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Interactive Publications

Selected Titles on Offer

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[Black Books Publishing: a novel](#) satire by David P Reiter

[Brothers and Sisters: Coping with Loss and Grief](#) by Barbara Snook

[Desert ANZACS](#) military history by Neil Dearberg

Eleanor of Aquitaine Series: [Eleanor the Firebrand Queen](#), [The Lion and the Tigress](#), [The Tigress Caged](#), [The Power Behind the Lionheart](#) by Helen Rayson-Hill

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[From Cradle to Global Citizen: finding our way in turbulent times](#) by Lorraine Rose

[Grief and Growth: navigating the rough waters of life](#) by Richard Light

[Hidden Lives: War, Internment and Australia's Italians](#) by Mia Spizzica

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[*Nullarbor Pearl*](#) Indigenous coming-of-age romance by Sarah Rossetti

[*Serpent's Wake: a tale for the bitten*](#) fantasy by L. E. Daniels

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[*Veiled Secrets*](#) adventure fiction set in Italy by Josie Montano & Archimede Fusillo

Children:

[*Alice the Kangaroo*](#) picture book by Jeremy Southern & Amberly Kramhoft

[*Animal Doctor, Animal Doctor*](#) humorous picture book by Trevor Todd and Steven Page

[*Bringing Down the Wall*](#) intergenerational picture book by David P Reiter (English, French & German editions)

[*Casa Mia*](#) intergenerational picture book; Italian culture by Josie Montano and Kristen Willis

*The Woody and Sir Humphrey Series: [*DISinformation*](#), [*DIScombobulation*](#), [*DISequilibrium*](#)* by Trevor Todd, David Reiter, Richard Hoit & Yasmin Page; animation forthcoming

[*Draining the Lake and The Family Business*](#) short fiction by Archimedes Fusillo

[*Elephant in the Classroom*](#) picture book about anxiety by Amy O'Connor and Siobhan Skipworth

[*Feeling Blue*](#) fairy wren photography book by Trevor Todd and Mark Eatwell

[*I Love You Book*](#) picture book celebrating reading by Libby Hathorn and Heath McKenzie (also available in German)

[*Jest the Funny Bits*](#) short fiction, one act plays & poetry for the classroom by Bill Condon

[*Lemur Up!*](#) metafiction picture book by Robert Vescio and Brendan Barnaville

[*Little Shark Lulu is Sleeping*](#) environmental picture book by Dr Charlotte Birkmanis, Josie Montano and Carla Hoffenberg

[*Mia's Glamma*](#) intergenerational picture book; Italian culture by Josie Montano and Carla Hoffenberg

[*Mischief and Magic*](#) short fiction by Robert Vescio

[*100 Watermelons*](#) picture book; Italian culture by Trevor Todd and Steven Page

[*Patience*](#) picture book by Robert Vescio and Krista Brennan

[*Petra Goes to Greece*](#) picture book by Nadia Bourboulas and Cheri Hughes

[*Rosie and the Worry Whisper*](#) dealing with anxiety picture book by Matthew Cunningham and Katherine Hall

[*Stuck!*](#) humorous picture book about a sloth by Robert Vescio and Brendan Barnaville

[*The Moonlight Bird and the Grolken*](#) fantasy picture book by Anne Morgan and Lois Bury

[*The Sky Dreamer*](#) picture book about coping with loss by Anne Morgan & Céline Eimann (English, French, bilingual French / English) & German)

[*The Smallest Carbon Footprint in the Land & other eco-tales*](#) fractured fairy tales by Anne Morgan and Gay McKinnon

[*The Storytellers*](#) picture book about finding your career by Robert Vescio and Krista Brennan

[*Tiger Takes the Big Apple*](#), [*Tiger Tames the Min Min*](#), [*Global Cooling*](#) and [*The Greenhouse Effect*](#) by David P Reiter (**Project Earth-Mend Series**, Books 1-4)

[*Waiting for the Night*](#) animal picture book by Julie Thorndyke and Anna Seed

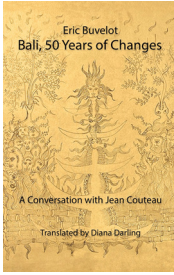
[*Watching Through the Day*](#) picture book by Julie Thorndyke and Nandina Vines

