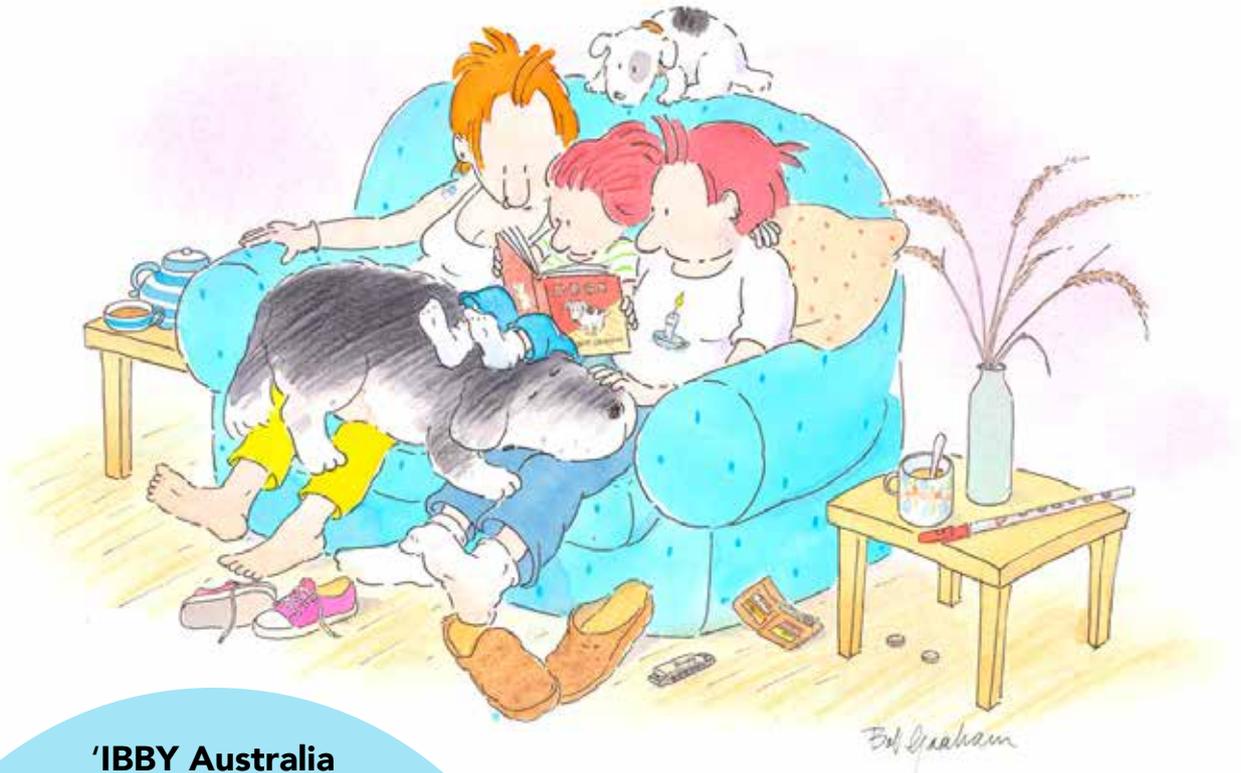


# Original Bob Graham Artwork Auction



**'IBBY Australia**  
is delighted to offer for  
auction an original Bob Graham  
artwork, the proceeds from which  
will be dedicated to IBBY Australia's  
programs and to IBBY's Children in Crisis  
Fund. Our thanks again to the esteemed  
artist Bob Graham for his donation in  
support of international promotion of  
Australian creators of works  
for young people.'

**Dr Robyn Sheahan-Bright AM,  
President, IBBY Australia Inc.**

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This original artwork 'Cosy on the couch' by Bob Graham is now available for sale! Generously donated by Bob, it is a celebration of his award-winning book *Let's Get a Pup!* which won the Boston Globe-Horn Book Award (US), 2002, and the CBCA Early Childhood Award, 2002 and was shortlisted for the Kate Greenaway Medal (UK), 2001.

Media: Inks, pencils and chalks on watercolour paper  
Image size: 41.5 x 30 cm  
Paper size: 51 x 38.5 cm

This image was printed in a limited edition of 50 giclée prints for a very successful IBBY fund-raising campaign a number of years ago.

Bob Graham is one of Australia's most eminent creators of picture books. His books, loved by generations of families, have won much national and international acclaim and many awards throughout his 40-year career, with many endorsed by Amnesty International. His receipt of the Kate Greenaway Medal in 2003, and his nomination for the IBBY Hans Christian Andersen Award for Illustration in 2012, affirmed his international recognition as one of the greatest artists working in children's book illustration.

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[Authorgraph Bob Graham - Books for Keeps, UK](#)

'I like my books to be quiet  
because this is my experience of life,  
I just take some small, seemingly insignificant event  
and concentrate on that, making the ordinary,  
not extraordinary, but slightly more than ordinary.'

BOB GRAHAM