



LIBRARY NEWS

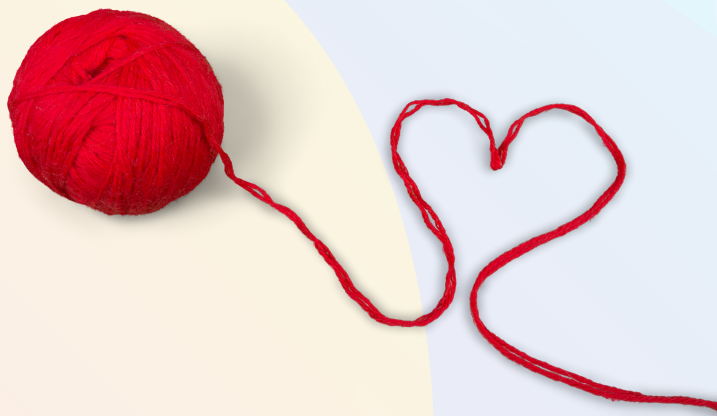
June
2022

Did you know the oldest knitted socks were found in Egypt, thought to have been knitted in 300 CE? They were discovered during a 1913 British excavation and are now in the British Museum!

Knitting is no longer the province of the elderly. It's now cool to knit! Between takes, actress Charlize Theron taught the cast of Mad Max: Fury Road to knit! On the internet, you can see photos of the cast dressed in their apocalyptic outfits, knitting away in the Namibian desert!

In 2005, **Worldwide Knit in Public Day** was founded by Danielle Landes. It takes place on the second Saturday of June annually. It provides knitters a cosy social setting, to come together and enjoy each other's company and share ideas, patterns, and knit!

Knitting is beneficial! Knitting is seen today as a constructive form of meditation. It can lower blood pressure, reduce stress, and most importantly can bring joy... and the end results are useful or practical!



Some changes to Shelf Talk

We are making some changes to Shelf Talk, and future editions will look a little different.

We hope you'll be excited by our new look seasonal editions. Starting from next month, we'll put out a new Shelf Talk with each new season. We'll begin with the Winter edition that will be available in July, then our Spring edition will appear in September, Summer in December and Autumn in March.









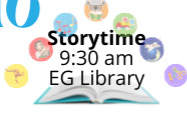
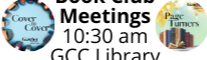




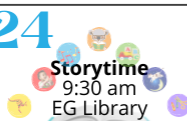



Each edition of Shelf Talk will continue to be filled with library events, reviews and interesting articles, and we're certain you will enjoy them just as much! If you have any suggestions or ideas for Shelf Talk we'd love to hear them. Email us: Library@gawler.sa.gov.au

Gawler Civic Centre
8522 9213

Evanston Gardens
8522 0123

JUNE
2022

What's On at the Gawler PUBLIC LIBRARY

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
		1  NEW Shelf Talk Available this week	2 JP Service 10:30 am GCC Library National Reconciliation Week Basket Weaving 11am EG Library 	3  Storytime 9:30 am EG Library Photo Workshop Series 10:30 am GCC	4 JP Service 10:30 am GCC Library Game ON! 10:00 am GCC Library 	5
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13 <i>Queen's Birthday Public Holiday</i>	14 JP Service 10:30 am GCC Library Kids Create 3:30 pm EG Library	15  Listen @ Lunch 12-1pm GCC	16 JP Service 10:30 am GCC Library	17  Storytime 9:30 am EG Library	18 JP Service 10:30 am GCC Library	19
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27 Monday Showcase Adult Storytime 10:00 am EG Library 	28 JP Service 10:30 am GCC Library	29	30 JP Service 10:30 am GCC Library			 Find us on Facebook! Gawler Public Library

gawlerpubliclibrary.eventbrite.com.au

Both libraries closed



poetry

Listen @ Lunch

June
15th

spoken word

recitals

stories

instrumental

acoustic

Gawler
PUBLIC LIBRARY
presents

Trivia Night

Bring some nibbles and drinks and play along to see who can get the most questions correct. You can win a fantastic hamper from She's Apples Gawler!

June
24th



Monday Showcase

Adult Storytime

Sit back and listen to an assortment of poetry and prose (and a few corny jokes). Why should the kids have all the fun? Our theme this time is "Food".



27th June, 10am
Evanston Gardens Library



Plant WORKSHOP

WITH THE BOTANIC DESIGNER

Hosted by Adelaide's indoor plant guru, Markus Hammence, The Botanic Designer presents a workshop for avid plant lovers, enthusiasts and the plant curious!

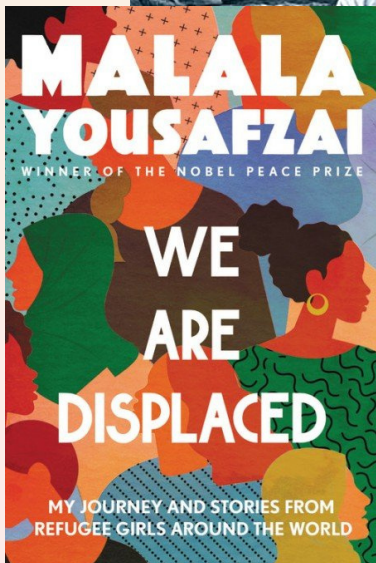
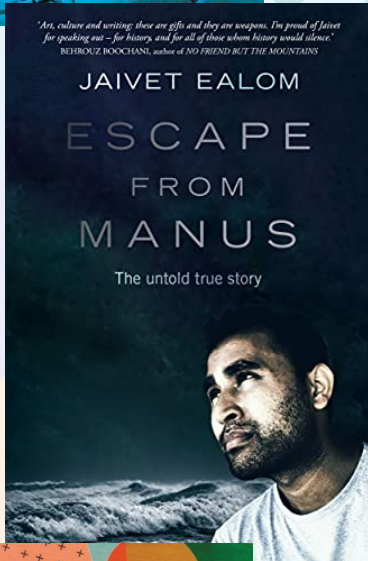


Gawler
PUBLIC LIBRARY



Gawler Civic Centre
6:00 pm
Thursday June 9

Bookings through **eventbrite** or Ph: 8522 9213



OFF THE SHELF

Refugee Week began with events organised by Austcare, in Sydney during 1986. The Refugee Council of Australia (RCOA) has been part of organising the week since 1987 and took the event Australia-wide in 1988. The foundation president of both Austcare and RCOA, Major-General Paul Cullen, was responsible for the event becoming a global annual celebration in 2001 with the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR) coordinating the first World Refugee Day on June 20th.

Refugee Week aims to educate Australians, help people understand the issues, focus on community, do something positive, and for service providers to reflect on their efforts to ensure they're providing what refugees need. The first theme given to Refugee Week was in 2004 with: **A Journey of Understanding Towards Hope and Respect** and this year's theme is **Healing**. The theme unites the separate activities around Australia into a single nationwide celebration.