[*We Children and The Narrow Road to the Deep North*](#) picture book about Basho by Libby Hathorn and Sadami Konchi

[*When Anna Came to Stay*](#) picture book about dietary challenges by Maddie Tyers and Siobhan Skipworth

[*Zahara's Rose*](#) picture book set in historic Iran by Libby Hathorn and Doris Unger

Adult Title Details



Bali: 50 Years of Changes: a Conversation with Jean Couteau by Eric Bulvelot (GHB)

ISBN 9781922332905

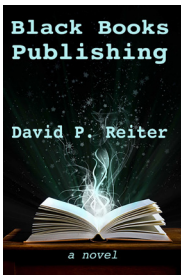
- translated from the original French by Diana Darling
- two ex-pats share their experiences about life in Bali in a Q&A format
- 80+ years of combined experiences and insights
- history, culture and artistic life of Bali is discussed



Beloved, poems by Zoe Leavitt & photos by Craig George (IP)

ISBN 9781923435186

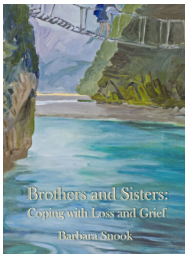
- inspirational poems for reflection
- lyrical love verses
- brilliant photography featuring the wilds of Tasmania
- set in the Tarkine region of national parks



Black Books Publishing: a novel by David P Reiter

ISBN 9781925231670

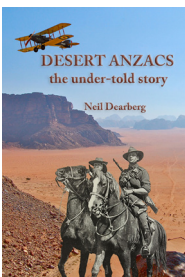
- digital narrative with internet links to “distract” the reader
- loosely references the *Black Books* TV series
- D H Lawrence comes to life holographically to connect Dylan Cashew, the reluctant publisher, to celebs past and present
- satire on contemporary independent publishing



Brothers and Sisters: Coping with Loss and Grief by Barbara Snook

ISBN 9781925231793

- YA and older readers
- narratives of loss and recovery from the perspective of siblings
- offers channels of professional responses to assist
- insightful and empathetic



Desert ANZACS by Neil Dearberg (GHB)

ISBN 9781925231625

- historical narrative about WW2 campaigns from Egypt to Palestine
- brings to life untold tales through meticulous research
- critical assessment of strategies undertaken by both sides
- written in an accessible way for a general audience



Eleanor the Firebrand Queen by Helen Rayson-Hill (GHB)

ISBN 9781922332370

- historical novel about medieval woman who became Queen of France and then England
- early feminist, she had her way with King Louis & Henry
- exhaustively researched
- first of a three book series (cf. *The Lion and the Tigress; The Tigress Caged*)



Flight, a novel by Anne Vines (GHB)

ISBN 9781923435049

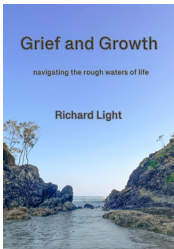
- historical romance set in World War II Melbourne
- American pilot Peter is a loner but gets involved with Tivolo dancer Iris
- When he falls in love with socialite Faye, he has a problem
- Will he commit to her before flying back into the fray?



Girl of Sea and Sky by Jo Tuscano (GHB)

ISBN 9781923435360

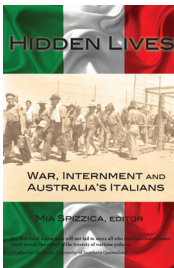
- YA novel about navigating mental health challenges
- female lead bonds with Andromeda and other celestial objects
- themes of trauma, memory & power of imagination
- charts her progress through therapy to reclaim her life & artistic career



Grief and Growth: navigating the rough waters of life by Richard Light (GHB)

ISBN 9781922830579

- coming of age in Byron Bay
- coping with the loss of close family members
- coaching rugby in several countries (UK, NZ, Japan & Australia)
- applying sporting discipline to personal issues



Hidden Lives by Mia Spizzica (GHB)

ISBN 9781925231496

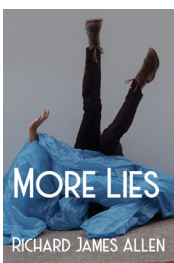
- history of how Australians of Italian descent were treated in WW2
- 16 life stories transcribed from interviews with survivors of camps
- numerous peer reviewed academic essays on the period
- written for general and YA readers as well as academic audience



