
Project Overview

The Big Book Club Inc. has received funding to manage the development and production of four children's picture books written and illustrated by emerging Indigenous authors and illustrators. The *Emerging Indigenous Picture Book Mentoring Project* is a partnership between The Little Big Book Club and Allen & Unwin Publishing and has been assisted by the Australian Government through the Australia Council, its arts funding and advisory body.

Book Information

The four picture books which will be published as part of the project include:

- Title: *When We Go Walkabout*
Written by Rhoda Lalara (NT), illustrated by Alfred Lalara (NT)
Set on Groote Eylandt, this beautiful book invites children to look for animals in different habitats throughout the course of one day.
Release date: February 2014 • 9781743314562 • Hardback • RRP \$24.99 • Ages 0-5
- Title: *Kick With My Left Foot*
Written by Paul Seden (NT), illustrated by Karen Briggs (SA)
A lively and endearing story about a child in an Indigenous community getting ready to play his favourite game – footy!
Release date: June 2014 • 9781743313442 • Hardback • RRP \$19.99 • Ages 0-5
- Title: *Emus Under The Bed*
Written & illustrated by Leann J Edwards (VIC)
Beautifully illustrated, this is a warm and humorous story about a little girl and the fun she has at her Auntie Dollo's house.
Release Date: August 2014 • 9781743313459 • Hardback • RRP \$19.99 • Ages 0-5
- Title: *Come Count With Me*
Written & illustrated by Marika Wilson (SA)
Featuring a warm and loving relationship between a little chick and her grandma, this sweet and playful story is great fun to read aloud as well as a terrific way to introduce numbers and the concept of counting to the very young.
Release Date: October 2014 • 9781743313435 • Hardback • RRP \$19.99 • Ages 0-5

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