, giving has things to offer us that lead to an abundant life—now and for eternity.

Ken Long is a highly experienced business consultant, based in Sydney, Australia. He holds a Doctorate of Business Administration, along with qualifications in Law and Commerce. Ken is a stewardship champion and is passionate about helping people understand how generous giving benefits them.

"Ken Long's insights into biblical stewardship are exciting, fresh, transformative and hope filled. The Giving Equation shows that we don't need to clutch our wallets, afraid of what we might lose, because giving has a lot to offer us. Filled with practical examples and illustrations from the Bible, this book will inspire individuals and families to better understand the heart of the Giver—and to give joyfully themselves! The more households there are living out this transformed mindset, the more powerful the impact of the church will be." — Christina Hawkins, Discipleship Ministries—Stewardship, South Pacific Division.

BISAC: RELIGION / Christian Living / Stewardship & Giving (REL063000)



Emotives

Volume 2

RRP: \$24.95

Author: Janelle Barker, Illustrated by Craig Childs

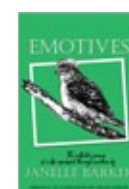
Publisher: Shawline Publishing Group | **Release Date:** 22/10/2020

Format: Paperback | **Pages:** 160 | **Size:** 15.24 x 22.86 cm

ISBN: 9780648827696



DESCRIPTION: Once again, a poet and a true Australian talent provides a collection of expression and emotions for all to enjoy for future to come...Disarming, warm and always accessible, Janelle Barker's poems make ordinary experiences glow. Everything that suffuses her emotive expression is here: love, compassion, insight, lyrical precision and the clear, simple honesty that reveals how life can turn in a moment. Musing on undercurrents and connections between family, nature, memory, motherhood and the world of circumstantial events that have created our culture and our fears. The poems in this aspiring new collection delve us further into a far more thought-provoking place. Grounded in experiences and perceptions, with all human mysteries and consolations they resonate with a passionate, sensuous honesty that only a true poet can express create. Janelle is a mother and wife who loves the closeness of family. Often a private person, Janelle shares moments with people that are close to her. Having moved from city to country life, her passion for poetry came in her 20's yet the desire to truly create her works in a collection came later in her life. She felt shy readers would not hold confidence in what she wrote and not connect to her work until encouraged by showing those close to her; most reacting emotionally to her years of thoughts and words. That was all she needed and was inspired to share her work with the world and for the world of poet lovers to relate.



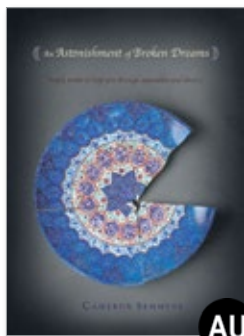
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BISAC: POETRY / Women Authors (POE024000)



An Astonishment of Broken Dreams

RRP: \$17.95

ISBN: 9780995415843



Author: Cameron Semmens | **Publisher:** Crooked Nose Wisdom

Release Date: 03/10/2020 | **Format:** PB | **Pages:** 146 | **Size:** 12.7 x 17.8 cm

DESCRIPTION: So, you're going through separation? You've just gotten a divorce? I'm sorry to hear that. It's a really tough time. This book is for you. To help you through the grief, to help you find relief and maybe, to give you a glimpse into the journey ahead from someone who has gone before you. At the moment, you may feel nothing but sadness, but trust me, beyond this, is a better world and maybe even a better you. 146 pages of encouragement and inspiration.

BISAC: FAMILY & RELATIONSHIPS / Divorce & Separation (FAM015000)



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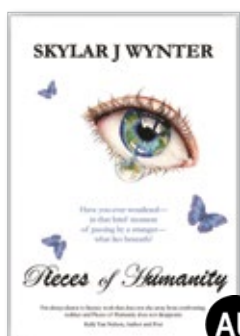
Author: Jennifer McDonald, Cover design by Barbie Robinson

Publisher: For Pity Sake Publishing | **Release Date:** 01/10/2020

Format: HB | **Pages:** 88 | **Size:** 13.4 x 2.1 cm

DESCRIPTION: Have you ever read a self-improvement book and wondered how on earth the sage advice can be put to practical use? If yes, then 'Vegetarian Vampires and What We Can Learn From Them' is the book for you. Each of the laws in Deepak Chopra's 'The Seven Spiritual Laws of Success' is examined in a series of essays by Jennifer McDonald, an independent author and publisher who's just trying to make her way in the world. Jen takes these laws out for a spin and, drawing on her own life experience, she then imparts her sometimes off-centre, yet always authentic conclusions. With a salient new 'Author's Note', the 2020 edition of Vegetarian Vampires is the book we all need to read this year.

