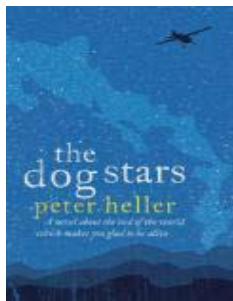


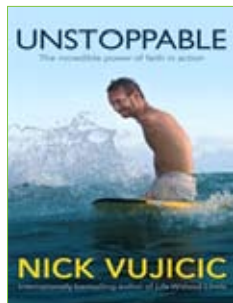


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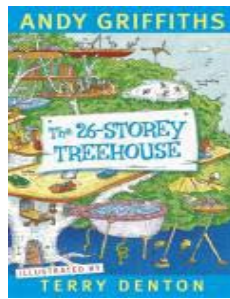
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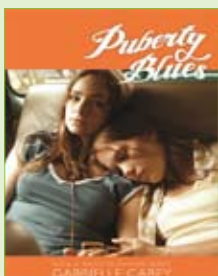


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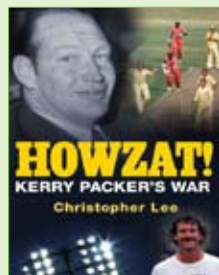
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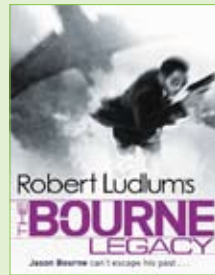


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On Saturday August 11th we celebrated **National Bookshop Day** and we hosted an 'Owl Hunt'. Many excited customers came through both of our stores and eagerly counted our owl collections. Our Frankston winner was 9 year old Max Dart who correctly counted 230 owls. Well done! Our Greensborough winners were sisters Juliette & Sophia Le Marguand (pictured). Our winners were each awarded a \$50 Robinsons voucher.

We were very surprised when the ABC News turned up at our store on National Bookshop Day and interviewed staff and customers for a news story about Robinsons Bookshop which went to air that evening. If you are interested to see the story - go to our website www.robinsonsbks.com.au and click on the link to the story in the top left corner. Thank you to all of the customers who said lovely things about the store and who helped us get ready at short notice. We are very proud to have been selected to represent bookshops on the ABC News.

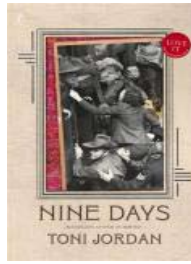


We are very excited to announce that Robinsons Bookshop will be opening a third store at **Chadstone Shopping Centre in early October!** We have been in negotiation with Chadstone for several months now and we have finally come to agree on terms and will do our best to be ready for that date. We look forward to becoming involved with another wonderful community and supporting their interest in reading.

We are currently taking resumes from experienced booksellers only. Check our website for more detail of the positions available and how to apply.

And for now **GOOD READING!**

SEPTEMBER BOOK OF THE MONTH



NINE DAYS
Toni Jordan

It is 1939 and although Australia is about to go to war, it doesn't quite realise yet that the situation is serious. Deep in the working-class Melbourne suburb of Richmond it is business - your own and everyone else's—as usual. And young Kip Westaway, failed scholar and stablehand, is living the most important day of his life.

Kip's momentous day is one of nine that will set the course for each member of the Westaway clan in the years that

follow. Kip's mother, his brother Francis and, eventually, Kip's wife Annabel and their daughters and grandson: all find their own turning points, their triumphs and catastrophes, in days to come.

But at the heart of all their stories is Kip, and at the centre of Kip's fifteen-year-old heart is his adored sister Connie. They hold the threads that will weave a family. In *Nine Days* Toni Jordan has harnessed all the spiky wit, compassion and lust for life that drew readers in droves to *Addition* and *Fall Girl*. Ambitious in scope and structure, triumphantly realised, this is a novel about one family and every family. It is about dreams and fights and sacrifices. And finally, of course, it is—as it must be - about love.

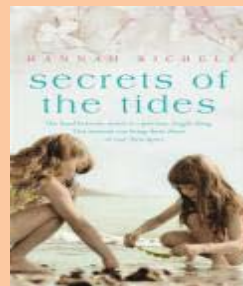
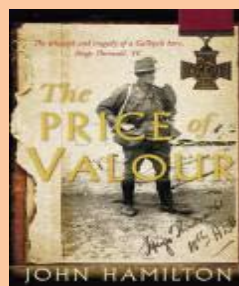
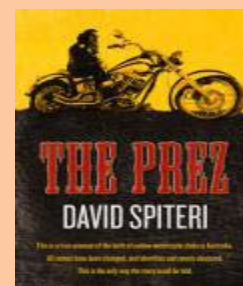
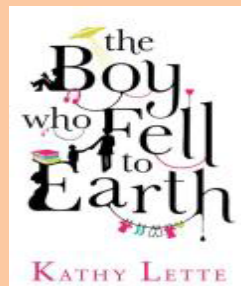
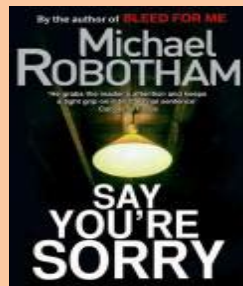
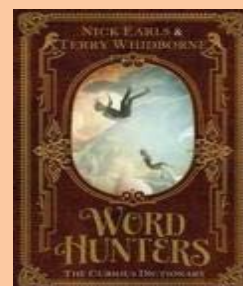
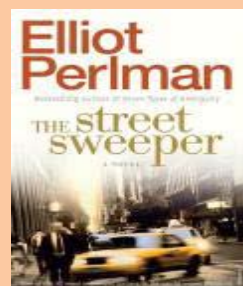
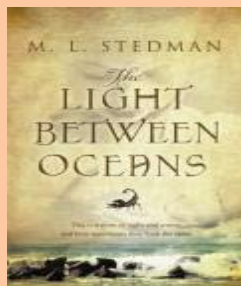
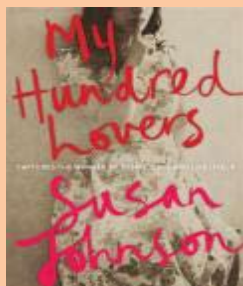
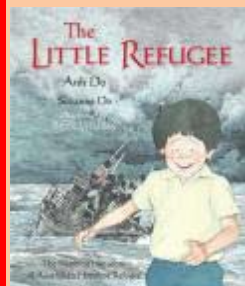
ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Toni was born in Brisbane in 1966. She loved reading and writing at primary school (Seven Hills State School) but by high school (Lourdes Hill College) had become a science nerd. After leaving school, she enrolled in a Bachelor of Science at the University of Queensland. Toni wrote her best selling debut "*Addition*" which introduced an obsessive-compulsive witty hero, whilst studying. *Nine Days*, her third novel takes more of a serious turn.

