



Mandy Foot Author | Illustrator



Living in the Adelaide Hills, inspiration is always just a step outside with an abundance of wildlife and farm animals, including a cheeky pony called Piccy and two Border Collies - Arty and Rory, also referred to as my shadows. The obsession with drawing animals and giving them an abundance of personality started when I was about 2 as far as I can remember... with chalk, on my grandparents pavement. Only then they didn't look like animals or anything much for that matter.

Thankfully, my drawing has improved and that passion is now shared as a published author and illustrator of best selling children's books since 2009, predominantly with an Australian theme and always with animals. As an ambassador for Raising Literacy Australia I firmly believe that a child's love for literature begins with images in a children's book. Picture books are a window to literacy. They are a portal to a world of knowledge and imagination which is never ending.

Books really do take the imagination on a journey where anything is possible.

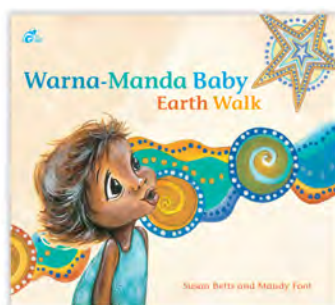
School Sessions offered for JP and Primary students. Educational, lively and interactive with collaborative drawing bringing to life and characterizing their favourite animals! Hands on drawing workshops for primary students offered in this technique also.

For school visits and speaking engagements please contact Becky, my Booking Agent - Becky's Literary Bookings becky@beckysliterary.com.au

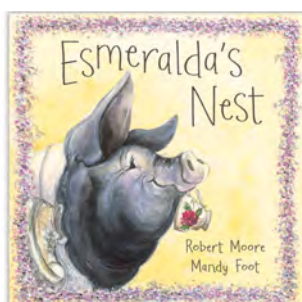
Over 21 titles to date. For a complete list please visit my website www.mandyfoot.com



new releases



COMING FEB 2021 'Warna Manda Baby', in collaboration with Susan Betts, published by Little Book Press, 2021.



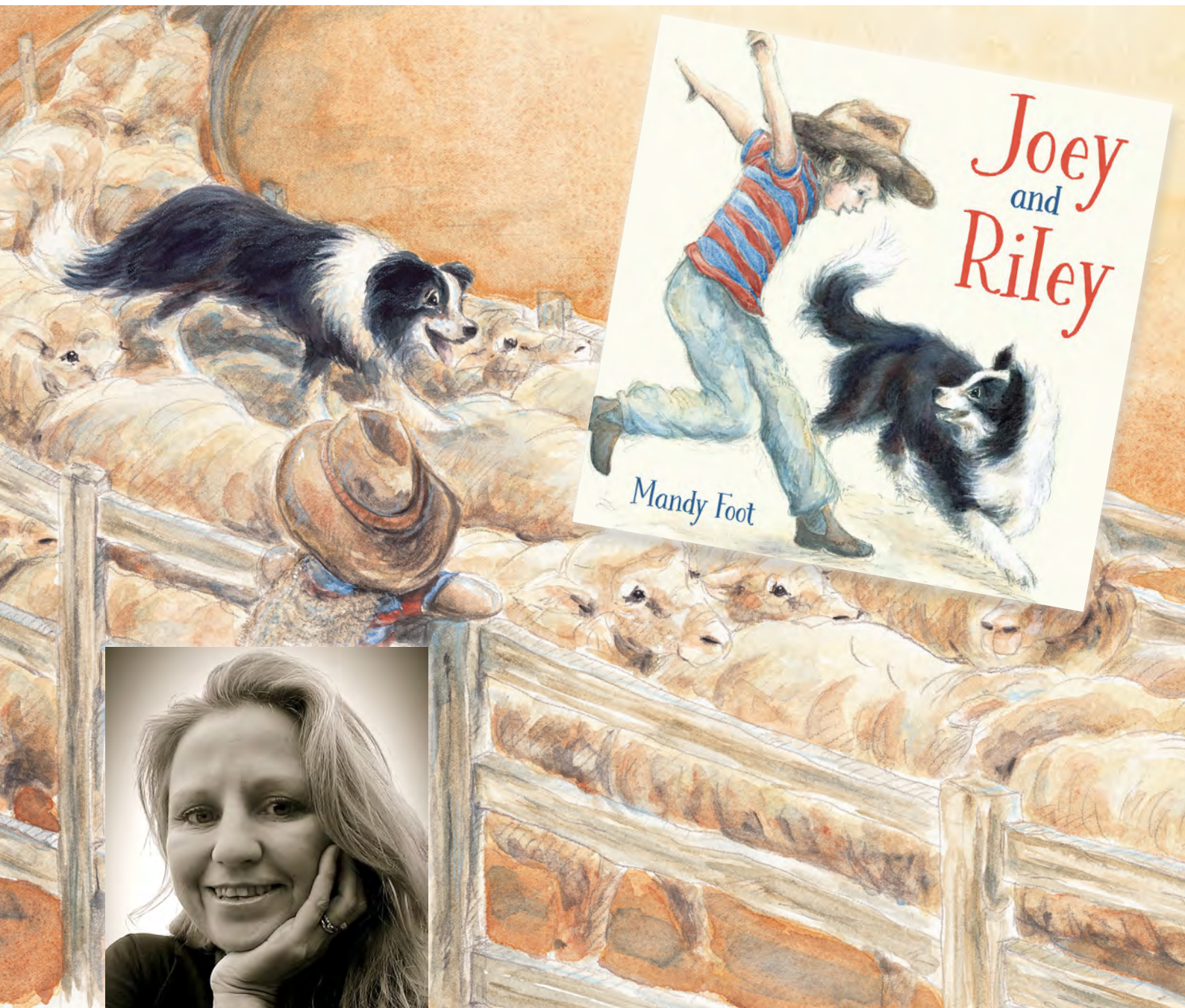
'Esmeralda's Nest', written by Robert Moore, published by MidnightSun Publishing, 2020.