Our catalogue is full of books that tell refugee stories. We have a few highlighted here but you can use the link below to search through and place your holds. <https://bit.ly/3MNV4iC>

For more information about Refugee Week and how you can get involved check out this link - www.refugeeweek.org.au/refugee-week-theme-2022/

To all those who've come from far and wide, I'm happy you're here.

Happy Refugee Week
19 – 25 June 2022

refugeeweek.org.au | @OzRefugeeCounc

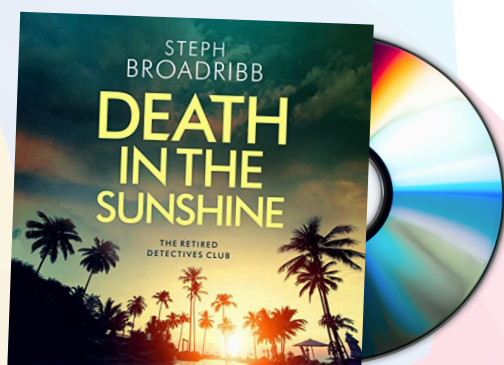
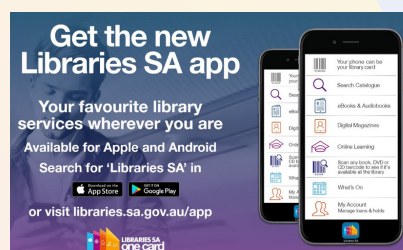
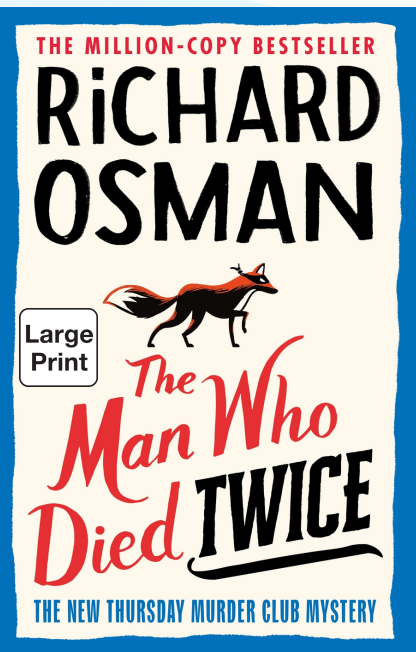
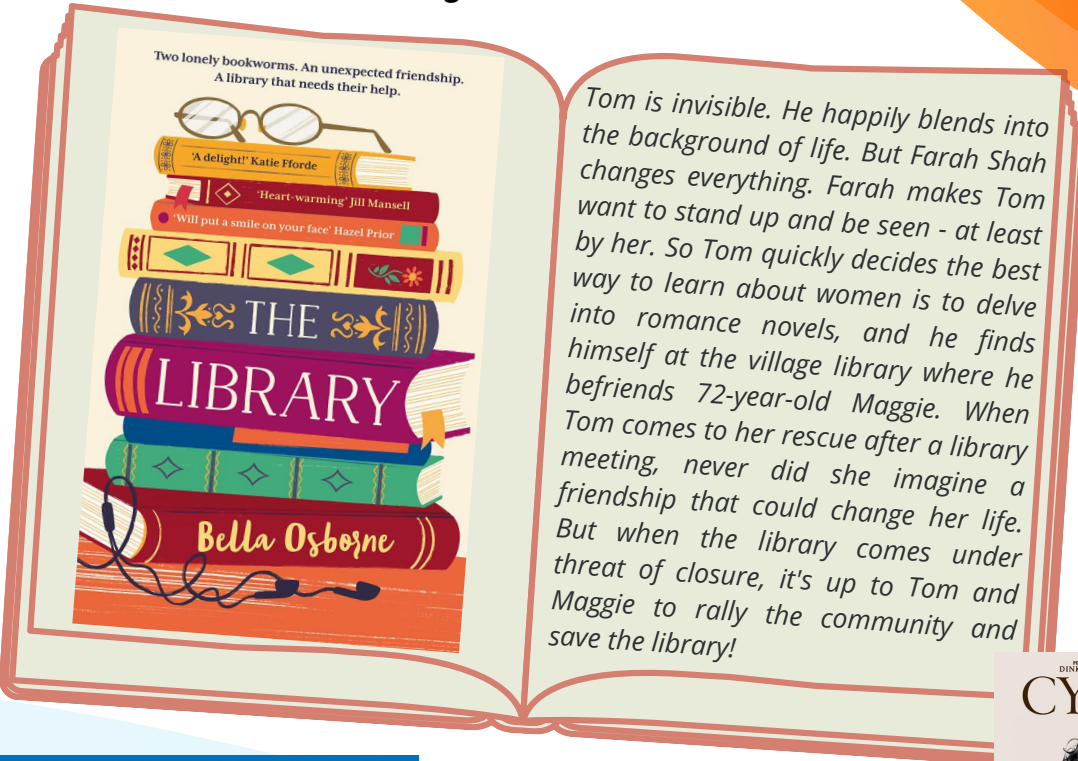


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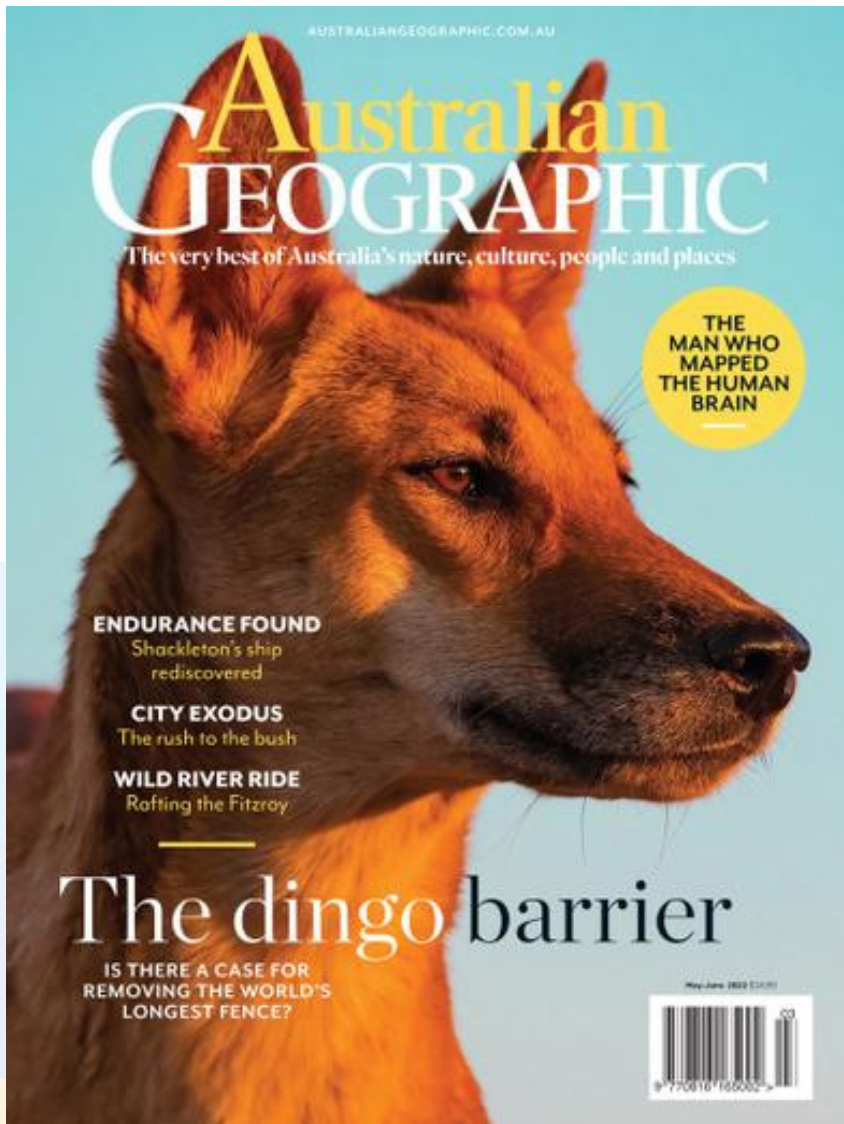
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LATEST TITLES



