

# New Books List

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This is a selection of the new items that have arrived this month. More may be available at your local library. If you would like to reserve an item on this list please visit your local library; call Biloela Library on 07 4992 7362 with your library card number and book title or send us an e-mail to [libraries@banana.qld.gov.au](mailto:libraries@banana.qld.gov.au) with your library card number, book title and the library that you would like to collect your reserved item from.

### ADULT FICTION

**Title:** *This Summer will be Different*  
**Author:** Carley Fortune  
**Barcode:** 56227016  
**Genre:** Romance  
**Synopsis:** This summer they'll keep their promise. This summer they won't give into temptation. This summer will be different. Lucy is the tourist vacationing at a beach house on Prince Edward Island. Felix is the local who shows her a very good time. The only problem: Lucy doesn't know he's her best friend's younger brother.

**Title:** *Hangman's Gap*  
**Author:** Rachel Amphlett  
**Barcode:** 56227008  
**Genre:** Thriller  
**Synopsis:** Could one man's obsession with the truth be a fatal mistake? When Detective Sergeant Blake Harknell is seconded to an active investigation in the hinterland of south east Queensland, he discovers the police station understaffed and the local population wary of his presence in Hangman's Gap.

**Title:** *When the Deep Dark Bush Swallows You Whole*  
**Author:** Geoff Parkes  
**Barcode:** 56226985  
**Genre:** Thriller  
**Synopsis:** It's January 1983. During his university summer break, Ryan Bradley returns to the remote town of Nashville in New Zealand's rugged King Country. It's a bittersweet trip - he's working long, punishing hours as a woolpresser, he needs to sell his late mother's house, and he's increasingly feeling like an outcast in his childhood town.

**Title:** *The Crash*  
**Author:** Freida McFadden  
**Barcode:** 56226993  
**Genre:** Thriller  
**Synopsis:** The nightmare she's running from is nothing compared to where she's headed. Tegan is eight months pregnant, alone, and desperately wants to put her crumbling life in the rearview mirror. So she hits the road, planning to stay with her brother until she can figure out her next move.

**Title:** *A Serial Killer's Guide to Marriage*  
**Author:** Asia Mackay  
**Barcode:** 56226969  
**Genre:** Thriller  
**Synopsis:** Hazel and Fox are an ordinary married couple with a baby. Except for one small thing: they're ex-serial killers. They had it all. An enviable London lifestyle, five-star travels, and plenty of bad men to kill.

**Title:** *Dream Girl Drama*  
**Author:** Tessa Bailey  
**Barcode:** 56226934  
**Genre:** Romance  
**Series:** Big Shots Bk. 3  
**Synopsis:** When professional hockey player Sig Gauthier's car breaks down and his phone dies, he treks into a posh private country club to call a tow truck, where he encounters the alluring Chloe Clifford, the manic pixie dream girl who captivates him immediately with her sense of adventure and penchant for stealing champagne.

**Title:** *The Starlight Heir: a novel*  
**Author:** Amalie Howard  
**Barcode:** 56226900  
**Genre:** Fantasy  
**Synopsis:** When the gold-dusted court invitation arrives at Suraya Saab's forge, she believes it's a joke. Nobles might seek her skills as a bladesmith -- one of few who can imbue her work with precious jadu, the last source of magic in the realm -- but she has no qualifications as a potential bride for the crown prince.

**Title:** *The Knitting Club at Wagtail Ridge*  
**Author:** Janet Gover  
**Barcode:** 56226918  
**Genre:** Australian  
**Synopsis:** These ladies know a perfect match when they see one... Bree Johnston has given up trying to be the perfect lawyer. It's time to focus on her own dreams, so she decides to leave the city and set up an alpaca farm and wool shop.

**Title:** *Variation: a novel*  
**Author:** Rebecca Yarros  
**Barcode:** 56226871  
**Genre:** Romance  
**Synopsis:** Elite ballerina Allie Rousseau is no stranger to pressure. With her mother's eyes always watching, perfection was expected, no matter the cost. But when an injury jeopardizes all she's sacrificed for, Allie returns to her summer home to heal and recover. But the memories she's tried to forget rush in and threaten to take her under.

**Title:** *The Jam Maker*  
**Author:** Mary-Lou Stephens  
**Barcode:** 56226880  
**Genre:** Historical  
**Synopsis:** Tasmania, 1874. Growing up in the impoverished tenements along the Hobart Rivulet, Harriet Brown is used to doing whatever it takes to survive. Including, at just twelve years old, shearing off her hair and pretending to be a boy to secure a job as label-paster at the George Peacock and Sons jam factory.

**Title:** *Between Dragons and their Wrath*  
**Author:** Devin Madson  
**Barcode:** 56226863  
**Genre:** Fantasy  
**Series:** *Shattered Kingdom* Bk. 1  
**Synopsis:** Conquest built the Celes Basin. But when enemies once more threaten its borders, the Lord Reacher declares himself supreme ruler to enforce unity. Old angers erupt, threatening to tear the basin apart from within.

**Title:** *Unfinished Business*  
**Author:** Shankari Chandran  
**Barcode:** 56226847  
**Genre:** Thriller  
**Synopsis:** Sri Lanka, 2009. Decades of civil war and bloodshed are being brought to an end at last--by any means necessary. In the capital, Colombo, tenacious journalist Ameena Fernando is murdered, execution-style, on a busy street near her home, with no witnesses.

**Title:** *Open Season*  
**Author:** Jonathan Kellerman  
**Barcode:** 56227887  
**Genre:** Thriller  
**Series:** *Alex Delaware* Bk. 40  
**Synopsis:** In the middle of the night, Detective Lieutenant Milo Sturgis is called to a Westside hospital. A young woman has been left dead at the entrance to the E.R. Milo soon identifies the victim as an aspiring actress, and evidence points him in the direction of a Hollywood misfit with an arrest record.