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Reviews



SWEET TOOTH

Ian McEwan

The compelling story of Serena Froome, MI5. "Sweet Tooth" showcases her brief, yet significant career in the intelligence service & is possibly the greatest novel I have read this year. "Sweet Tooth" is the code name of Serena Froome's first mission with MI5. It involves funding and recruiting budding writers under the façade of an "arts fund" to manipulate

and deter pro-communist publications in the Cold War England of 1972. Occasionally, since finishing this book, I wonder if, like these writers; I too have been manipulated by McEwan with my predisposition for a happy ending. It is the vibrant, tangible characters that made this novel so brilliant. Each chapter ending coincides with the days end, and at this pace, most nights I was content to place Serene Froome and Tom Haley upon my bedside table, and sleep, just as the characters were. This (unintentional) ritual meant I lived and breathed with McEwan's characters. When the novel finally came to a close, I felt a deep sense of loss and longing to be back in Serena Froome's life. All those dissuaded by "Solar" I promise you will not be let down again, because, dare I say it; "Sweet Tooth" is a masterpiece.

Emily.



I SUCK AT GIRLS

Justin Halpern

Justin Halpern's first book "Shit My Dad Says" was possibly the funniest book I ever read. The book was the story of Justin's life, with his father – who is extremely blunt and opinionated. It was so funny that I couldn't read it on the train, because as I sat there, reading I was silently shaking

with laughter – I attracted weird looks from other commuters. So naturally I was pretty excited to read the follow up book "I Suck At Girls". The book was a heartfelt, hilarious memoir of the authors experiences with girls – from when he was 5 and made the object of his attention cry, to current day where he has found the woman he wants to marry. Of course, no book of Justin's would be complete without the pearls of wisdom his father has to share. Such as: "That woman was sexy...Out of your league? Son. Let women figure out why they won't screw you, don't do it for them." I thoroughly enjoyed this somewhat politically incorrect book, the authors style was so down to earth and relatable that the reader was instantly drawn into his world.

Laura.



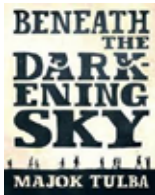
THE SIMPLE THINGS

Antonia Kidman & Sally Collings

I couldn't wait to get my hands on this book – it looked so very calm and organized which is a stark (but appealing) contrast to my own busy and sometimes chaotic household. Yes, the photos of Antonia Kidman at home

seem contrived and posed, but they do seem to convey the calmness and structure discussed in the simple but directive text, and are in themselves quite beautiful. Overall the book leaves you with the desire to simplify and declutter your home and your life. Before I knew it I had rounded up the kids and we started a long overdue Spring Clean – almost a month before Spring had started! As advised in the book – we were ruthless about sorting and disposing of long unused items and out of date clothing and toys. This project will take several weekends for us to complete – but the house already feels better and so do we all! Highly recommended for those like me who can lose sight of the everyday pleasures with family and home because of a feeling of overload. This book gives you a framework to step off the merry-go-round and dictate your own terms. Read! Then Go Simplify!

Susanne.



BENEATH THE DARKENING SKY

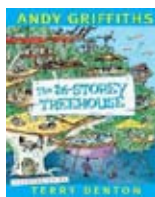
Majok Tulba

Obinna, an 11-year-old boy, and his brother are taken from their village one night, when it is violently ambushed by the SAF. Obinna witness's atrocities no child should ever witness and this is his bare-all and hold nothing back account of life as a child soldier. At times you can see a glimmer of hope for Obinna as he relentlessly fights to keep his sanity amongst a group of people intent on destroying the child to create a mindless soldier. Obinna's story will make you feel everything he sees and is a part of, it will make you wish you could change what is happening, and most of all it will open your eyes to something so horrific you will wish it was only fiction.

Majok Tulba has written an extremely powerful and moving novel about a childhood torn apart and forever altered. It is also Majok Tulba's own personal "what if" story as when he was a child living in Sudan, the soldiers in the SAF came to his village. Thankfully he was shorter than the AK-47 the soldiers used as a measuring device to determine whether or not they would take them.

