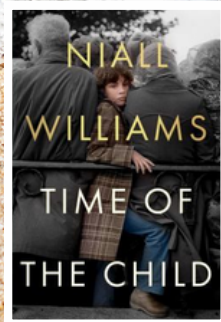
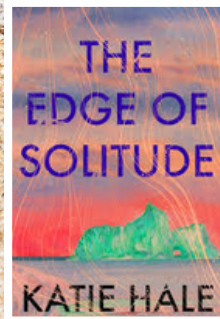
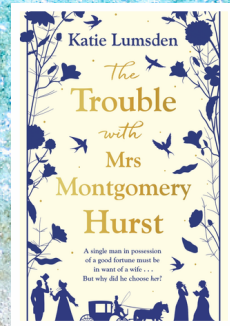


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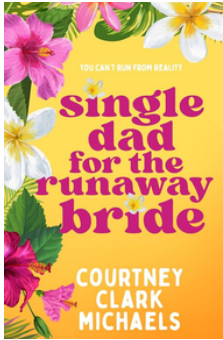


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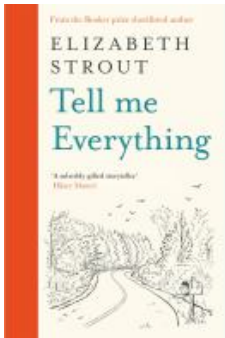
FICTION



Single Dad for the Runaway Bride
by Courtney Clark Michaels
Paige Beckett has blown it this time. The whole world just watched her bail on her reality TV fiancé. It's humiliating.



Myrrh
by Polly Hall
Myrrh, who has a goblin inside her, a voice that tells her all the things she's done wrong, desperately searches for her birthparents on the South coast of England.

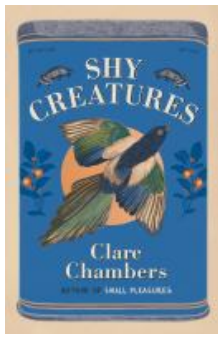


Tell me Everything
by Elizabeth Strout
It's autumn in Maine, and the town lawyer Bob Burgess has become entangled in a murder investigation, defending a man accused of killing his mother.



Our London Lives
by Christine Dwyer Hickey
1979. In the vast and often unforgiving city of London, two Irish outsiders seeking refuge find one another.





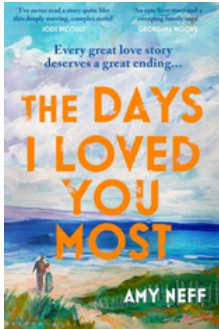
Shy Creatures by Clare Chambers

In all failed relationships there is a point that passes unnoticed, which can later be identified as the beginning of the end. For Helen it was the weekend that the Hidden Man came to Westbury.



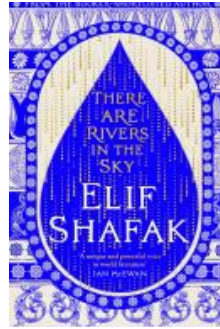
August by Cleo Browne

Ana Taylor, ex-pat Kiwi and stand-in leader of the Bartashev Bratva thrives on the chaos in her world. Tough, efficient, and able to roll with the punches, Ana can handle anything thrown at her.



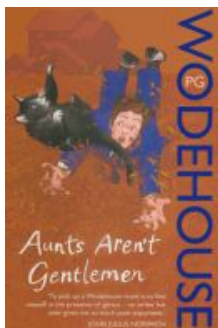
The Days I Loved You Most by Amy Neff

Joseph and Evelyn's New England beach homes have been side by side for generations. And in the summer of 1941, these two childhood friends fell in love.



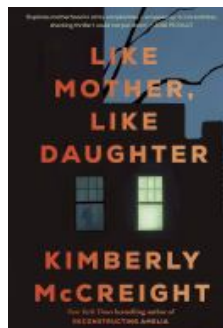
There are Rivers in the Sky by Elif Shafak

A storm is approaching Nineveh, the sky swollen with impending rain. One of the clouds approaching the city, built on the banks of the river Tigris, is bigger than the others.



Aunts Aren't Gentlemen by P.G. Wodehouse

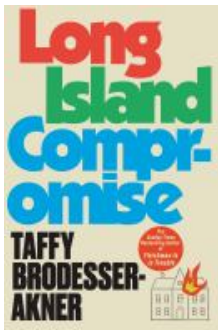
Bertie Wooster has been overdoing metropolitan life a bit, and the doctor orders fresh air in the depths of the country.



Like Mother, Like Daughter by Kimberly McCreight

Cleo arrives for dinner at her childhood home, only to find food burning in the oven, no sign of her mother, and a bloody shoe under the sofa.





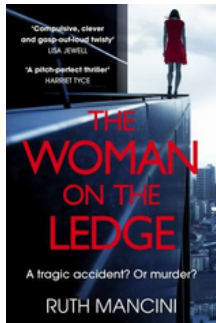
Long Island Compromise by Taffy Brodesser-Akner

In 1980, a wealthy businessman named Carl Fletcher is kidnapped from his driveway in the nicest part of Long Island, brutalised, and held for ransom.



The Other Bridget by Rachael Johns

Named after a famous fictional character, librarian Bridget Jones was raised on a remote cattle station, with only her mother's romance novels for company.



The Woman on the Ledge by Ruth Mancini

A woman falls to her death from a London bank's twenty fifth floor roof terrace. Tate Kinsella, an actor who's been temping at the bank, is arrested for her murder.

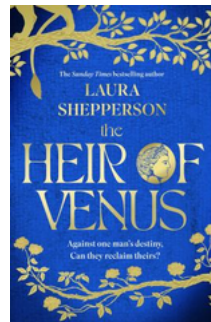
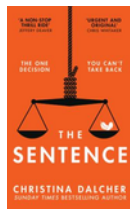


Girls by Kirsty Capes

At the time of her death, the press wrote many things about Ingrid Olssen: She was a brilliant artist and a terrible mother to her girls, Mattie and Nora.



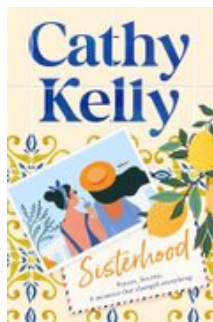
More Thriller Fiction



The Heir of Venus by Laura Shepperson

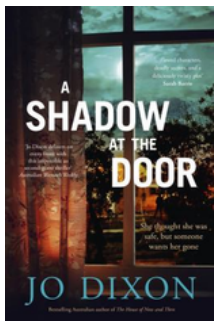
Aeneas, the son of Venus, is destined for greatness, prophesised to father a people who will one day rule the world.





Sisterhood by Cathy Kelly

In just one night, at her own 50th birthday, Lou's world has imploded. Her mother has kept a secret hidden all her life. And it changes everything.



A Shadow at the Door by Jo Dixon

After a brutal attack and the breakdown of her marriage, life has taught former TV star Remi Lucan that it's safer to not rely on anyone.