**Title:** *Backwater Justice*  
**Author:** Fern Michaels  
**Barcode:** 56227958  
**Series:** *Sisterhood* Bk. 36  
**Synopsis:** The Sisterhood: a group of women from all walks of life bound by friendship and years of adventure. Armed with vast resources, top-notch expertise, and a loyal network of allies around the globe, the Sisterhood will not rest until every wrong is made right.

**Title:** *We All Live Here*  
**Author:** Jojo Moyes  
**Barcode:** 56227879  
**Genre:** Family Saga  
**Synopsis:** Lila Kennedy has a lot on her plate. A recently broken marriage, two wayward daughters, a house that is falling apart, and an elderly stepfather who seems to have quietly moved in. Not to mention a once promising writing career that is now in freefall.

**Title:** *Into the Sunset*  
**Author:** Mary Connealy  
**Barcode:** 56227860  
**Series:** *A Western Light* Bk. 3  
**Synopsis:** Tired of hiding from the controlling husband who'd committed her to an asylum, Ginny Rutledge is intent on being declared legally sane. Joining her fight are Maeve O'Toole and Dakota Harlan, each fleeing their own difficult circumstances. But when trouble arrives from all sides, their pasts may prove too dangerous to overcome.

**Title:** *The Frozen People*  
**Author:** *Elly Griffiths*  
**Barcode:** 56227940  
**Genre:** **Mystery**  
**Series:** *Ali Dawson Bk. 1*  
**Synopsis:** Ali Dawson is a police officer working on crimes so old, the joke goes, that they are not only cold but frozen. What most people don't know is that the team travels back in time to complete their research. The process has been pioneered by the mysterious Italian physicist, Serafina Pelligrini, known to the team as Jones.

**Title:** *Dark Hope*  
**Author:** *Christine Feehan*  
**Barcode:** 56227580  
**Genre:** **Paranormal**  
**Series:** *Dark Carpathian Bk. 38*  
**Synopsis:** Silke Vriese Reinders knows a war is coming. The demon slayer has seen it over and over again in the cards-and the battle won't just be for the survival of her remote village, but for all mankind. Silke knows the only way to win will be with the help of the Carpathians.

**Title:** *Lucy: A Pickle Creek Romance*  
**Author:** *Annie Seaton*  
**Barcode:** 56227493  
**Genre:** **Australian**  
**Series:** *Home to the Outback Bk. 1*  
**Synopsis:** The last thing advertising art director Lucy Peterkin wants is to go home to outback Prickle Creek, but family duty calls.

**Title:** *Bonded in Death*  
**Author:** *J. D. Robb*  
**Barcode:** 56227599  
**Genre:** **Thriller**  
**Series:** *In Death Bk. 60*  
**Synopsis:** Lt. Eve Dallas is back with a murder case with its roots in loyalty, treachery, espionage and the long shadow of war... His passport reads Giovanni Rossi, retired businessman. But decades ago, during the Urban Wars, he was part of a small, secret organisation called The Twelve. Responding to an urgent summons from an old compatriot, he returns to New York. To his death...

**Title:** *Holmes is Missing*  
**Author:** *James Patterson & Brian Sitts*  
**Barcode:** 56227564  
**Genre:** **Mystery**  
**Series:** *Holmes, Marple & Poe Bk. 2*  
**Synopsis:** It's their toughest case yet. And their best detective is missing. Holmes, Margaret and Poe's Brooklyn-based detective agency solves the crimes no one else can. Or they did – until Holmes decided to leave the business.

**Title:** *After the Fall*  
**Author:** *Kirsten Alexander*  
**Barcode:** 56227146  
**Synopsis:** Fleeing Melbourne for a village in the Yorkshire Dales had felt right. Sanctuary, I'd thought. But nowhere is as straightforward as it first appears.

**Title:** *Down Among the Dead*  
**Author:** C. S. Green  
**Barcode:** 56227284  
**Genre:** Thriller  
**Series:** DC Rose Gifford Bk. 3  
**Synopsis:** If you go down to the woods today... When DC Rose Gifford is called to investigate the death of a woman in Elford Country Park, she knows there is more to the case than meets the eye. Suzette's broken body was found at the foot of a climbing centre after a terrible storm - but this was no accident. Was it?

**Title:** *The Cottage by the Sea*  
**Author:** Keri Beevis  
**Barcode:** 56227241  
**Genre:** Thriller  
**Synopsis:** How well do you really know your husband? Two years ago, my whole world was ripped apart when my husband and best friend were killed in a car accident in Norfolk. Since then, I've struggled to come to terms with my overwhelming grief and to understand why they were together in Charlie's car on that fateful day.

**Title:** *The Reunion*  
**Author:** Bronwyn Rivers  
**Barcode:** 56227154  
**Genre:** Thriller  
**Synopsis:** Ten years ago, six teenagers hiked into the Blue Mountains wilderness - and only five came out alive. The survivors have barely seen each other since the tragic bushwalk.

**Title:** *Head Cases*  
**Author:** John McMahon  
**Barcode:** 56227189  
**Genre:** Mystery  
**Synopsis:** Gardner's smart, but he's all business - except for his seven-year-old daughter and occasional visits to his elderly mother, he prioritises his work and justice over everything else, no matter the cost. A serial killer from one of Gardner's solved cases, presumed to be long dead, is found murdered, and then soon after, another body with a similar story.

**Title:** *High Intensity*  
**Author:** Freya Barker  
**Barcode:** 56227225  
**Series:** High Mountain Trackers  
**Synopsis:** HMT 2G Bk. 2  
 Dog trainer and handler, Jillian Lederrman, is moving with her pack to Libby, Montana, a place where she made friends and hopes to find a fresh start. It's time. For year's she's just been keeping her wounds fresh by staying in Missoula - where there were regular reminders of all she's lost - while the rest of the world has continued to move forward.