BISAC: SELF-HELP / Personal Growth (SEL031000)



Pieces Of Humanity

RRP: \$26.95

ISBN: 9780648825357



Author: Skylar J Wynter | **Publisher:** Daisy Lane Cadence

Release Date: 01/10/2020 | **Format:** PB | **Pages:** 174 | **Size:** 13.97 x 21.59 cm

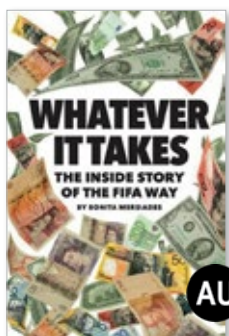
DESCRIPTION: Be prepared for the skin to be peeled back with this read, exposing the flesh and barebones of the complex soul through a blend of flash fiction, short stories, and poetry. Cutting straight to the chase with raw words that pack a punch, this read goes straight to the heart of the taboo. Depression, suicide, and euthanasia are explored here with no barriers, but the author perfectly balances hard-hitting themes with soft tones of family, love, and ultimately freedom, to make choices in death just as we expect to make choices in life. I'm always drawn to literary work that does not shy away from confronting realities and Pieces of Humanity does not disappoint. An exceptional debut collection from Skylar Wynter. Kelly Van Nelson, Author and Poet.

BISAC: POETRY / Subjects & Themes / Death, Grief, Loss (POE023010)

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Whatever It Takes

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Author: Bonita Mersiades | **Publisher:** Powderhouse Press

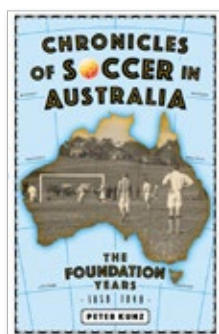
Release Date: 24/01/2018 | **Format:** PB | **Pages:** 364 | **Size:** 14.2 x 21 cm

ISBN: 9780999643105



DESCRIPTION: In the more than seven years since the decision to award the 2018 and 2022 World Cup tournaments, many fine legal minds, investigators, journalists and others have attempted to find out just how Russia, and especially Qatar, managed to pull it off. As with almost everything to do with the entire World Cup bidding process conducted by FIFA, there is even more to the story than merely about how two nations won. Much more. This book lifts the lid on how a bid for the greatest show on earth, the FIFA World Cup, works from the inside – an inside that involves what is now known as the murky, corrupt goings-on of world football administration. As US Senator Richard Blumenthal said, comparing FIFA to the mafia “is almost insulting to the mafia”. It’s the inside story of a losing bid team and the characters around it. It’s the inside story of how the ‘FIFA Way’ – as former US Attorney-General Loretta Lynch referred to it – works. And it shows that when it comes to the greatest prize in world football some people will do whatever it takes.

BISAC: SPORTS & RECREATION / Soccer (SPO040000)



Chronicles of Soccer in Australia

RRP: \$34.99

Author: Peter Kunz | **Publisher:** Fair Play Publishing | **Release Date:** 31/07/2019

Format: PB | **Pages:** 330 | **Size:** 14.0 x 21.6 cm

ISBN: 9780648407362



DESCRIPTION: Chronicles of Australian Soccer details the development of football (or soccer as it was then known) in Australia in a period where records barely existed – from 1859 to 1949. It does so within a context of Australia’s geographic and cultural isolation, and the attitudes towards race and class. Finding some of these records has meant years of dedicated research to track clubs and games from every part of the country, presented chronologically. Peter Kunz has written a truly phenomenal account of Australia’s soccer history which is of value to the football anorak as well as those interested in Australian history in the latter part of the 19th century and first half of the 20th century. Also included is a 130 page appendix listing all clubs up to 1949, and 16 pages of black and white historical images (some never seen before).