Australian Geographic Magazine

MAGAZINE HIGHLIGHT



The fifth of June 2022 is World Environment Day. On this day, we focus on celebrating, protecting and restoring our planet. We have **#OnlyOneEarth** and you can learn about this important day here: <https://bit.ly/3sIIDrU>

Australian Geographic magazine showcases the beautiful and diverse landscapes, plants, wildlife and people of Australia. This magazine emphasises the impact of environmental issues within Australia. In this issue, follow the action that young Aussies are taking to combat coral bleaching in the Great Barrier Reef. Also see how much energy we use, compared with the global average (and how we use it).

Discover one of Australia's most endangered birds, the Orange-Bellied Parrot and why there is still hope for the species. Become informed about the drylands, areas that experience water scarcity and are vulnerable to climatic variation. You can also learn about how COVID has impacted the environment, namely the beaches where those disposable masks wash up.

Find the current issue and our entire collection of Australian Geographic here: <https://bit.ly/3yMagUL>

BRING YOUR DOG TO WORK DAY

EVENING READS



June the 24th is Take Your Dog to Work Day!

Will you be taking your playful pooch with you to work? Many of our library staff are proud pet parents and we all love a good story featuring animals!

Pet Sitters International created Take Your Dog to Work Day in 1999 to celebrate the wonderful friendship between humans and dogs.

Dogs make up an important part of Australia's lifestyle whether you live near the coast, in the city or your dogs are also your working animals in the country or outback.

Dogs in all their amazing shapes, sizes and breeds appear in many fictional books on our shelves. If you're looking to answer questions about care, behaviour management, and breed information, we have many books available to help you understand training, care, or just read the wonderful stories from all over the world.

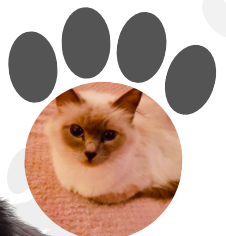
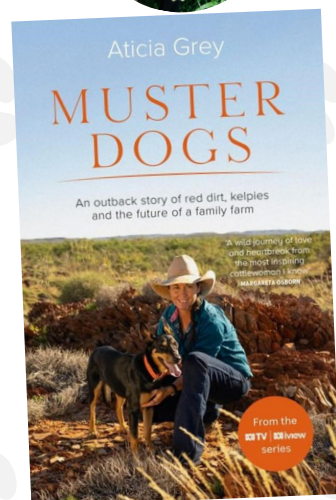
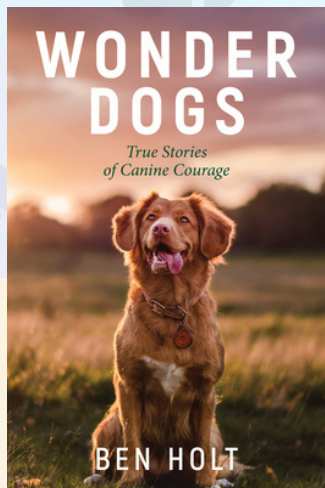
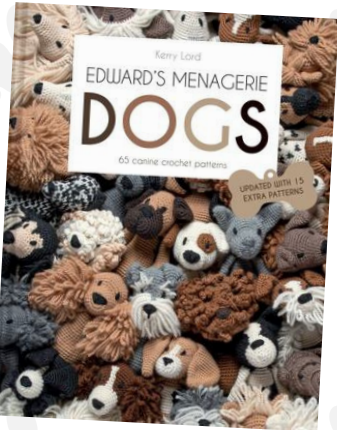
Our DVD collection has titles in both fiction and non-fiction for you to watch in the cosy warm comfort of your home.

Celebrate with us on June the 24th, by adding a pic of your pooch to the Facebook post of our staff pooches!

Check out our catalogue link below for many interesting titles about dogs and don't forget the treats!

Use the QR code to browse the online catalogue for more canine titles...

<https://bit.ly/3wPEgMG>



Indoor Gardening



WEEKLY WIND DOWN



HOW NOT TO KILL YOUR HOUSE PLANTS

A Beginner's Guide to Plant Parenting

TRISHA BORA



Researchers from the University of Melbourne and RMIT have discovered that when you add plants to a room, it can significantly improve the air quality and also enhance the sense of relaxation and positivity in your space. How fantastic is that?

Would you like to introduce more greenery into your living spaces? We're living in an age now where we're increasingly working from

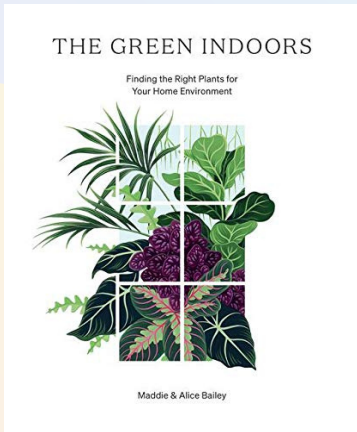
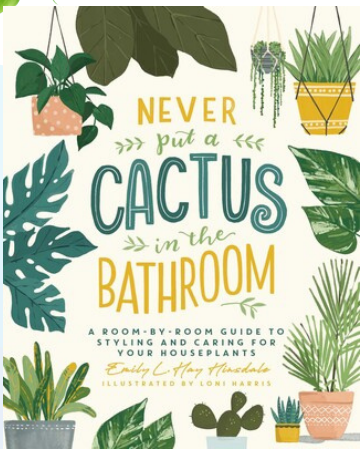
home, so why not create a calming environment with indoor plants?

Looking after our indoor plants, or 'indoor gardening', brings additional mental health

benefits. The Journal of Physiological Anthropology performed a study and discovered that people who regularly interact with their indoor plants, by the transplanting of plants from small pots into larger

ones and other indoor gardening tasks, had benefits such as suppressed sympathetic nervous system activity and lowered blood pressure which all equates to reduced feelings of stress!