One of the Good Guys by Araminta Hall

If most men say they're one of the good guys, then why are so many women afraid to walk alone at night?



Maude Horton's Glorious Revenge by Lizzie Pook

London, 1850. Constance Horton has disappeared. Maude, her older sister, knows only that Constance abandoned the apothecary they call home and, disguised as a boy, boarded a ship bound for the Arctic.



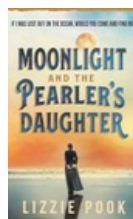
Daddy's Girl by Josephine Cox

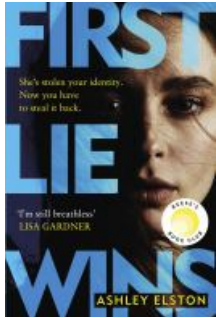
When heart-broken Sarah Quinn is left to care for her father and siblings after her mother dies, it's hard to watch their loving dad, Fred, drift into drink.



Also by Lizzie Pook

- Moonlight and the Pearler's Daughter





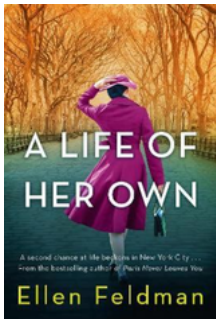
First Lie Wins by Ashley Elston

The identity comes first: Evie Porter. Once she's given a name and location by her mysterious boss Mr. Smith, she learns everything there is to know about the town and the people in it.



The Mystery Writer by Sulari Gentill

Theo has one dream, to become a bestselling author. Determined to make her mark in the literary world, she heads to the US on a whim to stay with her brother Gus and focus on her writing.



A Life of Her Own by Ellen Feldman

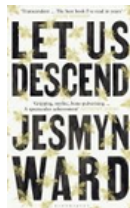
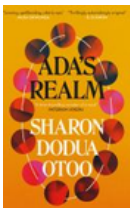
New York City, 1945. The war is over, the men are coming home and life can go back to normal for young Fanny Fabricant. But when she loses her rosy future in a single instant, she is forced to reinvent her life.



The Fox Wife by Yangsze Choo

Some people think foxes go around collecting qi, or life force, but nothing could be further than the truth. We are living creatures, just like you, only usually better looking.

More Historical Fiction

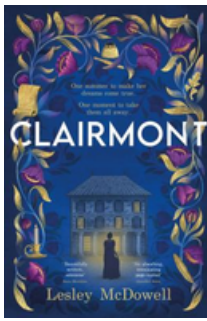


- Ada's Realm by Sharon Dodua Otoo
- Sunbirds by Mirandi Riwoe
- Let Us Descend by Jesmyn Ward



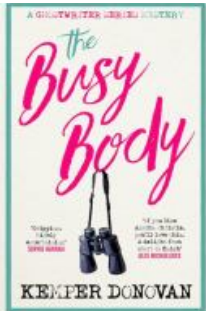
Fervour by Toby Lloyd

Hannah and Eric are devout Jews living in London with their three children and Eric's father Yosef, a Holocaust survivor. Both deeply unconventional, they believe in the literal truth of the Old Testament.



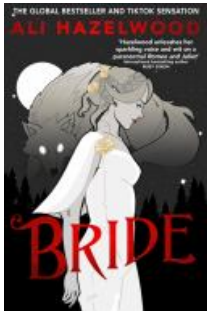
Clairmont by Lesley McDowell

1816. A massive volcanic eruption has caused the worst storms that Europe has seen in decades, yet Percy and Mary Shelley have chosen to visit the infamous Lord Byron at his villa on Lake Geneva.



The Busy Body by Kemper Donovan

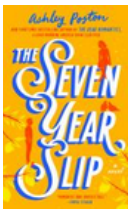
Dorothy Gibson: recently toppled Presidential Candidate, aka that woman, the most talked about person in the country right now (for the wrong reasons).



Bride by Ali Hazelwood

Misery Lark, the only daughter of the most powerful Vampyre councilman of the Southwest, is an outcast, again. Her days of living in anonymity among the Humans are over.

More Paranormal Romance

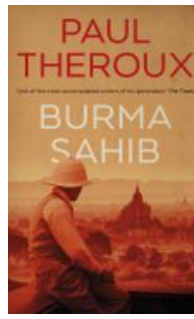


- The Seven Year Slip by Ashley Poston
- Hex Appeal by Kate Johnson
- Die for You by Lauren Jackson



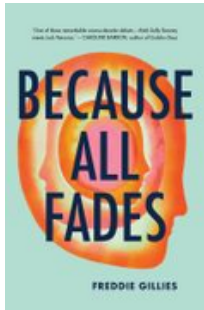
Fathomfolk by Eliza Chan

Welcome to
Tiankawi - shining
pearl of human
civilization and a
safe haven for those
fleeing civil unrest.
Or at least, that's
how it first appears.



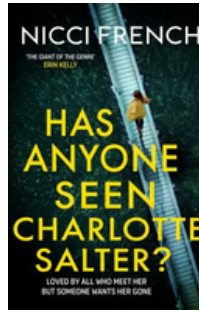
Burma Sahib by Paul Theroux

Before George Orwell
was Orwell, the pen
name he took on
becoming a writer, he
was Eric Blair, an
unlikely policeman in
Burma. 19 years old,
unusually tall, highly
intelligent, a diffident
loner fresh from Eton.



Because All Fades by Freddie Gillies

Jaryd Seymour is a
Kiwi guy in his 20s
living the dream, a
beautiful apartment
in Paris, a happy
relationship with the
beautiful and lovely
Liv and a business
venture gone global.



Has Anyone Seen Charlotte Salter? by Nicci French

1990. When beautiful
and vivacious
Charlotte Salter fails
to turn up to her
husband Alec's 50th
birthday party, her
children are worried,
but Alec is not.



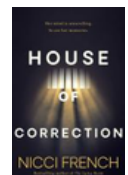
The Accident by Fiona Lowe

Freya thought she
could relax when
Ryan's best mate
Jamie got engaged to
her best friend
Hannah. Two couples,
four friends, what
could be better than
that?



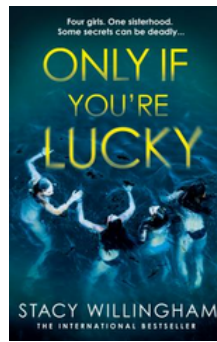
Also by Nicci French

- The Lying Room
- The Favour
- House of Correction

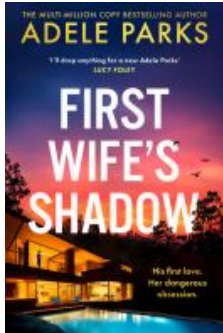




Piglet
by Lottie Hazell
For Piglet, getting married is her opportunity to reinvent. And who could blame her, with a childhood nickname like that?



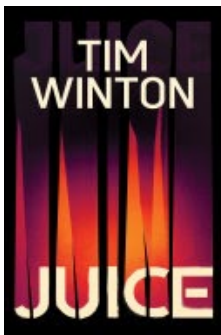
Only if You're Lucky
by Stacy Willingham
Reeling from the death of her best friend, Eliza, Margot moves to university looking for a new start. A new group of friends. A new life.