BISAC: SPORTS & RECREATION / Soccer (SPO040000)



The World Cup Chronicles

RRP: \$24.99

Author: Jorge Knijnik | **Publisher:** Fair Play Publishing

Release Date: 01/06/2018 | **Format:** PB | **Pages:** 168 | **Size:** 16 x 24 cm

DESCRIPTION: Jorge Knijnik's wonderful new book, *The World Cup Chronicles - 31 Days that Rocked Brazil*, is a unique and different look at the 2014 World Cup and its social, cultural, political and sporting impact on the people of Brazil. The World Cup wasn't 'just' a football tournament for Brazilian people -even though it came to be defined by the infamous 7-1 semi. final result against eventual winners, Germany -but it was part of the national psyche and important social change, overlaid by what we now know as corrupt practices within world football which included those in power in football in Brazil over decades. Knijnik's book looks at before, during and after the World Cup and discusses the much-vaunted 'legacy' issues to which FIFA has always pointed as being what they give back to a nation.

BISAC: SPORTS & RECREATION / Soccer (SPO040000)

ISBN: 9780648133315



Playing for Australia

RRP: \$27.50

Author: Trevor Thompson, Cover design by Retta Laraway

Publisher: Fair Play Publishing | **Release Date:** 13/12/2018

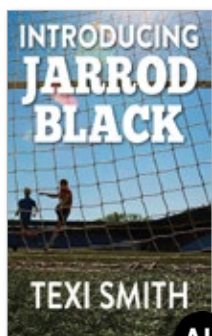
Format: PB | **Pages:** 264 | **Size:** 14 x 21.6 cm

DESCRIPTION: Australia's football history with Asia didn't just begin in 2006 when admitted to the Asian Football Confederation. The Australian football story stretches back more than 150 years through the presence of Australians at the birth of the modern game in England. British migrants established football in Australia and the game grew with the arrival of more immigrants who became players, spectators and officials. But when the time came for the Australian game to find its own identity, and to express it through its national team, the Anglo-Australian relationship failed. Instead, it was Asia that played a key role in the development of Australia's national team in its first two decades -and Australia played a significant role in Asia. Links with Asian neighbours suggested other ways to make progress on the international stage. While Australia flirted with FIFA and Olympic football, it was clear London still called the shots. Australia's football stagnated while top Asian teams reached new heights. Trevor Thompson's book *Playing for Australia - the First Socceroos, Asia and World Football* compares Australia's experience with other paths taken by football's leading nations in the Asia Pacific region, and gives an account of big matches, tournaments, and key players on and off the field in Australia and Asia up to the Second World War. When it comes to balancing Australia's football history with geography, it's not an issue of being British, European or Asian, but forging a uniquely Australian identity.

BISAC: SPORTS & RECREATION / Soccer (SPO040000)

ISBN: 9780648133377





Introducing Jarrod Black

RRP: \$19.99

ISBN: 9780648407331

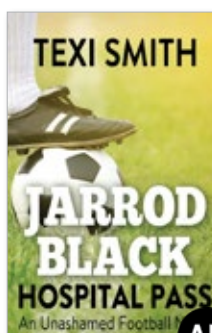


Author: Texi Smith | **Publisher:** Popcorn Press | **Release Date:** 01/03/2019

Format: PB | **Pages:** 258 | **Size:** 15.2 x 22.9 cm

DESCRIPTION: Aussie midfielder Jarrod Black is a successful player in the English Football League. Whilst the Premier League has eluded him so far, and despite his advancing years, could this be the season when it all finally comes together? Join our man on a journey through the eyes of a footballer and live the highs and lows as his career takes a twist.

BISAC: SPORTS & RECREATION / Soccer (SPO040000)



Jarrod Black Hospital Pass

RRP: \$24.99

ISBN: 9780648407324



Author: Texi Smith | **Publisher:** Popcorn Press | **Release Date:** 31/03/2019

Format: PB | **Pages:** 254 | **Size:** 15.2 x 22.9 cm

DESCRIPTION: You don't need to be a 'football person' to enjoy this book. The characters will create that passion for you and pull you along on their highs, lows, and everything in between. It is a truly entertaining and passionate story with some heart felt experience from the author. Australian midfielder Jarrod Black is a Football League player in England, plying his trade in a team gunning for promotion. With only a few games left to secure that automatic promotion spot, join our man as he lives through the highs and lows of the end of season dog fight. Will off-field drama and major challenges unhinge the season? From the author of Introducing Jarrod Black, this is another unashamed football novel. \$1 from the purchase of Jarrod Black -Hospital Pass will be given to the National Breast Cancer Foundation.

