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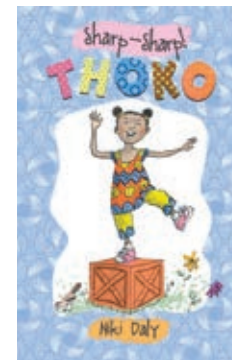


WANDA

SIHLE NONTSHOKWENI AND MATHABO TLALI
ILLUSTRATED BY MASEGO MORULANE

Meet Wanda with her head full of hair. She is brave and strong, but she's taunted by the boys and frowned on by her teachers. Through Grandma's hair secrets and stories she finds the courage to face her fears and realise that her hair is a crown and not a burden. This book is about identity and beauty, celebrating how cultural pride is learned and passed on over the generations.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa and isiZulu | See pricelist for individual ISBNs
Paperback | World Rights | 275x210mm | 32pp | 2018



SHARP-SHARP! THOKO

WRITTEN AND ILLUSTRATED BY NIKI DALY

Here comes Thoko again!

With adorable illustrations and four heart-warming easy-to-read stories, Niki Daly has created a second book about Thoko – who is sure to become one of his most beloved characters.

In 2009, Niki was awarded the Molteno Gold Award for Lifetime Achievement in Literature.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa and isiZulu | See pricelist for individual ISBNs
Paperback | Southern African Rights | 197x128mm | 88pp | 2018



THE SINGING STONE

WENDY HARTMANN
ILLUSTRATED BY CHANTELLE AND BURGEN THORNE

Storm has a beautiful stone that her parents gave to her when she was born. When she holds this stone and sings, everyone in the village stops to listen. But when she is tempted by an old woman to sing songs that can control the wind, waves and the entire ocean, things go wrong. It is only when her brothers and all the other fishermen are lost at sea she that she realises what is most important to her.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa and isiZulu | See pricelist for individual ISBNs
Paperback | World Rights | 275x255mm | 32pp | 2018



GOLDSILLOCKS AND THE THREE RHINOS

WRITTEN AND ILLUSTRATED BY JOAN RANKIN

Goldilocks was not supposed to be in the forest alone, but she didn't always do as she was told.

This classic tale is brought to life through the magical illustrations of Joan Rankin. Goldilocks is retold with an African flair, to inspire and grow a love of reading in our children.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu and Sesotho | See pricelist for individual ISBNs
Paperback | World Rights | 260x190mm | 32pp | 2018

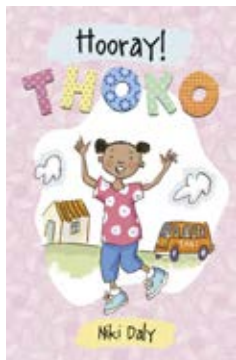


TUG OF WAR

WRITTEN AND ILLUSTRATED BY NAOMI HOWARTH

This funny, heart-warming retelling of a well-known African folktale by Naomi Howarth teaches children that wit and wisdom are more important than size and physical strength, and friendship is what matters most.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa and isiZulu | See pricelist for individual ISBNs
Paperback | Southern African Rights (from Frances Lincoln) | 240x275mm | 32pp | 2017



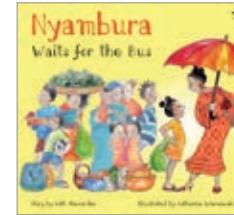
HOORAY! THOKO

WRITTEN AND ILLUSTRATED BY NIKI DALY

Niki Daly makes reading about life as a kid entertaining and realistic with his delightful new local heroine, Thoko. Thoko skips through life, leaving behind a trail of laughter and a few frowns. She will become your new favourite friend.

This is the first book in the Thoko series with four, easy-to-read stories.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa and isiZulu | See pricelist for individual ISBNs
Paperback | Southern African Rights | 197x128mm | 80pp | 2017



NYAMBURA WAITS FOR THE BUS

CATH ALEXANDER

ILLUSTRATED BY CATHERINE GROENEWALD

Nyambura is going to visit her Gogo! She arrives at the bustling market place to find that she is last in the queue and that the bus has not yet arrived. While she waits for the bus, Nyambura remembers the fun things that she and her Gogo have done together. Meanwhile, the queue of people is getting shorter and shorter because of disasters that strike each of the waiting passengers. Will Nyambura's generous spirit help them to get on the bus in time?

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa and isiZulu | See pricelist for individual ISBNs
Paperback | World Rights | 275x254mm | 32pp | 2017



THIS IS THE CHICK

WENDY HARTMANN

ILLUSTRATED BY JOAN RANKIN

A tiny guinea fowl chick hatches early one morning and lets out a 'cheep'. Find out what happens in the bush when the 'cheep' is heard by all the African animals. Written in rhyme by best-loved children's author Wendy Hartmann, this humorous story will enchant and entertain.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa and isiZulu | See pricelist for individual ISBNs
Paperback | World Rights (excluding North America) | 240x275mm | 32pp | 2017



THE ELDER'S AT THE DOOR

MARYANNE BESTER

ILLUSTRATED BY SHAYLE BESTER

Three elders, Blessing, Wisdom and Love, come knocking at the door in the early hours of the morning. They're tired, dirty and in need of a meal. But the family may only invite one of the visitors into their home. Who will it be?

This fable, told across the continent, belongs to all of Africa and its people.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa and isiZulu | See pricelist for individual ISBNs
Paperback | World Rights | 297x210mm | 24pp | 2017



THE WILD FLUFFALUMP

A Bedtime Story

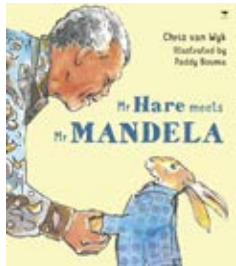
MWENYE HADITHI

ILLUSTRATED BY ADRIENNE KENAWAY

An unknown animal goes to sleep under a tall Cotton Wool Tree, where the leopard's child has been bouncing all night.

It wakes up looking like a giant white fluffy ball and doesn't recognise itself as its body is covered in cotton. The other animals wonder what animal it is and try to discover what's lurking under the cotton by patting, poking, sniffing, scratching and washing it...

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa and isiZulu | See pricelist for individual ISBNs
Paperback | Southern African Rights | 275x240mm | 28pp | 2017



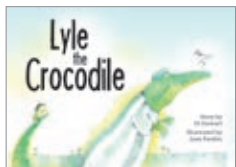
MR HARE MEETS MR MANDELA

CHRIS VAN WYK

ILLUSTRATED BY PADDY BOUMA

Mr Hare Meets Mr Mandela is one of the last stories Chris van Wyk wrote before he died. Mr Hare finds a R200 note on his doorstep and on seeing Mr Mandela's face on it, decides to brave the big city of Johannesburg to return it to Mr Mandela. But Mr Hare cannot read and he comes across many people along the way who want to get their hands on Mr Mandela's money.