'Beneath the Darkening Sky' is a novel that is still with me, long after I put it down.

Ellie.



26-STOREY TREEHOUSE

Andy Griffiths & Terry Denton

I was so very excited to see the sequel to the amazing 13-Storey Treehouse!

In this follow-up we are invited back to the awesome treehouse that Andy and Terry live in so they can introduce us to the 13 new storeys they've added to their treehouse! I defy anybody who doesn't want to live in a place that has an automatic marshmallow machine to fire marshmallows into your mouth. A place that has a spot for penguins to ice-skate, where you can pick up to 78 flavours in an ice-cream parlour run by a robot called Edward Scooperhands and where you can enter the Maze of Doom (but at your own risk, as anyone who has ever entered it, has never gotten out of it). You also get to learn more about Terry (the lonely boy who lived at the top of a tall tower), Andy (the little boy who had 'horrible' parents), their neighbour Jill (the little girl who could understand animals) and how it was that they all came to be friends! In true Andy Griffiths style, this book is filled with many hilarious moments and crazy antics, all of which are accompanied with Terry Denton's quirky illustrations. This book will not disappoint anyone, whether it be someone who has read all of his books, or someone who has picked up one of his books for the first time!!

Nicole.



THEODORE BOONE #3 - THE ACCUSED

John Grisham

Theodore Boone is back! It appears this time, that Theodore is in over his head. Theodore is a 13 year old boy, whose parents are both lawyers, and naturally that's exactly what Theodore wants to be when he grows up. Theodore loves the law and has always had faith in the justice system... Until the tables start to turn.

Theodore is accused of a local theft, and the evidence is piling up against him - fast. Is he guilty, as the entire town seems ready to believe? As always, Theodore Boone was compelling, well written and left the reader just wanting more. For me, it's a throw back to the Nancy Drew series that I adored - teen crime solving at it's best. A great story, for mystery (and John Grisham fans!) of any age.

Laura.

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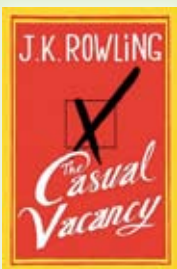


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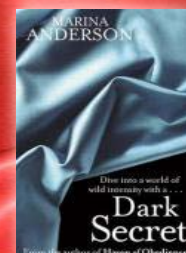
Rich at war with poor, teenagers at war with their parents, wives at war with their husbands, teachers at war with their pupils... Pagford is not what it first seems.

And the empty seat left by Barry on the parish council soon becomes the catalyst for the biggest war the town has yet seen. Who will triumph in an election fraught with passion, duplicity and unexpected revelations?

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Shows the passionate dedication of a father who refuses to give up on his little girl even as her behaviour becomes ever more alien. An eventual diagnosis is reached of one of the most severe cases of childhood schizophrenia that doctors have ever seen.



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Lily Chan has pieced together the unconventional shape of her grandmother's story. Poetic, vibrant & heart-rending, Toyo is the chronicle of an extraordinary life, infused with a granddaughter's love.



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"In Moranthology, I am set free to tackle the rest of the world: Ghostbusters, Twitter, caffeine, panic attacks, Michael Jackson's

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A STORY OF SEVEN SUMMERS

Hilary Burden
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On the outside, Hilary Burden was living a glamorous life. But on the inside, something was missing in her life & she didn't know quite

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History



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Provides insight into what life was really like for the rural community in the Victorian era, for the real inhabitants of places like Lark Rise:

small dwellings crowded with mouths that needed feeding; long working days and low earnings.



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Hitler was driven by an extreme ideology & addicted to taking risks. 70 years on, is the man who exercised such control over Europe's

destiny still a warning to us all?



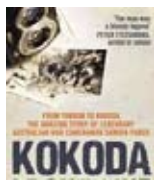
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Lady Colin Campbell
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Queen Elizabeth was called the 'most successful queen since Cleopatra'. But there was another

Elizabeth - the Queen Mother behind the smiling granny, and the untold story of the life she really lived is fascinating and moving.

Military

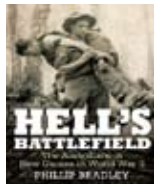


KOKODA FRONT LINE!

Neil McDonald
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Damien Parer was appointed Official Photographer covering the Australian fighting in the early days of WWII. His most famous documentary is Kokoda Front

Line!, made during the darkest days of the campaign in mid-1942. This is a colourful and authoritative story of a great Australian and includes many of his most iconic photographs.

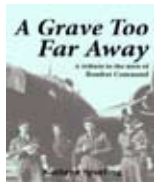


HELL'S BATTLEFIELD

Phillip Bradley
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Hell's Battlefield is the first book that tells the whole story of the Australians against the Japanese in New Guinea during World War II, from invasion in 1942 to the

brutal end game in 1945. The book covers the battles that preceded and those that followed, most of which have previously received scant attention.



A GRAVE TOO FAR AWAY

Kathryn Spurling
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This book is a tribute to the Australians who served in Bomber Command during World War II. "A Grave Too Far Away" illuminates the war experiences of the men

of Bomber Command but also the effects on their families. Effects that were felt at all levels and touched around 11,000 Australians, countless families and many communities in both Australia and Europe.



ONE FALSE MOVE

Robert Macklin
PB \$35.00

The gripping, untold story of a small band of Australians who specialised in defusing mines in and around Britain in World War II. It is a story of sheer courage and skill as these

men defused deadly mines, often dropped in residential areas. Robert Macklin brings this story to life in this colourful and masterful account.