BISAC: SPORTS & RECREATION / Soccer (SPO040000)



Jarrod Black Guilty Party

RRP: \$24.99

ISBN: 9780648133360



Author: Texi Smith | **Publisher:** Popcorn Press | **Release Date:** 15/05/2020

Format: PB | **Pages:** 294 | **Size:** 15.2 x 22.9 cm

DESCRIPTION: In the latest instalment of the Jarrod Black series of 'unashamed football novels', the Australian journeyman footballer finds himself on national team duty, running out on to his field of dreams, and caught up in a situation not of his making. It's another enjoyable read from Anglo-Australian author, Texi Smith, as he shapes a tale that is both realistic and fun -showing that fiction really isn't too far removed from fact. Jarrod Black Guilty Party is the third in the series of Jarrod Black novels. The first two, Introducing Jarrod Black and Jarrod Black Hospital Pass, were published in 2019 and are available from Fair Play Publishing.

BISAC: SPORTS & RECREATION / Soccer (SPO040000)



If I Started to Cry, I Wouldn't Stop

RRP: \$29.99

ISBN: 9780648407386



Author: Matthew Hall | **Publisher:** Fair Play Publishing | **Release Date:** 22/03/2019
Format: PB | **Pages:** 216 | **Size:** 14.6 x 21 cm

DESCRIPTION: If I started to cry, I wouldn't stop' is a snapshot in time -of the glorious, problematic, and cursed path of football in Australia (yes all those things), starting with Mark Bosnich in Sydney in 1996 and ending with Harry Kewell in Istanbul in 2009 -and many things in between which Matthew had a front row seat to. At a time when football wasn't quite so 'cool' or popular, Matthew managed to actually get paid to report on the game, beyond the hamstrings and groins, and looking -as he says -back stage. For anyone who remembers these times, it's a terrific trip down memory lane. For those who don't, or who were not even alive at the time, read and learn!

BISAC: SPORTS & RECREATION / Soccer (SPO040000)



Support Your Local League

RRP: \$27.50

ISBN: 9780648133322



Author: Antony Sutton | **Publisher:** Fair Play Publishing
Release Date: 15/11/2018 | **Format:** PB | **Pages:** 270 | **Size:** 14.8 x 21 cm

DESCRIPTION: With the 2014 World Cup as a backdrop, British expat Antony Sutton takes us on a journey as he meets and learns about the people who play, coach and follow football in South East Asia. Along the way he meets football hooligans, a member of the 1990 Cameroon World Cup squad, and numerous players and coaches, both well known and some merely just making a living. It is a gentle, humorous, rollicking and revealing insight that is part 'boys own' travel adventure, part football life lessons, and part social and political commentary on the four heavy weight South East Asian nations of Singapore, Thailand, Malaysia and Indonesia.

BISAC: Soccer (SPO040000)



Surfing for England

RRP: \$24.99

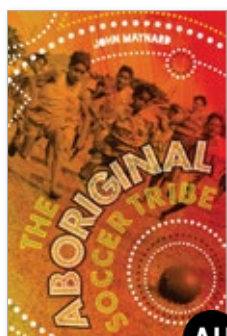
ISBN: 9781925914009



Author: Jason Goldsmith | **Publisher:** Fair Play Publishing
Release Date: 20/08/2019 | **Format:** PB | **Pages:** 84 | **Size:** 15.6 x 23.4 cm

DESCRIPTION: Drawing inspiration from the history of the game in our country and some older inspirational Australian football books, Surfing for England -Our Lost Soccerroos looks at the players who might have or could have played for Australia but who didn't, for one reason or the other. It starts with Craig Johnston and continues right to the current day with 'righting the wrongs' of those who did want to play for Australia but who had to fight to do so in the landmark FIFA ruling known as the 'CahillRule'. The book includes 8pages of colour images highlighting some of our 'lost Soccerroos'. \$1 from the sale of every edition of Surfing for England will be given to the DT38 Foundation by Fair Play Publishing.

