

Episode 28 - Once Upon A Rhyme





Chrissie Krebs is an Author/Illustrator of children's picture books.

Her books include: This Is A Circle, There Is Something Weird In Santa's Beard (Penguin Random House) and Pig In A Wig (Omnibus Scholastic). She has also been lucky enough to illustrate for the exceptionally talented author Michael Gerard Bauer, which resulted in the hilarious picture book Rodney Loses It! (Scholastic). Rodney Loses It! went on to win the 2018 CBCA Book of the Year in the Early Childhood category, as well as the Speech Pathology Book of the Year for 3 – 5 year olds.

Chrissie would love to continue writing and illustrating books for children and is currently interested in expanding her genre to junior fiction chapter books.

Find out more about Chrissie at:



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PS Chrissie recommends the website **RHYME ZONE** in our interview - check it out <u>here</u> for some rhyming words on tap!

Some of Chrissie's books include:



Rodney Loses It!



<u>This Is A Circle</u>



<u>There Is Something Weird In</u> <u>Santa's Beard</u>



<u>Pig In A Wig</u>

Kids Capers - Rhyming books that kids love!



Elodie loves **Slug Needs A Hug!** by Jeanne Willis and Tony Ross.



Emma loves **The Cat In The Hat Comes Back** by Dr Seuss.



Chelsea loves **The Book Chook** by Amelia McInerney & Connah Brecon.

Whatcha Readin?

Shout-out

Kate recommends **Kicking a Ball** by Allen Ahlberg, illustrated by Sebastien Braun and published by Puffin UK. <u>amazon.com/Kicking-Ball-Allan-Ahlberg/dp/0723271208</u>





Liz recommends **The Sisters Saint-Claire**, written by Carlie Gibson, illustrated by Tamsin Ainslie and published by Allen & Unwin.

allenandunwin.com/browse/books/childrens/picture-books/The-Sisters-Saint-Claire



Nat recommends **Rhyme Cordial** written and illustrated by Antonia Pesenti and published by Scribe. <u>scribepublications.com.au/books-authors/books/rhyme-cordial</u>



This episode, Nat gives a shoutout to the **HEROES AND VILLAINS**, Better Read Kids Creative Writing Competition run by <u>Better Read Than Dead</u> <u>Bookshop</u> in Newtown.

Find out more at: <u>www.betterread.com.au/discount-books/better-read-kids.do</u>

Email entries to <u>kids@betterread.com.au</u> by April 26 with the subject line 'Kids Writing Competition'.

On Our Radar

Kate is getting SUPER excited about the **Bologna Book Fair** and the fact that her book will be there. Eeeeekkkk!

Check out all the excitement at www.bookfair.bolognafiere.it/en/home/878.html







Competition Details



This episode, we have two super fun Chrissie Krebs books to giveaway. First is **Pig in a Wig**, written AND illustrated by Chrissie, PLUS a copy of **Rodney Loses It**, by Michael Gerard Bauer and illustrated by Chrissie Krebs.

Head to our **WIN** page and simply impress us with *two lines of rhyme of your own*. It can be about anything you like! Enter your answer (or ask a parent to) by 5pm Tuesday 9th April to be in the running.

Other Bits & Pieces



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Nat awesome (ish) rap was based on the brilliant book **Piranhas Don't Eat Bananas** by Aaron Blabey. If you want to see it done properly, then grab yourself a copy and try not to sing Nat's song in your head while you're reading. (P..p..pirahnas, don't eat b, b, bananas!)

Also - apologies to Mr Blabey. We promise we won't let Nat sing ANY more of your books!

Thanks

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