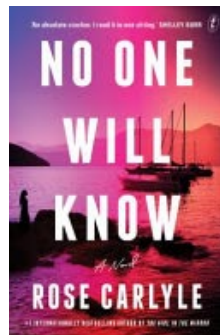
First Wife's Shadow
by Adele Parks
Emma has worked hard for the success she deserves. CEO, smart, wealthy, grounded, she is finally safe, on solid ground.



Life of Zanna
by Emily Jane Hodgkin
Paige White and Hannah 'Zanna' Zagalo used to be inseparable. After their fates intertwined at university, Zanna's rise to influencer fame beckoned and she invited aspiring journalist Paige to join the ride.



Juice
by Tim Winton
So begins a searing, propulsive journey through a life whose central challenge is not simply a matter of survival, but of how to maintain human decency.



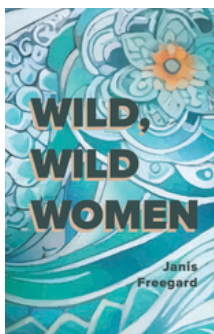
No One will Know
by Rose Carlyle
A propulsive, seductive novel of suspense that reveals the terrible consequences of greed, staggering lies and fatal mistakes.





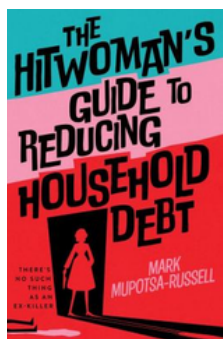
The Blanket Cats by Kiyoshi Shigematsu

Is three days with a cat enough to change your life? The troubled and anxious of Tokyo are desperate to find out.



Wild, Wild Women by Janis Freegard

From a teenage fugitive seeking safety in an Auckland strip club to a biologist on her way to Moeraki to reconnect with an old flame.



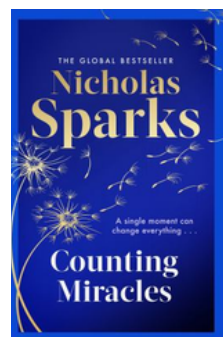
The Hitwoman's Guide to Reducing Household Debt by Mark Mupotsa-Russell

Back when Olivia worked for a Spanish crime syndicate, she did horrible things, but has now moved home to Australia.



The Christmas Fix by Lucy Score

There's only one thing standing in the way of Cat King saving a small town's Christmas festival: Grumpy town manager Noah Yates.



Counting Miracles by Nicholas Sparks

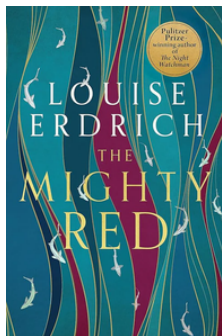
Tanner Hughes was raised by his grandparents, following in his grandfather's military footsteps to become an Army Ranger.



And Now the Light is Everywhere by L.A. Macrae

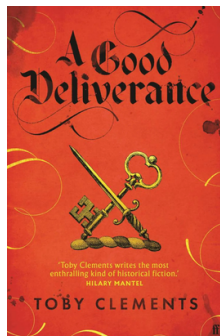
Argyll, 1998. Stories run deep in the MacArthur family. Tales not just of changelings, but of the lives and deaths of the family themselves.





The Mighty Red by Louise Erdrich

Gary Geist, a terrified young man set to inherit two farms in North Dakota, is desperate to marry Kismet Poe, an impulsive, lapsed Goth who can't read her future but seems to resolve his.



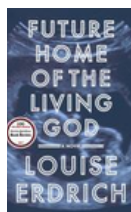
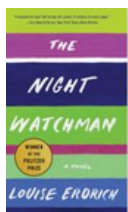
A Good Deliverance by Toby Clements

Warwick, 1468. One drowsy summer afternoon, Sir Thomas Malory - politician, courtier, outlaw - is seized from his garden and dragged to Newgate Prison for reasons unknown.



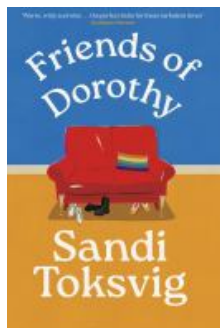
Also by Louise Erdrich

- Sentence
- The Night Watchman
- Future Home of the Living God



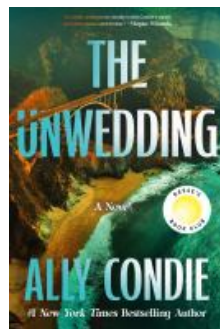
A Tide of Black Steel by Anthony Ryan

The land of Ascarlia, a fabled realm of bloodied steel and epic sagas, has been ruled by the Sister Queens for centuries. No one has dared question their rule. Until now.



Friends of Dorothy by Sandi Toksvig

After much searching, the happily married young couple, Amber and Stevie think they have found the perfect spot in Grimaldi Square.



The Unwedding by Ally Condie

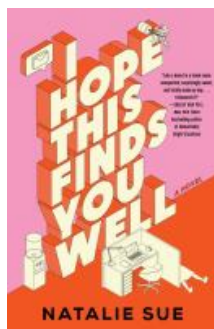
Ellery Wainwright is alone at the edge of the world. She and her husband were supposed to spend their wedding anniversary together at Broken Point in California. But now she's travelling solo.





The Last One at the Wedding by Jason Rekulak

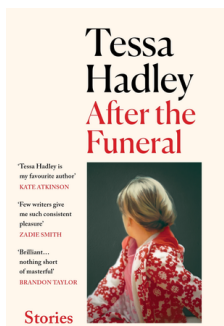
Frank Szatowski hasn't seen his daughter Maggie in years, and it breaks his heart every day. So when she calls him out of the blue, to tell him he's invited to her wedding, he's overjoyed.



I Hope This Finds You Well

by Natalie Sue

Jolene believes interactions with colleagues should start and end with her official duties as an admin. Sadly, her co-workers don't understand the importance of boundaries.



After the Funeral by Tessa Hadley

In each of these twelve stories, small events have huge consequences. Heloise's father died in a car crash when she was a little girl; at a dinner party in her forties, she meets someone connected to that long-ago tragedy.

Also by Tessa Hadley

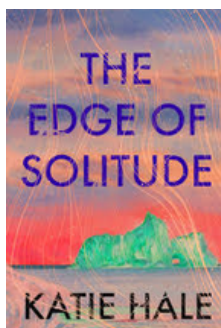
- Late in the Day
- The Party



The Trouble with Mrs Montgomery Hurst

by Katie Lumsden

1841. Mr Montgomery Hurst of Radcliffe Park is getting married. He's not marrying the daughter of an Earl, but an impoverished widow with three children.



The Edge of Solitude

by Katie Hale

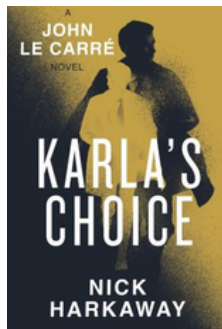
A lone ship journeys south, heading for the furthest reaches of Antarctica. It belongs to Sky, the billionaire behind the project to salvage the region.



