

Denmark Library News

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Children's Book Week 2019



This year the students from the Golden Hill Steiner School and Spirit of Play Community School walked to the library on a beautiful sunny winter day to hear Rebecca Blaxel from the Fremantle Literature Centre present a workshop to exhibit and "unpack" two special Australian books "Tree" by Danny Parker and "Once Upon a Small Rhinoceros" by Meg McKinlay. Rebecca shared the process of writing, illustrating and publishing each book and the details of how the illustrations enhance the story. Many thanks to Bec, the teachers, parents and children who came along, also many thanks to Albany Public Library and a BIG thanks to our Sponsors.



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Library Staff Fun

Play in the Park is BACK!

Play in the Park is an outdoor play group style activity hosted by Jamie from YMCA.
See you on the first Wednesday of the month at Berridge Park
10am – 12pm

Be Connected

Every Australian online.

<https://beconnected.esafety.gov.au>

Our "Be Connected" program is going well with small workshops and one on one assistance at the Library.

We recommend the Be Connected website as a great way for older Australians to find out more about gaining confidence and staying safe online.

The website has access to user friendly learning tools on computers, the internet, phones, ancestry and more.

You can register on the [Be Connected](https://beconnected.esafety.gov.au) website today. Select 'Sign Up Today', Create a New Account and nominate Denmark Public Library as your Support Centre.

Please ask staff for assistance and we will get you on your way!

The State Library of Western Australia promotes literacy for all ages!

The 'Read this and be smarter project' kicked off early September. It's really simple – reading makes you smarter.

From Monday to Friday the State Library will provide a link to a short piece of writing that you can access free.

Links will also be supplied through the State Library social media channels including Facebook, Instagram and Twitter.

The content will be provided by a range of quality publications including Granta, Westerly, Ted, Nextdraft, and a special series on young writers curated by a talented young Western Australian poet, Anthea Yang.

Check out this teaser <https://ideas.ted.com/nature-can-be-as-engaging-as-video-games-heres-how-to-turn-kids-on-to-the-outdoors/>

Watch this space for future chats at the Library on some of these topics.

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National Novel Writing Month

<https://www.nanowrimo.org>

We are calling for expressions of interest for keen writers to be involved in some events in November for National Novel Writing Month.

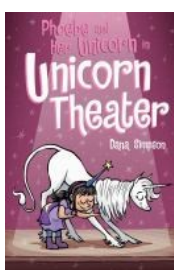
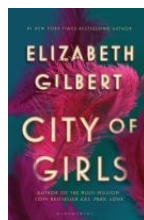
We invite you to take part in National Novel Writing Month – also known as NaNoWriMo. It's a free, global writing program that challenges participants to write a 50,000 word novel during the month of November. It's open to anyone over the age of 17 who has ever dreamed of writing a novel – or just likes a challenge.

On the website you'll find information about NaNoWriMo, a link to register for the challenge, a FAQ, and latest news and activities. The library hopes to offer a series of write-ins, author talks and workshops throughout October and November.

Check out the Library eResources!
Please ask staff for more information

Adult Fiction Books

- City of girls by Elizabeth Gilbert.
- Girl waits with a Gun by Amy Stewart
- White Gum Creek by Nicole Hurley-Moore
- 18th Abduction by James Patterson
- Breaking Creed by Alex Kava
- Killer Look by Linda Fairstein
- The next to die by Sophie Hannah.
- Long road to mercy by David Baldacci.
- Nightflyers by George R.R. Martin.
- The memory chamber by Holly Cave.
- Cold as the grave by James Oswald.
- In the Garden of the Fugitives by Ceridwen Dovey.
- The last woman in the forest by Diane Les Becquets.
- Light Horse Ghost by Julie Janson
- The Beekeeper of Aleppo by Christy Lefteri
- Death at La Fenice and Unto us a son is given by Donna Leon



- The Greatest Showman.
- Game of Thrones Season 7
- Dunkirk
- Life after people. The series, The complete collection
- The Good Doctor Season 2

Audio Books

- Big Sky by Kate Atkinson
- Bridge of Clay by Markus Zusak
- Boy Swallows Universe by Trent Dalton



Junior Books

- A hero's guide to deadly dragons by Cressida Cowell.
- How to be a pirate by Cressida Cowell
- Unicorn of many hats by Dana Simpson.
- Rogue Knight by Brandon Mull
- The world's worst children by David Walliams
- The ice monster by David Walliams
- The red scrolls of magic by Cassandra Clare and Wesley Chu.
- Phoebe and her unicorn in unicorn theatre by Dana Simpson.
- Itch by Simon Mayo
- Tree by Danny Parker
- Once upon a small Rhinoceros by Meg McKinlay
- The wishing spell by Chris Colfer.



Regular Library Programs

Rhymetime

Fun with your babies and toddlers
Monday & Thursday mornings
@ 11am



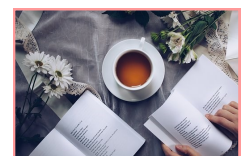
Shakespeare Reading Group

Read Shakespeare, have a chat
about the play and enjoy a cuppa.
First and third Tuesday of the
month @ 10.30am



A Novel Idea Book Club

Share what you have been reading &
get new ideas for what to read next
Last Tuesday of the month @
10.30am



Poetry Reading

Read your favourite poems together.
A great way to enjoy poetry, being
read out loud!

Second Tuesday of the
month @ 2pm



Game On! Board Games Fun

Bring a game and a friend and share
a laugh and a cuppa (some games
will be available)

Every 2nd Friday of the
month at 1.30pm