If you're looking to improve the quality of the air you breathe in your home or office spaces, NASA has done the work and compiled a fantastic list of 50 houseplants that will help to remove the most common pollutants. Check out the link below to learn more. <https://bit.ly/3MOuell>



Our catalogue is full of plant related resources & can be reached by the QR code to the left or by using the link here <https://bit.ly/38MbdBK>

TECH TIPS

AUTHOR HIGHLIGHT

Important Notice regarding Customer PINs

Attention all Library card holders! From 31 May, PIN security improvements may require PINs to be entered in capitals.

Previously library PINs have not been case sensitive, but this is now changing. If your PIN contains only numbers, this change will not affect you.

PINs (Personal Identification Numbers) are used to keep your information safe. You use them whenever you log onto your library account - to place holds, renew loans, use or reserve the public PCs or borrow digital resources.

If you have trouble logging in, please reset your PIN using the Forgot PIN link (click my account), or see library staff for assistance!

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Ali Cobby Eckermann



Ali Cobby Eckermann is a Yankunytjatjara / Kokatha woman born on Kurna land. She has won a number of literacy prizes for her poetry including the Kenneth Slessor Prize and Book Of The Year (NSW) for her verse novel, *Ruby Moonlight*.

I understand the feelings now,
tears push behind my eyes
I'll sit on this soil anytime,
and brush away the flies

I'll dance with mob on this red Land,
munda wiru place
I'll dance away them half caste lies
'cos I got my Nana's face!

excerpt from
First Time (I met my Grandmother)
<https://www.poemhunter.com/ali-eckermann/poems/page-3/>

"*Inside my Mother* is a beautiful and moving collection, full of gritty pain, transcendent joy, celebration of the land and its animals, grief for all that has been lost, and a transformative reconciliation, both in its political sense and in terms of coming to terms with personal wrongs."

- Review from
<http://www.compulsivereader.com/2015/07/26/5571>



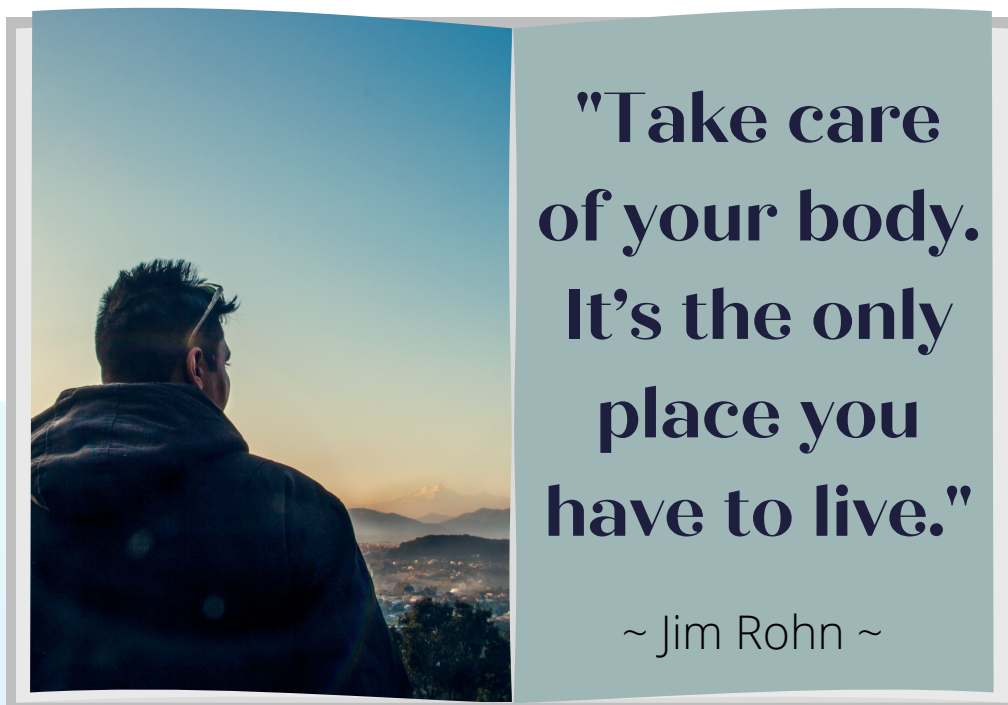
To find titles written by Ali Cobby Eckermann use this link;
<https://bit.ly/38TaKh9>
or scan the QR code.



“Fear is an extraordinary force for motivating people; it pushes people to hurry up and determines their direction.”

~ Behrouz Boochani ~

LITERARY QUOTES



“Take care of your body. It’s the only place you have to live.”

~ Jim Rohn ~

“Unless someone like you cares a whole awful lot, Nothing is going to get better. It’s not.”