THE PRICE OF VALOUR

John Hamilton
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When Hugo Throssell joined the Light Horse during WW1, he symbolised the Australian nation at that time: full of youth, vigour, courage and idealism. And when he

killed himself in 1933, he remained as emblematic to his country as he'd been in those heady days of 1914, his youth and future forever darkened by the triumph and tragedy of war.

Current Affairs



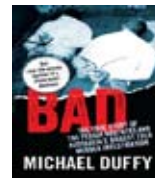
QE #47 DAVID MARR ON TONY ABBOTT

David Marr
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Quarterly Essay is an Australian journal of politics and culture. Each issue contains a single essay written at a length of about 25,000

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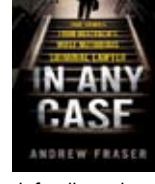


EUGENIA FALLENI

Mark Tedeschi
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Eugenia Falleni was a woman, who in 1920 was charged with the murder of her wife. Eugenia had lived in Australia for 22 years as a

man and during that time officially married twice. She lived a full married life with her first wife, Annie, for 4 years before Annie realised that her husband was a woman. Then Annie mysteriously died.



IN ANY CASE

Andrew Fraser
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Andrew Fraser has made big mistakes in his life. A flash, arrogant & highly successful criminal lawyer, he made a great deal of money

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General Reference



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Molly Hodgkin
PB \$5.99

These 5 super cute boys from the UK have a #1 debut album, sold-out tours, famous friends, and tons of fans. Check out this book full of fun facts and pictures to find out more about 1D!



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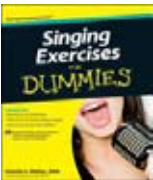
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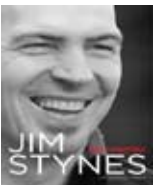
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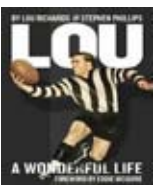
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Jim Stynes never took the easy road, on or off the field. He loved a challenge. He pushed himself, and worked hard to help others realise their potential. Unflinching in its honesty, this is an extraordinary insight into a man who lived fearlessly, with a vision for how to achieve the best life possible. Jim Stynes' legacy is an inspiring story about getting the most out of every single day, whatever you do.



LOU - A WONDERFUL LIFE

Stephen Phillips
PB \$32.95

In celebration of Australian Football legend Lou Richards immense contribution to the game, and continued services to the sport through his successful media career, the Slattery Media Group is thrilled to publish an updated edition of Lous memoirs, first released in 1989.



DON'T BE WHERE THE BALL AIN'T!

Jack Dyer
HB \$24.95

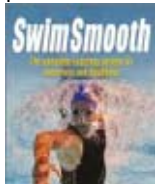
The late AFL legend Jack Dyer will go down in Australian sport history books as one of the most charismatic and influential sportsmen the media has ever seen. Renowned for his unique interpretations of every aspect of life, Jack quickly became one of the most quoted commentators ever, with his own innovative language that was called Dyerisms.



GRAND FINALS VOL II 1939-1978

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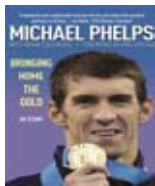
This book, the 2nd in a 3 volume series, recounts in detail the stories surrounding players, coaches and matches between 1939 and 1978, and explores key events that helped shape premiership teams during those years.



SWIM SMOOTH

Newsome
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Written for both fitness and competitive swimmers, Swim Smooth contains the latest breakthroughs in swimming to help you radically improve your speed, enjoyment, and success. Hundreds of full-color photographs and 3D graphics help you put theory into practice while detailed advice offers help for intermediate, advanced, and elite swimmers alike.



MICHAEL PHELPS BRINGING HOME THE GOLD

Cazeneuve
HB \$29.95

Michael Phelps relives the glory of the 2004 Olympics and his record-breaking 8 gold medals in 2008. Completely up to date, this book covers the 2012 Olympic games as well.



DIVE ATLAS OF THE WORLD

Jack Jackson
HB \$49.95

This global guide to the world's top dive sites is an inspirational reference source for divers who wish to experience, personally or vicariously, the best diving the planet has to offer.

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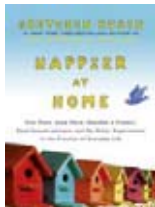


GREAT AUSTRALIAN UTE STORIES

John Bryant
PB \$32.99

Over 80 ute yarns will charm you with humour & Aussie warmth. Written by everyday Australians in praise of our love affair with the ute, this collection celebrates the joy of the ute's ability to save the day, win the girl & excite the dog.

Personal Development



HAPPIER AT HOME

Gretchen Rubin
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In The Happiness Project, Gretchen Rubin worked out general theories of happiness. Here she goes deeper on factors that matter for home, such as possessions, marriage, time and parenthood.

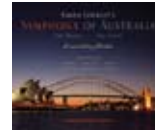
Travel



COMFORT OF WATER A RIVER PILGRIMAGE

Maya Ward
PB \$28.00

This is the joyful yet heartbreaking true story of four friends who walk a 21-day pilgrimage from the sea to the source of Melbourne's Yarra River. There is no path for most of the way, but offers of campsites and boats, and free access to private lands, illustrates the generosity shown to pilgrims even in modern times.



SYMPHONY OF AUSTRALIA

Gavin Lockley
HB \$59.95

Complete with 50 minute audio CD of the Sydney Symphony Orchestra, this full colour book brings a fresh perspective on Australia's history.