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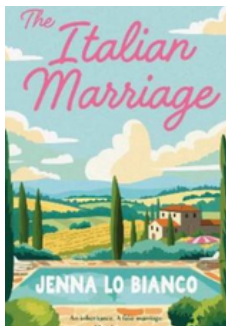
Pretty Ugly by Kirsty Gunn

Reading and writing ugly pursues the deeper truths that lie under the surface, at the core of both human imagination and human rationality.



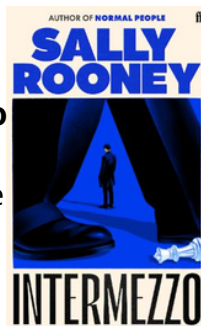
Karla's Choice by Nick Harkaway

It is spring of 1963 and George Smiley has left the Circus. With the wreckage of the West's spy war with the Soviets strewn across Europe, he has eyes only on a more peaceful life.



The Italian Marriage by Jenna Lo Bianco

The time has come. In order to secure the future of his family estate and fix his broken relationship with his father, workaholic lawyer Matthew D'Adamo needs a wife.



Intermezzo by Sally Rooney

Aside from the fact that they are brothers, Peter and Ivan Koubek seem to have little in common. Peter is a Dublin lawyer in his thirties. Ivan is a twenty two year old competitive chess player.



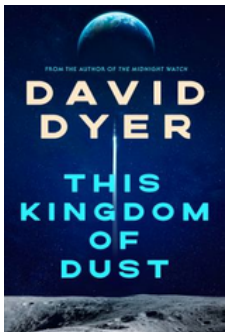
The Players by Minette Walters

England, 1685. Decades after the end of the civil war, the country is once again divided when Charles II's illegitimate son arrives in Dorset.



Time of the Child by Niall Williams

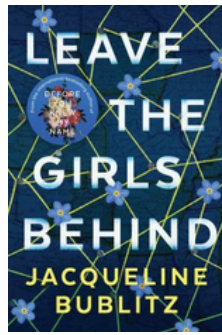
Doctor Jack Troy was born and raised in the village of Faha, but his responsibilities mean he has always been set apart from his community. A visit from the doctor is always a sign of bad things to come.



This Kingdom of Dust

by David Dyer

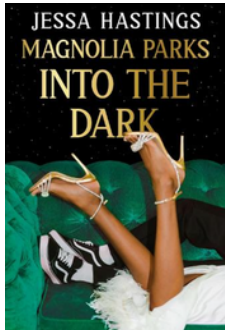
The whole world has just watched Neil and Buzz walk on the Moon. Now they are struck by terror - the lunar module's engine has failed.



Leave the Girls Behind

by Jacqueline Bublitz

Nineteen years ago, Ruth-Anne Baker's childhood friend was murdered by convicted killer, Ethan Oswald. With Oswald dead and the case closed, everybody tells Ruth it's time to move on.



Into the Dark

by Jessa Hastings
Book 5 in the Magnolia Parks Universe Series

Everyone knows by now that Magnolia Parks and BJ Ballentine are written in the stars, but is that enough?



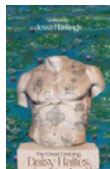
Angélique

Paris, Christmas 2021. After a heart attack, Mathias Taillefer wakes up in hospital with a stranger at his bedside.



Book 1, 2, 3 and 4 in the Magnolia Parks Universe Series

- Magnolia Parks
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- Daisy Haite: the Great Undoing



Down the Rabbit Hole

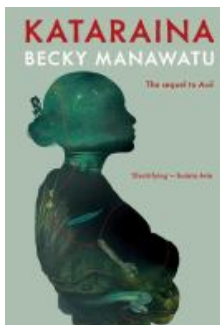
by Shaeden Berry

Alice Montgomery goes missing in 2015. Seven years later, her best friend Hannah is bouncing from job to job, forever feeling the need to outrun something.



Theory & Practice by Michelle de Kretser

It's 1986, 'beautiful, radical ideas' are in the air. A young woman arrives in Melbourne to research the novels of Virginia Woolf. In St Kilda she meets artists, activists and Kit.



Kataraina by Becky Manawatu

Kat and her whanau take over the telling. As one, they return to her childhood and the time when she first began to feel the greenness of the swamp in her veins.



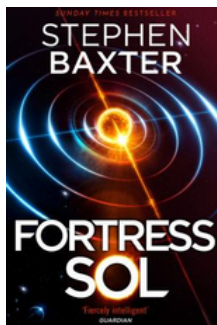
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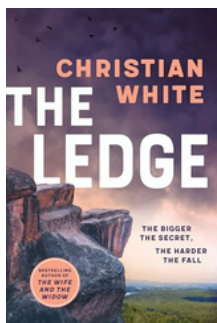
The Girl in the Smoke by Matt Hilton

Danni has seen more in her eight years than most people see in a lifetime. The sole survivor of a motorway pile-up, she is now safe and thriving with her adoptive family.



Fortress Sol by Stephen Baxter

When Rab was a baby, his mother made a decision which would change his life. She feared he would be sent to work in the hellish mines of Mercury. But when her attempt to flee with her 2 year old failed, she took a desperate step to save him.



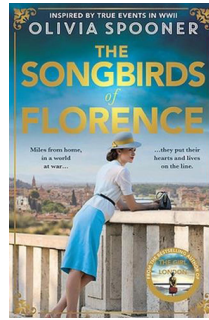
The Ledge by Christian White

When human remains are discovered in a forest, police are baffled, the locals are shocked and one group of old friends starts to panic.



Bloodguard by Cecy Robson

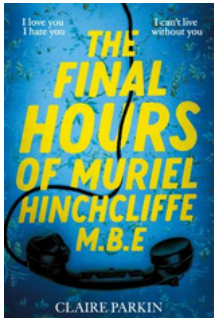
Leith of Grey has nothing left, except his dying sister and his battle-scarred human body, fuelled by rage and hardened by years of fighting.



The Songbirds of Florence

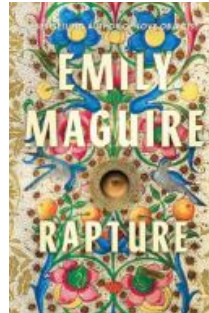
by Olivia Spooner

In 1942, a group of young women arrive in Cairo, Egypt. The Tuis, named after the beautiful New Zealand songbird, are the first women from their country to serve overseas.



The Final Hours of Muriel Hinchcliffe M.B.E

by Claire Parkin
Muriel, a former bestselling romantic novelist, and Ruth, a journalist, have been inseparable since they were little; unable to be without each other.



Rapture by Emily Maguire

The child of an English priest living in ninth-century Mainz, Agnes enlists the help of a monk to disguise herself as a man so she can devote herself to the life she is denied as a woman.

