

#### Dates to Remember

3 April Good Friday (Library Closed) 5 April Easter Sunday (Library Closed) 6 April Easter Monday (Library Closed) Holiday Activities (Port Pirie) 14 April 16 April Holiday Activities (Port Pirie 17 April Youth Comedy Workshop 21 April Holiday Activities (Port Pirie) 22 April Holiday Activities (Crustal Brook) 23 April Holiday Activities (Port Pirie) 1-31 May 'About Time', SA History Month 28 May Second hand Book Sale 28 May National Simultaneous Storytime 25-31 May Library & Information Week

#### Regular Services

Justice of the Peace -

Port Pirie Wednesday & Friday, 1-3pm Family History Research Friday, 1-3pm

# Holiday Fun @ your Library

#### **Port Pirie:**

Tuesday 14 April (Sun catchers)
Thursday 16 April (Transport)
Tuesday 21 April (Silhouettes)
Thursday 23 April (Mother's day craft)

#### Crystal Brook:

Wednesday 22 April (Sun catchers)

All sessions 10.30am - 11.30am For 4 - 10 year olds

#### **DON'T MISS OUT - BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL**

Crystal Brook session will require minimum of 10 children to proceed

Register before Wednesday 15 April

Port Pirie Regional Library Service Port Pirie 8632 1649 Crystal Brook 8636 2150

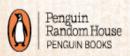


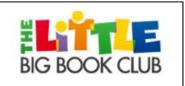
# NATIONAL SIMULTANEOUS STORYTIME

Wednesday 28 May 2015 10.00am (Port Pirie Library)









#### Theme:

#### Lynley Dodd









Slinky Malinki is an adventurous cat. cheeky and cheerful, friendly and fun. But at night he becomes a thief.







Zachary Quack is a small but very determined duckling and he sets out to make friends with Hairy Maclary - whether he wants it or not.





# **Baby Bounce**

Every Thursday, 10.00am

(no sessions during school holidays) At Port Pirie Library

- 02 April
- 09 April
- 30 April

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

## **CAUGHT READING**

SUE DENTON - Library Officer, Crystal Brook

#### ■What have you just finished reading?

Buried angels by Camilla Lackberg eighth in the crime series featuring detective Patrik Hedstrom and his wife, Erica Falck. Together they solve BURIED A murders linked to the history of their small fishing village in Sweden. Almost of equal importance to the



crime, which is the base of the story, is the interaction between Patrik and Erica and the ongoing dramas that their life entails. This is an ongoing series with the ninth book soon to be published.

#### ■Thumbs up or thumbs down?

Definitely thumbs Up!, but if interested I suggest you start at the first book in the series, The ice princess.

#### ■What are you reading now?

Only time will tell by Jeffrey Archer.

#### ■What's it about?

I've only just started but it's the first of a eight book series that tells the story of one family across generations, across oceans, from heartbreak to triumph.

I haven't read any Jeffrey Archer for a long time so look forward to reacquainting myself with his writing.

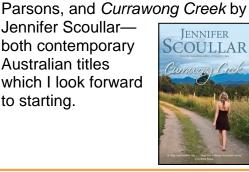
■Would you recommend it? Yes, so far it's good although with eight books in the series it may be difficult to keep track of the story.

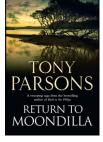
#### ■What do you want to read next?

I've always got a pile waiting on my bedside

table. My current selection includes Return to Moondilla by Tony

Jennifer Scoullar both contemporary Australian titles which I look forward to starting.





## **Computer Courses**

#### Take control of your computer

Starts Thursday 2 April (5 x 2 hr session)

 Learn the basics of software programs and how to personalize your computer.

#### **Conquering the Internet**

Starts Monday 13 April (6 x 2 hr sessions)

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

#### How to use Online shopping and banking

Starts Friday 10 April or Tuesday 21 April (1 x 2 hr session)

- Learn the convenience of what it is to shop and bank online.
- Discuss why online banking is safe & secure, how you can save time when you pay your bills online

#### **Sharing attachments on the Internet**

Starts Monday 13 April (1 x 2 hr session)

 Learn how to be self sufficient in sending media (photos and videos) along with a variety of files on the Internet.

#### **Introduction to Smartphones**

Starts Tuesday 14 April or Friday 24 April (1 x 2 hr session)

 Todays smartphones are capable of more than just phone calls. Learn to get the most from your phone.

#### Mastering the iPad

Starts Friday 10 April (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 Friday 24 April (2 x 2 hr sessions)

· As for iPad but using an Android tablet

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



## New Books

#### **Adult Fiction**

Turtle Beach (Jennifer Scoullar)
The wronged (Kimberley Chambers)
Beyond the sunrise (Mary Balogh)
Rose River (Margareta Osborn)
Emerald Springs (Fleur McDonald)

The last dance (Fiona McIntosh)

The painted sky (Alice Campion)

The assassin (Clive Cussler)

The road to hope (Rachael Johns)

The Maxwell sisters (Loretta Hill)

His other house (Sarah Armstrong)

14th deadly sin (James Patterson)

A time to remember (Anna Jacob)

Prodigal son (Danielle Steel)

Too close to home (Susan Lewis)

Mightier than the sword (Jeffrey Archer)

The assassination option (WEB Griffin)

A vintage wedding (Katie Fforde)

War babies (Annie Murray)

A small weeping (Alex Gray)

Capital crimes: Berkeley (Faye Kellerman)

We'll meet again (Mary Higgins Clark)

#### **DVDs**

The water diviner Pride My house in Umbria

## Coming Soon

#### **Adult Fiction**

Nemesis (Catherine Coulter)

The cellar (Minette Walters)

Heart of the country (Tricia Stringer)

22 dead little bodies (Stuart MacBride)

Silent creed (Alex Kava)

Last resort (Quintin Jardine)

Wired (Julie Garwood)

The naked eye (Iris Johansen)

Fool's quest (Robin Hobb)

Dance of the bones (JA Jance)

Without a trace (Lesley Pearce)

Naked greed (Stuart Woods)

Time of death (Mark Billingham)

Six degrees (Honey Brown)

# **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

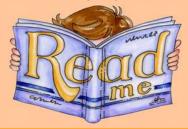
> Phone: 8636 2150 Fax: 8636 2355

**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





## Reader Advisory

### How do you select your recreational reading?

Are you a -

- hunter, with a definite 'wish list', targeting specific authors, series, subjects or genres, or
- a gatherer, who browses the shelves, hoping to find a good read.

Are you often frustrated by your inability to find something to read?

As a means to help you locate your next book, we have compiled several genre booklets with titles of relevant books, such as -

- Australian fiction.
- Medical Crime fiction,
  - Legal Crime fiction.

There are also several good websites that may assist you -

> www.fantasticfiction.co.uk www.goodreads.com www.fictiondb.com

Check out these websites and genre lists - take advantage of the One Card system by searching the catalogue and requesting your choice.

Online catalogue:

sapln.ent.sirsidynix.net.au/client/portpirie

Please ask Library staff if you need assistance in searching the catalogue or placing items on HOLD.