Louisa by Gwen Wilson (GHB)

ISBN 9781923435223

- historical romance about resilience, love and transformation
- Louisa leaves her restrictive life in England to forge a new life in 19th century Australia
- captures the spirit of a woman ahead of her time



More Lies by Richard James Allen (IP)

ISBN 9781922332646

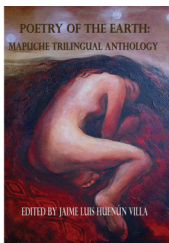
- meta-fictional work about a writer caught up in the crime he's writing about
- interactive, with alternative endings
- contemporary satire



Monsters in the Mills, edited by LE Daniels & Christa Carmen (GHB);

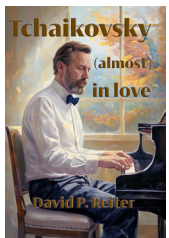
ISBN 9781922830685

- anthology of horror fiction stories
- wide range of high profile American authors
- sequel to best selling anthology launched in 2023 in USA
- shortlisted for Australasian Shadows Awards



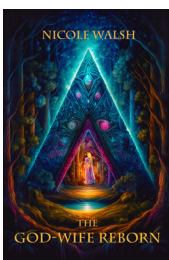
Poetry of the Earth: Mapuche Trilingual Anthology by Jaime Luis Huenún Villa, et al (IP); ISBN 9781922120175

- Mapuche are an Indigenous tribe in Chile
- Much admired for their artistic works
- Spanish originals, translated into Mapuche and English
- International editorial team



Tchaikovsky (Almost) in Love by David P Reiter (IP) ISBN 9781922830890

- verse play in Shakespearean mode
- based on a decade of letters between Tchaikovsky and benefactor Nadezhda von Meck
- Brisbane live production in 2026; potential for bioptic
- interactive, multimedia elements



The God-Wife Reborn by Nicole Walsh ISBN 9781922830616 (GHB)

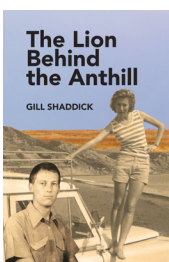
- sci-fi fantasy by Publishable winning first-time author
- Olivia consolidate her powers in the multi-verse after the death of Peter
- vampires, elves and angels abound
- powerful but flawed female lead character



The Lion and the Tigress by Helen Rayson-Hill (Book 2 of the Eleanor of Aquitaine Series) (GHB)

ISBN 9781922830029

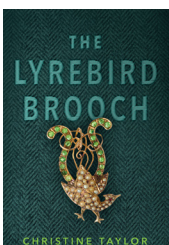
- Eleanor's tumultuous life with Henry II
- balancing her ambitions for her sons with her sometimes love for Henry
- passion between a dominant alpha male and alpha female



The Lion Behind the Anthill by Gill Shaddick (GHB)

ISBN 9781923435025

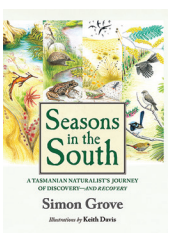
- True survival story of world travellers Gill and Mike
- after living in several African countries and Europe, they emigrate to Australia
- after Mike is diagnosed with MS, Gill gambles on a new adventure



The Lyrebird Brooch by Christine Taylor (GHB)

ISBN 9781923435063

- historical romance about a jeweller and his wife in regional Victoria
- 19th century depression dashes their dreams
- after her husband dies in the pandemic, Mathilda must cope as a single mother & prevails as an early feminist



Seasons in the South: a Tasmanian Naturalist's Journey of Discovery by Simon Grove (GHB)

ISBN 9781923435247

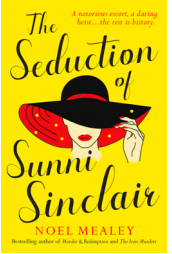
- richly illustrated and deeply personal natural history narrative
- exploration of Tasmania's unique flora and fauna & landscapes
- blends scientific insight with heartfelt storytelling
- intrigue, suspense



The Power Behind the Lionheart by Helen Rayson-Hill (Book 4 of the Eleanor of Aquitaine Series) (GHB)

