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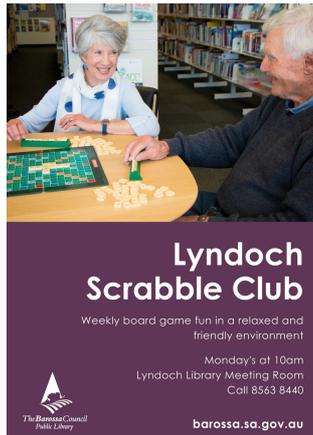
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Welcome to the June edition! As the days grow shorter and cooler, now is the perfect weather for snuggling up on the couch with a good book to read. We also have a wide range of audiobooks and eBooks available on our digital platforms Libby and BorrowBox. Our friendly library staff can help set you up with these free services for South Australian public library customers using your library card details.

In June we see the return of our Winter Warmers activities - fun monthly activities for parents and preteens/teens to enjoy together. Our regular children's programs also continue as usual - it has been wonderful to see our local families return to our programs. Further information on any of our library services can be found online at barossa.sa.gov.au or by calling the library on 8563 8440.

LYNDOCH SCRABBLE CLUB

Enjoy a social game of scrabble, with weekly sessions on Mondays, 10am at the Lyndoch Library. Come along to meet some new friends and have some fun in a relaxed and comfortable environment. For further information please contact the library on 8563 8440 or visit barossa.sa.gov.au



COVID UPDATE

With COVID restrictions easing, it has been wonderful to see a return of our regular programs across our library branches. As we provide an important service to members of our community, we ask that our library customers continue to follow the advice of SA Health, and if you are experiencing any symptoms please do not attend our branches or programs. If you need library items extended or would like assistance to access our extensive digital resources please contact the library on 8563 8440.

Further information on keeping yourself and others protected visit the SA Health website <https://www.sahealth.sa.gov.au>

VICTORIA PURMAN AUTHOR EVENT

We had a fantastic turnout for our May author event with South Australian bestselling author Victoria Purman. Victoria's presentation based on her new book *The Nurses' War* was engaging and interesting, particularly given the historical significance of the experiences of Australian nurses in World War 1. It was a beautifully hosted event at Peter Lehmann Wines Cellar Door, and a fitting author event as part of History Month.



Updates to our Privacy Statement & Acceptable Use Policy



The South Australian Public Library Network has updated its Privacy Statement and Acceptable Use Policy. These updated documents will be in effect from 1st June 2022. To view the documents, visit www.libraries.sa.gov.au/update2022

If you have any questions or concerns, please speak to library staff.

EVENTS FOR YOUR DIARY: (bookings essential)

Intergenerational Activity: Winter Warmer Embroidery Saturday 25 June @ Lyndoch Library

ADULT FICTION

Dream town / David Baldacci
 Her perfect twin / Sarah Bonner
 Summer in Bellbird Bay / Maggie Christensen
 Theatre of marvels / Lianne Dillsworth
 The recovery agent / Janet Evanovich
 One step too far / Lisa Gardner
 The peacock house / Kitty Glanville
 Twelve secrets / Robert Gold
 Last stage to El Paso / William W. Johnstone
 Dead man's grave / Neil Lancaster
 Vanished / Lynda LaPlante
 The hunting / Stephen Leather
 Her time to shine / Fiona McCallum
 The vet's country holiday / Lily Malone
 Wild and wicked things / Francesca May
 In a garden burning gold / Rory Power
 The wolf and the woodsman / Ava Reid
 The investigator / John Sandford
 Storm tide / Wilbur Smith
 The lady tempts an heir / Harper St. George
 Nine lives / Peter Swanson

ADULT FICTION - large print

The cedar tree / Nicole Alexander
 The forgotten land / Paul Bedford
 Shadows reel / C.J. Box
 A man of honour / Barbara Taylor Bradford

Cutter's End / Margaret Hickey
 Sarah's gift / Anna Jacobs
 The one impossible labyrinth / Matthew Reilly

ADULT NON-FICTION - large print

Travel your way: rediscover the world / Nathan J. Thomas
 Twelve summers: being a life-long fan of Australian cricket / Adam Zwar