Available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa and isiZulu | See pricelist for individual ISBNs
978-1-4314-2438-2 | Paperback | World Rights | 240x275mm | 32pp | 2016



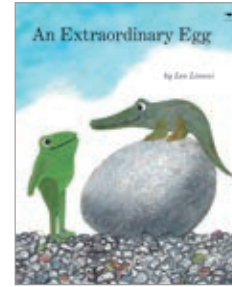
LYLE THE CROCODILE

DIANNE STEWART

ILLUSTRATED BY JOAN RANKIN

When Lyle, the Crocodile had terrible toothache, his friends took him to Dr Molar, the dentist, but he couldn't help him. Neither could Dr Canine. How did Lyle eventually get help for his toothache? A great book for encouraging children to look after their teeth with exuberant illustrations from award-winning illustrator Joan Rankin.

Available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa and isiZulu | See pricelist for individual ISBNs
Paperback | World Rights | 275x240mm | 32pp | 2016



AN EXTRAORDINARY EGG

WRITTEN AND ILLUSTRATED BY LEO LIONNI

It's an extraordinary day on Pebble Island for three frogs when one of them discovers a beautiful white egg. They've never seen a chicken egg before, but they're sure that's what this must be. So when the egg hatches and out crawls a long, green, scaly creature, they naturally call it ... a chicken! Children will love this hilarious story of mistaken identity.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu and Sesotho | See price list for individual ISBNs | Paperback
Southern African Rights (from Random House) | 225x175mm | 32pp | 2016



FREDERICK

WRITTEN AND ILLUSTRATED BY LEO LIONNI

Winter is coming, and all the mice are gathering food ... except for Frederick. The mice are not happy with Frederick who seems to daydream and doesn't help them enough. But as it becomes cold, and food gets scarce, the mice gather together around Frederick, whose stories warm their hearts and spirits.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu and Sesotho | See price list for individual ISBNs | Paperback
Southern African Rights (from Random House) | 225x175mm | 32pp | 2016

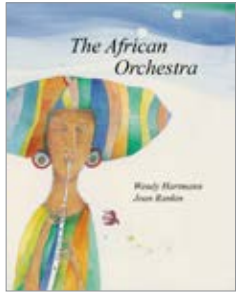


SWIMMY

WRITTEN AND ILLUSTRATED BY LEO LIONNI

Deep in the sea there lives a happy school of little fish. Their watery world is full of wonders, but there is also danger, and the little fish are afraid to come out of hiding ... until Swimmy comes along. Swimmy shows his friends how – with ingenuity and team work – they can overcome any danger. With its graceful text and stunning artwork, this Caldecott Honor Book deserves a place on every child's shelf.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu and Sesotho | See price list for individual ISBNs | Paperback
Southern African Rights (from Random House) | 225x175mm | 32pp | 2016

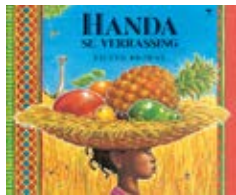


AFRICAN ORCHESTRA

WENDY HARTMANN
ILLUSTRATED BY JOAN RANKIN

With magical illustrations from Joan Rankin, and poetry from masterful storyteller, Wendy Hartmann, the rhyme lyrically captures the magic of the African sounds of nature. From the clicking of crickets to the crackle of the fire, follow the journey that celebrates these sounds, in the rhythm and music of Africa.

Available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa and isiZulu | See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback
World Rights (excluding North America, France, Belgium, Quebec and Switzerland)
288x247mm | 32pp | 2016

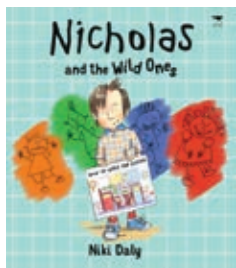


HANDA'S SURPRISE

WRITTEN AND ILLUSTRATED BY EILEEN BROWNE

This is the story of Handa, who decides to take seven pieces of fruit to her friend Akeyo in the neighbouring village. But a series of sneaky animals steal them from Handa's basket, which she's carrying on her head! Richly illustrated, brimming with luscious fruit and cheeky wild animals, this story is for the youngest of readers. In the best pantomime spirit, children will long to tell Handa what's happening right behind her!

See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | Southern African Rights only, in all official languages except English (from Walker Books) | 205x208mm | 32pp | 2016



NICHOLAS AND THE WILD ONES

WRITTEN AND ILLUSTRATED BY NIKI DALY

How do you deal with a bunch of Wild Ones on your first day at school? Nicholas is faced with a gang of bullies including Big Charlie, Mean Jake, Wedgie Reggie and, worst of all, their girl leader, Cindy Crocker. But through a combination of artistic talent and inventiveness, Nicholas eventually wins the admiration of the Wild Ones and makes a surprising new friend.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa and isiZulu | See pricelist for individual ISBNs
Paperback | Southern African Rights (from Frances Lincoln) | 275x240mm | 32pp | 2016



DUDU'S BASKET

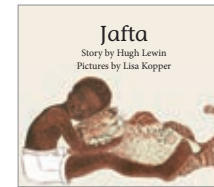
DIANNE STEWART
ILLUSTRATED BY ELIZABETH PULLES

When Dudu finishes weaving her first basket, by the light of the plump full moon, her uncle Jojo tells her that a first basket should always be given away...

Read award-winning author Dianne Stewart's story about Dudu's basket and its journey through a number of cultures, beautifully illustrated by award-winning illustrator, Elizabeth Pulles.

Baskets, woven from locally sourced materials, are widely used and re-used in African society.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa and isiZulu | See pricelist for individual ISBNs
Paperback | World Rights | 235x235mm | 32pp | 2016



THE JAFTA SERIES

HUGH LEWIN
ILLUSTRATED BY LISA KOPPER

International best-selling children's classic series reprinted after more than 30 years.

Meet Jafta, a little boy living in an African village sharing the universal joys and sorrows of childhood. Jafta was born after prize-winning author, Hugh Lewin, was released from prison after a seven-year sentence for his opposition to apartheid. The stories live and breathe, beautifully rendered by the lyrical artwork of Lisa Kopper.



Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu, Sesotho, Sepedi and Setswana
Paperback | World Rights (excluding USA, Spain and China) | 235x275mm | 24pp | 2015

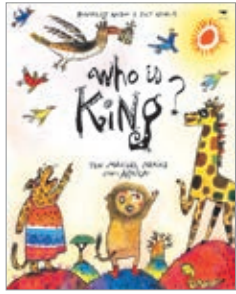


THANK YOU, JACKSON

NIKI DALY
ILLUSTRATED BY JUDE DALY

From a husband and wife team whose individual picture books have sold all over the world comes *Thank you, Jackson* - a charming story about courtesy, good manners and saying thank you.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa and isiZulu | See pricelist for individual ISBNs
Paperback | Southern African Rights (from Frances Lincoln) | 270x215mm | 32pp | 2014



WHO IS KING?

Ten Magical Stories from Africa

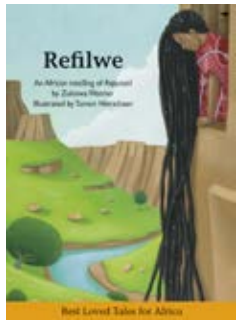
BEVERLEY NAIDOO

ILLUSTRATED BY PIET GROBLER

All kinds of animals feature in these ten sparkling stories from all over Africa, by an award-winning author and illustrator. Find out what happens to Lion when he challenges Elephant and discovers who the real king of the savannah is; laugh along with Tortoise as he bewitches the animals in Tiger's work party with irresistible

music; find out why Hippo has no hair, how Elephant got his trunk, and why Cockerel crows. Then read about the woman who had a mouse-child!

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu & Sesotho | See pricelist for individual ISBNs
Paperback | Southern African Rights (from Frances Lincoln) | 215x270mm | 72pp | 2014



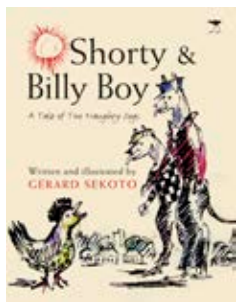
REFILWE

ZUKISWA WANNER

ILLUSTRATED BY TAMSIN HINRICHSEN

In a cave high up on a craggy cliff, beautiful Refilwe is allowed to see no one but the witch who locked her away. One day, Prince Tumi hears Refilwe singing as he is riding his horse near her cave and he searches for the owner of the magical voice. An African retelling of the classic fairytale Rapunzel.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa and isiZulu | See pricelist for individual ISBNs
Paperback | World Rights | 260x190mm | 32pp | 2014



SHORTY & BILLY-BOY

A Tale of Two Naughty Dogs

WRITTEN AND ILLUSTRATED BY GERARD SEKOTO

Shorty & Billy Boy tells the tale of two troublesome dogs whose thieving ways take them to the far-away town of Porcupine Hills. Here they meet all sorts of interesting characters, but continue their mischief until Billy Boy is caught red-handed and sent to jail. Here he dreams about the kindness of others, and comes to realise that good deeds are the true measure of freedom.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu, Sepedi, Sesotho and French | See pricelist for individual ISBNs
Paperback | World Rights | 260x190mm | 32pp | 2014



I KNOW THAT!

MARYANNE BESTER

ILLUSTRATED BY SHAYLE BESTER

Continuing the Bester sisters' Cool Nguni series, *I Know That!* follows Gaps, the Nguni calf, as he introduces his friend, the youngest Cattle Egret, to the library. The little Cattle Egret is anxious for Gaps to think of him as smart, and every chance he gets he claims to know almost everything about everything! But when Gaps shows him the exciting world of reading and books, the Egret discovers that there is so much more to get from learning than just shouting, "I know that!" A book that truly celebrates and encourages a love of reading.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu, Sesotho, Setswana, Sepedi and Xitsonga
See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 210x197mm | 32pp | 2013



THE HAPPY PRINCE

CAROLE BLOCH

ILLUSTRATED BY JOAN RANKIN

From his high pedestal, the Happy Prince, a magnificent golden statue, can see all the misery of the city below him. He begs a little Swallow to pluck off his treasure and share it amongst the poor. When the Happy Prince asks his new friend to stay and help him, the Swallow receives a lesson in kindness and caring.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu and Sesotho
See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 288x247mm | 48pp | 2012



THE HERD BOY

WRITTEN AND ILLUSTRATED BY NIKI DALY

Malusi is a herd boy who tends to his grandfather's sheep and goats among the mountains of the Eastern Cape. High above, eagles fly while on the ground below, beetles crawl, termites scurry and dust flies as Malusi plays games of stick-fighting with his friend. But there's danger too...

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu, Sesotho, Setswana, Sepedi and Siswati
See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | Southern African Rights | 260x250mm | 36pp | 2012

THE KACHOO SERIES

TINA SCOTFORD

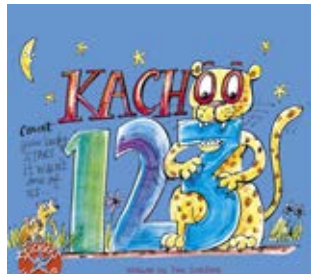
ILLUSTRATED BY FRANS GROENEWALD

In the heart of Africa lies the Land of Kachoo, with vast open plains and deep rivers, too. Animals roam freely in their wild domain through forests and grasslands and rocky terrain. Big cats and rhino and Thomson's gazelle, elephant and zebra – they live here as well.

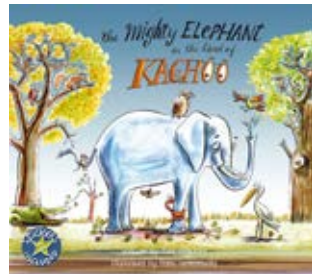
The sights and the sounds in the Land of Kachoo are uniquely African and will remain with you. The roar of the lions on a starlit night and the echo of hooves running away in fright or the call of the fish eagle in the African sun are sounds to signal your safari's begun. Come and explore this land, if you dare. A wild African adventure awaits you in there!