~ Dr. Seuss, *The Lorax* ~

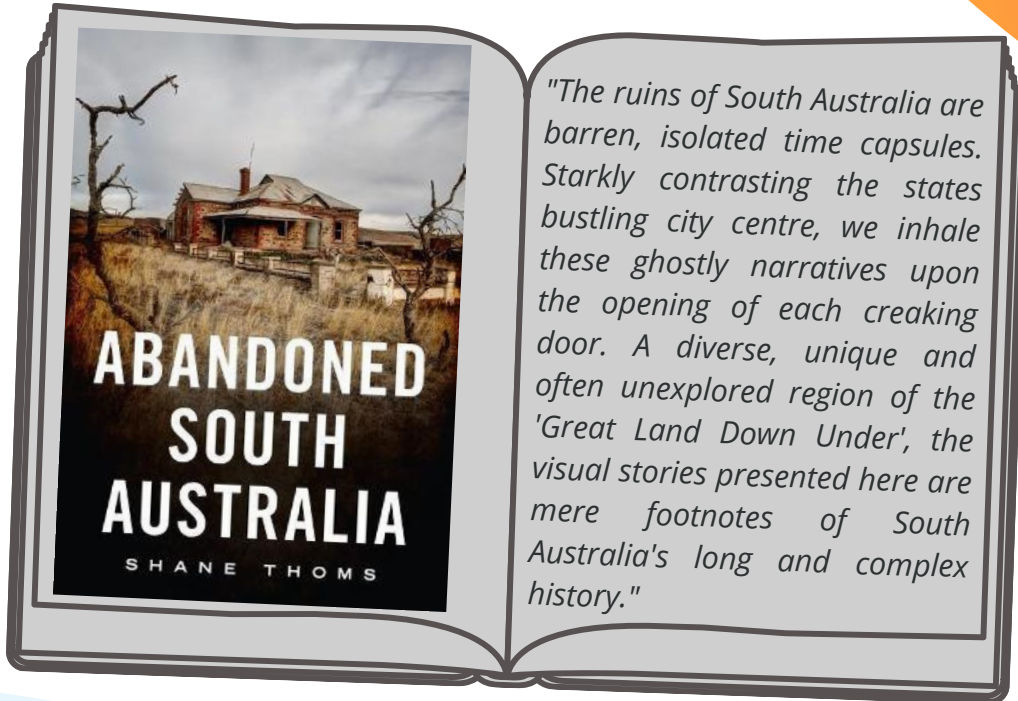


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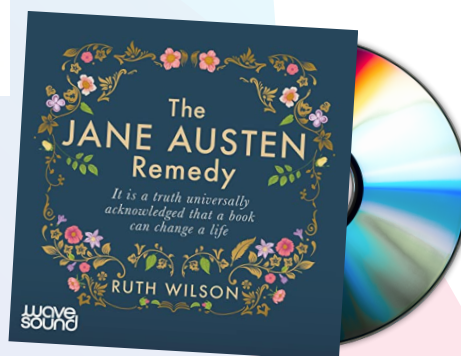
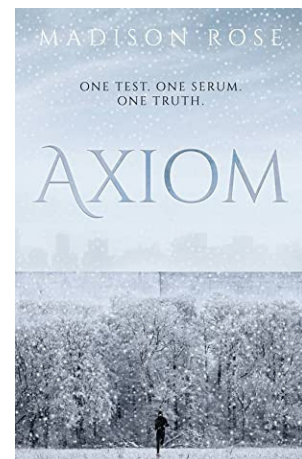
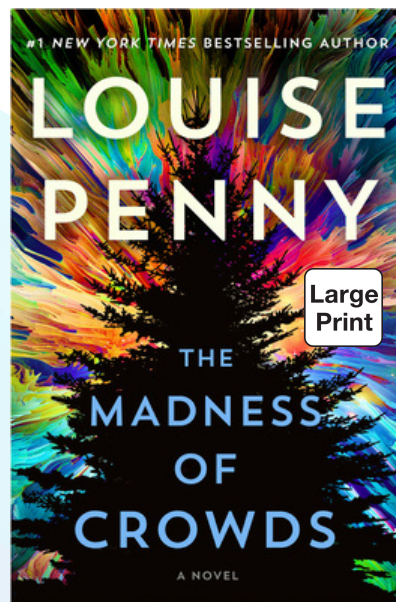
LATEST TITLES



BE HAPPY • BE BRAVE • BE KIND • BE YOURSELF



Ways of whimsy • Embracing enough • To the moon and back • Practice marks progress
Giggling goodness • Comfort cooking • Unlock the past • Time out • #DearTeenMe





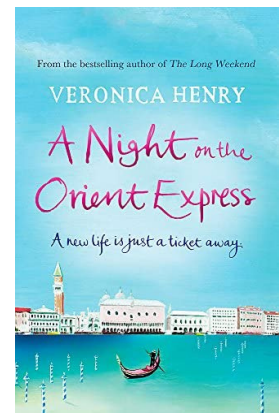
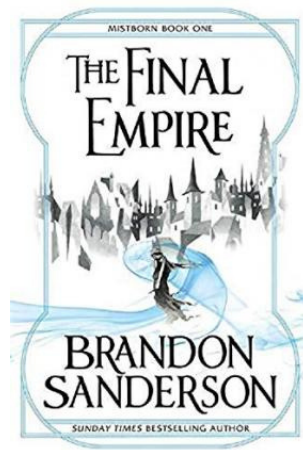
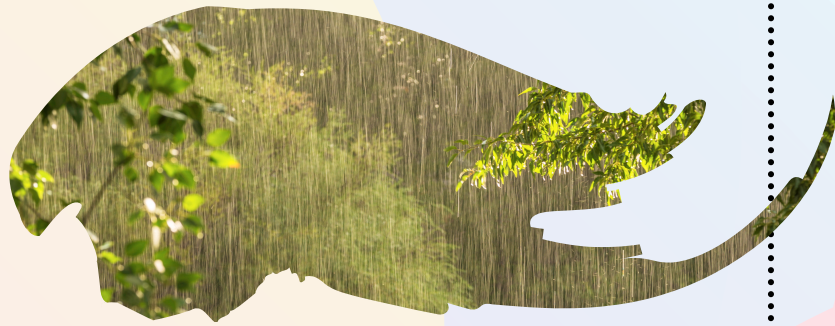
STAFF PICKS!

Did you know ?

1. The space between your eyebrows is called a *glabella*.
2. The rumbling of your stomach is called a *wamble*.
3. The day after tomorrow is called an *overmorrow*.
4. The condition of finding it hard to get out of bed in the morning is *dysania*.
5. When you combine an ! and a ?, it is referred to as an *interrobang*.
6. Illegible handwriting is called *griffonage*.
7. The lights you see when you close your eyes or press on them are called *phosphenes*.
8. The armhole in clothing is referred to as an *armscye*.
9. The dot over an i or j is called a *tittle*.
10. The 'na na na' or 'la la la' lyrics in a song are called *vocables*.
11. The smell after rain is called *petrichor*.

"The term was coined by Australian scientists in 1964 to describe the unique, earthy smell associated with rain. It is caused by the water from the rain, along with certain compounds like ozone, geosmin, and plant oils."

<https://www.acs.org/content/dam/acsorg/education/students/highschool/chemistryclubs/infographics/petrichor-the-smell-of-rain.pdf>



DVD Collection Changes

IN THE LIBRARY

Do you remember browsing the local DVD store on a Friday or Saturday night? Choosing a scary horror movie as an excuse to snuggle up to someone? Or a chick flick for a girl's night? So much fun! Now that DVD stores are extinct, we thought we'd try and bring back some of the nostalgia for you!

We have revamped our DVD collection to be displayed by genre instead of title. So now when you feel like a good thriller movie to watch, you can find one easily. You can find DVDs shelved in our libraries in the genres displayed here.

If you have any ideas about how we can make our libraries user-friendly, let us know!

Action

Crime

Fantasy

General

Drama

Comedy

Horror

Thriller

Western

SciFi

Mystery

Romance

War



GAWLER CULTURAL HERITAGE COLLECTION

See the latest exhibition in the Heritage Gallery

"Behind the Scenes: The History of Theatre and Entertainment in Gawler"

Theatre productions and musical entertainments have been central community events in Gawler since the 1850's.

Peer 'behind the scenes' of some of these productions and learn more about the creativity and effort that went into amazing productions including the 1881 performance of HMS Pinafore which the visiting Australian Eleven Cricket Team attended.

Marvel at the 1937 production of 'New Moon' which included a cast of 170 and an orchestra of 27 local musicians. There were 4 separate committees overseeing the event. Imagine!

Take a selfie on our recreated 1880's stage, test your knowledge of musical instruments at the big band interactive. Smell the stage paint, marvel at the costumes, immerse yourself in the stories of entertainment in Gawler over the last 170 years.