**Title:** *Rural Dreams*  
**Author:** Margaret Hickey  
**Barcode:** 56227197  
**Genre:** Short Stories  
**Synopsis:** Rural Dreams takes a look at life outside the big smoke, featuring the kind of characters you might expect in the country - as well as some you might not.

**Title:** *Everyone This Christmas has a Secret*  
**Author:** *Benjamin Stevenson*  
**Barcode:** 56227162  
**Genre:** **Mystery**  
**Series:** *Ernest Cunningham Bk. 3*  
**Synopsis:** If Knives Out and The Thursday Murder Club kissed under the mistletoe...My name's Ernest Cunningham. I used to be a fan of reading Golden Age murder mysteries, until I found myself with a haphazard career getting stuck in the middle of real-life ones.

**Title:** *Death on the Red Sea*  
**Author:** *C. L. Miller*  
**Barcode:** 56227120  
**Genre:** **Mystery**  
**Series:** *Antique Hunters Bk. 2*  
**Synopsis:** When a painting vanishes from a maritime museum and a dead body is found nearby the newly established Lockwood Antique Hunters Agency, Freya Lockwood and her Aunt Carole, are called to investigate.

**Title:** *Have I Told you Lately*  
**Author:** *Beth Moran*  
**Barcode:** 56228561  
**Synopsis:** One photo and a handful of letters can change everything.... Emmie Brown has always known she was adopted. And while not the warmest woman, Emmie never doubted Nellie Browns devotion. But, when Emmie finds a stash of letters after her mother's death, everything changes in an instant.

**Title:** *The Mix-Up*  
**Author:** *Kylie Ladd*  
**Barcode:** 56227170  
**Synopsis:** What would you do if you found out you'd been raising another couple's child... and they've been raising yours? Fourteen years ago, Kelsey and Raf Maccioni left hospital with their newborn daughter, Ammy. Days later, Shona and Nathan James welcomed the birth of their son, Zac.

**Title:** *Nemesis*  
**Author:** *Gregg Hurwitz*  
**Barcode:** 56227138  
**Genre:** **Thriller**  
**Series:** *Orphan X Bk. 10*  
**Synopsis:** Evan Smoak is a highly trained former government assassin who has survived for years by keeping his circle to a few trusted confidants and a strict code he calls 'The Ten Commandments.'

**Title:** *Famous Last Words*  
**Author:** *Gillian McAllister*  
**Barcode:** 56229289  
**Genre:** **Thriller**  
**Synopsis:** It's Camilla's first day back at work, her daughter's first day at nursery. But husband Luke is nowhere to be seen. The only trace of him is an unfinished note. Camilla tries to put it out of her mind; there must be a rational explanation. Then it starts. Breaking news- there's a hostage situation developing in London.

**Title:** *Reckless Love*  
**Author:** *Willow Aster*  
**Barcode:** 56228502  
**Genre:** **Romance**  
**Series:** *The Single Dad Playbook* Bk. 3  
**Synopsis:** I fell in love with Rhodes Archer the night we met thirteen years ago. We made a pact that night to never cross the just-friends zone. However, Rhodes crossed that line by kissing me recently, and I can't get over it.

**Title:** *Exposed*  
**Author:** *Juanita Kees*  
**Barcode:** 56228868  
**Genre:** **Australian**  
**Series:** *Unfinished Business* Bk. 1  
**Synopsis:** She never forgot the small town she came from, or the trouble she left behind...A woman entangled in a web of conflict, confronted by her tumultuous past. As Peta Johnson searches for her missing daughter in a race against the clock, she embarks on a journey of resilience and healing.

**Title:** *Best, First and Last*  
**Author:** *Amy Matthews*  
**Barcode:** 56231967  
**Genre:** **Family Saga**  
**Synopsis:** A young woman stuck in a rut is dragged by her grieving grandmother to hike the Inca Trail - but can a holiday heal heartbreak, or will long-held secrets tear them apart? A heartwarming novel from the acclaimed author of *Someone Else's Bucket List*.

**Title:** *The Favourites*  
**Author:** *Layne Fargo*  
**Barcode:** 56229167  
**Genre:** **Relationship**  
**Synopsis:** Everyone thinks Heath Rocha was my first love. He wasn't. My first love was figure skating. She might not have a famous name, funding, or her family's support, but Katarina Shaw has always known that she was destined to become an Olympic skater.

**Title:** *Track Her Down*  
**Author:** *Melinda Leigh*  
**Barcode:** 56229333  
**Genre:** **Mystery**  
**Series:** *Bree Taggart* Bk. 9  
**Synopsis:** A teenager returns home from work and finds her parents shot to death in their bed. Responding to the call, Sheriff Bree Taggart realizes the crime wasn't a burglary gone wrong. The couple was executed. The sole survivor: their traumatized teenage daughter, Claire Mason.

**Title:** *The Bluff*  
**Author:** *Joanna Jenkins*  
**Barcode:** 56231522  
**Genre:** **Thriller**  
**Synopsis:** People like Dash didn't die. He was only what? Mid-thirties? Well off. Adored. By some anyway. World at his feet. Well, Myddle at his feet, which was his world. Ruth Dawson has taken a break from big city law to fill in for a few months at a mate's small-town legal practice in Myddle. It's not what she's used to ...

**Title:** *Horn of Winter*

**Author:** Keri Arthur

**Barcode:** 56229159

**Genre:** Fantasy

**Series:** Relic Hunters Bk. 5

**Synopsis:** Revenge is a dish best served cold.... When Bethany Aodhan, resident- and reluctant-relic hunter for Deva's Fae council, is assigned for her next task, little does she realize just how many unwanted ghosts it will raise.

**Title:** *The Ragpicker King*

**Author:** Cassandra Clare

**Barcode:** 56231506

**Genre:** Fantasy

**Series:** Chronicles of Castellane Bk. 2

**Synopsis:** They walk the line between war, love and lies. The royal court is in turmoil following a massacre, Kel, Prince Conor's body-double, is hunting the traitors; the notorious Ragpicker King, ruler of Castellane's criminal underworld, holds the only clues.