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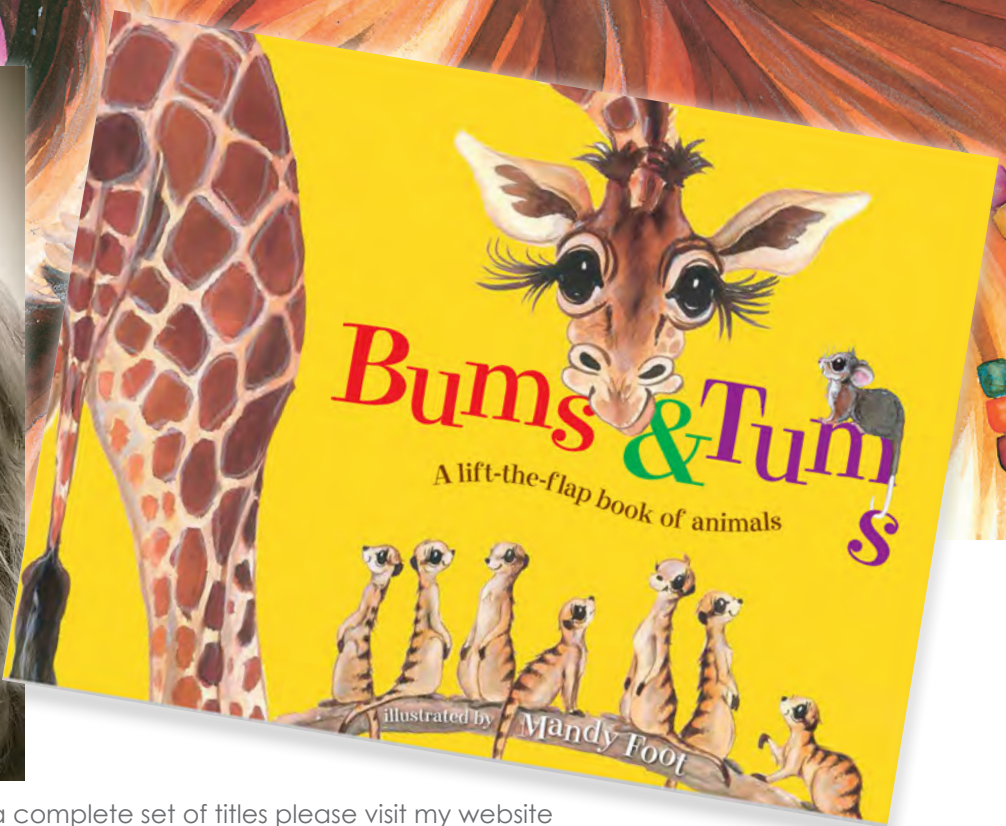


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