



Dates to Remember

7 July	Holiday Activities (Port Pirie)
9 July	Holiday Activities (Port Pirie)
14 July	Holiday Activities (Port Pirie)
15 July	Holiday Activities (Crystal Brook)
16 July	Holiday Activities (Port Pirie)
27 July	Social Seniors

Regular Services

Justice of the Peace -

Services accessible at the Port Pirie Courthouse.
Wednesday & Friday, 1pm - 3pm

Family History Research Friday, 1-3pm



The National Library of Australia is pleased to announce that the following newspapers have issues that have been newly added to *Digitised newspapers* on Trove.

South Australia

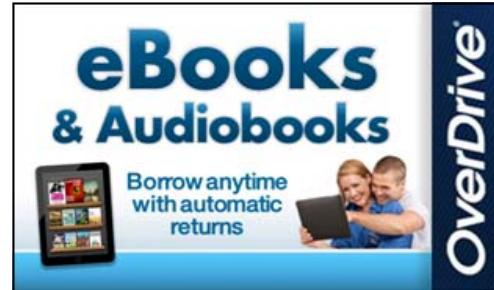
Kangaroo Island Courier (Kingscote, SA:1907 - 1951)

Laura Standard (SA : 1889 - 1917)

Laura Standard & Crystal Brook Courier (SA:1917 - 1948)

Pinnaroo and Border Times (SA:1911 - 1954)

Pinnaroo Country News (Lameroo, SA:1908 - 1922)



Overdrive ebook and audiobook titles are now integrated into the Library catalogue and can be downloaded direct to your e-reader without accessing the Overdrive site.

Collect a FAQ sheet from the Library for further information.

Online Databases

Following a review, several changes have been made to the available databases. Press Display and World Book Online are no longer available while lyndaLibrary and Zinio Digital Magazines have been added. Subscription to Ancestry Library Edition has been continued. Links to the new subscriptions will be available shortly on the Library catalogue page.

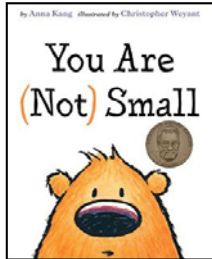
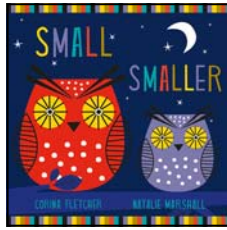
- **lyndaLibrary** - a user-friendly online training resource, offering a variety of expertly presented training courses. Available from July 2015. Examples include -
 - * Photography
 - * Up and Running with Facebook
- **Zinio Digital Magazines** - access to over 400 full colour digital magazine titles, many of which are Australian. Available from August 2015. Accessible magazines include -
 - * Better Homes and Gardens
 - * National Geographic

Theme:

Size/Measurement

0-2
YEARS

Are you small, smaller or smallest? A beautifully illustrated interactive pull-tab board book.



Two fuzzy creatures can't agree on who is small and who is big, until a couple of surprise guests show up, settling it once and for all!

2&3
YEARS



Poor Sam! He always gets left out of his big brother's games. But one day when the big boys leave him out again, Sam gets to thinking...How big is too small?

4&5
YEARS

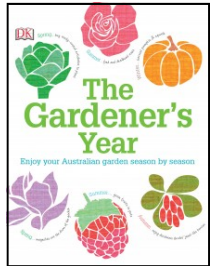


CAUGHT READING

PAM MENADUE - Library Manager, Port Pirie

■What have you just finished reading?

Girl's guide to survival: the savvy girls guide to mastering household management by Sarah Johnston. A modern take on moving out of home based on principles learnt from her grandmother. The book is a result of advice Sara gave on Facebook to friends which then led to a blog and now a book that is easy to read and with many simple suggestions.



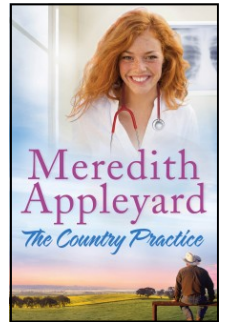
I've also just read *The gardener's year: enjoy your Australia garden season by season*. The book is full of beautiful photographs, each effectively illustrating a point made in the text.

■Thumbs up or thumbs down?

I give both books thumbs up if you are interested in either topic.

■What are you reading now?

I'm about to commence *The country practice* by Meredith Appleyard.



■What's it about?

The fictional story is based in rural South Australia and revolves around a female GP doing locum work after returning from London. I can't wait to read about life for a female GP based in a rural area. I have also heard the author speak about how she came to write the book and so I looking forward to reading it.

■Would you recommend it?

I haven't started it yet but the storyline sounded good, and knowing it is set in rural South Australia, I'm hopeful it will meet my expectations.

■What do you want to read next?

The Rosie project by Graeme Simsion is on my list to read. I also like books by Tricia Stringer and Monica McInerney to name a couple of fiction authors.