BISAC: SPORTS & RECREATION / Soccer (SPO040000)



The Aboriginal Soccer Tribe

RRP: \$34.99

Author: John Maynard, Cover design by Leslie Prestley

Publisher: Fair Play Publishing | **Release Date:** 13/09/2019

Format: PB | **Pages:** 280 | **Size:** 14.8 x 21 cm

ISBN: 9781925914061



DESCRIPTION: This second, updated and revised edition of John Maynard's popular best-seller from 2011 is a celebration of the journey of taken by Aboriginal sportsmen and women who forged the way for the current crop of talented players, which details the previously untold history of Aboriginal involvement with the 'world game'. The multicultural environment of Australian soccer after World War II provided Aboriginal players with a haven from the prejudice and racism of wider Australian society. This wonderful book interweaves John's personal narrative and expert historical and cultural understanding with links to the broader Indigenous world community. John Maynard is a Worimi Aboriginal man from the Port Stephens region of NSW and Professor of Indigenous Education and Research at the University of Newcastle.

BISAC: SPORTS & RECREATION / Soccer (SPO040000) Edition: 2



The Time of My Football Life

RRP: \$19.99

Author: David Picken | **Publisher:** Popcorn Press | **Release Date:** 01/11/2019

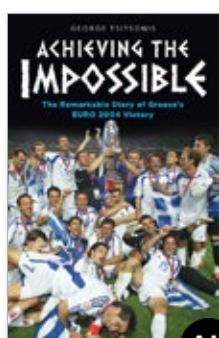
Format: PB | **Pages:** 136 | **Size:** 16.5 x 16.5 cm

ISBN: 9781925914023



DESCRIPTION: David Picken was born in England but spent most of his adult life in Australia and, like many Australian football fans, promised himself that if we made it to the 2006 World Cup in Germany - he'd be there. The Time of My Football Life (or how I spent my long service leave) is David's journey to the tournament. The travel, the people, the pubs, the ticket touts, the games. It's an adult's 'boys-own' adventure where David had two teams to support in what was literally the time of his football life.

BISAC: SPORTS & RECREATION / Soccer (SPO040000)



Achieving the Impossible

RRP: \$34.99

Author: George Tsitsonis | **Publisher:** Fair Play Publishing

Release Date: 12/06/2020 | **Format:** PB | **Pages:** 250 | **Size:** 14 x 21.6 cm

ISBN: 9781925914085



DESCRIPTION: Only the most optimistic of supporters of the Ethniki, as Greece's national football team is commonly known, would have dreamt of what occurred in Portugal at the 2004 European football championships. They came under the guidance of Otto Rehhagel, a disciplinarian German coach who was also an astute tactician, and went on to – literally – achieve the impossible by winning! It was one of the greatest shocks in the history of international football. This book is the story of how that happened. It is the first time the story has been told in long form in the English language and includes remarkable first-hand accounts from players, coaches and officials from the Ethniki. American journalist George Tsitsonis writes not only of how the impossible was achieved, but the pride and joy that such a 'miracle' brought to Greek people and the Greek diaspora around the world.

BISAC: SPORTS & RECREATION / Soccer (SPO040000)

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Orca Currents

RRP: \$18.95

Author: Alice Kuipers | Publisher: Orca

Release Date: 09/10/2020 | Format: PB | Pages: 112 | Size: 12.7 x 19.05 cm

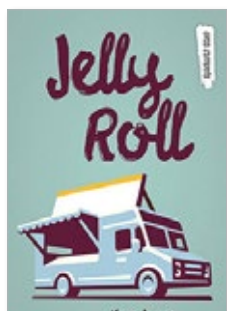
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DESCRIPTION: Ever since her parents got divorced, Pia has worked hard to make sure everything in her life is Perfect, with a capital P. But everything keeps going wrong. She and her sister get into a fight. Pia falls down the stairs and hurts her ankle. She spills chocolate milk all over her lucky outfit. She accidentally studied for the wrong test. And

her best friend still isn't speaking to her since she got mad at him for throwing her a surprise birthday party. Now Pia has a big race this afternoon and she's pretending her ankle is fine. But she has to win the race. She has to!