**Title:** *The Private Island*

**Author:** Ali Lowe

**Barcode:** 56229325

**Genre:** Thriller

**Synopsis:** New Year's Eve, Loloma Island, Fiji. At one of the most exclusive island resorts in the Pacific Ocean, the champagne is poured, the fireworks are ready, and the countdown to new year is just beginning. It's set to be a night that no one will forget.

**Title:** *Where the Birds Call Her Name*

**Author:** Claire Van Ryn

**Barcode:** 56231530

**Synopsis:** Broome, 2023: when Saskia's free-spirited mother leaves her a caravan in her will, it doesn't make sense. Saskia is a schoolteacher, tied to plans and schedules, even if they are beginning to feel restrictive.

**Title:** *Story of My Life*

**Author:** Lucy Score

**Barcode:** 56231494

**Genre:** Romance

**Series:** Story Lake Bk. 1

**Synopsis:** Hazel is given a one-two punch when she's forced to move out of her Upper East Side apartment and is given a final warning from her publisher. If she doesn't turn in a book by her next deadline, they're cutting her loose. Hazel rashly decides to leave what's left of her city life behind and impulse buys a house in rural Pennsylvania sight unseen.

**Title:** *A Snowy River Summer*

**Author:** Stella Quinn

**Barcode:** 56229376

**Genre:** Australian

**Synopsis:** Kylie Summer loves her hometown in the Snowies, and life would be wonderful if only her workshop would turn a profit (she's broke) and Hanrahan would recover from its shortage of eligible blokes (unlikely). But then an arrogant city lawyer turns up. Is he in Hanrahan to stay?



## LARGE PRINT

**Title:** *The Partner Plot*  
**Author:** *Kristina Forest*  
**Barcode:** 56228021  
**Synopsis:** To Violet Greene, fashion is everything. A successful celebrity stylist, she travels the world, living out her dreams. Professionally, she's thriving, but her personal life is in shambles. After recently surviving a public breakup with her ex-fiancé, Violet is now determined to focus on her career.

**Title:** *Five Furry Familiars*  
**Author:** *Lynn Cahoon*  
**Barcode:** 56228056  
**Genre:** **Mystery**  
**Series:** *Kitchen Witch Mystery Bk. 5*  
**Synopsis:** To keep her cooking school and catering business, Mia's Morsels, afloat, Mia's handed off oversight to her boyfriend Trent's mother while she focuses on earning a steady paycheck.

**Title:** *The Wicked and the Dead: The Hair-Raising Tale of Hack Long and his Outlaw Gang*  
**Author:** *William W. Johnstone & J. A. Johnstone*  
**Barcode:** 56228005  
**Genre:** **Western**  
**Synopsis:** It was supposed to be a simple robbery. A fortune in gold for the taking. What Hack Long and his outlaws hadn't figured on was the Texas Rangers pouncing on them like a pack of rabid wolves.

**Title:** *The Fatal Folio*  
**Author:** *Elizabeth Penney*  
**Barcode:** 56231802  
**Series:** *The Cambridge Books Shop Bk. 3*  
**Synopsis:** After moving to Cambridge, England, Molly Kimball has found a lot to love, including – of course – her family's ancestral bookshop. And though she's not quite ready to use the 'L' word when it comes to her boyfriend Kieran, she's definitely fallen for his intimidating family's library.

**Title:** *Murder at the Rusty Anchor*  
**Author:** *Maddie Day*  
**Barcode:** 56228048  
**Genre:** **Mystery**  
**Series:** *A Cozy Capers Book Group Mystery Bk. 6*  
**Synopsis:** A rainy July weekend in Westham means the beaches are empty and business is dead at Mac's Bikes but couldn't be livelier inside the Rusty Anchor Pub.

## YOUNG ADULT FICTION

**Title:** *The Crimson Moth*  
**Author:** *Kristen Ciccarelli*  
**Barcode:** 56226784  
**Series:** *Crimson Moth Bk. 1*  
**Synopsis:** Enemies-to-lovers doesn't get more high stakes than a witch and a witch hunter falling in love. On the night Rune's life changed forever, blood ran in the streets. Now, in the aftermath of a devastating revolution, witches have been diminished from powerful rulers to outcasts ruthlessly hunted due to their waning magic, and Rune must hide what she is.

**Title:** *Better than Revenge*  
**Author:** *Kasie West*  
**Barcode:** 56227355  
**Synopsis:** Is true love better than revenge? There's only one goal on Finley's vision board: to become a famous podcaster. First stop? Her school's podcast team (everyone has to start somewhere). But when her football-obsessed boyfriend, Jensen, also tries out - and uses her idea - she's confused and betrayed.

**Title:** *Into the Wild*  
**Author:** *Hayley Lawrence*  
**Barcode:** 56227304  
**Synopsis:** There are places in the world so remote, that if you get lost, you may never be found. Olive, Ted, Knox, Birdie and Silas enter a challenge to survive in the wild, without technology. Their stage?

**Title:** *Carving Shadows into Gold*  
**Author:** *Brigid Kemmerer*  
**Barcode:** 56231679  
**Series:** *Forging Silver into Stars Bk. 2*  
**Synopsis:** The King's Courier Tycho has made a treacherous bargain. Now beholden to the magical scraever who saved King Grey's life, one false move could end everything. Jax escaped his life in Briarlock and travelled with Tycho to Emberfall. But life outside his small village brings unexpected challenges and unlikely adversaries.

**Title:** *Just Until*  
**Author:** *Joseph Moldover*  
**Barcode:** 56227320  
**Synopsis:** Seventeen-year-old Hannah Lynn has just one goal: to get out of Evans Beach, Maine. It's where she lost her mother to cancer when she was just four years old. Where her estranged sister, Pauline, fell apart before moving out. Where her father, Larry, holds court as a local legend who once played twelve games for the Red Sox.

