

Reading in the Stars 3rd

At 8 January [Stop the spread in SA | SA.GOV.AU: COVID-19](#) advised,

“Physical Distancing (or social distancing) means avoiding close contact and crowded places wherever you can. You should:

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- *turn face to face interactions into phone or video conference calls*
- *consider working from home”*

Consistent with this, I have decided to hold the first few sessions via Zoom. As soon as it is safe to do so, meetings will be at the Seven Stars Hotel. If you need help logging on to Zoom, please ring me on 0410 126 737.

DATE	VENUE	AUTHOR	TITLE	FACILIATOR *
17 Jan	Via Zoom	Elizabeth Gaskell	North and South [Available through libraries or online, The Project Gutenberg eBook of North And South, by Mrs. Gaskell]	
21 Feb	Via Zoom	William McGuiness & Sarah Watt	Worse Things Happen at Sea	
21 March	TBA	William McGuiness	The Birdwatcher	
25 April	TBA	Polly Crosby	The Book of Hidden Wonders	
16 May	TBA	Bryce Courtney	Jessica	
20 June	TBA	Graham Swift	Here We Are	
18 July	TBA	Kim Scott	That Deadman Dance	
15 Aug	TBA	Graeme Simsion and Anne Buis	Two Steps Forward	
19 Sept	TBA	Donna Leon	Unto us a Son is Given	
17 Oct	TBA	Trent Dalton,	All the Shimmering Skies	
21 Nov	TBA	Craig Silvey	Honeybee	
19 Dec	TBA	Group to decide		

There are at least 12 of each title in the South Australian library system. It is recommended that at the beginning of the year, members engage the help of their local librarian to reserve every title and suspend the reservation until 5 weeks before our meeting date. Through this method, members should receive a copy approximately 3 weeks before the discussion date.

* Each meeting a member takes responsibility for providing a concise background on the author. They may also provide a summary of key points in critical response to the work, and questions to stimulate discussion.

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