



#### Dates to Remember

13 September Roald Dahl's 100th birthday
5 October Holiday Activities (Cystal Brook)
6 October Holiday Activities (Port Pirie)
11 October Noise for Kids Performance
13 October Holiday Activities (Port Pirie)

#### Regular Services

Family History Research Friday, 1-3pm
Baby Bounce Thurs, 10am
Intro to Cybersafety Mon, 3:30-4:30pm
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Using Libraries SA ebooks Wed, 3-4pm

### **Noises for Kids**

Interactive music performance

Tuesday 11 October 10am—11am Port Pirie Library

Bookings required Ph: 8632 1649





# Computer Courses

**At Port Pirie Library** 

#### **Windows 10 Essentials**

Starts Friday 2 or Wednesday 28 September (6 x 2 hr sessions) 10.00am - 12.00pm

- Learn the essential tools needed to work effectively with Windows10.
- Learn features such as MS account logins, Apps, MS Edge, emails, working with multimedia, file management, security, privacy and more.

#### **Internet & Email**

Starts Tuesday 27 September (4 x 2 hr sessions) 10.00am - 12.00pm

- Discover the World Wide Web and all it has to offer.
- Learn how to navigate your way through the internet in a safe and effective manner. Learn how to keep your computer and shopping secure.

These courses are designed for those with little or no experience in computing.

There is no expectation from you other than to not be afraid to ask questions.

#### Other courses include -

#### **Master the Apple**

Wednesday 14 September (2 x 2hrs)

10.00am - 12.00pm

#### **Master the Android**

Thursday 1 September (2 x 2hrs) 2.00pm - 4.00pm

#### **Introduction to Smartphones**

Tuesday 20 September 2.00pm - 4.00pm

#### **Bookings Required**

For more information and bookings please contact Dean on 8633 8777

# **Holiday Activities**

#### **Port Pirie**

Thursday 6 October

Paper plate witch





Thursday
13 October
Cotton bud painting

#### **Crystal Brook**

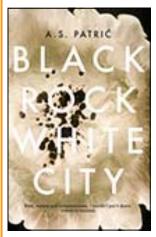
Wednesday 5
October

Button craft



### The Miles Franklin Literary Award

Australia's most prestigious literature prize. Established through the will of My Brilliant Career author, Miles Franklin, the prize is awarded each year to a novel which is of the highest literary merit and presents Australian life in any of its phases.



2016 winner

Black rock white city

by

A.S. Patrić

## New Books

#### **Adult Fiction**

The grazier's wife (Barbara Hannay)

The cedar cutter (Tea Cooper)

Swan maid (Dilly Court)

The daredevil snared (Stephanie Laurens)

The moment she left (Susan Lewis)

Dark carousel (Christine Feehan)

Truly madly guilty (Liane Moriarty)

When the music's over (Peter Robinson)

I found you (Lisa Jewell)

The kept woman (Karin Slaughter)

Magic (Danielle Steel)

Killer look (Linda Fairstein)

Indiscreet (Mary Balogh)

The black widow (Daniel Silva)

Barbed wire and cherry blossoms (Anita Heiss)

Cyanide games (Richard Beasley)

Bindara Creek makeover (SE Gilchrist)

Love walked right in (Pam Weaver)

Pack up your troubles (Anne Bennett)

Last chance country (Jennie Jones)

Flawless (Heather Graham)

Feels like home (Lisa Ireland)

Numbered (Amy Andrews)

## On Order

Lyrebird (Cecelia Ahern)

Snowflakes in the wind (Rita Bradshaw)

Sleeping Beauty killer (Mary Higgins Clark)

Cold earth (Ann Cleeves)

Betrayal (Martina Cole)

The wrong side of goodbye (Michael Connelly)

Signal loss (Garry Disher)

The maid's courage (Rosie Goodwin)

The whistler (John Grisham)

The midnight bell (Jack Higgins)

Secrets of a happy marriage (Cathy Kelly)

When all the girls have gone (Jayne Ann Krentz)

Hidden killers (Lynda La Plante)

Out of bounds (Val McDermid)

Sapphire Falls (Fleur McDonald)

The chocolate tin (Fiona McIntosh)

Red earth (Tony Park)

Cross the line (James Patterson)

Murder on the Serpentine (Anne Perry)

Rather be the devil *lan Rankin*)

Every dark corner (Karen Rose)

A chance of stormy weather (*Tricia Stringer*)

## New eBook options

Libraries SA is proud to introduce ePlatform by wheeler books.

Using your Port Pirie Regional Library Service borrower card and pin number you can access over 300,000 titles of which 30,000 of these are from over 500 Australian and NZ authors. ePlatform has the largest Australian content of any eBook supplier.

This new platform doesn't replace Overdrive rather it gives you another option.







# **Baby Bounce**

Every Thursday, 10.00am

(no sessions during school holidays)

At Port Pirie Library

- 01 September
- 08 September
- 15 September
- 22 September
- 29 September

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

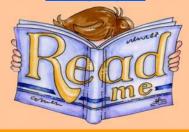
Fax: 8636 2355

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

Email: library@pirie.sa.gov.au



Online catalogue: sapln.ent.sirsidynix.net.au/ client/portpirie



# **Book Review** Rocky River 'Riters

#### Leaving time by Jodi Picoult

The story is centred around accomplished scientist Alice Metcalf and her relationships with her husband, daughter, co-workers and her passion, elephants. Alice disappears and her husband is in care. Her daughter, Jenna, reaches thirteen and decides now is the time to find out what happened to her mother. She enlists the help of a psychic and a detective, both who have had personal problems of their own. It is an



intense story about love, loss, betrayal and friendships and is written through the eyes of the characters with a unexpected outcome.

Jodi Picoult has done for elephants what Herman Melville did for whales. This story is powerfully written and is thoroughly researched, and incorporating elephants and their behaviour in the story is a stroke of genius.

Jodi Picoult is the best selling author of twenty-three novels. In many of her gripping dramas, she explores the big issues of our time, such as domestic violence, euthanasia, suicide, repressed memory and organ transplant, through characters whose lives resonate with us. Her unrivalled ability to immerse us in a story lingers with us long after the final page has been turned.

Authors who write similar to Jodi Picoult are -

- Diane Chamberlain
- Barbara Delinsky
- Jacquelyn Mitchard
- Heather Gudenkauf
- Lisa Genova