**Title:** *Death at Morning House*  
**Author:** *Maureen Johnson*  
**Barcode:** 56231644  
**Synopsis:** The fire wasn't Marlowe Wexler's fault. Dates should be hot, but not hot enough to warrant literal firefighters. Akilah, the girl Marlowe has been in love with for years, will never go out with her again.

**Title:** *Paper Hearts*  
**Author:** *Ali Novak*  
**Barcode:** 56227339  
**Series:** *Heartbreaker Chronicles*  
 Bk. 2  
**Synopsis:** She's the good girl. He's the quiet one. Together....on a rebellious road trip! Felicity Lyon is a rule follower. Ever since her older sister ran away, she's had the full weight of her mother's expectations on her shoulders. So she's making straight A's, volunteering, and saving money.

**Title:** *Loverboy*  
**Author:** *Ben Tomlinson*  
**Barcode:** 56227363  
**Synopsis:** Alfie thinks Maya might be the One, and he's desperate to tell her... until she reveals she's got a new, cooler boyfriend. Crushed, Alfie starts hanging out with Maya's shy best friend Gwen - and develops feelings for her. But Gwen's hiding something, and Alfie's confused.

**Title:** *A Vow of Dragons and Storms*  
**Author:** *G. Bailey*  
**Barcode:** 56227477  
**Series:** *The Lost Fae Riders* Bk. 1  
**Synopsis:** Dragons don't exist anymore. Neither do their legendary fae riders.... until I stumble into a mansion full of them. It turns out the last of the dragon rider fae have been locked in a trap, a mansion with no doors, no way to leave for five hundred years, and I'm the first fae to enter.

**Title:** *Breath of the Dragon*  
**Author:** *Shannon Lee & Fonda Lee*  
**Barcode:** 56229270  
**Series:** *Breathmarked* Bk. 1  
**Synopsis:** Let a fearless new Guardian rise. Sixteen-year-old Jun has one chance to prove his worth and restore his father's pride. Eager to lift his banishment and return home to his twin brother, Jun must win in the Guardian's Tournament and become the new protector of the magical Scroll of Heaven.

**Title:** *Hemlock House*  
**Author:** *Katie Cotugno*  
**Barcode:** 56231636  
**Series:** *Liar's Beach* Bk. 2  
**Synopsis:** It's been a year since Michael Linden found a dead body in his best friend's pool. Now, the only thing he wants is a stress (and murder) free freshman year. And it's all going to plan, especially as a reunion with his hot ex-girlfriend Greer is on the cards.

## JUNIOR FICTION

**Title:** *Stu and the Sketchy Time Stops*  
**Author:** Rebecca J. Chaney  
**Barcode:** 56229045  
**Series:** Sketcher Bk. 1  
**Synopsis:** Twelve-year-old Stu is new to Las Vegas, and he's lonely. His best friend back in Australia has dumped him, and his only friend here is his pet snake. He wants more friends, but it hurts too much to lose them. Then Stu runs into a pair of casino thieves with an amazing ability-they can stop time! But when the whole world freezes in place, Stu keeps moving.

**Title:** *The Baffling Beach Bandit*  
**Author:** Anna Battese  
**Barcode:** 56226804  
**Series:** PD McPem's Agency for Mysterious Mysteries Bk. 3  
**Synopsis:** Dive into the sandy shores with PD McPem in an unforgettable beach adventure! PD and her classmates are all set for a day of sun and sea, but the excitement takes an unexpected turn when they discover somebody has sunk the lifeboats.

**Title:** *Witchwood*  
**Author:** Kalyn Josephson  
**Barcode:** 56227678  
**Series:** Ravenfall Bk. 3  
**Synopsis:** Best friends Anna and Colin have reunited at the magical Ravenfall Inn after the summer apart. Now they're eager to put their powers to the test without the help of big brothers and protective parents.

**Title:** *The Lost Secrets of Hemlock Hall*  
**Author:** Shana Goran  
**Barcode:** 56227836  
**Series:** Tales of the Lost and Found Bk. 5  
**Synopsis:** The secret of Hemlock Hall. When the unusual rumours about a creepy abandoned house spark an undercover investigation, the kids have every intention of proving the rumours false. Plus, the house would make a killer set for Noah's school film project, and he has to ace this one, so getting some good footage along the way is just a bonus.

**Title:** *The Infinite Minute*  
**Author:** David Wolstencroft  
**Barcode:** 56231573  
**Series:** Magic Hour Bk. 2  
**Synopsis:** What would you do if you were stuck in a time loop? As Ailsa reaches her thirteenth birthday, her celebration is dampened by a huge fall-out with her best friend. Worse than that, The Terrible Thing - the Brollachan monster - is at large in Edinburgh and it's causing chaos.

**Title:** *Friend or UFO*  
**Author:** Julie Buxbaum  
**Barcode:** 56227627  
**Series:** Wild Robot Bk. 3  
**Synopsis:** When Sky's grandmother is kidnapped, Sky discovers her secret life as an undercover FBI agent, and embarks on a mission filled with puzzles, codes, and risky adventures to save her.

**Title:** *Hunt for the Golden Scarab*  
**Author:** M. G. Leonard  
**Barcode:** 56227619  
**Series:** *Time Keys* Bk. 1  
**Synopsis:** Sim and his mum never live anywhere long. When dangerous strangers appear one night, Sim discovers why. His mum has been keeping secrets: she has the power to open doors in time. Running for their lives, Sim and his friends are determined to outwit the sinister Council of Keys and be the first to find Nefertiti's lost tomb and a powerful door to Ancient Egypt.

