

FORRESTAL, Elaine (1941-)

Elaine Forrestal is a West Australian children's author whose work has been published in Australia and overseas. Elaine gave up her career as a school teacher to concentrate on writing. She has received several honors and Awards for her work.

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1980	5600A,6196A, 6651A 6850A, 8320A, 10303A	2m	2002, 2004, 2007, 2020	BA/PA/02/0025	

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REQUEST USING THIS NUMBER	DATE RANGE	DESCRIPTION
		ALBUMS
ACC 6651A	1991 – 2005	"The book launch book: a pictorial record". Album of photos of book launches; stories behind the books; and photos and notes on special events attended by Elaine Forrestal.
		ARTICLES
ACC 6850A/11	August 2004	Article "Elaine Forrestal" in Marginata Issue 7, August 2004, pages 1, 12
		ARTWORKS
ACC 6196A/1		By children of Monee Ponds West Primary School.
		BOOKLETS
ACC 5600A/1	1999	Booklet of letters to Elaine Forrestal from children of Holy Spirit Catholic School, City Beach, WA

		CARDS
ACC 5600A/2		Thank you cards from a variety of people
ACC 6196A/2		Thank you and congratulation cards
		CERTIFICATES
ACC 6196A/3	n.d.	Certificates presented to Elaine Forrestal-Engaging Education Conference, Assistant Teacher Programme. (2)
ACC 5600A/3	1994 – 1998	Certificate presented to Elaine Forrestal for attending the First Steps Professional Development Course in 1994 Certificate presented to Elaine Forrestal for participation in a Literature-based Technology course at the SciTech Discovery Centre, 1998 Certificate presented to Elaine Forrestal for participation in Early Childhood Education Management Issues course, 19985600A
ACC 6196A/4	1996-1998, 2001	Certificates presented to Elaine Forrestal -Children’s Book Week Seminars, Edith Cowan Memorial on Early Childhood, Workshop “Teacher Portfolio Development”, Australian Literacy Educators’ Association Conference, Parkfield Primary School. (6)
		CONTRACTS
ACC 6196A/5	August 2003	Children’s Book Week (2)
		CORRESPONDENCE
ACC 6196A/6	n.d.	General Correspondence
ACC 5600A/4	1984 – 1996	General Correspondence
ACC 6196A/7	1996/1998-2003	General Correspondence
ACC 6196A/8	1996-2003	Correspondence from Edith Cowan University.
ACC 5600A/5	1997 – 2001	General Correspondence
ACC 6196A/9	1997-2001	Correspondence with Nestle “Write Around Australia”.
ACC 6196A/10	1999-2003	Emails - General correspondence.
ACC 6196A/11	2000-2003	Correspondence from The Children’s Book Council of Australia.
ACC 5600A/6-9	1985 - 2001	Correspondence and copies of contracts between Elaine Forrestal and Penguin from the beginning of their business relationship to 2001.
ACC 6196A/12	2002-2003	Further correspondence from Penguin Australia.
ACC 8320A/1	2005-2008	Email correspondence between Elaine Forrestal and her editor, Catherine McCredie.
ACC 8320A/2 OSM	n.d.	Sample of letters and cards from Neerabup Primary School and Wembley Downs primary School.
		DIARIES
ACC 6850A/22	2000	Notepad diary, handwritten.13p. 26 May 2000 – 6 June 2000
		FILES
ACC 5600A/10		Awards, reviews and newspaper clipping relating to the publication of “Someone like me”
ACC 5600A/11		Greetings cards received by Elaine Forrestal following the publication of “Someone like me”
ACC 5600A/12		Correspondence relating to the publication of “Someone like me”. Includes letters of congratulation from schoolchildren

ACC 5600A/13		Correspondence relating to the publication of "Someone like me". Includes letters of congratulation from schoolchildren
ACC 5600A/14		Awards, reviews, correspondence, newspaper clippings and a photograph, relating to the publication of "Stragglers Reef" and "Graffiti on the Fence"
ACC 5600A/15		Correspondence, cards, newspaper clippings, reviews, etc., relating to the publication of "The Watching Lake"
ACC 6850A/5		Reviews, correspondence, and a newspaper clipping relating to the publication of "Wild Wind". 8 items
ACC 6850A/6		Awards and correspondence relating to the publication of "Black Earth". 7 items
ACC 6850A/7		Reviews and correspondence relating to the publication of "Stone Circle". 5 items
ACC 6850A/8		Awards, reviews, and correspondence relating to "Deep Water". Includes drawings and letters of congratulations from schoolchildren.
ACC 6850A/9		Greetings cards and congratulatory notes received by Elaine Forrestal. 9 items
ACC 6850A/10		Correspondence and reviews relating to "Rainbow Jackets". 8 items
ACC 6850A/31	1988 – 2000	Correspondence, guidelines and a catalogue from publisher "Highlights for Children".
ACC 6850A/32	1980 – 2001	Correspondence, receipts, agreements and guidelines from various publishers.
ACC 8320A/3	c2005 – 2008	Reviews of "Black Jack Anderson", includes newspaper cuttings relating to publication.
ACC 10303A/6	2001-2019	Handwritten notes; newspaper clippings relating to Forrestal; emails and letters of congratulations from schoolchildren and teachers; publisher promotional materials.
ACC 10303A/7	2010 – 2014	Newspaper clippings, photographs, letters, awards.
ACC 10303A/8	2011 – 2012	Newsletters of various schools and organisations that Forrestal features in.
ACC 10303A/9	2009 – 2010	Reviews, publisher promotional materials, workshop flyers for Fremantle Children's Literature Centre.
ACC 10303A/10	2008-2009	Newspaper clippings, reviews, publisher promotional materials, photographs.
ACC 10303A/11	2007-2011	Greetings cards received from teachers and schoolchildren; newsletters, invitations; emails and letters of congratulations from schoolchildren and teachers.
ACC 10303A/12	2012	A laminated and spiral bound response to "Deep Water" from Year 5 students at Campbell Primary School, W.A.
		FORMS
ACC 6196A/13		Children's Book Council registration. Fremantle Children's Literature Centre residence. Midland District Education Office presentation.
		INVITATIONS
ACC 6196A/14		Book Launch "Glassful of Giggles. Presentation "Nestle Write Around Australian". Setting of "Leaving no Footprints".
ACC 6850A/17		Book launch "Kids' Night In". Workshop "Sharing Their Craft: Creating Memorable Books"