TEEN FICTION

The passage of conquest / T.D. Kuchel
 Rebel skies / Ann S. Lin
 The book of living secrets / Madeleine Roux
 A far wilder magic / Allison Saft
 Gallant / Victoria Schwab

ADULT AUDIO BOOKS

A girl during the war / Anita Abriel
 Rising dust / Fleur McDonald
 The cartographers / Peng Shepherd

ADULT DVDS

Belfast	Cyrano
Charming the hearts of men	
King Richard	KISStory
Marry me	Moonfall
Pearl in the mist	Red Rocket
The flight attendant	
The responder	The 355
This is the year	Under the vines

ADULT NON FICTION

The teenage girl's guide to living well with ADHD / Sonia Ali
 Boy 11963: an Irish industrial school childhood / John Cameron
 Abundance: the inner path to wealth / Deepak Chopra
 Disconnected: how to stay human in an online world / Emma Gannon
 Writing in the sand: Yothu Yindi / Matt Garrick
 Dinner express: fast, easy dinners / George Georgievski
 Extinct: artistic impressions of our lost wildlife / Benjamin Gray
 Embrace your power / Louise L. Hay
 Fishing in the good old days: was it really better? / Bob Kearney
 Lawson / Grantlee Kieza
 This working life / Lisa Leong
 Breaking the age code / Becca Levy
 The little book of crops in small pots / Jane Moore
 The good partner / Karen Nimmo
 Life admin hacks: the step by step guide / Mia Northrop
 Bradman vs. Bodyline / Roland Perry
 Rundles of Mt Crawford / John Willis Rundle (local history)
 Crimes against nature / Jeff Sparrow
 How to tell stories to children / Silke Rose West

CHILDREN'S FICTION

The champ / Anh Do
 Rockstar detectives / Adam Hills
 A new knight / Sam Kerr
 Tiger daughter / Rebecca Lim
 The Mandalorian / Joe Schreiber
 The ice monster / David Walliams

CHILDREN'S PICTURE BOOKS

Lily's hike / Carole Aufranc
 The bush birds / Bridget Farmer
 Peppa is kind / Lauren Holowaty
 Bush magic / Kylie Howarth
 Grumpy hat / Nicola Kent
 Let's build a backyard / Mike Lucas
 Boo! A fishy mystery / Kate Read
 Charlie's swim / Edie Wright
 Black tiger / Lihong Zhao

CHILDREN'S NON - FICTION

The gentle genius of trees / Phillip Bunting
 Modelling clay animals / Bernadette Cuxart
 Perfectly weird, perfectly you / Camilla Pang
 Make and create / Thomas Readett
 Ash Barty / Richard E. Simpkin
 Star Wars: a tribute to Star Wars

CHILDREN'S AUDIO BOOKS

Fossil hunter / Cheryl Blackford
 Just right Jillian / Nicole D. Collier

Reviews



The Nurses War by Victoria Purman

Featured in our recent author event with Victoria Purman, this book pays tribute to the brave women who served with courage and compassion. Set in WW1 it tells how the first Australian Auxiliary Hospital was established, donated to the military forces and originally intended for 60 beds. As the patients kept coming in waves from the Western front, the wards were forced to expand. Sister Cora Barker arrives from South Australia as an experienced nurse, but nothing can prepare her for the challenges of caring for so many men injured in battle. Overcoming their own exhaustion, homesickness and distress at what they see, these girls cope and even find love amidst the pain. Cora's mission to save the diggers by providing a little piece of home as they recover is a testament to her service and sacrifice. Well researched, this moving, thoughtful and sensitively handled story offers a good read for those who enjoy a historical tale based on true events.

All that is Secret by Patricia Raybon

A cold-case murder story set in Denver, USA in 1923. Following the inspiration of her favourite literary hero Sherlock Holmes, a young black girl named Annalee sets out to hunt for clues to find her estranged father's killer, but puts herself in great danger as much of the city is dominated by the Klux Klan. She encounters the prejudice and beliefs of the time as deep secrets and possible motives are uncovered - coming from those who are the powerful leaders of local society make her realize she could also soon become the next murder victim ... an intriguing new story which combines history, suspense and a touch of romance.