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**SLAY READING  
FORUM SERIES**



## **Readers, Stories, Literacy**

A forum for learning and discussion

Thursday Afternoons

4pm for 4.15 start to 6.30

- **27<sup>th</sup> February**
- **P to Year Eight Publisher Showcase**  
Melbourne Grammar School

At this event we will be joined by nine publishers who will each have five minutes to share with us their releases for 2020. We have expanded the scope of this forum to include books for primary and early secondary making this event a must for anyone running a reading program at years seven and eight as well as primary.

We will also be joined by the author Felice Arena and the author/illustrator Lucinda Gifford to share their work.

- **14<sup>th</sup> May**
- **Non-Fiction and Biography for Pleasure**  
Ivanhoe Girls Grammar School

Not all readers prefer narrative for their pleasure reading. How do we engage those who prefer fact to fiction? What works best for those who prefer true stories and examples of real lives? This forum will consider books that work and ideas that assist in their promotion.

Special guests to be announced

- **30<sup>th</sup> July**
- **Collaboration**  
Kew Primary School

At this forum we will engage with the crucial role of collaboration in creating a reading culture. How library staff collaborate with teachers, English, parents and administration will be explored through shared examples of best practice and discussion

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- **29<sup>th</sup> October**
- **Book Talking**  
Bishop's Parlour, The Abbotsford Convent

This forum will explore how we talk about books in reading programs, to English classes or individuals when we are trying to capture their interest and ensure they want to read the book no matter what! How do we give a great book talk? We will discuss hints and tips and listen to a panel of highly skilled book talkers demonstrating their best book talks.  
Special guests to be announced

## Delegates will receive

- Certificate of participation
- Refreshments
- 10% of all books on the night

THE KIDS' BOOKSHOP



will be in attendance at all events.

## Registration

SLAV Members  
\$45 individual session  
\$170 series ticket (transferrable)

Non-Members  
\$55 individual session  
\$210 series ticket (transferrable)

To register for the entire series or any one of the forums please visit the Professional Learning area of the SLAV website [slav.org.au](http://slav.org.au)  
Or go to the direct link for the series at: <https://slav.org.au/event-3696722>

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