ISBN 9781923435346

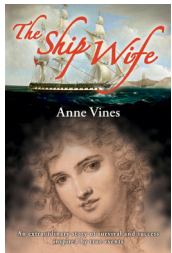
- Eleanor's life after Henry II dies
- supporting Richard the Lionheart as he takes the throne
- reconciling with her son John and tempering his royal ambitions



The Seduction of Sunni Sinclair by Noel Mealey (GHB)

ISBN 9781922830555

- ex-escort Sunni gets her revenge against an underworld ex-lover
- pulls off the largest bank heist in Australia's history up to the 1950s
- dominant female lead
- intrigue, suspense



The Ship Wife by Anne Vines (GHB)

ISBN 9781922830241

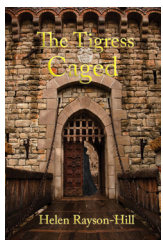
- Transported from England as a convict to Sydney, Elizabeth becomes the captain's "ship wife" to survive
- Pregnant with the captain's child, and shunned by fellow convicts, she has to prove her resilience in the convict colony
- Challenges assumptions about female convict history



The Signatory: a crime novel by Stuart Black (GHB)

ISBN 9781922830289

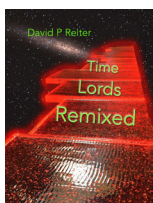
- white collar crime novel based in Sydney
- hostage & murder thriller
- our hero is on the run from police and faceless international network



The Tigress Caged by Helen Rayson-Hill (Book 3 of the Eleanor of Aquitaine Series) (GHB)

ISBN 9781922830371

- Henry II tries in vain to tame Eleanor by imprisoning her
- Eleanor tries to keep her sons from killing Henry
- The relationship comes to a climax



Time Lord Remixed: a Dr Who poetical by David P Reiter (IP)

ISBN 9781922332134

- 'writes back' to more than 50 episodes of *Dr Who*
- digital narrative, with internet call-out links
- recreates voices of figures like Peter Capaldi and Jodi Whittaker



We Who Decide: the interpretation of nightmares by Henry Johnston

ISBN 9781922830876

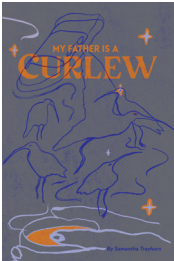
- a story of deceit, lies and ambiguity, inspired by a true story
- traces the life of a female lead who migrates after WWII to Australia to become a leading fashion designer
- reorients the Sydney fashion house to become more competitive globally

Young Adult Title Details



Earthrunner and the War of Water by Simone & Con Pakavakis (GHB)
ISBN 9781922830135

- fantasy adventure story, with a message of peace & conservation
- brother & sister twin, each with their own viewpoint sections
- set in ancient India



My Father is a Curlew by Samantha Trayhurn (IP)
ISBN 9781923435100

- magical realism coming-of-age novel
- a daughter seeks to reconnect with her dead father, personified by a curlew
- semi-tropical island setting (Queensland)



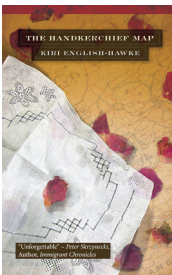
Pangea and almost back by D.R. Henderson (GHB)
ISBN 9781922332486

- fantasy adventure story, filled with mythic creatures
- time-travelling young hero
- son's search for missing father



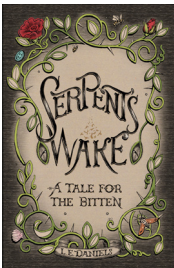
Nullarbor Pearl by Sarah Rossetti (GHB)
ISBN 9781922332647

- magical realism about a young Indigenous woman searching for her identity
- set in the iconic Nullarbor Plain of Western Australia
- Pearl finds connections with her ancestors through her art
- has to choose between competing lovers



The Handkerchief Map by Kiri English-Hawke (GHB)
ISBN 9781922120861

- Epistolary novel set during WWII
- Told from the point of view of Franz, a young Nazi soldier who is beginning to question the war; Helga, a Russian girl bent on joining the resistance; and Susanna, a Jewish woman who has been separated from her family and imprisoned in a concentration camp.