**Title:** *Tim Possible & the Time-Travelling T. Rex*  
**Author:** Axel Maisy  
**Barcode:** 56231610  
**Series:** *Tim Possible* Bk. 1  
**Synopsis:** Tim and Tito are best friends whose world gets upended when a time-travelling T-Rex named Oskar suddenly appears in Tim's backyard. That's right, a time-travelling T-Rex, who knows too much for his or Tim and Tito's good. Sure, Oskar's prehistoric spaceship is awesome.

**Title:** *Popcorn*  
**Author:** Rob Harrell  
**Barcode:** 56231628  
**Synopsis:** Andrew's just trying to make it through Picture Day, which is easier said than done when it seems like the whole world is out to get him--from a bully to a science experiment gone wrong to a someone else's juice snot (don't ask).

**Title:** *Nightmares in Paradise*  
**Author:** Aden Polydoros  
**Barcode:** 56227706  
**Series:** *Ring of Solomon* Bk. 2  
**Synopsis:** Zach Darlington saved the world and hardly anyone knows about it. Aside from his best friend, Sandra: his annoying little sister Naomi; and his friend Ash (who, by the way, is the King of Demons). Somehow, they're all managed to keep last summer's fights against the Behemoth, the Leviathan, and the evil Knights of Apocalypse cult a secret for almost a whole year.

**Title:** *Eye of the Dragon*  
**Author:** Glenn Dakin  
**Barcode:** 56231601  
**Series:** *Dragons vs Wolves* Bk. 2  
**Synopsis:** An ancient prophecy is in play ... Dark forces are at work in Hunter's Reach. Strange dragons lurk in the catacombs of Howling Rock, and signs of ancient sorcery have left their mark upon its walls. Prince Lyricon is no longer a prisoner, but nor is he allowed fly freely.

**Title:** *Five Children and It*  
**Author:** E. Nesbit  
**Barcode:** 56229140  
**Genre:** **Classic**  
**Series:** *Psammead Trilogy* Bk. 1  
**Synopsis:** Make a wish with the Sand-Fairy! The five children are Cyril, Anthea, Robert, Jane and the Lamb, their baby brother. And 'It' is the Sand-Fairy known as the Psammead that lives in the gravel pits.

## **JUNIOR EASYS AND JUNIOR FICTION READ ALONES**

**Title:** *Trains, Boats and Planes*  
**Author:** *Michelle Robinson*  
**Barcode:** 56218950

**Title:** *Saturday, Sunday: Busy Day, Fun Day*  
**Author:** *Natalie Kate Forbes*  
**Barcode:** 56230462

**Title:** *Where to Hide a Star*  
**Author:** *Oliver Jeffers*  
**Barcode:** 56219032

**Title:** *On The Farm: Don't Push the Button*  
**Author:** *Bill Cotter*  
**Barcode:** 56219091

**Title:** *Hooray! It's Our First Day*  
**Author:** *Matha Mumford*  
**Barcode:** 56230489

**Title:** *Says Who?*  
**Author:** *Rachel Emily*  
**Barcode:** 56230454

**Title:** *Happy St. Patrick's Day from the Crayons*  
**Author:** *Drew Daywalt*  
**Barcode:** 56219162

**Title:** *When Cookie Crumbled*  
**Author:** *Michelle Robinson*  
**Barcode:** 56219138

**Title:** *Crocodile Snap!*  
**Author:** *Kate Daubney*  
**Barcode:** 56218977

**Title:** *The Backyard Games*  
**Author:** *Alister Nicholson*  
**Barcode:** 56219083

**Title:** *Ms Rachel and the Special Surprise*  
**Author:** *Rachel Accurso*  
**Barcode:** 56219040

**Title:** *Dog Beach*  
**Author:** *Julie Murphy*  
**Barcode:** 56219120

**Title:** *Too Scared to Sleep: A Tale of Two Snails*  
**Author:** *Shaun Micallef*  
**Barcode:** 56230438

**Title:** *How We Share Cake*  
**Author:** *Kim Hyo-Un*  
**Barcode:** 56230420

**Title:** *Bluey The Weekend*  
**Author:** *Bluey*  
**Barcode:** 56219059

**Title:** *Tons of Love: Don't Push the Button*  
**Author:** *Bill Cotter*  
**Barcode:** 56219111

**Title:** *A New Day*  
**Author:** *Emmaline Carroll Southwell*  
**Barcode:** 56219170

**Title:** *Grey*  
**Author:** *Laura Dockrill*  
**Barcode:** 56218985

## **GRAPHIC NOVELS**

**Title:** *Secret Agent Mole*  
**Author:** *James Foley*  
**Barcode:** 56227730  
**Series:** *Secret Agent Mole Bk. 3*

**Title:** *Pablo and Splash Frozen in Time*  
**Author:** *Sheena Dempsey*  
**Barcode:** 56227380  
**Series:** *Pablo and Splash Vol. 2*

**Title:** *Chickenpox*  
**Author:** *Remy Lai*  
**Barcode:** 56227426

**Title:** *Turning Twelve*  
**Author:** *Kathryn Ormsbee*  
**Barcode:** 56227400  
**Series:** *Growing Pangs Vol. 2*

**Title:** *Cat Ninja The Heart of a Hero*  
**Author:** *Matthew Cody, Marcie Colleen, et al*  
**Barcode:** 56227434  
**Series:** *Cat Ninja Bk. 6*

**Title:** *The Adventures of the Invisible Boy Zeroes to Heroes*  
**Author:** *Doogie Homer*  
**Barcode:** 56231460  
**Series:** *The Adventures of the Invisible Boy Vol. 2*

**Title:** *Tosh's Island*  
**Author:** *Linda Sargent & Joe Brady*  
**Barcode:** 56227398

**Title:** *Fresh Start*  
**Author:** *Gale Galligan*  
**Barcode:** 56227418

**Title:** *Bunny Vs Monkey Bunny Bonanza!*  
**Author:** *Jamie Smart*  
**Barcode:** 56231766  
**Series:** *Bunny vs Monkey Vol. 9*