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The Royal Free
The new novel by the author of A MISTAKE



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The Royal Free by Carl Shuker

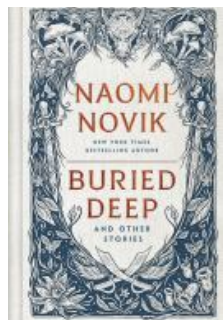
James Ballard is a recently bereaved single father to a baby daughter, and a medical editor tasked with saving the 'third oldest medical journal in the world'.



Sorcery and Small Magics

by Maiga Doocy

Leovander Loveage is a master of small magics. He can summon butterflies with a song or turn someone's hair pink by snapping his fingers.



SHORT
STORIES

Buried Deep and Other Stories by Naomi Novik

From the gothic, magical halls of the Scholomance trilogy, through the realms next door to Spinning Silver and Uprooted, and the dragon-filled Temeraire series.



The One That I Want by Sandy Barker

Greta Davies, the features editor at a women's magazine, is accomplished and successful. That is, in all areas except her love life.



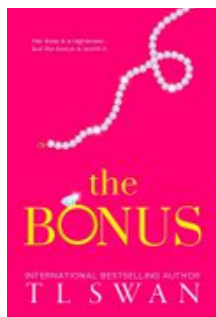
Things Will Calm Down Soon by Zoë Foster Blake

Hair stylist Kit Cooper is at the top of her game. She does the shows in Paris, tends to celebrities, and has styled enough magazine covers to last a lifetime.



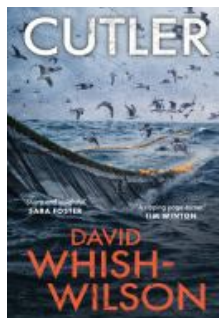
Mary Christmas by Mary-Anne O'Connor

It's 1909 and Mary Richards has worked hard to become a teacher in her picturesque village in the Cotswolds, but not everyone approves of her modern ways.



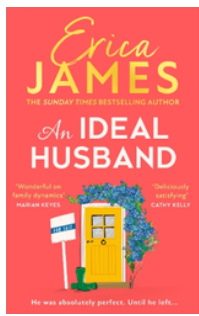
The Bonus by T.L. Swan

Grace Porter has the perfect job, great pay, a beautiful office, everything she ever dreamed of, if not for one small detail. She's utterly and hopelessly in love with her boss.



Cutler by David Whish-Wilson

A former undercover operative, Paul Cutler is now tasked with investigating the disappearance of an Australian marine scientist on a Taiwanese distant water fishing vessel.



An Ideal Husband by Erica James

After 30 years of marriage, and a wonderful family Christmas, Louisa is stunned when husband Kip asks for a divorce on Boxing Day.



Curtain Call to Murder
by Julian Clary
A murder on stage. A cast full of suspects. Can dresser Jayne unravel the mystery?



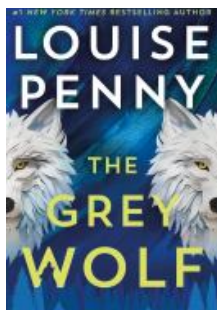
The Land in Winter by Andrew Miller

December 1962, the West Country. Local doctor Eric Parry, mulling secrets, sets out on his rounds, while his pregnant wife sleeps on in the warmth of their cottage.



The Wrong Sister by Claire Douglas

A burglary gone wrong, a mistaken identity ...or something far worse?



The Grey Wolf by Louise Penny

Relentless phone calls interrupt the peace of a warm morning in Three Pines. Though the Québec village is impossible to find on any map, someone has managed to track down Armand Gamache, head of homicide.



The First Murder on Mars by Sam Wilson

Rose Fuller is the first human being born on Mars and sees a better future than the one that came to pass. Dylan Ward, a woman raised in the vast wilderness of the frontier will find her way back to it.

AUTHOR PROFILE

Meet local author Lucy Blakiston

Lucy can often be found at Te Kahu o Waipuna and much of her new book 'Make It Make Sense' was written upstairs in our library.

Her book, co-written with friend Bel is a collage of cultural analysis, anecdotes, personal essays, poems and lists, interplayed like a conversation between friends. Lucy is also co-founder of Sh*t You Should Care About, an online media platform with millions of followers worldwide, making news palatable for youth audiences.



What's your favourite line from the book, and what makes it special?

- My favourite line is probably at the very beginning and it says "you have everything you need already in you" because it was something I'd randomly text to my co-author Bel, and it became like... the premise of the whole book.

Do you have any quirky writing rituals or habits?

- The only quirky thing I do is I make my google doc have a light yellow background, and make all the titles and subtitles cool colours. I'm prone to getting bored SO easily, so I need to somehow make my documents stimulating hahah. It works!

Do you have any advice from aspiring writers?

- Oh my god just start writing and start publishing. I feel like because of social media and tools like Substack the barrier to entry is SO low now. Once you get over your own personal cringe, your work will be so much better.

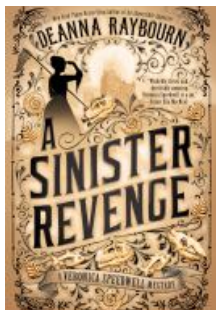
If this book was to be adapted into a movie, who would you want to play you and Bel?

- Omg well if we're going on looks alone, Emily Ratajkowski would totally play me. Kidding. I actually have no idea!!! I reckon Bel would be played by someone incredibly chic though, like Natalie Portman.

What do you love most about living in Marlborough- aside from our library?

- Library aside, my family!!! I'm so close to everyone I love which is like, my biggest priority in this life. Also, great places to ride my cute green E-Bike.

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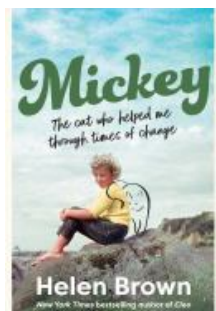
Sinister Revenge by Deanna Raybourn

Veronica's historian beau, Stoker, has been away in Bavaria and their relationship is at an impasse.



The Passionate Tudor by Alison Weir

Born from young King Henry's first marriage, his elder daughter, Princess Mary, is raised to be queen.



Mickey by Helen Brown 92 BRO

It was 1966 and the times they were a-changing, even in the New Zealand coastal town of New Plymouth.



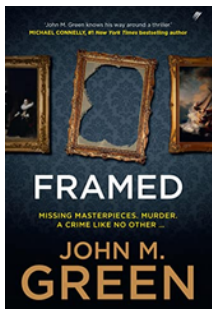
Clanlands in New Zealand by Sam Heughan 993 HEU

Kiwis, kilts, and an adventure down under.



Before Your Memory Fades by Toshikazu Kawaguchi

Following four new customers in a cafe where customers can travel back in time.



Framed by John M. Green

Art conservator JJ Jego is housesitting an apartment for her museum director boss in an exclusive part of Sydney.