Serpent's Wake: a tale for the bitten by L. E. Daniels (GHB)
ISBN 9781925231694

- magical realism from YA and older
- after 12 years in the throat of a serpent, a girl escapes
- one day & decision at a time, she reclaims her life
- explores how, once fractured, we may mend



Veiled Secrets by Josie Montano and Archimede Fusillo (IPK)
ISBN 9781922830913

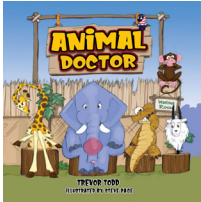
- Australian Italian teens set out to uncover family secrets in the Old Country
- They discover their grandparents were rebellious in their youth
- They learn more about themselves in their pursuit of hidden truths of others

Children's Title Details



Alice the Kangaroo by Jeremy Southern & Amberly Kramhoft (IPK)
ISBN 9781922332035

- follows the adventures of Alice the hop-challenged kangaroo & his help-mate Gary the Gala
- Alice must overcome a disability and find acceptance in her mob
- poetic and lyrical; ends with a clever twist



Animal Doctor, Animal Doctor by Trevor Todd & Steve Page (IPK)
ISBN 9781922332097

- humorous encounters between and vet and various animals needing medical attention
- insights into the daily life of vets & vet nurses



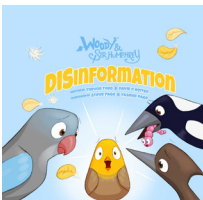
Bringing Down the Wall by David P Reiter (IPK)
ISBN 9781922120199

- [Canadian Children's Book Centre's Best Books for Kids & Teens](#)
- Also available in German and French.
- Universal themes of family estrangement, love and loss, divorce & remarriage, & the love of grandparents for their grandchild.



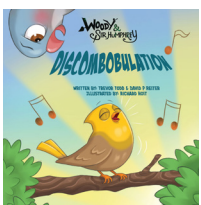
Casa Mia by Josie Montano & Kristen Willis (IPK)
ISBN 9781923435001

- Carlo's grandpa is homesick for the Old Country
- With the help of his mother, Carlo assembles memorabilia
- As a surprise, they redecorate Nonno's aged care room to remind him of his house in Italy



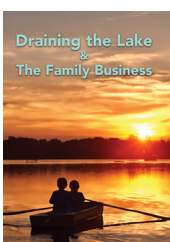
DISinformation by Trevor Todd & David Reiter, illustrated by Yasmin Page (IPK)
ISBN 9781922830227

- Woody the Canary is concerned that his feathers are falling out
- His mate, Sir Humphrey the Princess Parrot, blames various other birds for spreading the rumour of Woody's malady
- All is revealed upon a visit to the Wise Old Owl
- 1st in Woody and Sir Humphrey Series; being animated for TV



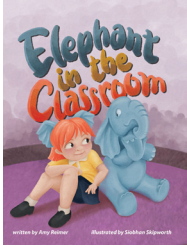
DIScombobulation by Trevor Todd & David Reiter, illustrated by Richard Light (IPK) ISBN 9781922830517; Book 2 in Woody & Sir Humphrey Series

- Sir Humphrey tells Woody that the birds find his singing *discombobulating*
- Woody has trouble even pronouncing the word!
- They try to find the source of the complaint
- Wise Old Owl comes to the rescue again!



Draining the Lake and The Family Business by Archimedes Fusillo (IPK)
ISBN 9781922830609

- two stories by one of Australia's master storytellers
- two boys think they've struck it rich when they 'discover' the Lost City of Atlantis in a nearby lake
- a veteran Elvis impersonator decides to initiate his son into the act



Elephant in the Classroom by Amy O'Connor, illustrated by Siobhan Skipworth (IPK) ISBN 9781922830128

- picture book about a daydreaming girl who has to overcome her shyness (late-stage development)
- she imagines her classmates as elephants and other animals she admires
- a friendly classmate encourages her out of her shell



Feeling Blue by Trevor Todd, photos by Mark Eatwell (IPK) ISBN 9781922332721

- Father Fairy Wren is feeling sad, but doesn't know why
- Mother Fairy Wren does her best to give him reasons why he should feel positive
- Father Wren finds joy in rediscovering his babies
- superb photography of various Australian birdlife



I Love You Book by Libby Hathorn (IPK), illustrated by Heath McKenzie ISBN 9781921479892

- Picture book about why and how we love to read books.
- Beautiful, detailed illustrations.
- Highly regarded, established author and children's ambassador.
- Also available in French and German.