Science



DREAMLAND ADVENTURES IN THE STRANGE SCIENCE OF SLEEP

Randall
HB \$32.95

Journalist David K. Randall never gave sleep much thought. That is, until he began sleepwalking and a midnight crash into a wall sent him on an investigation into the strange science of sleep.



WONDER OF BRIAN COX

Ben Falk
HB \$35.00

Professor Brian Cox is the presenter of the hit television series Wonders of the Solar System & Wonders of the Universe. His affable charm and infectious enthusiasm has brought science to a whole new audience.

Home, Family, Health



THE SIMPLE THINGS

Collings & Kidman
HB \$35.00

Antonia Kidman & Sally Collings encourage us to embrace a simpler life; a life that is happier, healthier and less hurried, a life in which we are able to slow down enough to make meaningful connections with family, friends and community, as well as the world around us.



LIVING WITH JONATHAN

Sheila Barton
PB \$24.99

Sheila Barton's memoir of autism is inspiring. Finding herself, at 30 years old, with a son with autism and severe learning disabilities, she set about learning how to live a different kind of life and be a different kind of mother.



SECRET GIRL'S BUSINESS

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Secret Girls' Business will put the individuality and creative spark back into your life. Craft, stories, fashion tips, recipes and helpful advice will inspire you to develop your artistry, discover different cultures, experiment with style and revel in the joys of friends and family. Explore. Create. Celebrate.



OPEN WIDE

Tom Parker
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Draws on 4 decades of experience to reveal how unscrupulous dentists are able to get away with over-servicing and over-charging, then provides you with all the right information so you can find your own honest and competent dentist.

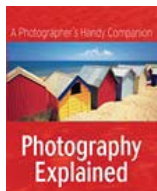
Photography



100 IDEAS THAT CHANGED PHOTOGRAPHY

Mary Warner Marien
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Chronicles the most influential ideas that have shaped photography from the invention of the daguerreotype in the early 19th century up to the digital revolution now.



PHOTOGRAPHY EXPLAINED

Ken Duncan & Leo Meier
PB \$19.99

This pocket-sized book is about learning the fundamentals so as not to miss those wonderful photographic opportunities in

our lives when they arise. In the end, photography should be kept simple and fun. It's good to know the basics but let's never make it so difficult that we miss the shot.

Business



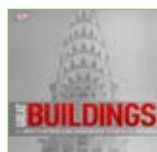
THE ECONOMICS BOOK

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An essential guide to more than 100 of the big ideas in economic theory and practice covering everything from ancient theories

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Architecture



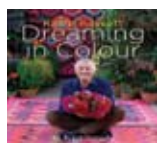
GREAT BUILDINGS

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HB \$39.99

Takes you on a tour of 50 of the world's architectural masterpieces from the Houses of

Parliament to the Sydney Opera House. Discover how to 'read' a building and identify key characteristics of architecture.

Art



KAFFE FASSETT DREAMING IN COLOR

Kaffe Fassett
HB \$49.95

This intimate autobiography is filled with Fassett's amazing stories about his bohemian childhood, his hard-earned rise to fame, and all of his creative pursuits. It includes photos of him throughout his life, his home, his work and things that have inspired him.



100 IDEAS THAT CHANGED ART

Michael Bird
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From the earliest cave paintings through to the internet and street art, this inspiring book chronicles the 100 most influential ideas

that have shaped the world of art. Lavishly illustrated with historical masterpieces and packed with fascinating contemporary examples, this is an inspirational and wholly original guide to understanding the forces that have shaped world art.

Fashion



FASHION & FLEMINGTON

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Celebrates the unique and long established link between the Melbourne Cup Carnival and style, exploring the fun and flamboyancy of fashion at Flemington

over the years. Covering the designers and milliners who have shaped today's racewear.



FASHIONISTA'S GUIDE TO SHOPPING IN MELBOURNE

Emily Power
PB \$19.95

The ultimate guide to Melbourne's stunning array of fashion boutiques and stores. The book showcases the best of Melbourne's abundant retail sector in a handsome, handbag-sized directory.

Craft



DRESSMAKING THE COMPLETE STEP-BY-STEP GUIDE TO MAKING YOUR OWN CLOTHES

HB \$49.99

Dressmaking gives you all the tools you need to make, alter and customise your own clothes, from choosing the right fabrics to key techniques such as hemming and hand stitching.



NURSERY STITCH

Rebecca Shreeve
PB \$14.99

Rebecca Shreeve's unique ideas combine hand-appliqué, embroidery and simple machine-stitches

with gorgeous textiles to create irresistible gifts for the little ones in your life.



THE BEST-DRESSED KNITTED BEARS

Emma King
PB \$14.99

Boasts 6 gorgeous knitted teddy bears, ranging in height from 8-16 inches. In addition, there are a

total of 18 differently themed classic and contemporary costumes. Only basic knitting skills and materials are needed and many of the projects can be knitted up from oddments of yarn.

Gardening



YATES GARDEN PROBLEM SOLVER

PB \$24.99

Covering a wide variety of common disorders affecting flowers, fruit, vegetables, shrubs and trees, YATES GARDEN PROBLEM SOLVER provides clear colour illustrations of weeds, pests and diseases, allowing you to spot at a glance the problem affecting your plants. Easy-to-follow text provides simple steps to rid yourself of even the nastiest pests.