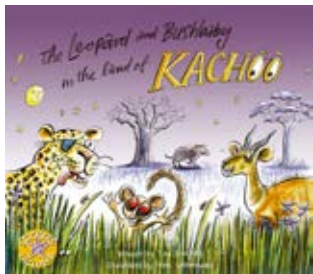
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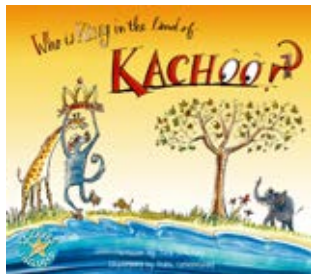
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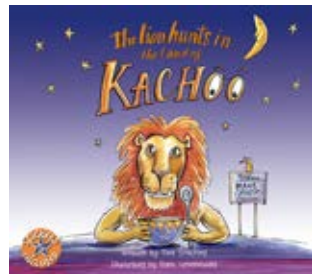
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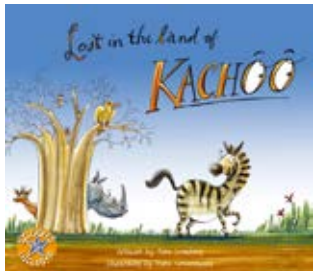
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Paperback | World
Rights | 220x250mm | 24pp

KACHOO MERCHANDISE

Bring the magic and charm of the wild to your table! From the enchanting series of Kachoo comes a gorgeous range of crockery, including a breakfast set, as well as separate mugs, which feature the beloved paintings of artist Frans Groenewald. The perfect children's gift for any occasion, this collection is guaranteed to delight any and all young Kachoo adventurers.

The crockery is an extension of Tina Scotford's Kachoo books that are inspired by her travels to exotic bush destinations including the Serengeti, Lake Tarangire and the Ngorongoro Crater in Tanzania; Chobe and the Okavango Delta in Botswana; and South Africa's Kruger National Park, Hluhluwe and Klaserie game reserves.



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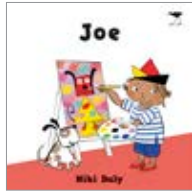
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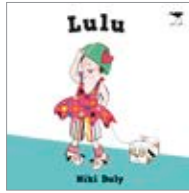
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LITTLE HANDS BOOKS

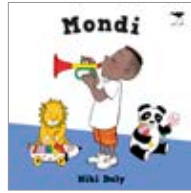
Little Hands Books are a series of board books (four in a slipcase) specially designed to promote and nurture reading from early childhood.



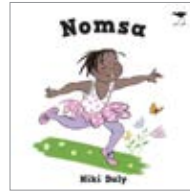
Joe
Niki Daly



Lulu
Niki Daly



Mondi
Niki Daly



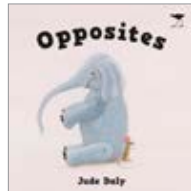
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Animals
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Bugs
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Opposites
Jude Daly



Playtime!
Jude Daly



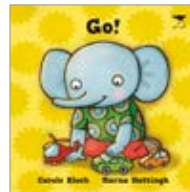
I love bananas
Zukiswa Wanner
& Marna
Hattingh



Let's get ready!
Carole Bloch
& Marna
Hattingh



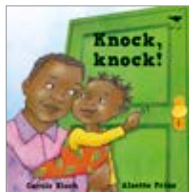
Play with me!
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& Marna
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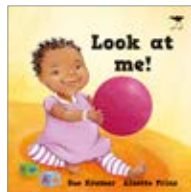
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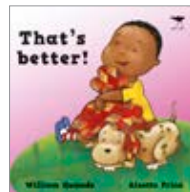
*Hippo and his
friends*
Tuelo Gabonewe
& Alzette Prins



Knock, knock!
Carole Bloch
& Alzette Prins



Look at me!
Sue Kramer
& Alzette Prins



That's better!
William Gumede
& Alzette Prins

Available in all 11 official South African languages | See pricelist for individual ISBNs

Board books | World Rights (except Niki Daly's titles, which have African Rights)

100x100mm | 12pp | 2014



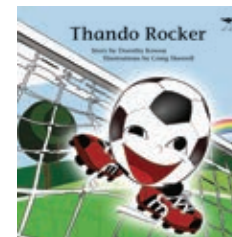
WHO'S AFRAID OF THE DARK?

DIANNE STEWART
ILLUSTRATED BY JOAN RANKIN

Sanele is afraid of the dark. She hears strange noises and can't sleep. She thinks there are monsters under her bed and a lion in the house. What will help Sanele sleep at night?

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu, Sesotho and Setswana

See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 175x241mm | 24pp | 2011



THANDO ROCKER

DOROTHY KOWEN
ILLUSTRATED BY CRAIG SHERRELL

Join Thando Rocker on his journey to the big soccer game, dare to dream and become your own hero. Like Thando, you too can overcome your fears and celebrate your own successes.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa and isiZulu

See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 235x235mm | 24pp | 2011



MEALIES AND BEANS

MARYANNE BESTER
ILLUSTRATED BY SHAYLE BESTER

The third story in the Cool Nguni series about the Nguni calf, Gaps. This time Gaps and his cousin Sugarbean cook mealies and beans for the farm show. Who will win the prize for the best harvest?

Available in all 11 official South African languages | See pricelist for individual ISBNs

Paperback | World Rights | 235x235mm | 32pp | 2011

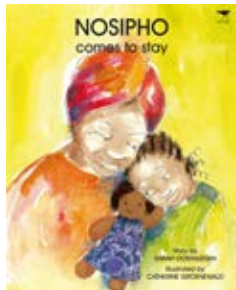


A KITE'S FLIGHT

WILLIAM GUMEDE
ILLUSTRATED BY MAJA SEREDA

This richly illustrated book tells the story of how Andile and his father make a beautiful kite. While flying the kite, its string breaks releasing the kite and taking readers on an epic journey across Africa. From the thundering Victoria Falls and the snow tops of Kilimanjaro, to the Sahara deserts and ancient Egyptian Pyramids, follow the kite's flight over some of the great landmarks of Africa!

Also available in Afrikaans, isiNdebele, isiXhosa, isiZulu, Sesotho, Setswana, Sepedi, Siswati and Xitsonga
See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 210x297mm | 32pp | 2010



NOSIPHO COMES TO STAY

WRITTEN AND ILLUSTRATED BY CATHERINE GROENEWALD

Thandi's parents have died of AIDS, and she must go to live with her Gogo. Memories of her family are woven throughout the making of a special doll – a doll made from “a few oddly shaped rags”, but who shows Thandi how to find comfort and hope.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu, Sesotho, Sepedi and Setswana
See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 210x168mm | 24pp | 2010



THE HYENA AND THE SEVEN LITTLE KIDS

CAROLE BLOCH
ILLUSTRATED BY HANNAH MORRIS

Gogo Goat warns her seven little kids not to let Hyena into the house while she is gone. The crafty Hyena does his best to trick the kids into letting him in! Will the seven kids be safe from Hyena? Who tricks who in the end?