		LETTERS
ACC 5600A/16		Personal thank you letters from friends and fans
ACC 6196A/15		Letters and emails from readers.
ACC6850A/12		Letters from Woodvale Primary schoolchildren.
ACC 6850A/13		Letters from Dernancourt Primary schoolchildren relating to "Someone Like Me".
ACC 6850A/21		Letters from readers relating to "Someone Like Me".
ACC 6850A/24		Letters from Wandin Yallock Primary School children
ACC 6850A/26		Letters from readers relating to "Winning".
ACC 6850A/27		Letters from Mundaring Primary schoolchildren.
ACC 6850A/28		Letters and drawings from Churchlands Primary schoolchildren.
ACC10303A/5	5 July 2019 10 July 2015 2 April 2013 2015	Letter from State Library of Western Australia Letter from Department of Culture & the Arts Letter from Australian Society of Authors, including a signed agreement. Letter from The Children's Book Council of Australia
		LISTS
ACC 6196A/16		Radio stations, magazines and newspapers. Family addresses.
		MANUSCRIPTS
ACC 5600A/17		Draft book covers
ACC 6196A/17		Draft book cover "Winning"
ACC 5600A/18		Draft copy of an unpublished short story "Carried South"
ACC 5600A/19		Draft copy of "Graffiti on the fence"
ACC 5600A/20		Galleys and proofs of "Graffiti on the fence"
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ACC 5600A/21		Draft copies of "The Great Galumphing Giant"
ACC 5600A/22		Draft and proof copies of "The Millennium Bug"
ACC 5600A/23		1 st draft of "The Rainbow Dancer"
ACC 5600A/24		2 nd draft of "The Rainbow Dancer"
ACC 5600A/25		Final draft? of "The Rainbow Dancer"
ACC 5600A/26		Draft copy of "Toss" published as "Someone like me". Includes newspaper cuttings used as references.
ACC 5600A/27		1 st draft of "Toss" published as "Someone like me"
ACC 5600A/28		2 nd draft of "Toss" published as "Someone like me"
ACC 5600A/29		Final draft of "Toss" published as "Someone like me"
ACC 5600A/30		Draft copy of "Stragglers Reef". Includes newspaper cuttings used as references and editor's marking up for the printer, and comments and counter comments between editor and author.
ACC 5600A/31		Draft copy of "The Watching Lake"
ACC 5600A/32		Draft illustrations for "The Watching Lake"
ACC 5600A/33		Draft copy of "The Watching Lake" and first version of first novel (later published as The Watching Lake) put together with a homemade cover to give to 2 children, aged about 10, to read and comment on. This version was never sent to Penguin
ACC 5600A/34		Draft copy of "Your Country, My Country". Stories for telling or reading aloud to young children.
ACC 6196A/18		Draft copies of "The Cross-Eyed Mirror".
ACC 6196A/19		Draft copy of "Stone Circle" with author and publisher notes.
ACC 6196A/20		Draft copy of "Deep Water" with author and publisher notes.
ACC 6850A/4		1 st draft of "Black Earth". 49p.
ACC 6850A/18		1 st draft of "The Message" (later published as "Leaving No Footprints" in 2001). 23p.