BISAC: JUVENILE FICTION / Social Themes / Self-Esteem & Self-Reliance (JUV039140)



Jelly Roll

Orca Currents

RRP: \$18.95

Author: Mere Joyce | Publisher: Orca | Release Date: 09/10/2020 | Format: PB

Pages: 120 | Size: 12.7 x 19.05 cm

ISBN: 9781459826298



DESCRIPTION: At school, Jenny Royce is bullied by Grade A Jerk Austin Parks. When Jenny and Austin end up at a March Break leadership camp together, Jenny thinks her week will be miserable. Especially once she and Austin are grouped together for the

camp's main assignment. They have to run a stall at a local farmer's market. The market could be a lot of fun. But when Jenny learns that Austin wants their group's project to fail, she has to decide if she can risk standing up to him.

BISAC: JUVENILE FICTION / Social Themes / Bullying (JUV039230)



Haunted Hospital

Orca Currents

RRP: \$18.95

Author: Marty Chan | Publisher: Orca | Release Date: 09/10/2020 | Format: PB

Pages: 144 | Size: 12.7 x 19.05 cm

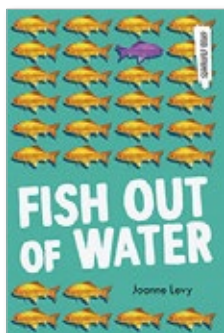
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DESCRIPTION: Xander thinks the George Wickerman Hospital would be the perfect setting for Spirits and Specters, a role-playing game where players go on "missions" to find evidence of paranormal activities. According to local legend, tuberculosis patients were used as test subjects in medical experiments that ended tragically, and

their disfigured ghosts walk the hallways of this now-abandoned building. What better location to go ghost hunting? Even though they didn't really believe the rumors, Xander and his friends soon begin to suspect that they are not alone. Is this place actually haunted by ghosts? Or something even more terrifying?

BISAC: JUVENILE FICTION / Ghost Stories (JUV069000)



Fish Out of Water

Orca Currents

RRP: \$18.95

Author: Joanne Levy | **Publisher:** Orca Book Publishers

Release Date: 09/10/2020 | **Format:** PB | **Pages:** 144 | **Size:** 12.7 x 19.05 cm

DESCRIPTION: Twelve-year-old Fishel (Fish) Rosner doesn't like regular "boy" things. He hates sports and would prefer to read or do crafts instead of climbing trees or riding dirt bikes with his friends. He also loves to dance. But all his interests are considered "girly."

Fish doesn't get why that's a bad thing. He's just interested in different things than other boys. When he asks his Bubby to teach him to knit, she tells him to go play outside. When he begs his mom to take him to Zumba, she enrolls him in water polo instead. Why does everyone else get to decide what Fish should or shouldn't do?

BISAC: JUVENILE FICTION / Social Themes / Adolescence & Coming of Age (JUV039020)

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Author: Melanie Florence | **Publisher:** Orca Book Publishers

Release Date: 09/10/2020 | **Format:** PB | **Pages:** 144 | **Size:** 12.7 x 19.05 cm

DESCRIPTION: Jennifer McCaffrey has been working hard on her art for years and is thrilled when she is accepted to a prestigious art school. The school is everything she always thought it would be, mostly. There is one group of kids who seem to resent

her and say she only got in because of her skin color. Jen, who loves to create new pieces of artwork that incorporate her Indigenous heritage, finds herself a target when the group tells her to stop being "so Indian". The night before the big art show at school, Jen's beading art project is defaced. Jen has to find a way not to let the haters win.

BISAC: YOUNG ADULT FICTION / Diversity & Multicultural (YAF014000)

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Hey Jude

Orca Soundings

RRP: \$18.95

Author: Star Spider | **Publisher:** Orca Book Publishers

Release Date: 09/10/2020 | **Format:** PB | **Pages:** 112 | **Size:** 12.7 x 19.05 cm

DESCRIPTION: Seventeen-year-old Penny is struggling to balance caring for Jude, her sister with mental health challenges, working part-time to help her mother with money issues and facing her final year of high school. She does not need any distractions. But

then she meets Jack. The two of them click immediately. But as quickly as things heat up, they then cool down, and Penny isn't sure why. Does she have room for her feelings for Jack alongside her worries that her sister is crashing into suicidal depression again?

