



# SLAV READING FORUM SERIES

## Readers, Stories, Literacy

A forum for learning and discussion

### Session One

## Publisher Showcase

**Thursday March 2 2023**

**4.15pm to 6.15pm**

**The Linen and Community Rooms  
Abbotsford Convent**

In this first event of our 2023 series, we are shaking up the Publisher Showcase.

We have moved it to our SLAV home, the Abbotsford Convent, and will be using two rooms to run both our usual short and sharp **presentation** from all publishers and a **publisher's exhibition** that attendees may browse both before and after the publisher presentations while enjoying **afternoon tea and the bookshop display**.

We will be exploring books for primary and secondary age students.

This event is a must for anyone promoting a reading culture in their school. It is also a great opportunity to chat with colleagues.

The following publishers will be presenting:

- **Allen & Unwin**
- **Affirm Press**
- **Berbay Books**
- **Ford Street Publishing**
- **Pan Macmillan Australia**
- **Wild Dog Books**
- **Hachette Australia**
- **Penguin Random House**
- **The Text Publishing Company**

Our colleagues from **Overdrive Australia** will also be in attendance as will **The Sun and Young Sun Bookshops** who will have a display of new and varied items.



# **2023 Reading Forum Series**

**March 2**

**Topic: Publisher Showcase**

**May 18**

**Topic: Fantasy**

Abbotsford Convent TBC

Speakers and Special Guest Details TBC

**July 27**

**Topic: Picture Books for Older Readers**

ONLINE

This session will focus on the new National Centre for Australian Children's Literature (NCACL) database on picture books for older readers.

Further Speakers and Special Guests TBC

**October 27**

**Topic: Book Clubs**

ONLINE

Ideas, tips, and tactics for running a successful book club.

Hear from a range of experienced school library professionals.

# REGISTRATION

## Individual Session

\$30 – SLAV Members

\$40 – Non-Members

<https://slav.wildapricot.org/event-5112934>

## Series (all four sessions)

<https://slav.wildapricot.org/event-5112925>

During 2023 the series will be face to face for term one and term two and online in terms three and four. Note - a recording will only be provided for the online events only.

\$110 series ticket (transferable) - SLAV Members

\$150 series ticket (transferable) - Non-Members

For online sessions we will provide a recording and padlet for all registrants. Face to face events will include afternoon tea. Participation certificates will be available upon request.

For further details please contact the SLAV office



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