### **ADULT, YOUNG ADULT AND JUNIOR NON-FICTION**

**Title:** *Caution! This Books Contains Deadly Reptiles*  
**Author:** *Corey Tutt*

**Barcode:** 56211540

**Title:** *5-Minute Dinosaur Stories*  
**Author:** *Maira Donohue*  
**Barcode:** 56229108

**Title:** *On Track: the Remarkable Story of How Trains Have Changed Our World*  
**Author:** *Tom Adams*  
**Barcode:** 56231959

**Title:** *Food for Menopause: Recipes and Nutritional Advice for Perimenopause, Menopause and Beyond*

**Author:** *Dr. Linia Patel*  
**Barcode:** 56231888

**Title:** *Snapshots: Australians in War and Conflict*  
**Author:** *Australian Government Department of Veterans' Affairs*  
**Barcode:** 56229350

**Title:** *Never Forgotten: Honouring our Veterans*  
**Author:** *Dave Morgan*  
**Barcode:** 56231896

**Title:** *Off to the Nursery: A Celebration of Gardening, Plants and Seasons*  
**Author:** *Alice Oehr*  
**Barcode:** 56231924

**Title:** *The Gentle Art of Swedish Death Cleaning: How to Free yourself and Your Family from a Lifetime of Clutter*  
**Author:** *Margareta Magnusson*  
**Barcode:** 56231810

## BIOGRAPHIES/MEMOIRS

**Title:** *Dear Sister: A Memoir of Secrets, Survival, and Unbreakable Bonds*  
**Author:** Michelle Horton  
**Barcode:** 56228013  
**Large Print**

**Title:** *The Bravest Scout at Gallipoli: The Many Lives and Tragic Death of Harry Freame, the ANZAC Hero Betrayed by his Nation*  
**Author:** Ryan Butta  
**Barcode:** 56211243

**Title:** *My Wrexham Story*  
**Author:** Paul Mullin  
**Barcode:** 56231916

**Title:** *Prisoner of the State: Unlawfully Arrested, Illegally Detained, a Punishment to Last a Lifetime*  
**Author:** Lily Arthur  
**Barcode:** 56231940

**Title:** *Voices of Impact: Empowering Stories from Female Visionaries and Entrepreneurs*  
**Author:** Voices of Impact Publishing  
**Barcode:** 56227907

**Title:** *The Promise: How an Everyday Hero Made the Impossible Possible*  
**Author:** Arnold Dix  
**Barcode:** 56231975

**Title:** *Would That Be Funny? Growing up with John Clarke*  
**Author:** Lorin Clarke  
**Barcode:** 56231932

**Title:** *Your Time Starts Now: Food and Fame, Failure and Freedom: The Life Story of Australia's First Masterchef*  
**Author:** Julie Goodwin  
**Barcode:** 56229238

**Title:** *Matters of the Heart: A Memoir*  
**Author:** Jacinta Nampijinpa Price  
**Barcode:** 56231853

**Title:** *They'll Never Hold Me: The Life and Crimes of Kevin John Simmonds, Australia's Most Daring Fugitive*  
**Author:** Michael Adams  
**Barcode:** 56231870

**Title:** *I Will Come Back for You: The Undercover Jewish Commando Who Helped Defeat the Nazis*  
**Author:** Daniel Huhn  
**Barcode:** 56231861

**Title:** *The Dissident: Alexey Navalny: Profile of a Political Prisoner*  
**Author:** David M. Herszenhorn  
**Barcode:** 56231829

## AUDIO BOOKS

**Title:** *Down the Track*  
**Author:** Stella Quinn  
**Barcode:** 56228064  
**Genre:** Australian

**Title:** *Hunt for the Golden Scarab*  
**Author:** M. G. Leonard  
**Barcode:** 56228850  
**Series:** Time Keys Vol. 1



**Title:** *Ambush at Sorato*  
**Author:** *John Flanagan*  
**Barcode:** 56228912  
**Series:** *Ranger's Apprentice: The Royal Ranger Vol. 7*  
**Synopsis:** Will and Maddie are in Toscana on a diplomatic mission when word comes of a cavalry force crossing the northern body and marauding through the countryside. At the behest of the emperor, the rangers head north to investigate.

**Title:** *Jenna*  
**Author:** *Barabara Hannay*  
**Barcode:** 56228616  
**Genre:** **Australian**  
**Series:** *Outback Brides of Wirralong Vol. 3*  
**Synopsis:** Can she keep a safe distance? Jenna Matthews is a city girl, no question. Despite a childhood spent in the Outback, she's committed to her fast-paced life and the competitive world of corporate law. When her best friend asks her to be bridesmaid, Jenna finds herself in Wirralong and wildly attracted to the best man. A fling? Why not?

**Title:** *The Sleeping and the Dead*  
**Author:** *Ann Cleeves*  
**Barcode:** 56228100  
**Genre:** **Mystery**  
**Synopsis:** Northumberland detective Peter Porteous is called to Cranwell Lake, where a diving instructor has made a gruesome discovery. In the water lies a corpse – the body of a teenager who has clearly been dead for many years.

**Title:** *Emma*  
**Author:** *Kelly Hunter*  
**Barcode:** 56228738  
**Genre:** **Australian**  
**Series:** *Outback Brides of Wirralong Vol. 4*  
**Synopsis:** Home is where you make it. Lady Emmaline Lewellyn Grayson has never felt at home in her stuffy, aristocratic world. She might look the part of a Lady and play it to perfection, but a wilder world has always beckoned.

**Title:** *The Girl in the Sky*  
**Author:** *Suzanne Fortin*  
**Barcode:** 56228249  
**Genre:** **Historical**  
**Synopsis:** England, 1939. Geraldine Fitz-Herbert, stifled by her aristocratic upbringing, has always found solace in the sky, the one place she can be truly free and push all limits. As war breaks out, Fitz seizes an opportunity to put her flying skills to good use when she sees an advert for volunteers at the Air Transport Auxiliary. But a chance meeting with American Flight Officer Sam Carter suddenly turns her world upside down.