Monday-Wednesday

9am-5pm

Thursday

10am-6pm

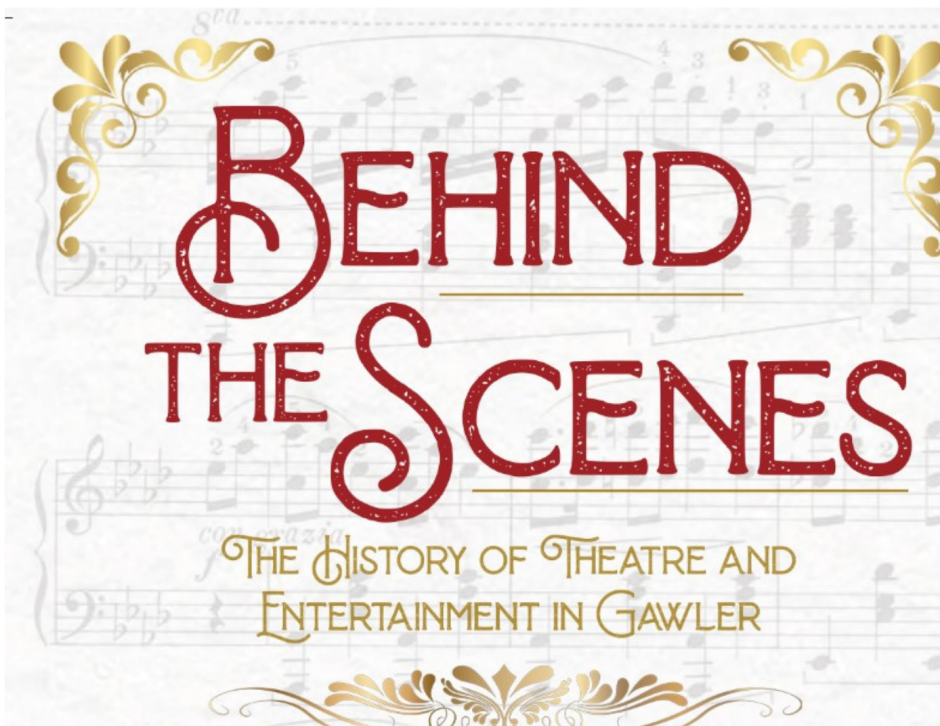
Friday

9am-5pm

Saturday

9am-1pm

Gawler
CULTURAL HERITAGE CENTRE



**FREE
ENTRY**
Heritage
Gallery

89-91 Murray St. Gawler

Please direct all enquiries to Jacinta Weiss
8522 9268 OR jacinta.weiss@gawler.sa.gov.au



NO HABLO BABY

...a stand-up
Comedy Show
about language
by Michael Connell

ALL TICKETS

\$20



THURSDAY 23 JUNE at 8.00PM

BOOK ONLINE

gccNoHabloBaby.eventbrite.com.au (booking fees apply)

BOOK IN PERSON

Gawler Visitor Information Centre (Lyndoch Rd, Gawler)

Gawler Civic Centre Library (Murray St, Gawler)

ENQUIRIES: 8522 9213

Gawler Civic Centre, Council Chamber
First Floor, 89-91 Murray Street, Gawler

Gawler
CIVIC CENTRE



beingdigital

Photo Workshop Series

Gawler PUBLIC LIBRARY

3rd June
Photo Organisation

15th July
Photo Editing



Learn how to organise and edit your photos in our photo workshop series.



Gawler PUBLIC LIBRARY

July 7th

LIVING WITHOUT FINGERPRINTS
- a point in time -
by John Weeks

JOHN WEEKS

July 1st

Mindful Crochet

Create a simple cup cozy
Suitable for beginners

Gawler Civic Centre Library
6pm

Gawler PUBLIC LIBRARY

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS with Gawler PUBLIC LIBRARY

Listen @ Lunch

July 20th

Gawler Civic Centre Library
Reading Room
12 noon

Story Time

Evanston Gardens Library
Friday's @ 9:30am during school term

It's Story TIME @yourlibrary

Gawler PUBLIC LIBRARY presents a Plastic Free activity for each week in July

see our eventbrite page for details

PLASTICFREEJULY.ORG

2022 JOIN THE CHALLENGE

WHAT'S ON AT THE Gawler PUBLIC LIBRARY

gawlerpubliclibrary.eventbrite.com.au

Scan the QR code here to find our eventbrite account to check out what's on and book your spot!

Gawler PUBLIC LIBRARY

Community Planting Day
date coming soon

Gawler Book Clubs

Page Turners

Gawler Library Book Clubs

Monthly Meetings
Gawler Civic Centre

Contact 8522 9213 for further details

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Gawler Book Clubs

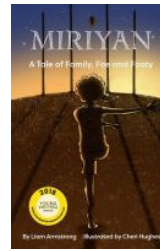
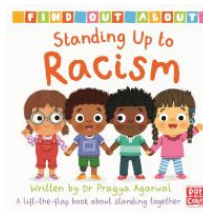


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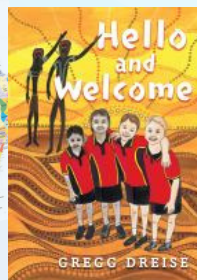
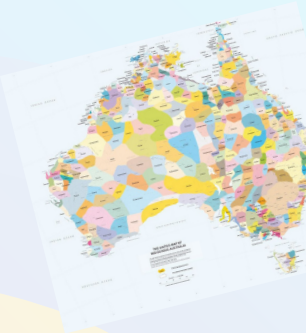
This year's National Reconciliation Week theme is **Be Brave Make Change**. Change begins with brave actions in your daily life – where you live, work, play and socialise.

Reconciliation Australia's first 3 ACTIONS TO MAKE CHANGE are:

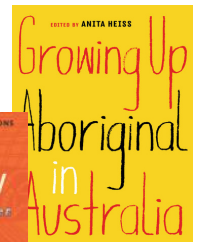
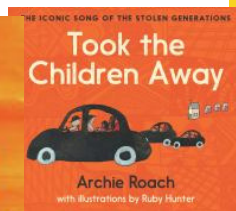
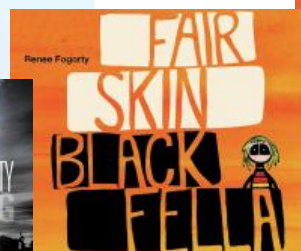
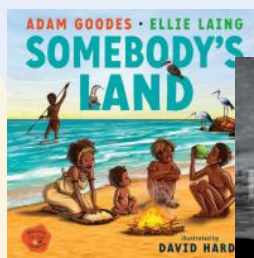
TELL THE TRUTH ON RACISM



ACKNOWLEDGE COUNTRY



GET YOUR FACTS FIRST-HAND

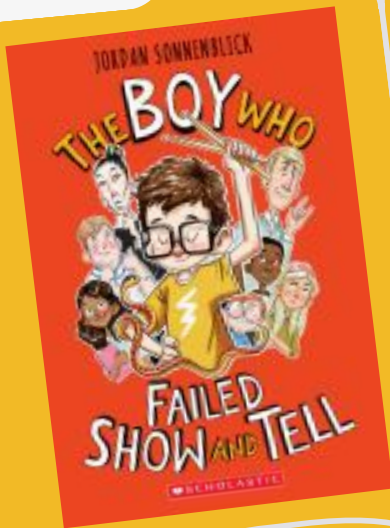


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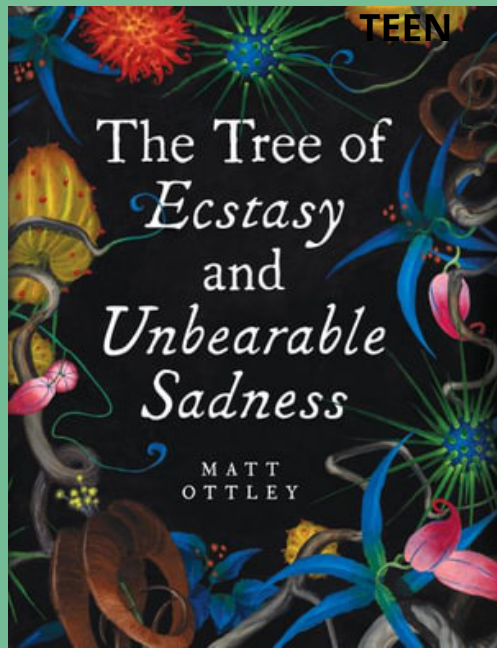