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu, Sesotho and Setswana
See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 260x190mm | 32pp | 2011

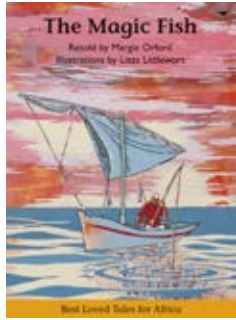
THE LUCY BOOKS

JENNY HATTON
ILLUSTRATED BY JOAN RANKIN

Children will easily relate to the stories which reflect true to life events such as going on a journey, moving house and visiting the beach. The rhythmic text of the Lucy books will help build children's reading skills and confidence while they are absorbed in the humorous illustrations and the lives of Lucy's family.



Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu, Sesotho and Setswana
See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 170x170mm | 32pp | 2011



THE MAGIC FISH

MARGIE ORFORD

ILLUSTRATED BY LIZZA LITTLEWORT

One day, a poor fisherman catches a magic talking fish, which he immediately sets free. He tells his brother what has happened and his brother demands that he go and ask the magic fish for a bigger house. The magic fish grants the fisherman's wish. Will his brother be satisfied or will he be greedy and ask for more?

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu, Sesotho and Setswana

See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 260x190mm | 32pp | 2011



THE LITTLE GIRL WHO DIDN'T WANT TO GROW UP

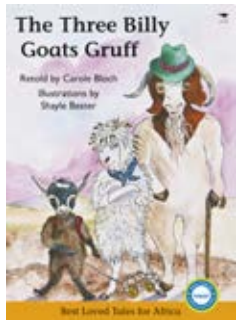
VERONICA TADJO

ILLUSTRATED BY CATHERINE GROENEWALD

Little Ayanda loves her father with all her heart. One day he goes away, and doesn't return. She is so sad that she decides she doesn't want to grow up. One day her mom gets sick and she changes her mind. She grows bigger so she can help her family. But when trouble strikes her village, is she big and brave enough to save everyone?

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu, Sesotho, Setswana, Sepedi, Siswati and Xitsonga

See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 260x190mm | 32pp | 2010



THE THREE BILLY GOATS GRUFF

CAROLE BLOCH

ILLUSTRATED BY SHAYLE BESTER

The Three Billy Goats Gruff are hungry and tired of living in the dusty and thorny veld. Just across the bridge there is a koppie covered in sweet, green grass that they would love to eat. But they are afraid of the fierce monster who lives under the bridge. One day they are so hungry that they decide to be brave and cross the bridge. Will they outsmart the monster or will he catch them and gobble them up?

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu, Sesotho and Setswana

See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 260x190mm | 32pp | 2010



THE UGLY DUCKLING

SINDIWE MAGONA

ILLUSTRATED BY NATALIE HINRICHSEN

The poor ugly duckling looks very different from the other ducklings. His duck family tease him and make him feel unwanted even though he simply wants to be loved and belong. So he runs away and sets off on a long and lonely journey. Will he ever be loved and accepted for who he is?

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu, Sepedi, Sesotho, Setswana and Xitsonga

See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 260x190mm | 32pp | 2010



THE LITTLE RED HEN

MARGIE ORFORD

ILLUSTRATED BY KAREN LILJE

Little Red Hen is feeling peckish and decides to make bread. She makes a list of what she needs and sets out into the sunny morning. She asks her friends for help but they all say no! Will she have to do everything by herself?

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu, Sesotho, Setswana, Sepedi, Siswati and Xitsonga

See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 260x190mm | 32pp | 2010



JINGLE-JINGLE IN MY POCKET

WRITTEN AND ILLUSTRATED BY CATHERINE GROENEWALD

Thandi needs new shoes and she knows they are going to cost a lot of money for her Gogo. So, together they work out a plan to get the money with a little help from Nosipho, her doll and Pepi, her pet rooster.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu, Sesotho, Setswana, Sepedi and Xitsonga

See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 240x160mm | 16pp | 2010



I COULD BE ANYWHERE

WRITTEN AND ILLUSTRATED BY CATHERINE GROENEWALD

Thandi and her doll Nosipho dream of a better life, but ultimately realise that Thandi's grandmother's love surpasses all.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu, Sesotho, Setswana, Sepedi and Xitsonga
See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 210x168mm | 16pp | 2010

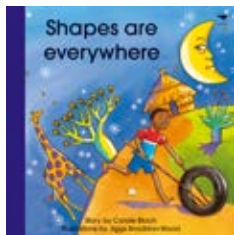


TAKING THE COWS HOME

REVIVA SHERMBRUCKER
PHOTOGRAPHED BY LYNNE LOMOFSKY AND ANDRE LAUBSCHER

Would you believe that there is a farm in the middle of Cape Town? Ducks, geese, pigs, sheep and cows live on André's farm, a stone's throw from the city centre. Read about Lynne and her dog, Famous, and the day they take André's missing cows home.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu, Sepedi, Sesotho, Setswana and Xitsonga
See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 170x170mm | 32pp | 2010



SHAPES ARE EVERYWHERE

CAROLE BLOCH
ILLUSTRATED BY JIGGS SNADDON-WOOD

The world is full of shapes. Everywhere you look you see circles, triangles and squares. This is a beautifully illustrated book that provides children with a wonderful and fun way to learn about shapes from the world around us.

Available in all 11 official South African languages | See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback
South African Rights (from Macmillan, Namibia) | 170x170mm | 16pp | 2010



GIFT OF GOLD

DOROTHY KOWEN
ILLUSTRATED BY GILLIAN MATHEW

The Gift of Gold has all the ingredients of a classic tale: a curse, a missing lucky gold pebble, an inquisitive little girl and, of course, a happy ending. The characters are South African: a traditional tribe praying for rain, a talking chameleon, and a misunderstood tokoloshe.

Available in all 11 official South African languages
See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 210x297mm | 24pp | 2010



LELE DREAMS

CAROLE BLOCH
ILLUSTRATED BY WENDY HARDIE

Lele is a very imaginative little boy. When he dreams, the world has no boundaries. He travels from the night sky, down to the sea and back up to the clouds. Join Lele on his journey as he makes friends with the stars, the fish and other young dreamers.

Available in all 11 official South African languages | See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback
South African Rights (from Macmillan, Namibia) | 170x170mm | 16pp | 2010

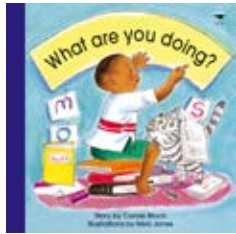


THE ZEBRA AND THE HYENA

LESLEY GEEKIE DAWE
ILLUSTRATED BY NIKKI JONES

This is the story of how quick-thinking Zebra tricks the hungry Hyena into not eating him for dinner, with very prickly results. A delightful tale with striking paper collage illustrations.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa and isiZulu | See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback
South African Rights (from Macmillan) | 241x170mm | 16pp | 2009



WHAT ARE YOU DOING?