**Title:** *Eight Years of Lies*  
**Author:** *Lisa Hall*  
**Barcode:** 56228214  
**Genre:** **Thriller**  
**Synopsis:** I get a call from the school. My husband hasn't picked up our 7-year-old daughter. This is the day my life changes for ever. Earlier, I was scrolling through Facebook when something caught my eye. A photograph.

**Title:** *The Last Word is Death*  
**Author:** Faith Martin  
**Barcode:** 56228186  
**Genre:** **Mystery**  
**Series:** *The Val & Arbie Mysteries* Vol. 2  
**Synopsis:** Arbuthnot 'Arbie' Swift arrives at Dashwood House, a glamorously modern hotel in the up-and-coming resort of Galton-next-the-Sea, but all plans for a relaxing stay are scuppered when one of the guests is found dead.

**Title:** *The Protector*  
**Author:** Tony Park  
**Barcode:** 56228344  
**Genre:** **Thriller**  
**Synopsis:** Professor Denise 'Doc' Rado is South Africa's expert on pangolins, busting poachers and freeing the endangered anteaters in elaborate undercover stings. After a risky operation backfires, Doc's life is shattered, but she still has to lead an eclectic group of donors on a wildlife tour of southern Africa.

**Title:** *The Pearl Button Girl*  
**Author:** Annie Murray  
**Barcode:** 56228328  
**Series:** *Children of Birmingham* Vol. 1  
**Synopsis:** Working at the local pearl button factory, Ada Fletcher is doing her best to make ends meet in trying times. When tragedy strikes and her siblings are taken to a workhouse orphanage, Ada is saved from a similar fate by her neighbour, Sarah Connell.

**Title:** *Mr and Mrs Gould*  
**Author:** Grantlee Kieza  
**Barcode:** 56228281  
**Synopsis:** John and Elizabeth Gould sailed into Australia on a cold spring day in 1838 prepared for the most astonishing adventure of their lives. They had crossed three oceans from their London home to find the treasures of Australia's birdlife and showcase them to the outside world.

**Title:** *River Song*  
**Author:** Di Morrissey  
**Barcode:** 56228336  
**Genre:** **Australian**  
**Synopsis:** The arrival of a hotshot New York composer brings a rare touch of glamour and excitement to the peaceful country town of Fig Tree River. For Leonie, Madison, Sarita and Chrissie, four women involved in the local musical theatre, it's a welcome distraction from the pressures of daily life. Then a lottery ticket, bought together on impulse, changes everything.

**Title:** *Death at the Dolphin*  
**Author:** Gretta Mulrooney  
**Barcode:** 56228230  
**Genre:** **Mystery**  
**Series:** *Daisy Moore Mysteries* Vol. 1  
**Synopsis:** Even in peacetime, death is just around the corner. London, VE Day, 1945. Twenty-four-year-old Daisy Moore is at a crossroads. Racked with guilt over her mother's tragic death in a house fire, she needs a job and somewhere to live.

**Title:** *In the Dead of Night: A Mysterious Disappearance, a Brazen Murder and the Police Who Hunted Him Down*

**Author:** *Greg Haddrick*

**Barcode:** 56211487

**Synopsis:** In March 2020 a couple disappears from the remote Wonnangatta Valley, leaving a burnt-out campsite. Russell Hill and Carol Clay are secret lovers, and at first it seems they might simply have started a new life somewhere. But the police become increasingly convinced that they have been the victims of foul play, even though their bodies have not been found.

**Title:** *Whole Life Sentence*

**Author:** *Lynda La Plante*

**Barcode:** 56228194

**Genre:** **Thriller**

**Series:** *Tennison* Vol. 10

**Synopsis:** Newly promoted Detective Chief Inspector Jane Tennison has elbowed her way into the Area Major Incident Pool, or AMIP, an elite team investigating non-domestic murders.

**Title:** *The Governor, His Wife and His Mistress*

**Author:** *Sue Williams*

**Barcode:** 56228379

**Genre:** **Historical**

**Synopsis:** When future governor Philip Gidley King sailed with the First Fleet to the new colony, he had his pick of the convict women to look after him.

**Title:** *Blood and Gold*

**Author:** *Michael Trant*

**Barcode:** 56228273

**Genre:** **Australian**

**Series:** *Gabe Ahern* Vol. 3

**Synopsis:** Terry Drage is not the first amateur gold prospector to rock up to the Murchison Hotel, brag about an exciting discovery – and then vanish into thin air. But Gabe Ahern is determined he will be the last. No one knows the land around the remote Western Australian town of Cue better than Gabe – a wild dog trapper who's in his element in the bush.

**Title:** *Murder by Candlelight*

**Author:** *Faith Martin*

**Barcode:** 56228072

**Genre:** **Mystery**

**Series:** *Val and Arbie Mysteries* Vol. 1

**Synopsis:** The Cotswolds, 1924. At the Old Forge in the quiet village of Maybury-in-the-Marsh a cry of anguish rings out – lady of the house Amy Phelps has been discovered dead.

**Title:** *The Hidden Girl*

**Author:** *Lucinda Riley*

**Barcode:** 56228099

**Genre:** **Historical**

**Synopsis:** You can't alter destiny. Born and raised in a small village on the Yorkshire moors, Leah Thompson grows more beautiful with each passing day.

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**DVD'S**

**Title:** *Gladiator II*  
**Rating:** **MA 15+**  
**Barcode:** 56227915

**Title:** *Wicked*  
**Rating:** **PG**  
**Barcode:** 56227757

**Title:** *Blue Bloods* Final Season  
**Rating:** **MA 15+**  
**Barcode:** 56227749