LATEST TITLES

FICTION



In a typical school year, every kid has one or two things go wrong. But for Jordan, there's A LOT going wrong all the time. By keeping his cool (some of the time), banging on the drums (a lot), and keeping his sense of humor (all the time), Jordan's going to try to make it through the year...



TEEN

The Tree of Ecstasy & Unbearable Sadness is an allegorical story of a boy's experience of mental illness represented as a fantastical tree whose flowers are ecstasy and whose fruit is unbearable sadness. Stunning drawings and paintings lead the reader through the boy's life. A full orchestral soundtrack is included to enhance the reading. While aimed at teens, readers can take what they want from this amazing visual, lyrical and musical feast.

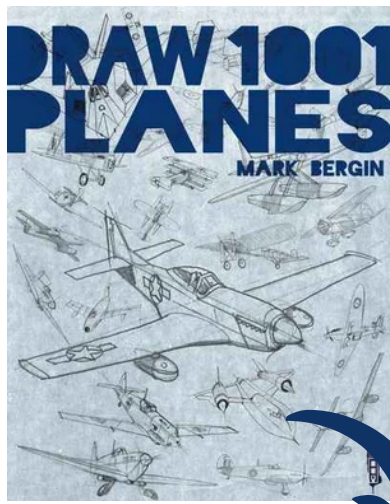
TEEN

This little girl is anxious about going to school, until she realises - Not all cats are tabby. Not all trees are tall. Not all clouds are white...and not all flowers are yellow.

A gentle exploration of a child's realisation that it is her differences and creativity that make her special.

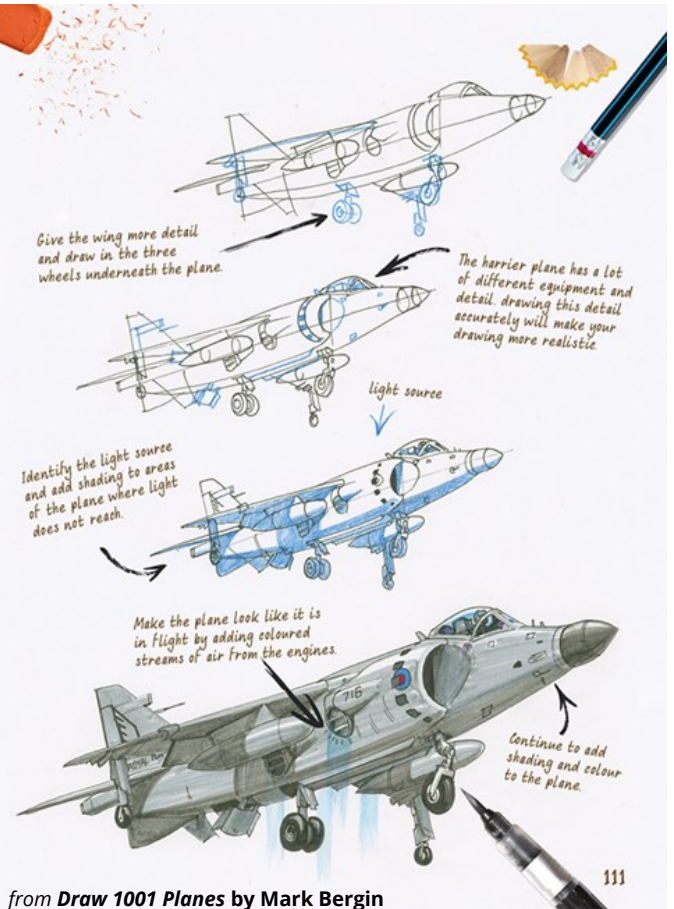
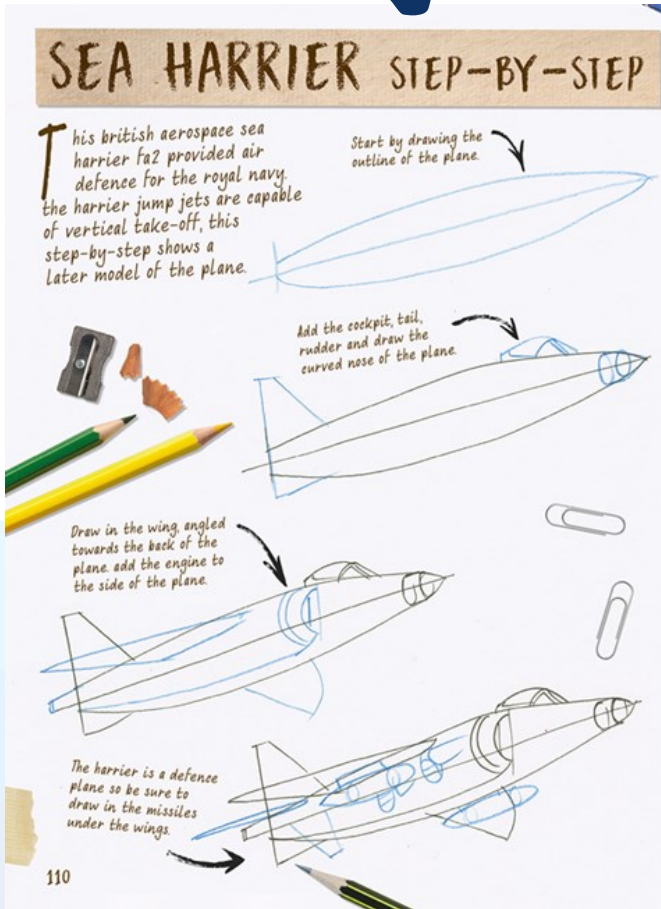