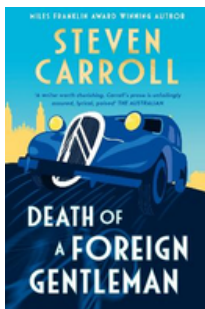


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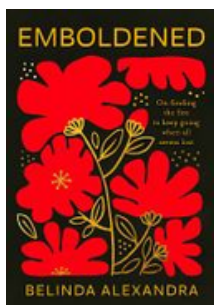
Only the Brave by Danielle Steel

When her mother falls ill, Sophia must take charge of her sister, and look after her father and the household.



Death of a Foreign Gentleman by Steven Carroll

Cambridge, 1947. Martin, a German philosopher, is cycling through an intersection when he's killed by a car.



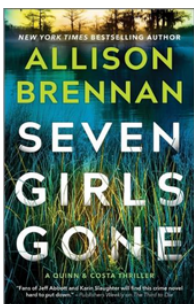
Emboldened by Belinda Alexandra 155.93 ALE

How do you begin your life again when you've lost everything and your dreams have been shattered?



Immortal Longings by Chloe Gong

Every year, thousands in the kingdom of Talin will flock to its capital, where the palace hosts a set of games.



Seven Girls Gone by Allison Brennan

Turning to outsiders is the only way to make sure women stop disappearing...



The Last Secret Agent by Pippa Latour

A story of one of the last female special operations agents in France to get out alive after its liberation.

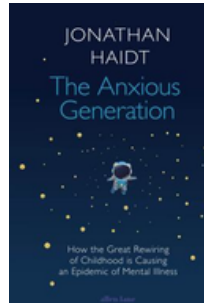


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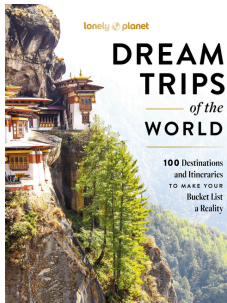
Sam the Trap Man by Sam Gibson **799.2 GIB**

Sam Gibson, aka Sam the Trap Man, is a bushman through and through: hunting, fishing, trapping and adventuring - he does it all.



The Anxious Generation by Jonathan Haidt **649.1 HAI**

Presents more than a dozen mechanisms by which rewiring of childhood has interfered with children's social and neurological development.



Dream Trips of the World by Lonely Planet **910.202 DRE**

Bucket list travel guide featuring 100 dream trips across the world.



The Happy Index by James Timpson **658 TIM**

Discover the secrets of upside-down management and doing the right thing.



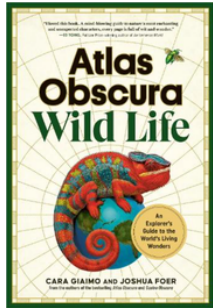
My Sins Go With Me by Martin Sixsmith **940.53492 SIX**

Why acts of sabotage by the Dutch Resistance during World War II remain largely hidden to the present day.



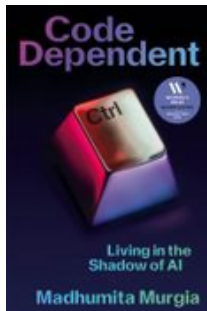
But Everyone Feels This Way by Paige Layle **616.85882 LAY**

Autism acceptance activist and TikTok influencer Paige Layle shares her deeply personal journey.



**Atlas Obscura
Wild Life**
by Cara Giaimo
570 GIA

A collection of the world's most fascinating, most unusual, and least-understood natural wonders.



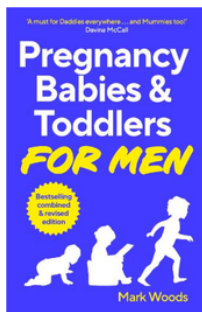
Code Dependent
by Madhumita
Murgia
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An exploration of the world created by computer algorithms and its impact on individuals.



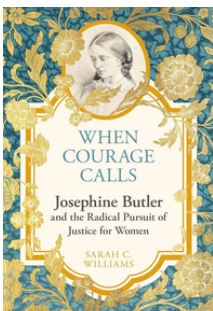
**The World
According to Cunk**
by Philomena
Cunk
817 CUN

A history book focussing on the inventions, art, and brainboxes that made the modern world the unbearable place it is today.



**Pregnancy, Babies
& Toddlers for
Men**
by Mark Woods
649.122 WOO

Taking the whole thing a month at a time and drawing on the experiences of first-time dads, this is what men need to know.



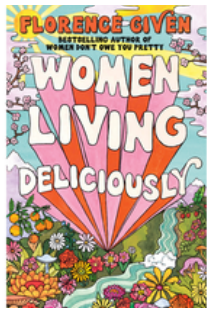
**When Courage
Calls**
by Sarah
Williams
303.484092 23

Among the first feminist activists, Butler led a vigorous campaign to secure equal rights for women before the law.



**This is the F#\$%ing
News**
by Patrick 'Paddy'
Gower
92 GOW

Paddy Gower's unrelenting drive has come at a cost: a serious alcohol addiction, anger issues at times, and bouts of anxiety and depression.



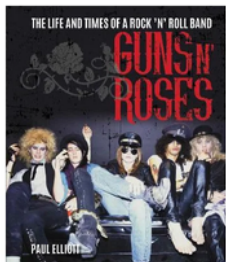
Women Living Deliciously
by Florence Given
158.1082 GIV

A book that unpacks the many barriers women face when trying to access joy so that they can discover the delicious life that's theirs for the taking.



The Afterlife Confessional
by Bill Edgar
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Loved and loathed in equal measure, his only concern is being the caretaker of the secrets and desires his clients have entrusted to him.



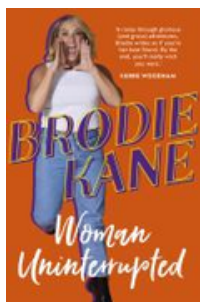
Guns n' Roses : the life and times of a rock 'n' roll band
by Paul Elliott
782.42166 GUN

Paul Elliott has interviewed Guns N' Roses many times since their debut, and brings real insight into the group.



There and Back: diaries 1999-2009
by Michael Palin
92 PAL

With a travel project testing his confidence, the death of his friend and his children leaving home, the dawn of the twenty-first century sees Michael at his most reflective yet.



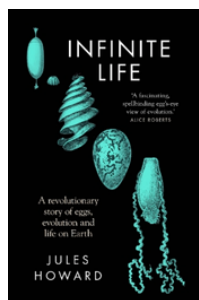
Woman Uninterrupted
by Brodie Kane
92 KAN

I say yes to everything this life has to offer - I'm from the 'women can have it all' club - and, boy, have I got the stories to show for it.



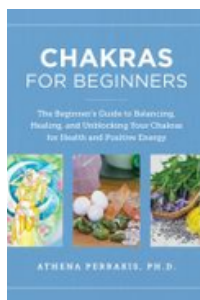
After the Worst Has Happened
by Richard Gosling
92 GOS

Funeral director Richard Gosling steers families through heartbreak, anger and grief while holding space for love and acceptance.



Infinite Life **by Jules Howard** **576.8 HOW**

If you think of an egg, what do you see? A chicken egg, hardboiled? A slimy mass of frogspawn? Every egg there has ever been, is an emblem of survival.