SMALL FOOD GARDEN

Diana Anthony
PB \$29.95

No matter what size your outdoor space, you can plant, grow and harvest fresh organic produce using the information in this compact book. Included are vegetables,

herbs and fruit, with tips on planting, growing and caring for each plant.



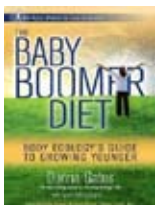
LITTLE VEGGIE PATCH CO'S GUIDE TO BACKYARD FARMING

Capomolla & Pember
PB \$45.00

Packed with fun and easy-to-follow activities like keeping chickens, building a vertical veggie garden,

making cider and tomato sugo, and starting a backyard beehive. Learn how to use excess produce to make delicious preserves and jams, or create garden-inspired gifts.

Diet & Fitness



BABY BOOMER DIET

Gates & Schreengost
PB \$17.95

A blueprint for restoring a vital friendship with our bodies and, in turn, renewing our bond with the earth. It shows us how we can live fuller, healthier, more meaningful lives. A fascinating blend of cutting-edge medical information, practical health advice, & spiritual wisdom,

Cooking



NIGELLISSIMA INSTANT ITALIAN INSPIRATION

Nigella Lawson
HB \$49.95

Nigella's mouthwatering dishes have their roots in tradition but take us into fresh territory; knowledge worn light of touch but full on taste. While she stays true to the spirit of Italian cooking, her recipes are quick & easy, designed to elevate everyday eating into no-fuss feasts for those days when we need to get supper on the table pronto.

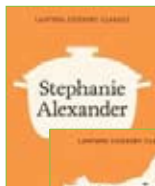


THE FREE RANGE COOK SIMPLE PLEASURES

Annabel Langbein
HB \$49.99

With Simple Pleasures, Annabel stays true to her philosophy that

quality natural ingredients need little in the way of fussy preparation, cooking up an exciting new batch of recipes using seasonal ingredients.



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Gathers timeless recipes from these much loved authors in this new series of indispensable books for your kitchen bookshelf. Soon you'll be whipping up your favourite dishes from Stephanie Alexander, Maggie Beer, George Calombaris, Kylie Kwong,

Gary Mehigan and Matt Moran. Collect the whole set.



GORDON RAMSAY'S ULTIMATE COOKERY COURSE

Gordon Ramsay
HB \$39.99

A lifetime's worth of expertise from the world's finest chef. Gordon will share all sorts of useful tricks and tips from his years as a professional chef, from ways to save time and money, to how to present simple food so it looks like you've spent hours on it.



MELBOURNE BY MENU

Rita Erlich
HB \$34.95

Acclaimed food writer Rita Erlich charts Melbourne's burgeoning restaurant scene during the 1980s through her fascinating collection of menus and recipes.



DECORATING CAKES

Australian Women's Weekly
HB \$49.95

Full of magical decorated cakes, for weddings, christenings, birthdays, anniversaries, any occasion at all that calls for a celebration. You'll

need time and patience for these beautiful creations, but it's within the scope of everyone with a passionate interest.



FAST FRESH EASY FOOD

Lorraine Pascale
HB \$32.99

Lorraine's third title includes 100 recipes, each with an accompanying photograph. Every recipe includes a side-dish, making each one a complete meal.



AGE GOOD FOOD GUIDE

Janne Apelgren
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Most comprehensive guide to dining out in Melbourne and regional Victoria. Featuring over 600 restaurants who have been assessed on

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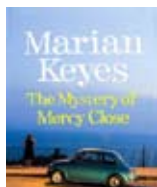


THE DOG STARS

Peter Heller
PB \$29.99

He's just about surviving, so long as he only takes his beloved plane for short journeys, and saves his remaining fuel. But, just once, he picks up a message from another pilot, and eventually the temptation to find out who else is still alive becomes irresistible.

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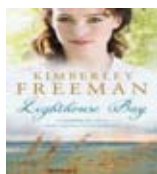


THE MYSTERY OF MERCY CLOSE

Marian Keyes
PB \$29.99

Meet Helen - youngest of the Walsh sisters & law unto herself. She was fired from every job she ever had before she found her true calling as a private investigator.

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LIGHTHOUSE BAY

Kimberley Freeman
PB \$32.99

1901: Isabella Winterbourne is the sole survivor of a shipwreck off the sun-drenched Queensland coast. But in this strange new place, she finds she cannot escape her past quite as easily as she'd hoped. 2011: A woman returns from Paris to her beachside home town to reconcile with her sister. Strange noises at night and activity at the abandoned lighthouse raise her curiosity.

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FLOWERS OF BAGHDAD

Bruce Lyman
PB \$27.99

Fear and danger are always present in Baghdad. Two very different men, Malik and Aadil, strangers to each other, know this only too well. All they want for their families is a normal and safe existence, free from the terror and desperation of bombs, gunfire and homelessness.

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TELEGRAPH AVENUE

Michael Chabon
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When ex-NFL quarterback Gibson Goode, the 4th-richest black man in America, announces plans to go forward with the construction of his latest Dogpile megastore, Nat and Archy fear it means certain doom for their vulnerable little enterprise. What they don't know is that Goode's announcement marks the climax of a decades-old secret history.

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THE TIME KEEPER

Mitch Albom
HB \$29.99

The inventor of the world's first clock is punished and banished for trying to measure God's greatest gift. Eventually, with his soul nearly broken, Father Time is granted his freedom, along with a magical hourglass and a mission: a chance to redeem himself by teaching 2 earthly people the true meaning of time.