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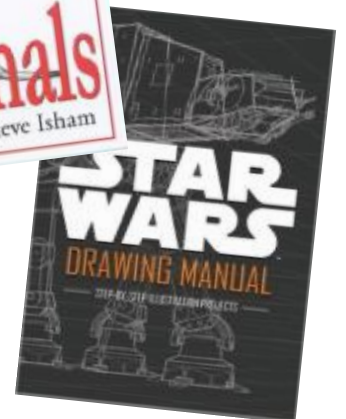
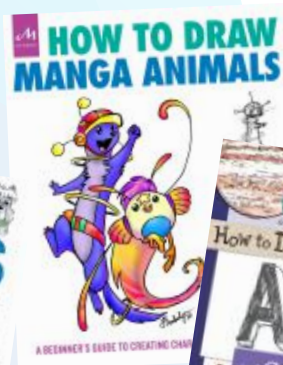
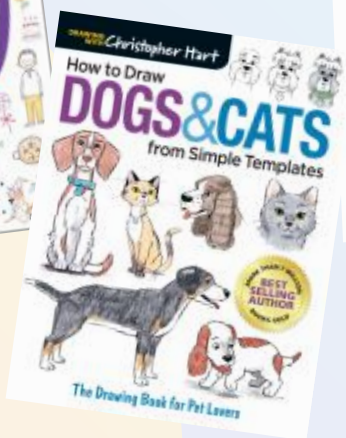
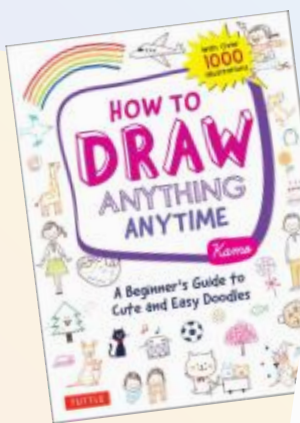
CLEVER KIDS

Ever wanted to learn how to draw a plane?

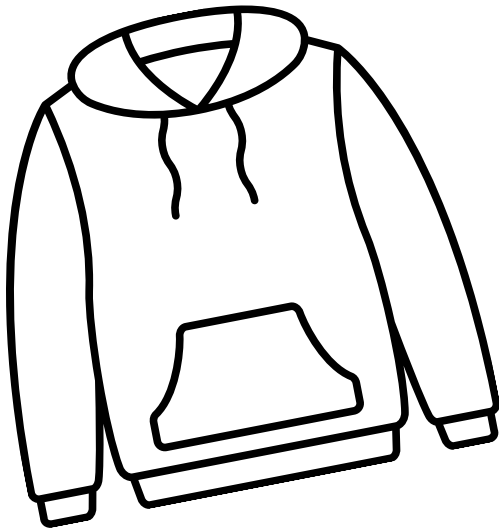


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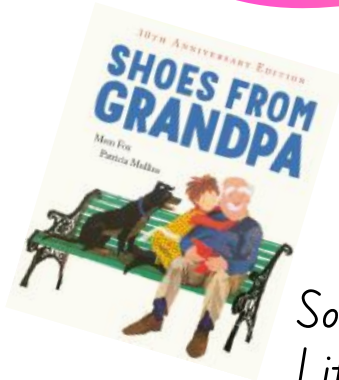
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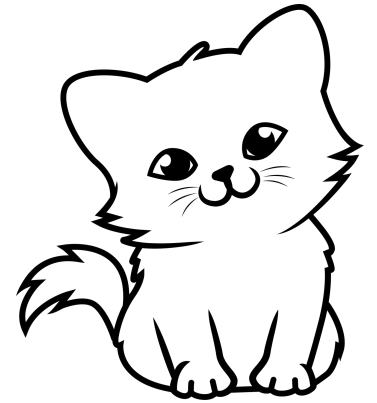


I'm going to take a jumper,
A jumper, a jumper.
I'm going to take a jumper,
When I go out today.

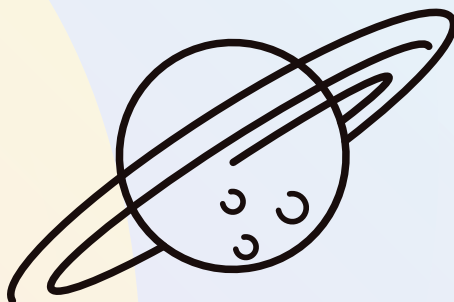
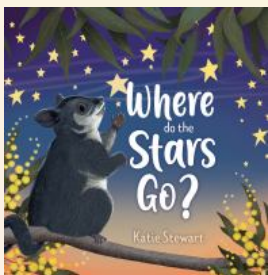


Soft kitty, warm kitty
Little ball of fur
Happy kitty, sleepy kitty
Purr, purr, purr

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stories, songs,
and craft
activities



Bend and stretch, reach for the stars
There goes Jupiter, here comes Mars
Bend and stretch and reach for the sky
Stand on tip-e-toe, oh so high!



KIDS CREATE

Many of you have probably made a volcano with bicarb and vinegar, but have you blown up a balloon using this same chemical reaction?

Fizzing balloon

Impress your friends with this amazing science experiment that causes a chemical reaction you can see with your own eyes.

You will need:


- bottle
- funnel
- vinegar
- food coloring (optional)
- 2 tsp baking soda
- balloon

- 1 Fill 1/3 of the bottle with vinegar and add a drop of food coloring.
- 2 Clean the funnel and use it to put the baking soda into the balloon.
- 3 Place the neck of the balloon over the bottle, being careful not to let any baking soda drop inside.
- 4 Lift the balloon up so the baking soda drops into the bottle. Now watch the chemical reaction!

How it works
When the baking soda and vinegar mix, it causes a chemical reaction. This reaction produces a gas called **carbon dioxide** that blows up the balloon!

As the gas rises up out of the bottle, it is trapped by the balloon. This causes the balloon to inflate.

The baking soda is a solid, the vinegar is a liquid, and the carbon dioxide is a gas. These are all different "states of matter".



What other ways could you have fun with this chemical reaction?

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add lego to your fizz

drip vinegar colours



make a fizzy rainbow



FRIDAY FUNNIES

Why was the cat so small?



He only drank condensed milk.



How do you get a baby astronaut to sleep?



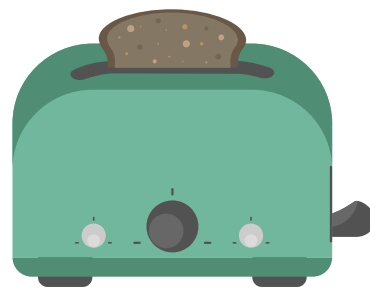
You rock-et.



What lies in a pram and wobbles?

A jelly baby.

What do cannibals do at a wedding?

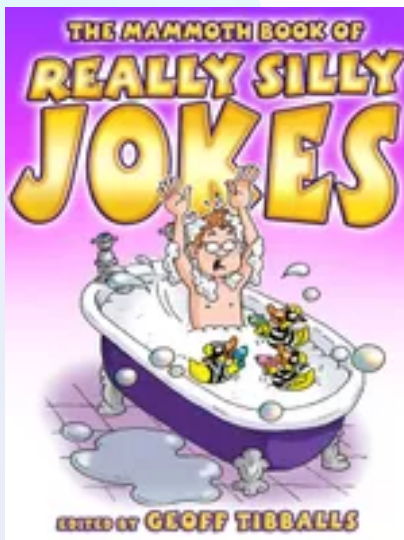


They toast the bride and groom!

What do you feed an invisible cat?

Evaporated Milk

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What colour socks do bears wear?

They don't wear socks, they have bear feet.



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