

# Colac Library Information Circular

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*Welcome to the new financial year.....or for those who would rather think about the next good book they are going to read we have some great recommendations from a local book group. The following books "were enjoyed by all members of the group"....*

**Red tent** by **Anita Diamant**  
**Secret life of bees** by **Sue Monk Kidd**  
**Poisonwood bible** by **Barbara Kingsolver**  
**The book thief** by **Markus Zusak**  
**The secret river** by **Kate Grenville**

*All these titles are available through the Corangamite Regional Library Corporation and can be reserved online or by your friendly library officer in Colac Library or over the phone.*

**Grey Nomads?** Not going north to a warmer climate? **Take a journey into old England instead.....**Cliff Barley is promising an interesting investigation into the '*History of the English Language*'. The adventure starts in early August and will take place every Wednesday morning in the Colac Library.

Sign up through U3A

**Some more reader recommendations.....**

**Perennial favourites...**

Gerald Durrell's "**My family and other animals** (biographical) *highly enjoyable!*

Dick Francis' "**Wild horses**" (mystery) *excellent read!*

Iris Johansen "**Body of lies**" (forensic thriller) *great!*

Judy Nunn "**Territory**" (Australian saga) *terrific!*

**Something new...**

Xiaolu Guo "**A concise Chinese-English dictionary for lovers**" (I think the title says it all) *really good!*

*Harry who???? Oh, Harry Potter and the deathly hallows....the last book in the series.....yes it's due out on the 21st July...this month!!*

## Story Time

A perfect place to start your child's education! Storytime for preschoolers every Friday at the Colac Library at 10.30. No need to book, just turn up.....

## Story Time with Sticky Stuff

The next activity session will be on July 13th and the theme is Thomas the tank engine



## Holiday Craft Activity

For Primary school aged children

Wed.11th July 2007

2.30pm to 3.30pm

Bookings by phone or at the front desk by 9th July

## Thank you

Colac Library Staff would like to say thank you to Courtney from Colac High School and Jacinta from Trinity College who have both completed a weeks work experience in the Colac Library during June. The work done by the girls was much appreciated by all staff.

## Welcome

We welcome Carolyn Lalor to CRLC. Carolyn has had several days in the Colac Library in preparation for her new position at the new Apollo Bay Branch Library which will commence operation in mid July. We also welcome Mary Eaton who has been appointed to start up the new Outreach Library Service. While based at Colac the new outreach van will travel to a number of smaller communities in surrounding districts providing a range of services.

## Fiction

Adams, Jessica	The summer psychic
Azzopardi, Trezza	The hiding place
Bagshawe, Louise	Glamour
Barrett, Jo	The men's guide to the women's bathroom
Brown, Dale	Strike force
Bruen, Ken	Cross
Butcher, Andrew	The time of the reaper
Graham, Dale	Bluecoat renegade (Western)
Grippando, James	Lying with strangers
Guo, Xiaolu	A consise Chinese-English Dictionary for lovers
Hall, Sandra	Beyond the break
Long, Elliot	Killer on the loose (Western)
Manfredi, Valerio Massimo	The talisman of Troy
McCarthy, Cormac	The border trilogy
Michael, Rose	The asking game
Patterson, James	6th target
Rollins, James	Map of bones
Rowe, Cynthia	Ants in my dreadlocks

Confessions & memoirs (Australian short sto-

## Junior fiction

Arena, Felice	Specky Magee and the spirit of the
Chatterton, Martin	The brain finds a leg
Colfer, Eoin	The legend of Captain Crow's teeth
Crew, Gary	Automaton
Lawson, Sue	Girls stuff diva
McAuley, Rowan	Go girl: Know it all
Metzenthien, David	Winning the world cup
Panckridge, Michael	In the deep end
Rees, Gwyneth	The making of May
Riddell, Chris	Ottoline and the yellow cat

Strong, Jeremy	My famous brother's bottom gets
Wadds, Gillian M.	Sea secrets

## Young Adult fiction

Clarke, Judith	One whole and perfect day
Cornish, D.M.	Foundling
Horowitz, Anthony	Night rise
Lanagan, Margo	Red spikes
Larbalestier, Justine	Magic's child
Rennison, Louise	Let the snog fest begin
Stanley, Peter	Dead wrong

The secret
Making a change for good
Victorian Indigenous Business Directory
Killing Jodie
Spelling English
Magnesium the miracle mineral
Caring for your aging cat
Koi for dummies
The biggest loser cookbook
Great gluten-free baking
The Kabul Beauty Schhool
The cartoonist's workbook
A ~ Z of whitework
Occasions for words
The best Australian poems 2006
Just like that and other poems
Weather rain or shine

## Non-fiction

## New Books in June

### Talking books

French, Jackie      Macbeth and son

### DVDs

From here to eternity  
Vertigo  
Underworld  
Men in black 2  
Van Helsing  
X-men  
The Da Vinci code  
Natural disasters

## Picture Books

Adams, Georgie	The three little pirates
Allen, Pamela	Shhh! Little mouse
Becker, Shelly	Mine! Mine! Mine!
Campos, Maria de Fatima	Victoria's day
Dale, Penny	The boy on the bus
Dierssen, Andreas	The old red tractor
Fenton, Corinne	Queenie
Lodge, Jo	Splash splosh
Melling, David	The scallywags
Moroney, Tracey	When I'm feeling jealous
Moses, Brian	Trouble at the dinosaur café
Patricelli, Leslie	The birthday box
Ray, Hannah	Katie's mum is a mermaid
Smith, Kathryn	In the park
Thomson, Emma	Dandelion's Christmas
Vase, Catherine	The penguin who wanted to fly
Ziefert, Harriet	Buzzy's big beach book

Byrne, Rhonda	158.1 BYR
Huber, Cheri	158.1 HUB
	338.7 VIC
Fife-Yeomans, Janet	364.1523FIF
Horan, Ronald S.	428.1 HOR
Cabot, Dr. Sandra	613.285 CAB
Borzendowski, Janice	636.80893 BOR
Bartlett, R.D.	639.37483 BAR
Alexander, Devin	641.563 ALE
Blair, Louise	641.5631 BLA
Rodriguez, Deborah	646.7209581 ROD
Hall, Robin	741.5 HAL
	746.44 ATO
Aslanides, Timoshenko	A821.3 ASL
	A821.408 BES
Papertalk-Green, Char- maine	A821.408 PAP
Pipe, Jim	J 551.6 PIP