CAROLE BLOCH
ILLUSTRATED BY NIKKI JONES

Lele is very busy today. He makes his way through his house asking each family member, “What are you doing?” Finally, it is dinnertime and Lele is nowhere to be found. Join Lele as he learns about reading and writing and why both are important everyday skills.

Available in all 11 official South African languages | See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback
South African Rights (from Macmillan) | 170x170mm | 24pp | 2009



SOMETHING TO DO

ANN WALTON
ILLUSTRATED BY NATALIE HINRICHSEN

Using rhythmic text to help build children’s reading skills, combined with gorgeous illustrations, *Something to Do* tells the charming story of how sharing a book can brighten your day.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa and isiZulu
See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 170x170mm | 24pp | 2009



THE TALE OF SUN AND MOON

ANN WALTON
ILLUSTRATED BY TAMSIN HINRICHSEN

The story of why the Sun shines during the day and the Moon lights the night sky.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa and isiZulu
See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 235x235mm | 32pp | 2009

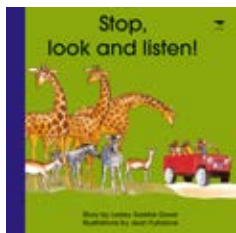


OH NO!

CAROLE BLOCH
ILLUSTRATED BY NIKKI JONES

Dangos wakes up on Monday morning with a dreadful sneeze. Her Auntie wants to take special care of her and so Dangos misses out on climbing trees, making dolls, playing with her friends and fishing with her uncle. Will she be able to catch up all the fun things she has missed by the end of the week?

Available in all 11 official South African languages | See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback
South African Rights (from Macmillan) | 170x170mm | 16pp | 2009



STOP, LOOK AND LISTEN!

LESLEY GEEKIE DAWE
ILLUSTRATED BY JEAN FULLALOVE

The rules to crossing the road are taught to children from a young age. *Stop, Look and Listen* uses well-known African animals, including monkeys, zebras and giraffes, to teach children the rules of the road, showing them how important it is to obey them.

Available in all 11 official South African languages | See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback
South African Rights (from Macmillan) | 170x170mm | 16pp | 2009

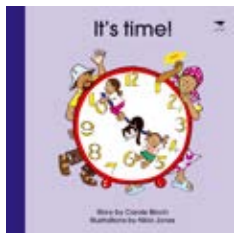


THE MISSING BALL

MARYANNE BESTER
ILLUSTRATED BY SHAYLE BESTER

Gaps and his cousin Sugarbean want to play a game of soccer before sundown. Help them find their missing ball, hidden somewhere in this wonderful African setting.

Available in all 11 official South African languages | See pricelist for individual ISBNs
Paperback | World Rights | 235x235mm | 32pp | 2009



IT'S TIME!

CAROLE BLOCH
ILLUSTRATED BY NIKKI JONES

Zaza has a very busy and exciting day. From getting up, to singing and story time, it is always time for something fun! Join Zaza in her daily routine and find out all the interesting things she does.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa, isiZulu, Sesotho, Setswana, Sepedi, Siswati and Xitsonga

See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback
South African Rights (from Macmillan) | 170x170mm | 24pp | 2009



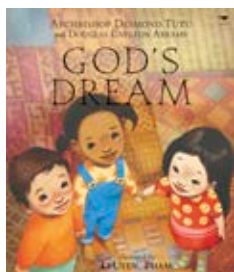
BABY BAOBAB

WRITTEN AND ILLUSTRATED BY CINDY ROBINSON

Baby Baobab is a little tree who thinks that he is better than everyone else. He may be the tallest, greenest tree, but can he learn to share? With the help of his Bushveld friends, Baby Baobab will discover an important lesson about life. This traditional tale explains why the Baobab seems to grow upside-down with its roots in the air. The cast of characters is beautifully depicted in collage.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa and isiZulu

See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 240x170mm | 32pp | 2009



GOD'S DREAM

DESMOND TUTU
ILLUSTRATED BY LEUYEN PHAM

In warm and simple words, Nobel Peace Prize winner Archbishop Desmond Tutu reaches out to children everywhere with his inspiring message of love and forgiveness.

Available in all 11 official South African languages | See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback

Southern African Rights (from Walker Books) | 288x248mm | 36pp | 2009



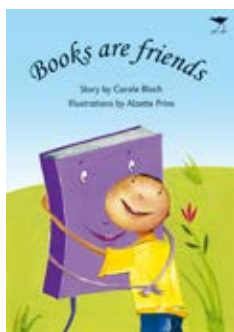
NYAMA AND THE ELAND

DOROTHY KOWEN
ILLUSTRATED BY GILLIAN MATHEW

This is the coming-of-age story of Nyama, a young San girl, as she listens to her grandmother's traditional stories. She takes part in a traditional ceremony that leads her on her own journey to find out more about herself and her people.

Also available in Afrikaans, isiXhosa and isiZulu

See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 210x197mm | 32pp | 2008



BOOKS ARE FRIENDS

CAROLE BLOCH
ILLUSTRATED BY ALZETTE PRINS

Books are Friends highlights through rich text the amazing and fun world of reading and books, from reading in the bath, to taking care of books and sharing ideas.

Available in all 11 official South African languages | See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback

South African Rights (from Macmillan) | 240x170mm | 24pp | 2009



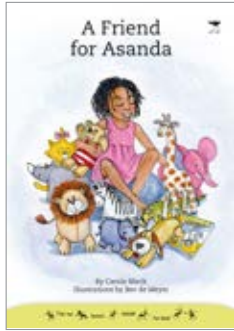
THE LONG TROUSERS

MARYANNE BESTER
ILLUSTRATED BY SHAYLE BESTER

In this story, we find Gaps in the midst of frantic, colourful wedding preparations. His big sister is about to get married. Now Gaps faces another problem: Father Nguni Bull has given him a brand new pair of trousers to wear to the wedding, but they are MUCH too long!

Available in all 11 official South African languages

See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 235x235mm | 32pp | 2008



A FRIEND FOR ASANDA

CAROLE BLOCH
ILLUSTRATED BY BEV DE MEYER

As Mama watches from afar, Asanda visits the animals in her world, looking for a new friend. In this gorgeously illustrated book, the story introduces young children, between 2 and 7, to many animals, from Mischievous Cat to Crazy Crocodile, at the same time promoting a love for reading. Which animal will Asanda choose to be her friend? Children can also interact with the book by hunting for the ants on every page.