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THIS IS HOW YOU LOSE HER

Junot Diaz
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This Is How You Lose Her is a collection of linked narratives about love, passionate love, illicit love, dying love, maternal love, told through the lives of New Jersey Dominicans, as they struggle to find a point where their 2 worlds meet. It lays bare the infinite longing and inevitable weaknesses of the human heart.

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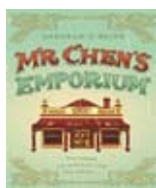


ABSOLUTION CREEK

Nicole Alexander
PB \$32.95

In 1923 19-year-old Jack Manning is offered the chance to manage Absolution Creek, a sheep property 800 miles from Sydney. He seizes the opportunity. But outback life is tough, particularly if you're young, inexperienced and have only a few textbooks to guide you.

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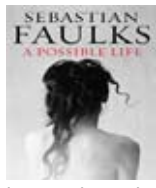


MR CHEN'S EMPORIUM

Deborah O'Brien
PB \$29.95

In 1872, 17-year-old Amy Duncan arrives in the Gold Rush town of Millbrooke, & walks in the door of Mr Chen's Emporium, a veritable Aladdin's cave, and her life changes forever.

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A POSSIBLE LIFE

Sebastian Faulks
PB \$32.95

Terrified, a young man in WWII closes his eyes & pictures himself hitting a perfect 6, across the courtyard in a workhouse; a father is too ashamed to acknowledge his son; a skinny, awkward girl with a guitar and sings 4 songs that send shivers through the teeth and skull.

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THE TWELVE ROOMS OF THE NILE

Enid Shomer
PB \$29.99

Florence Nightingale and Gustave Flaubert traveled up the Nile at the same time. In reality, they never met. But in The Twelve Rooms of the Nile, they ignite a friendship marked by intelligence, humor, and a ravishing tenderness that will alter both their destinies. But both are at painful crossroads in their lives and burn with unfulfilled ambition.

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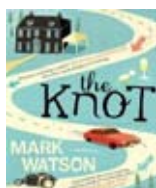


INHERITANCE OF IVORY HAMMER

Edwina Preston
PB \$29.95

Months after Saturnalia, the travelling circus leaves town, the flamboyant Arcadia Cirque is found dead, a pregnant Mary Ann Ward goes missing and Otto Cirque sets off in pursuit of her. Decades later, Mrs Ivory Hammer discovers that her own origins are not as she thought.

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THE KNOT

Mark Watson
PB \$29.99

Dominic Kitchen is a wedding photographer. Every Saturday he has photographed a bride and groom on the happiest day of their lives and then faded away into the background. But throughout his life, Dominic has felt a knot inside him tighten, threatening his own chance of a happy ever after. And as the years go by, it becomes more difficult to ignore, until the ties that bind threaten to tear him apart.

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Literary

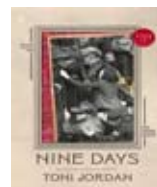


A CAT A HAT AND A PIECE OF STRING

Joanne Harris
PB \$32.95

From the house where it is Christmas all year round, to a ghost who lives on a Twitter timeline; from the Congo where a young girl braves the raging rapids to earn a crust of bread, to Norse gods battling for survival in Manhattan; and a newborn baby created with sugar, spice and lashings of cake, these stories will ensnare and delight you with their variety and inventiveness.

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NINE DAYS

Toni Jordan
PB \$29.99

It is 1939 and Australia is about to go to war. Young Kip Westaway, failed scholar and stablehand, is living the most important day of his life. Kip's momentous day is one

of 9 that will set the course for each member of the Westaway clan in the years that follow. But at the heart of all their stories is Kip, and at the centre of Kip's fifteen-year-old heart is his adored sister Connie.



TOBY'S ROOM

Pat Barker
PB \$29.99

Toby and Elinor, brother and sister, closest friends and confidants, are sharers of a dark secret, carried from the summer of 1912 into the battlefields of France and wartime

London in 1917. Then, when Toby is reported 'Missing, Believed Killed', another secret casts a shadow over Elinor's world: how exactly did Toby die and why?



THE ENGAGEMENT

Chloe Hooper
PB \$29.99

Liese Campbell has an engagement for the weekend: to stay with Alexander Colquhoun, the heir of a pastoral dynasty. Alexander has been looking for a place in the city.

The luxury apartments Liese shows him have become sets for a relationship that satisfies their fantasies and helps pay her debts. It's a game. Both players understand the rules. Or so she thinks.

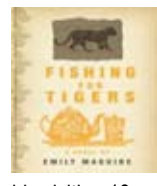


SUFFICIENT GRACE

Amy Espeseth
PB \$29.95

Ruth and her cousin Naomi live in rural Wisconsin, part of an isolated religious community. The girls' lives are ruled by the rhythms of nature and by their families' beliefs.

Beneath the surface, hidden dangers lurk. Then Ruth learns that Naomi harbours a terrible secret. Can the girls' prayers for deliverance be answered?

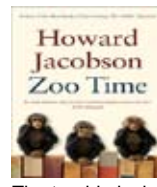


FISHING FOR TIGERS

Emily Maguire
PB \$29.99

6 years ago, Mischa Reese left her abusive husband and reinvented herself in steamy, chaotic Hanoi.

Then a friend introduces Mischa to his visiting 18-year-old son. His beauty and righteous idealism awaken something in Mischa & the two launch into an affair that threatens Mischa's friendships and reputation.



