



mandy foot illustrator



Living on a farm in the Adelaide Hills, inspiration is always just a step outside with an abundance of wildlife and farm animals, including a cheeky pony called Piccy and a red and white border collie named Arty, also referred to as my shadow. The obsession with drawing animals and giving them an abundance of personality started when I was about 2 as far as I can remember... with chalk, on my grandparents pavement. Only then they didn't look like animals or anything much for that matter.

After graduating from the University of South Australia in 1992 completing a Bachelor of Design specialising in Illustration, a beeline for the Adelaide Zoo marked the beginning of a career as a freelance illustrator and graphic designer and a wonderful relationship with the Zoo Education Service spanning over a decade, drawing enough animals to fill an encyclopedia. That passion of animals is now shared as a published illustrator and soon to be author, of best selling children's books since 2009, predominantly with an Australian theme and most recently in an exclusive Australian giftware range with Ashdene Manufacturing.



School Sessions offered for JP and Primary students. Educational, lively and interactive with collaborative drawing bringing to life and characterizing their favourite animals! Hands on drawing workshops for primary students offered in this technique also.

For school visits and speaking engagements please email me at mandy@mandyfoot.com

20 titles to date. For a complete list please visit my website www.mandyfoot.com

new releases



'Hush Say the Stars', written by Margaret Spurling, published by Little Book Press, 2018.



COMING IN JULY 2019 'Joey and Riley', my first book as both Author and Illustrator, published by Hachette Australia, 2019.



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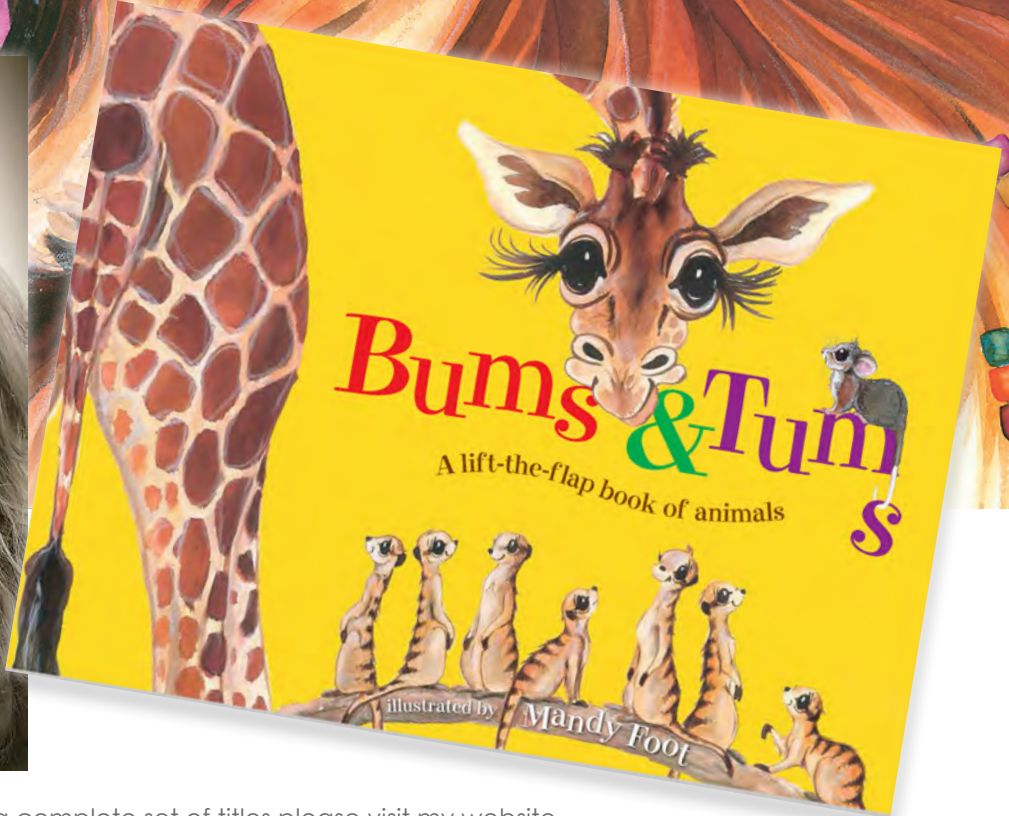
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