Available in all 11 official South African languages

See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 241x170mm | 20pp | 2008



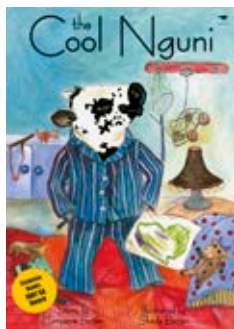
THREE FRIENDS AND A TAXI

MARYANNE BESTER
ILLUSTRATED BY SHAYLE BESTER

Three Friends and a Taxi is a tale first told to the author by a local guide in a taxi in the islands of the Comores. Sheep, Goat and Dog take a taxi to the sea and must face the consequences of their own actions when the time comes to pay the taxi fare. It is a tale told all across Africa, from Nigeria to the Comores to South Africa, and belongs to all of Africa and its people.

Available in all 11 official South African languages

See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 210x297mm | 24pp | 2007



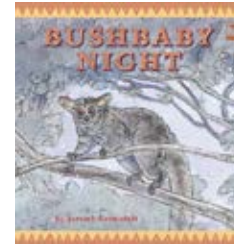
THE COOL NGUNI

MARYANNE BESTER
ILLUSTRATED BY SHAYLE BESTER

The Cool Nguni is a richly illustrated story about a young Nguni calf who questions his identity in relation to other cattle breeds from across the sea. His patient and loving mother listens to his praise-singing and then responds by telling him a tale of the origins and importance of his own breed, the indigenous Nguni. She also explains the names of his relatives and shows him the multi-coloured and patterned hides which make Nguni cattle unique.

Available in all 11 official South African languages

See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 241x170mm | 24pp | 2007



BUSHBABY NIGHT

WRITTEN AND ILLUSTRATED BY JEREMY GRIMSDELL

An educational picture book for children takes the form of a story depicting the daily life and habits of the bushbaby.

Also available in Afrikaans and isiZulu

See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Paperback | World Rights | 210x200mm | 32pp | 2005



AN AFRICAN CHRISTMAS CLOTH

WRITTEN AND ILLUSTRATED BY REVIVA SCHERMBRUCKER

Artist/writer, Reviva Schermbrucker, has embroidered an advent calendar for children in story form. Two and a half years of inspired, meticulous 'stitching', a stellar reproduction and imagery with a South African flavour makes for an original book.

9781770091511 (Paperback) / 9781770090811 (Hardcover)

World Rights | 230x315mm | 36pp | 2005



GUIDE TO THE ANIMALS OF SOUTHERN AFRICA

LYNNE MATTHEWS

This essential guide to the animals of southern Africa has been written specifically for young outdoor enthusiasts. It is filled with fascinating facts about the extraordinary animals living in the area. Discover the amazing adaptations that animals have developed in order to survive. Find out about their lifecycles, the places they live, why some keep territories, why they migrate or hibernate, how they find a mate and escape predators, and how they interact with one another.

978-1-4314-2329-3 | Paperback | World Rights | 210x140mm | 280pp | 2016

EXPLORING OUR BIOMES (BOXED SET)

KAROLINE HANKS



See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Hardcover
World Rights
233x192mm
72pp each | 2009
5 volumes per box set

EXPLORING OUR PROVINCES (BOXED SET)

MIKE CADMAN



See pricelist for individual ISBNs | Hardcover
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9 volumes per box set
Also available in Afrikaans

GREAT PEOPLE, GREAT PLACES OF SOUTH AFRICA (BOXED SET)



LAUREN SEGAL,
CYNTHIA KROS,
PATRICIA WATSON &
DIANE FAVIS

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EXPLORING OUR NATIONAL DAYS (BOXED SET)



SAHM VENTER

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72pp each | 2009
7 volumes per box set



BORN TO BE FREE

GARETH PATTERSON

When the Lion Man of Africa, George Adamson, passed away, his last lion cub orphans faced an uncertain future. Lion expert Gareth Patterson rescues George's cubs, and by living as a human member of the little pride, he prepares to introduce the young lions back into the wild.

978-1-4314-2617-1 | Paperback | Southern African Rights | 197x128mm | 208pp | 2018



THE TIGER, THE MOUSE & THE FURIOUS MASTURBATOR

CHRISTY CHILIMIGRAS

This is the shockingly brilliant debut memoir of a 24-year-old Greek South African girl growing up in Johannesburg in a space of pure chaos, raised by two addict parents. A book that simply pulsates with edgy originality, that unleashes a Millennial's unapologetic perspective of our world, Christy Chilimigras is a new voice that demands to be read.

978-1-928420-20-0 | Trade Paperback | World Rights | 235x155mm | 196pp | 2018



WHEN MORNING COMES

ARUSHI RAINA

It is 1976 in South Africa. A failed plot, a murdered teacher, a powerful police agent with a vendetta, and a secret network of students across the township. The students will rise. And there will be violence when morning comes.

This book offers an impeccably researched and vivid snapshot of South African society on the eve of the uprising that changed it forever.

978-1-4314-0713-2 | Paperback

Southern African Rights (from Trade Winds) | 210x148mm | 210pp | 2018



HAMBA SUGAR DADDY

NAPE 'A MOTANA

Meet Rolivhowa Ramabulana, a grade 12 pupil whose financial difficulties are exploited and influenced by Kedibone Mahlope into being a sugar baby. Rolivhowa's whole life changes after meeting Bigvy Masemola, the sugar daddy; she no longer eats the same food as other financially challenged students and is now able to afford expensive clothing and carry the latest phone. Bigvy has introduced her to a new lifestyle but at what cost?

978-1-4314-2422-1 | Trade Paperback | World Rights | 235x155mm | 240pp | 2016

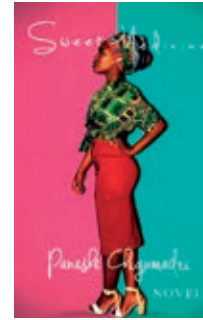


NWELEZELANGA: THE STAR CHILD

UNATHI MAGUBENI

This debut novel is nothing short of a masterpiece. Nokwakha gives birth to an albino child, and the midwife convinces her that it is a curse and she should snuff the life out of it before it takes another breath. The dreadful deed is done by the river, but the ‘all-knowing one’ has other plans. With an assured voice and eloquent prose, Magubeni invites us into the life of this extraordinary being, Nwelezelanga, the child who should not have been, contrasting the themes of darkness and light, embracing the unknown and unseen in a way no one else has – or can.