BISAC: YOUNG ADULT FICTION / Social Themes / Depression (YAF058060)

ISBN: 9781459826359



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Double or Nothing

Orca Soundings

RRP: \$18.95

Author: Brooke Carter | **Publisher:** Orca Book Publishers

Release Date: 09/10/2020 | **Format:** PB | **Pages:** 152 | **Size:** 12.7 x 19.05 cm

DESCRIPTION: Ester "Essie" Tomasi is a genius. She got an early entrance scholarship to university and at eighteen years old is already in her second year of pre-med. But Essie also struggles with a dark secret: she has a serious gambling problem. She is falling deeper and deeper into debt, struggling to keep up with her heavy course load and unable to make even the simplest of decisions without flipping a coin. But when Essie makes a bet that she can't cover, it's her identical twin sister, Aggie, who comes to the rescue, making a dangerous deal with the gangsters holding Essie's latest bet. Essie must find her way out of this mess or risk losing everything she's ever cared about.

BISAC: YOUNG ADULT FICTION / Family / Siblings (YAF018070)

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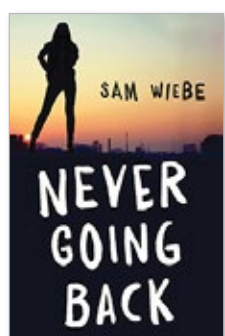
Author: Jocelyn Shipley | **Publisher:** Orca Book Publishers

Release Date: 09/10/2020 | **Format:** PB | **Pages:** 120 | **Size:** 12.7 x 19.05 cm

DESCRIPTION: After his girlfriend's accidental death by overdose, Kipphas been living on the streets, overwhelmed by his grief. He wants to honor her memory and finds help to get clean, but just when he feels like he's getting his life together, everything comes crashing down. He gets fired from his job and kicked out of his rented room on the same day. So, when Reba, a friendly woman he met at the shelter, offers him a job and a place to live, he leaps at the chance. This is his lucky break. But when a girl comes to Reba's house looking for her missing brother, Kipp starts to wonder what Reba's real story is and if his lucky break might actually be a nightmare.

BISAC: YOUNG ADULT FICTION / Thrillers & Suspense (YAF062000)

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Rapid Reads

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Author: Sam Wiebe | **Publisher:** Orca Book Publishers

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DESCRIPTION: Before she went to prison, Alison Kidd was the best thief in the city. But Ali has changed. All she wants now is to clean up her act and work in her brother Dean's restaurant. She never wants to go back inside. On the day she gets out, Dean is supposed to pick her up. But he never shows. Ali makes her way to Dean's apartment and uses her unique skill set to let herself in. Dean is missing. After some investigation, Ali discovers that he was kidnapped and is being held hostage by powerful crime boss, Lisa Wan. Lisa is the reason that Ali was in prison and wants Ali to work one last job in exchange for Dean's safety. Now, to save her brother and her own future, Ali must pull off the toughest job of her career.

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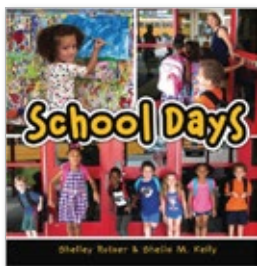
Author: Gail Skroback Hennessey, Illustrated by Tracy Sabin

Publisher: Red Chair Press | **Release Date:** 09/10/2020

Format: HB | **Pages:** 40 | **Size:** 27.94 x 22.86 cm

DESCRIPTION: During the Middle Ages, society created fashion rules that made it easy to identify a person's social class. From shoe lengths to hat heights, the laws controlled what people could and could not wear.

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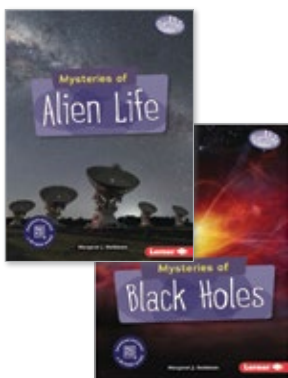
Author: Shelley Rotner, Sheila M. Kelly

Publisher: Millbrook Press | **Date:** 09/10/2020

Format: PB | **Pages:** 32 | **Size:** 24.13 x 24.765 cm

DESCRIPTION: There's a lot to do at school! Bright photos of a wide range of young kids and simple text offer young readers a look what happens throughout the school year.

BISAC: JUVENILE NONFICTION / School & Education (JNF050000)



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Author: Various | **Publisher:** Lerner Publications | **RRP:** \$16.95 ea

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