Jest the Funny Bits by Bill Condon (IPK) ISBN 9781922830333

- humorous poetry, short fiction and plays
- numerous plays ready for staging at primary schools
- multi-award winning author



Lemur Up! by Robert Vescio and Brendan Barnaville (initial proof stage) (IPK) ISBN 9781923435124

- meta-fictional picture book
- main character (Lemur) disputes his role and storyline with the author
- lyrical play on words throughout this adventure tale



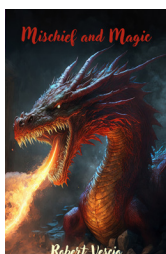
Little Shark Lulu is Sleeping by Dr Charlotte Birkmanis, Josie Montano & Carla Hoffenberg (IPK), Book 1 of Lulu the Shark Series ISBN 9781922332929

- picture book that encourages understanding of the important role sharks play in the environment
- introduces many marine creatures
- lyrical text; ideal bedtime story



Mia's Glamma by Josie Montano & Carla Hoffenberg (IPK) ISBN 9781922830203

- Mia's Glamma is anything but an ordinary grandmother
- runs a restaurant, wears the latest fashions, wins Glammathons
- encourages inter-age relationships and understanding of older people



Mischief and Magic by Robert Vescio (IPK)

ISBN 9781922830814

- Three fantasy stories with dragons, witches & danger at every turn
- magical adventures with unexpected twists and laughs along the way
- author's previous works has have rights sold extensively



Patience by Robert Vescio and Krista Brennan (IPK)

ISBN 9781922332769

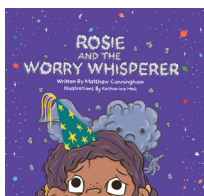
- Patience is a loveable dog with a patient temperament
- his owner learns the value of being patient and considerate of the differences between people



Petra Goes to Greece by Robert Vescio and Krista Brennan (IPK)

ISBN 9781923435322

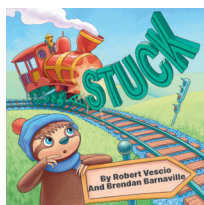
- Petra travels to Greece for family adventures
- she meets her Greek relatives and travels the countryside
- she enjoys delicious foods and activities



Rosie and the Worry Whisperer by Matthew Cunningham and Katherine Hall (IPK)

ISBN 9781922332745

- 2nd picture book by New Zealand Book of the Year award winner
- Rosie is very shy and prone to anxiety
- her parents take her to a planetarium sine she's interested in space
- there, she discovers that she can be brave, after all



Stuck! by Robert Vescio and Brendan Barnaville (IPK)

ISBN 9781923435209

- interactive book where the reader is encouraged to help a loveable sloth make it to the snowfields
- the sloth's train keeps getting stuck along the way



Project Earth-Mend Series by David P Reiter (IPK)

The Greenhouse Effect, Global Cooling, Tiger Tames the Min Min, Tiger Takes the Big Apple by David P Reiter (IPK)

ISBN 9781922120748

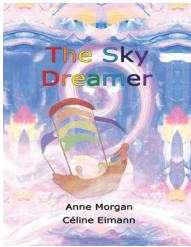
- Fourth book in Project Earth-mend Series.
- Science fiction environmental story
- [On South Australian & Victorian Premier's Reading Challenge lists.](#)



The Moonlight Bird and the Grolken by Anne Morgan & Lois Bury (IPK) ISBN

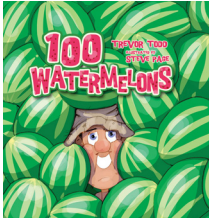
9781925231137

- a magical bird is taken off by a reclusive Grolken to his cave
- just as the two get to know each other, the bird is whisked away by the town-people, who imprison her, until the Grolken frees her
- recalls the classic *Beauty and the Beast*



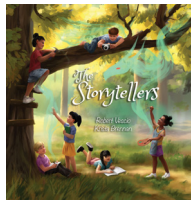
The Sky Dreamer by Anne Morgan, illustrated by Céline Eimann (IPK)
ISBN 9781921479977

- Story of young boy dealing with grief after the death of his sister.
- In a dream, his sister takes him on a voyage on a flying ship.
- Helpful for parents, children, and therapists.
- Illustrator lives and is very active in Switzerland and France.
- Also available in German, French, and French-English bilingual.