Chakras for Beginners **by Athena Perrakis** **131 PER**

A simple guide to healing and balancing the chakras and working with the body's energy system.



The Price of Life **by Jenny Kleeman** **179.7 KLE**

We say that life is priceless. Yet the cost of saving a life, creating a life or compensating for a life taken is routinely calculated.



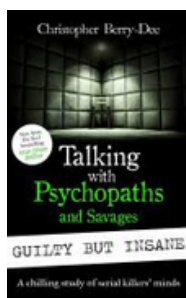
Barbie: her Inspiration, History, and Legacy **by Robin Gerber** **688.7221 GER**

Featuring rare images from their archives, Mattel celebrates Barbie doll's 65th anniversary.



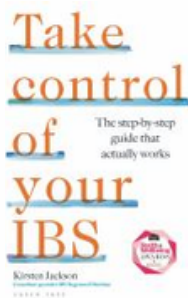
Free Play **by Stephen Nachmanovitch** **701.1 NAC**

A masterful and joyful meditation on how improvisation can be applied to not just art but the art of living.



Talking with Psychopaths and Savages **by Christopher Berry-Dee** **364.15232 BER**

A study of convicted murderers who have attempted to escape justice, and even the death penalty, by entering a plea of insanity.



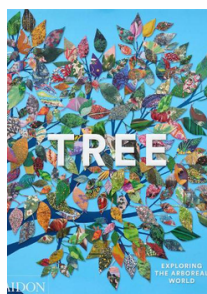
Take Control of Your IBS
by Kirsten Jackson
616.342 JAC

Offering simple, fad-free professional advice, it will help you diagnose issues, bring comfort and reduce symptoms and flare-ups.



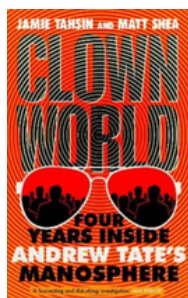
A New Cottage Garden
by Mark Bolton
635.094235 23

A fully illustrated, step-by-step account of an amateur enthusiast creating a cottage garden - showing you how you too can create the garden of your dreams.



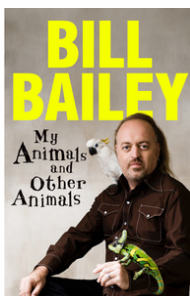
Tree : Exploring the Arboreal World
by Phaidon Press
582.16 TRE

This survey presents a breathtaking sequence of full-page images - from landscape paintings and botanical drawings to ancient frescos.



Clown World
by Jamie Tahsin
303 TAH

The story of a four-year investigation into Andrew Tate, exploring how a failed reality TV star become one of the most famous influencers in the world.



My Animals and Other Animals
by Bill Bailey
92 BAI

Animals have always been at the heart of an extraordinary life as one of the nation's favourite comedians, actors, musicians and (thanks to Strictly) dancers.



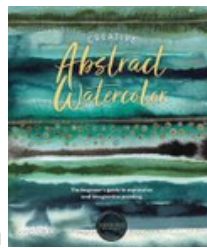
Space Oddities
by Harry Cliff
523.1 CLI

An accessible account of the latest as yet inexplicable phenomena of the universe which are new to science.



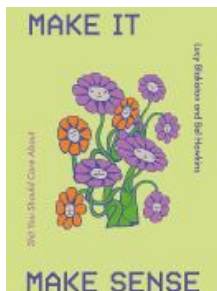
The Showman by Simon Shuster 947.7086 SHU

Based on four years of reporting; extensive travels with President Zelensky to the front; and dozens of interviews with him, his wife, his friends and enemies.



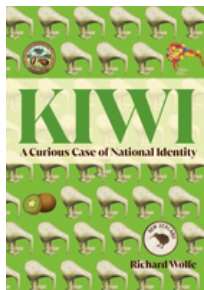
Creative Abstract Watercolor by Kate Rebecca Leach 751.422 LEA

Create abstract art using easy techniques and nothing more than watercolour paints and a few pens.



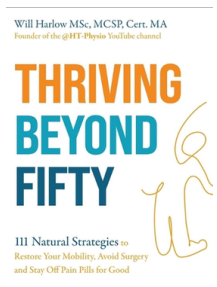
Make it Make Sense by Lucy Blakiston 306.0993 BLA

From navigating algorithmic angst and reimagining solitude as chic, to trusting your gut and learning how to strengthen it.



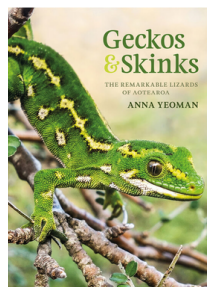
Kiwi by Richard, Wolfe 306.4 WOL

Cultural author and avid Kiwiana collector Richard Wolfe explores the evolution of 'kiwi' from the Maori name of a secretive bird to its many uses today.



Thriving Beyond Fifty by Will Harlow 612.68 HAR

Unlock the secrets to remaining fit, active and mobile as you age, and look forward to a healthier and more vibrant future.



Geckos & Skinks by Anna Yeoman 597.95 YEO

One of the least known parts of Aotearoa's native wildlife are our lizards. The reason is simple - our geckos and skinks are shy, secretive creatures, rarely seen except by seasoned observers.



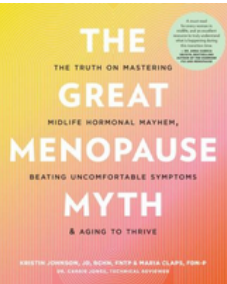
Want
by Gillian Anderson
306.77082 WAN

What do you want when no one is watching? Who do you fantasise about when the lights are off? When you think about sex, what do you really want?



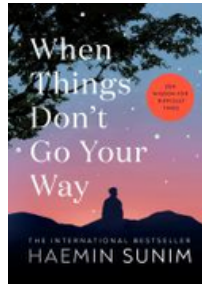
The Plant Society Handbook
by Jason Chongue
712.6 CHO

Incorporate the magic of plants into your living spaces. Where a striking arrangement of succulents is just as important as an investment in a couch.



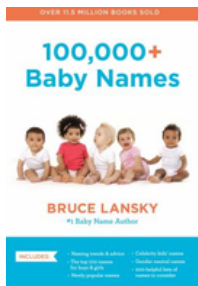
The Great Menopause Myth
by Kristin Johnson
618.175 JOH

A new, holistic approach to staying healthy and happy through menopause.



When Things Don't Go Your Way
by Haemin Sunim
294.3927 HYE

What if moments of great difficulty are, in fact, opportunities for self-discovery? What if they can serve as stepping stones to greater things in life?



100,000+ Baby Names
by Bruce Lansky
929.44 LAN

Features the most up-to-date lists of names, trends, advice, and fascinating facts about names, including hundreds of newly popular names.



Twelve Words for Moss
by Elizabeth Jane Burnett
588.2 BUR

A tale of recovery and reconnection and an immersive journey through British wetlands Glowflake, Rocket, Small Skies, Kind Spears and Marilyn.

