

### **EARLY CHILDHOOD NOTABLE BOOKS 2009**

*Intended for children in the pre-reading to early reading stages.*

AUSTRALIAN BROADCASTING CORPORATION illus. various illustrators ***The ABC Book of Lullabies*** (ABC Books)

BANCROFT, Bronwyn ***Possum and Wattle: My Big Book of Australian Words*** (Little Hare Books)

***Can You Keep a Secret?*** Selected by Mark CARTHEW illus. Jobi MURPHY (Random House Australia)

CARNAVAS, Peter ***Jessica's Box*** (New Frontier Publishing)

FORRESTAL, Elaine illus. Moira COURT ***Miss Llewellyn-Jones*** (Fremantle Press)

GRAHAM, Bob ***How to Heal a Broken Wing*** (Walker Books)

GRAY, Nigel illus. Elise HURST ***The Flood*** (Windy Hollow Books)

GODWIN, Jane illus. Anna WALKER ***Little Cat and the Big Red Bus*** (Viking, Penguin Group Australia)

KING, Stephen Michael ***Leaf*** (Scholastic Australia)

KWAYMULLINA, Ambelin and Ezekiel ***The Two-Hearted Numbat*** (Fremantle Press)

LAWRENSEN, Diana illus. Dee HUXLEY ***Paraphernalia's Present*** (ABC Books)

MCKIMMIE, Chris ***Special Kev*** (Allen & Unwin)

MANIATY, Christine & Peter illus. Claire RICHARDS ***A Little Bit*** (Omnibus Books, Scholastic Australia)

MILLARD, Glenda illus. Stephen Michael KING ***Applesauce and the Christmas Miracle*** (ABC Books)

PIGNATARO, Anna ***Brave Little Penguin*** (Scholastic Australia)

SULLIVAN, Rosemary illus. Dee HUXLEY ***Tom Tom*** (Working Title Press)

WALKER, Anna ***I Love to Sing*** (Scholastic Australia)

WALKER, Anna ***I Love to Dance*** (Scholastic Australia)

WALKER, Anna ***I Love Birthdays*** (Scholastic Australia)

WALKER, Anna ***I Love Holidays*** (Scholastic Australia)

WILD, Margaret illus. Gwyn PERKINS ***Baby Bird's Blankie*** (Working Title Press)

WILD, Margaret illus. Stephen Michael KING ***The Pocket Dogs go on Holidays*** (Omnibus Books, Scholastic Australia)

WILD, Margaret illus. Julie VIVAS ***Puffling*** (Omnibus Books, Scholastic Australia)