978-1-928337-24-9 | Paperback | World Rights | 216x116mm | 132pp | 2016

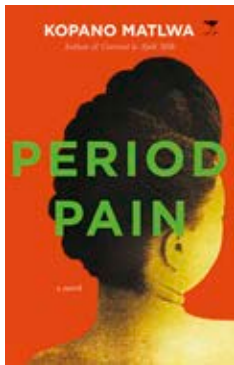


SWEET MEDICINE

PANASHE CHIGUMADZI

Sweet Medicine is a thorough and evocative attempt at grappling with a variety of important issues in the postcolonial context: tradition and modernity; feminism and patriarchy; spiritual and political freedoms and responsibilities; poverty and desperation; and wealth and abundance.

978-1-928337-12-6 | Paperback | World Rights | 216x116mm | 220pp | 2015



PERIOD PAIN

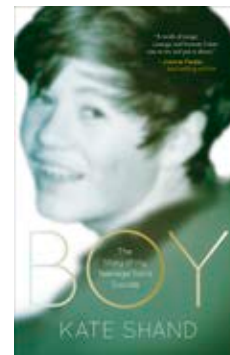
A Novel

KOPANO MATLWA

This book poignantly captures the heartache and confusion of so many South Africans who feel defeated by the litany of headline horrors: xenophobia, corrective rape, corruption and crime and for many the death sentence that is the public health nightmare. Through this story we are able to reflect, to question and to rediscover our humanity.

Published in the UK by Hodder & Stoughton as *Evening Primrose*.

978-1-4314-2437-5 | Paperback | Southern African Rights | 212x136mm | 160pp | 2016



BOY

The Story of my Teenage Son's Suicide

KATE SHAND

Boy is the searing and beautifully written memoir by a mother, Kate Shand, whose son took his own life one afternoon when no one was looking. John Peter, known to most as Boy, was only 14 years old when he made the tragic decision to hang himself, leaving behind a devastated family grappling to cope with the overwhelming loss of a beloved son and brother.

978-1-920601-16-4 | Trade Paperback | World Rights | 235x155mm | 224pp | 2013



WHAT WILL PEOPLE SAY?

REHANA ROSSOUW

Rehana Rossouw's unique voice gives life and drama to this family saga of the Fourie family, residents of Hanover Park in the Cape Flats during the height of the struggle era. A rich variety of township characters – the preachers, the teachers, the gangsters and the defeated – come to life in vivid language as they eke out their lives in the shadows of grey concrete blocks of flats. Which members of the Fourie family will thrive, which ones will not survive?

978-1-4314-2024-7 | Trade Paperback | World Rights | 235x155mm | 340pp | 2015

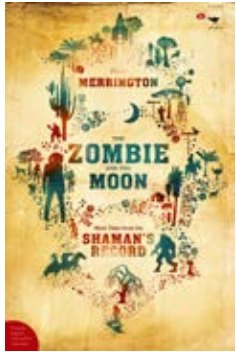


SATURDAYS ARE GOLD

PIERRE VAN ROOYEN

Pierre Van Rooyen's latest novel, *Saturdays Are Gold*, was nominated for *The Guardian's* Not the Booker Prize 2011. Set in 1940s Johannesburg, it explores the innocence of childhood in an adult world of prohibition, superstition, sorcery, divination, child abduction and muti murder. Seven year old Maudie is kidnapped because she witnesses a muti murder and her brother, nine year Tadpole, is the only one who can rescue her.

978-1-4314-0378-3 | Paperback
Southern African Rights (from Endaxi Press) | 212x136mm | 384pp | 2012



THE ZOMBIE AND THE MOON

More Tales from the Shaman's Record

PETER MERRINGTON

From the imagination of Peter Merrington, author of *Zebra Crossings: Tales from the Shaman's Record*, comes an eclectic tale, woven with folklore, fairy tale and magic, that draws urban shaman Malibongwe Ngingingini and his beloved apprentice, Anna Persens, into a quest to heal their land of the zombie's curse: a foul emanation of fog and narcolepsy.

978-1-4314-0171-0 | Paperback | World Rights | 212x136mm | 224pp | 2011



RAINMAKER

DON PINNOCK

Many young South Africans are facing a massive crisis of identity, but none so great as those in the ghettos. For them little has changed and Nelson Mandela's dream of a rainbow nation of opportunity is a bitter joke.

978-1-77009-780-3 | Paperback | World Rights | 210x148mm | 144pp | 2010



JOONIE

RAYDA JACOBS

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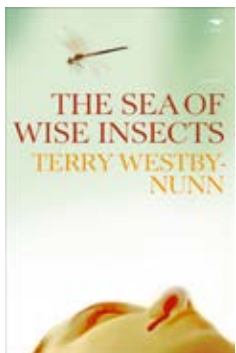


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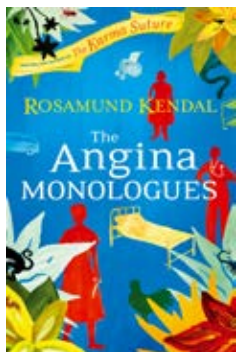


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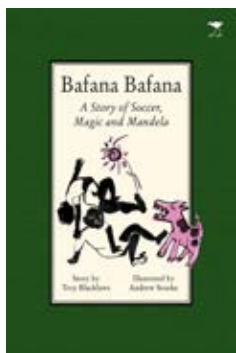


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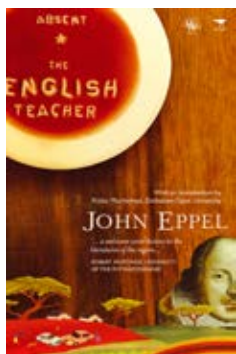
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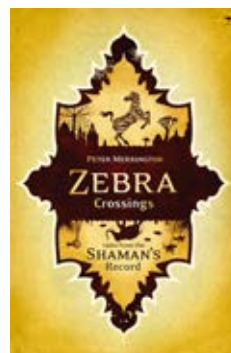


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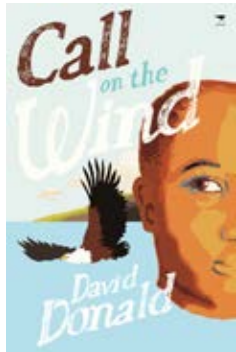


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SHARP SHARP, ZULU DOG

ANTON FERREIRA

Vusi, an eleven-year-old Zulu boy growing up in poverty in rural South Africa, is enchanted by the helpless puppy he finds in the bush and adopts it as his own. He names it Gillette for its razor-sharp teeth and hides it from his mother.

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LUCKY FISH!

REVIVA SCHERMBRUCKER

Lucky Fish! is a novel set in Johannesburg during the 1960s and told by a 13-year old boy named Stephen. This account of Stephen's life during the apartheid regime when his parents, Ivor and Lucy, became political prisoners is remarkable for its authenticity and freshness.

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