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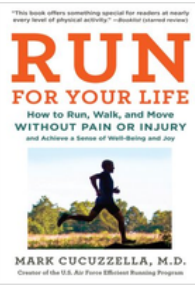
The Ghost Woods by C.J. Cooke

In the midst of the woods stands a house called Lichen Hall. This place is shrouded in folklore – old stories of ghosts, of witches, of a child who is not quite a child.



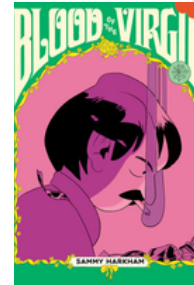
The Drift by C.J. Tudor

An overturned coach full of students, trapped. A stranded cable car full of strangers, one dead. An isolated chalet full of friends, who will soon be enemies.



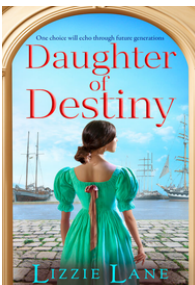
Run For Your Life by Mark Cucuzzella

A straightforward, easy to follow look at the anatomy, biomechanics, and nutrition of running.



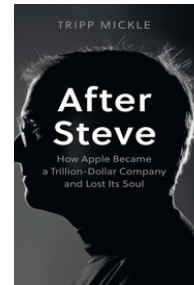
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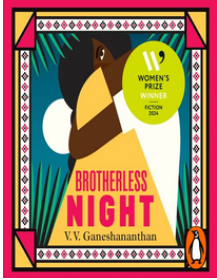
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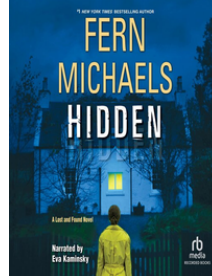




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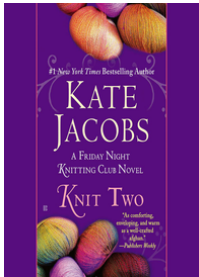
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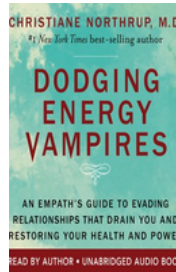
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When a brother and sister team uncover dangerous information hidden in an antique, they have no one to turn to but themselves.



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At the Manhattan knitting store, the members of the Friday Night Knitting Club rely on each other for help, even as they struggle with new challenges.



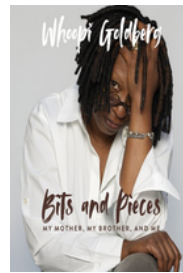
Dodging Energy Vampires by Christiane Northrup

Northrup, M.D., draws on the latest research, along with stories from her own life, to explore the phenomenon of energy vampires.



BBQ Economics by Liam Dann

From interest rates to the price of cheese and everything in between, this is an essential guide to the New Zealand economy.



Bits and Pieces by Whoopi Goldberg

When Whoopi lost her mother in 2010 and then her older brother, Clyde, five years later she felt deeply alone; the only people who truly knew her were gone.





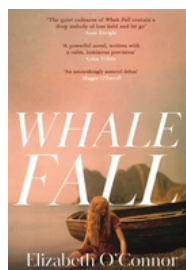
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by Lauren Fuge
Science writer Lauren Fuge journeys from the fjords of the Pacific Northwest to the geology of outback Australia to the edges of the known universe.



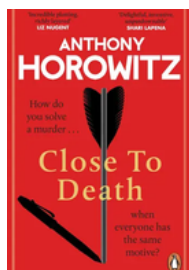
What Does Israel Fear from Palestine?
by Raja Shehadeh
What the war on Gaza means for Palestinian and Israeli futures.



Earth
by John Boyne
It's the tabloid sensation of the year: Two well-known footballers standing in the dock charged with sexual assault, a series of vile text messages pointing towards their guilt.



Whale Fall
by Elizabeth O'Connor
In 1938, a dead whale washes up on the shores of a remote Welsh island. For Manod, who has spent her whole life on the island, it feels like a portent of doom.



Close to Death
by Anthony Horowitz
Richmond, London. Six attractive houses are tucked away in an exclusive and very upmarket gated community: Riverview Close.

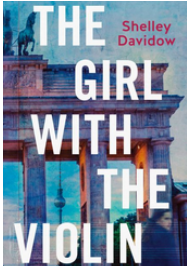


Catherine, the Princess of Wales
by Robert Jobson
A clever and ambitious girl from unexceptional beginnings falls in love with a prince destined to be King when they are both university undergraduates.



The Secrets of Flowers by Sally Page

One year after her husband's death Emma has become a wallflower, hiding among the brighter blooms in the florist where she works.



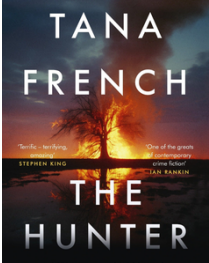
The Girl with the Violin by Shelly Davidow

It's 1989 and for a young Jewish Australian violinist, a scholarship to Berlin is the chance of a lifetime.



Exhausted by Anna Schaffner

Burnout is said to be the defining feeling of the post-pandemic world – but why are we all so exhausted?



The Hunter by Tana French

It's a blazing summer when two men arrive in the village. They're coming for gold. What they bring is trouble.



Healthy Parents, Healthy Kids by Nick Fuller

Dr Nick Fuller outlines six principles that create a research based lifestyle plan for the whole family, helping even the fussiest child establish a healthy relationship with food.



Girl Falling by Hayley Scrivenor

Finn and her best friend, Daphne, have grown up together in the Blue Mountains. Bonded by both having lost a younger sister to suicide, they've always had a close friendship.



REGULAR ACTIVITIES AT OUR LIBRARIES

Events at Marlborough Library,
Te Kahu o Waipuna, Blenheim

Events at Picton Library
and Service Centre

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Justice of the Peace Service 10am - 12pm	Cheeky Monkeys* 10am & 11am	Justice of the Peace Service 10am - 12pm	Justice of the Peace Service 10am - 12pm	Play and Learn* 9am - 12pm	Justice of the Peace Service 10am - 12pm	Lego Club 10am - 4pm
Te Reo* 10am - 12pm	Knitters & Spinners 10.30am - 2pm	Digital Drop-In 10am - 12pm	Knit & Natter 10am - 12pm	Picton Art Group 10am - 2pm	French Conversation 11am	Lego Club 1pm - 4pm
Scrabble 1pm - 3pm	Fiero Code Club 3.30pm-4.30pm	Justice of the Peace Service 11am - 1pm	Company Café 10.30am-11.30am			

Digital Drop-In*
11am - 12pm

Cribbage*
1pm - 3pm

Genealogy
Drop-In
1pm - 3pm

Harakeke Hub
3rd Tues of Month
10.30am - 12pm

Book Chat
2nd Weds of Month
10.30am-11.30am

Book Chat
2nd Weds of Month
10.30am-11.30am

Book Club
1st Thurs of Month
6.30pm - 8pm

Book Club
Last Thurs of Month
6.30pm - 8pm

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break over the holiday season.
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La Hora del Cuento
1st Sat of Month
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