Port Pirie Regional Library is one of the first two libraries in South Australia to achieve eSmart status.

The program, supported by the Alannah and Madeline Foundation, and Telstra, assists libraries to integrate cyber safety into their daily operations.

It is a way to improve guidelines and training for the library community, helping them with the skills they need to use digital technologies confidently and safely, and get the best out of digital technology and to avoid cyber-risks.

Are you eSmart?

Being eSmart means knowing how to guard against security and privacy risks online, downloading content in a legal and ethical way, and managing reputation and relationships in cyberspace.

Computer Courses

Conquering the Internet

Starts Wednesday 29 July (6 x 2 hr sessions)

- Discover the World Wide Web. Navigate your way in a safe and effective manner.

Digital Art / Editing

Starts Friday 31 July (6 x 2 hr sessions)

- Learn how to enhance and restore your photographs and apply special effects.
- Remove scratches, add (or remove) objects in your photo and transform a black and white into colour.

How to use Online shopping and banking

Starts Monday 6 July or Wednesday 1 July
(1 x 2 hr session)

- Learn the convenience of what it is to shop and bank online.

Introduction to Smartphones

Starts Tuesday 7 July or Wednesday 8 July
(1 x 2 hr session)

- Today's smartphones are capable of more than just phone calls. Learn to get the most from your phone.

Mastering the iPad

Starts Monday 27 July (2 x 2 hr sessions)

- Course covers an iPad overview, setting up Wi-Fi and the basics of using the iPad.

Mastering the Android

Starts Tuesday 28 July (2 x 2 hr sessions)

- As for iPad but using an Android tablet

FREE Sessions

Free one hour sessions are available -

- Cybersafety – Thursday at 2:00 pm.
- eBooks - Friday at 3:00 pm.



Please contact Dean on 8633 8777 to book a class or for more information.

Holiday Activities

Port Pirie

Tuesday 7 & 14 July

Thursday 9 & 16 July

Crystal Brook

Wednesday 15 July

*Crystal Brook session requires a minimum of 10 children to proceed
(Bookings by 10 July)*



*Bookings Essential
Ph: 8632 1649*



Baby Bounce

Every Thursday, 10.00am

(no sessions during school holidays)

At Port Pirie Library

- 02 July
- 23 July
- 30 July

A fun session of stories, songs and rhymes designed to help very young children to explore language.

PORT PIRIE REGIONAL LIBRARY

The Port Pirie Regional Library Service incorporates both Port Pirie and Crystal Brook branches.

Port Pirie Public Library
3 Wandearah Road
PORT PIRIE SA 5540
Phone: 8632 1649
Fax: 8633 0403


Opening Hours
Monday 9am - 5pm
Tuesday 9am - 7pm
Wednesday - Friday
9am - 5pm
Sunday 1pm - 5pm

Closed on Public Holidays

Crystal Brook Public Library
Bowman Street
CRYSTAL BROOK SA 5523
Phone: 8636 2150
Fax: 8636 2355

Opening Hours
Monday - Friday
10am - 1pm, 2pm - 5pm
Closed on Public Holidays

Email: library@pirie.sa.gov.au

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client/portpirie](http://sapln.ent.sirsidynix.net.au/client/portpirie)



Rocky River 'Riters Book Reviews

And the Mountains Echoed

by Khaled Hosseini

This is a remarkable story from an author whose first novel *The Kite Runner* was a runaway best seller. This story has also hit the best seller lists.

In this novel, Khaled Hosseini writes about pain, every human aspect of pain.

An Afghani father sells his daughter to provide comfort for his son. Each engaging chapter is an emotional storm told by a different character but each is linked back to Pari, the little Afghani girl.

In the end, we realise that the bonds that connect us all are stronger than those which keep us separated.

The reader will remember this story for a long while.



New Books

Adult Fiction

The case of the dotty dowager (*Cathy Ace*)

The homestead girls (*Fiona McArthur*)

Only a promise (*Mary Balogh*)

Solitude Creek (*Jeffery Deaver*)

Blueprints (*Barbara Delinsky*)

Kill shot (*Vince Flynn*)

Piranha (*Clive Cussler*)

The fall (*John Lescroart*)

The drowned boy (*Karin Fossum*)

Legacy of Greyladies (*Anna Jacobs*)

You are dead (*Peter James*)

Friday on my mind (*Nicci Frenchy*)

Inside the O'Briens (*Lisa Genova*)

Against the rules (*Linda Howard*)

Never die alone (*Lisa Jackson*)

The fixer (*Joseph Finder*)

Dead ice (*Laurell K Hamilton*)

Buried angels (*Camilla Lackberg*)

Born of defiance (*Sherrilyn Kenyon*)

State of emergency (*Andy McNab*)

Set in stone (*Ros Baxter*)

Double down (*Fern Michaels*)

All for you (*Sheila O'Flanagan*)