100 Watermelons by Trevor Todd and Steve Page (IPK)
ISBN 9781922332707

- humorous picture book about what happens in a small village when a load of ripe watermelons spills from a truck, inundating the town
- multi-cultural appeal (Italian farmer)



The Storytellers by Robert Vescio and Krista Brennan (IPK)
ISBN 9781922332783

- children follow their creative passions into adult careers
- diverse backgrounds & ethnicity
- encourages children to follow their dreams



The Smallest Carbon Footprint in the Land & other eco-tales by Anne Morgan, illustrated by Gay McKinnon (IPK) ISBN 9781922120236

- Fractured fairy tales about pollution, recycling, conserving resources, and making a small carbon footprint.
- Bright, appealing illustrations.
- [Winner, 2014 Wilderness Society's Children's Literature Award.](#)



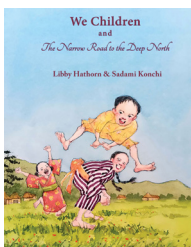
Waiting for the Night by Julie Thorndyke & Anna Seed (IPK)
ISBN 9781925231519

- Iconic Australian animals at twilight, preparing for the night
- Also features beautiful drawings of native Australian flora
- Lyrical narrative



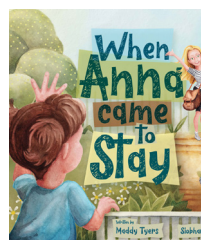
Watching Through the Day by Julie Thorndyke & Nandina Vines (IPK)
ISBN 9781922332073

- Iconic Australian animals during the day
- Also features beautiful drawings of native Australian flora
- encourages children's sense of adventure
- Lyrical narrative



We Children and The Narrow Road to the Deep North by Libby Hathorn and Sadami Konchi (IPK); ISBN 9781922332684

- multi-award winning author; Japanese illustrator
- based on the life and poems of Basho
- lush scenes of Japan
- encourages students to create their own haiku



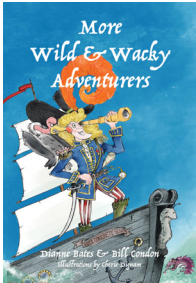
When Anna Came to Stay by Maddy Tyers & Siobhan Skipworth (IPK)
ISBN 9781925231779

- picture book dealing with dietary illnesses like anorexia
- Anna is part real, part fantasy, tempting May into 'games' that will affect her health
- May's family helps set her free from Anna's grip



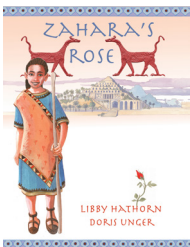
Wild & Wacky Adventures by Dianne Bates and Bill Condon (IPK)
ISBN 9781922332943

- Two humorous stories by veteran Australian writing duo
- In Story 1, Tazzie Wallaroo & The Perfect Match, Tazzie departs the Point of No Return in search of the Abominable Snowman
- In Story 2, Kylie O'Riley & The Watta-Wopping Volcano, Kylie has to venture to the volcano to recover her husband, who's fallen in.
- 1st in the Wild & Wacky Adventurers Series



Wild & Wacky Adventures by Dianne Bates and Bill Condon (IPK)
ISBN 9781922830456

- Two more humorous stories by veteran Australian writing duo
- In Story 1, Hard Hannigan climbs Mt Everest without a mask & swims the English Channel without a mask, etc, etc
- In Story 2, the crew The Concrete Slug try to survive while their crafty captain, Potty Dotty Offensnotty lives a life of luxury
- 2nd in the Wild & Wacky Adventurers Series



Zahara's Rose by Libby Hathorn and Doris Unger (IPK)
ISBN 9781921479236

- Historical picture book set in Babylonia.
- Features Hanging Gardens of Babylon & King Nebuchadnezzar.
- Zahara delivers the first rose.
- Encourages cross-cultural understanding.
- Highly regarded, established author.