

WINDOWS ON THE WORLD

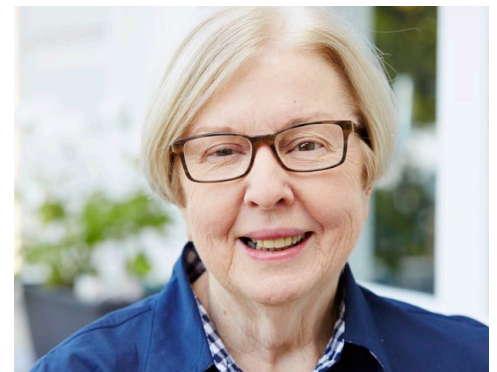
IBBY Australia invites you to celebrate International Children's Book Day

Program } **Tamsin Janu** 'A World of Stories'
Matt Ottley 'Teacup, one boy's journey'
Robin Morrow 'Books as windows on refugee experiences'

Saturday 7 April 2018 at 2 pm

At Santa Maria del Monte School

59 The Boulevarde (cnr Carrington Street) Strathfield NSW



TAMSIN JANU studied law at university. *Figgy in the World*, and its sequels, *Figgy and the President* and *Figgy Takes the City*, were born from memories of Tamsin's time in Ghana. Many of the locations she visited and kids she met are depicted in her novels. Her standalone 2017 junior fantasy novel, *Blossom*, is set in Australia. Tamsin won the Children's Literature Award and Premier's Award at the 2016 Adelaide Festival Awards for Literature, and was joint winner of the Patricia Wrightson Prize at the 2015 NSW Premier's Literary Awards.

MATT OTTLEY spent his childhood in Papua New Guinea; studied visual arts, classical guitar and music composition; and worked as a stockman on remote cattle stations. He is a writer, composer and visual artist. His books include: *Luke's Way of Looking* (Nadia Wheatley) CBCA Honour Book; *Home and Away* (John Marsden) CBCA Honour Book; YA book *Requiem for a Beast*, Picture Book of the Year; *Parachute* (Danny Parker) CBCA shortlist; and *Teacup* (Rebecca Young) winner 2016 Patricia Wrightson Prize, NSW Premier's Literary Awards, and IBBY Australia Honour Book for Illustration 2018.

DR ROBIN MORROW AM is national president, IBBY Australia. She founded the first specialist children's bookshop in Sydney and managed it for 25 years, while writing reviews for newspapers and teaching courses in children's literature. Recent teaching includes a postgraduate course in Australian youth literature for Simmons College, Boston. Robin has served on many awards panels, including for the CBCA awards, and currently as a judge for the NSW Premier's Literary Awards.

DELICIOUS AFTERNOON TEA INCLUDED

\$35 IBBY member/concession | **\$40** non-member

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