ZOO TIME

Howard Jacobson
PB \$29.99

Novelist Guy Ableman is in thrall to his vivacious wife Vanessa, a strikingly beautiful red-head, contrary, highly strung and blazingly angry.

The trouble is, he is no less in thrall to her alluring mother, Poppy.

Crime



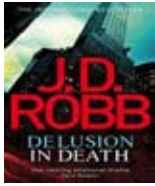
A WANTED MAN

Lee Child
PB \$32.95

Nebraska and Jack Reacher, huge, hulking and with a freshly busted nose, is still trying to hitch a ride east to Virginia. He's picked up

by 3 strangers; 2 men and a woman. Immediately he knows they're all lying about something and then they run into a police roadblock on the highway. But they get through. Because the 3 are innocent? Or because the 3 are now 4? Is Reacher a decoy?

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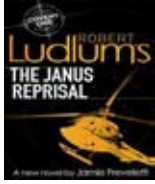


DELUSION IN DEATH

J. D. Robb
PB \$32.99

The scene that greets Lieutenant Eve Dallas & her team one terrible evening in New York is more shocking than any of them have ever witnessed. The usually

comfortable downtown bar is strewn with bodies; office workers who have been sliced, bludgeoned or hacked to death with the nearest weapon available.



ROBERT LUDLUM'S THE JANUS REPRISAL

Jamie Freveletti
PB \$32.99

Bombs go off at the headquarters of the International Court of Justice, where a Pakistani warlord, Oman Dattar is detained.

In the resulting chaos, Dattar escapes. Dattar has learned of a new strain of bioelectric bacteria and arranges for his men to steal the bacteria and use them to bring down the West once and for all.

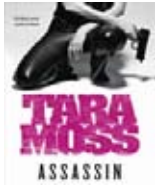


TRUST YOUR EYES

Linwood Barclay
PB \$29.99

A schizophrenic man spends his days and nights on a website called Whirl360, believing he's employed by the CIA to store the details of every town and

city in the world in his head. Then one day, he sees something that shouldn't be there.



ASSASSIN

Tara Moss
PB \$29.99

Back in Sydney, Mak's former flame, criminal profiler Andy Flynn is on the trail of a vicious rapist and murderer with possible ties to the infamous 'Stiletto

Killer'. He may have struck before and will certainly do so again. And while Andy struggles to cope in a world without Mak, little does he realise she is on her way back. And this time she's ready to make her own justice.



BONES ARE FOREVER

Kathy Reichs
PB \$32.95

A newborn baby is found wedged in a vanity cabinet in a rundown apartment near Montreal. Dr Temperance

Brennan is brought in to investigate and discovers the mummified remains of 2 more babies within the same room. Tempe must use all her skills and inner strength to focus on the facts.



THE VANISHING POINT

Val McDermid
PB \$32.99

Stephanie Harker is travelling through the security gates at O'Hare airport when her 5-year-old son Jimmy is lead

away by uniformed agents and she's stuck on the other side of the metal detector. Stephanie is brutally wrestled to the ground and blasted with a taser gun to restrain her.

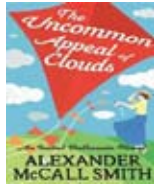


RUSH OF BLOOD

Mark Billingham
PB \$29.99

3 couples meet around the pool on their Florida holiday & become friends. But on their last night, the teenage daughter of another holidaymaker goes missing

and her body is later found floating in the mangroves. When the shocked couples return home, they remain in contact but they don't always like what they find. Then, a second girl goes missing.



THE UNCOMMON APPEAL OF CLOUDS

Alexander McCall Smith
PB \$29.99

Isabel Dalhousie leads an enviable life in Edinburgh. She must keep pace with the varied pursuits of her musician husband & their young

son. But an unexpected appeal for help from a collector who has been the victim of an important art theft threatens to take her far outside of her comfort zone.



THE WRATH OF ANGELS

John Connolly
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In the depths of the Maine woods, the wreckage of an aeroplane is discovered. There are no bodies, and no such plane has ever been reported missing. Hidden in the

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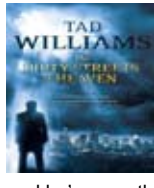


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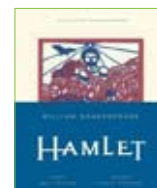
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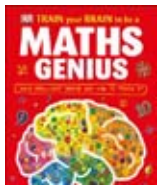
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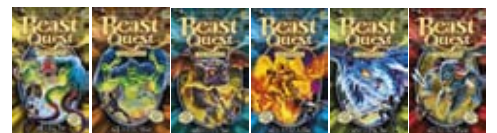
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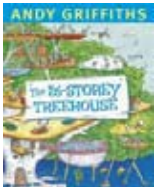


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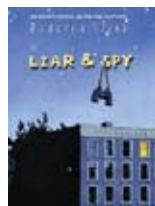


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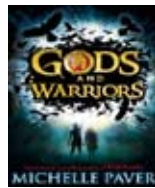


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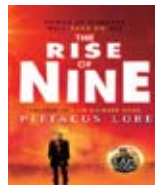
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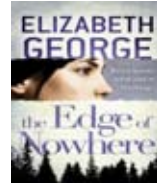


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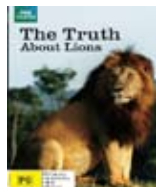
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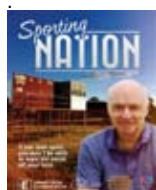
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