ACC 6850A/19		2 nd draft of "A Message from Across the Sea" (later published as "Leaving No Footprints" in 2001). 27p.
ACC 6850A/20		Draft copy of "Leaving No Footprints". Includes newspaper cuttings and copies of photographs used as references, notes, and comments and counter comments between editor and author. 70p.
ACC 6850A/21		Draft copy of "The Cross-eyed Mirror" (published in the anthology "Kids' Night In"). 14p.
ACC 6850A/23a		Draft copy of "Wild Wind". 65p
ACC 6850A/23b		"Wild Wind". Newspaper cuttings used as references, memo book, notes, and comments and counter comments between editor and author.
ACC 6850A/25a		Draft copy of "Black Earth" 59p.
ACC 6850A/25b		"Black Earth" - newspaper cuttings used as references, notes, and comments and counter comments between editor and author
ACC 6850A/29		Draft copy of "Deep Water" with author and editor notes. 88p.
ACC 6850A/30		Draft copy of "Black Earth". 57p.
ACC 8320A/4	2007	Draft, "Black Jack Anderson", marked up by editor, Catherine McCredie, with responses by Elaine Forrestal A4 pages, 165p., unbound
ACC 8320A/5 OSM		Draft, "Black Jack Anderson" A3 pages, 286p., unbound
ACC 8320A/6	2000	Drafts (3), "I can't find my socks" + photocopy of pages 44,45 from published manuscript. Published in Rainbow Jackets, Fremantle Arts Centre Press, 2003
ACC8320A/7	1980-1999	Drafts (7), "The magic piano"
ACC 10303/1		Draft (1) "Blood and Gold," shows handwritten working title "The Blood-red Hammers of Day" and "Blood and Stones". Handwritten author notes. A4 pages, 53p., unbound.
ACC 10303/2	January 2017	Early draft of "Life Blood" later published as "Goldfield Girls." Handwritten author notes. A4 pages, 93p., unbound.
ACC 10303/3	July 2018	Draft (7) "Life Blood" later published as "Goldfields Girl" by Fremantle Press, May 2020. Handwritten author notes. A4, 133p., unbound.
ACC 10303/4	October 2010	1 st complete Draft "Wild Rose" sent to Penguin; published by The National Library Press as "To See the World" in 2014. Handwritten author notes. A4, 143p., unbound. Separate handwritten notes on the draft. Email from Irma Gold with editorial notes 12 April 2003. Email to Erica Wagner re revised draft 30 May 2012.
		MINUTES
ACC 6196A/21	1997	School of Educational and Social Inquiry, 10 December 1997
		NEWSPAPER CUTTINGS
ACC 6196A/22		Book reviews
ACC 6850A/15		Author and writing competition briefs
		NEWSLETTERS

ACC 6196A/23	June 1998 March 2001 August 2003	Churchlands Primary School. Penrhos College. CBCA WA Branch.
ACC 6850A/16	2003 2000	CBCA WA Branch No. 4/2003 page 11 Tjuringa November 2000.
		NOTES
ACC 6196A/24		Various authors, author / illustrator brief.
		ORAL HISTORIES
ACC 5600A/37		BBC Radio Ulster, evening extra. Interview with Elaine Forrestal.
		PAPERS
ACC 6196A/25		Elaine Forrestal in Italy.
		PHOTOGRAPHS
ACC 6196A/26		Large group on beach with identifications. Photocopies, school groups (14).
ACC 6850A/14		Photocopies, individual workshop (2) and classroom groups in Busselton (8).
		POEMS
ACC 5600A/35		A notebook of poetry written by Elaine Forrestal between the ages of 10 – 12 years.
		POSTCARDS
ACC 6196A/27		To Mrs. Forrestal from A2, Phoenix Primary School.
ACC 6196A/28		Holiday cards (3)
		PROCEDURES
ACC 6196A/29		Professional Study Group.
		PROGRAMMES
ACC 6196A/30	2002 2003	All Saints' College Literature Festival. The Children's Book Council of Australia 6 th National Conference. Includes Speakers' Kit. Festival of Melville
		PROOFS
ACC 6850A/33		Publisher's proof of "Black Earth" (Original proof).
ACC 6850A/34		Publisher's proof of "Wild Wind" (3 rd page proof).
ACC 6850A/35		Publisher's proof of "Wild Wind" (2 nd page proof).
ACC 6850A/36		Publisher's proof of "Deep Water".
ACC 6850A/37		Publisher's proof of "Wild Wind" (1 st page proof).
ACC 6850A/38		Publisher's proof of "Stone Circle" (Original proof).
		PUBLICATIONS
ACC 5600A/36		Copies of The Argosy published by the Argonauts Club which published early Forrestal writings under the pseudonyms of Dragon's Tooth and Golden Fleece. Leaflet profiling Elaine Forrestal and her novels.
TRANSFERRED TO MONOGRAPHS		"Someone like me" by Elaine Forrestal. English version.
ACC 6196A/31	2002	Magpies Volume 17, Issue No. 2 May 2002. Includes "Know the Author" pages 8 –10.
ACC 6850A/1	1989	Highlights for Children Volume 44, Issue No. 1 January 1989. Includes "Y-A-W-N" page 31.

ACC 6850A/2	1989	Highlights for Children Volume 44, Issue No. 5 May 1989. Includes "The Humptee Umbrella" pages 16-17.
		QUESTIONNAIRES
ACC 6196A/32		What is this book about?
		REPORTS
ACC 6196A/33		Nestle Write Around Australia - Evaluations.
		RESEARCH NOTES
ACC 8320A/8	2005-2008	Handwritten notes for "Black Jack Anderson"
		REVIEWS
ACC 6196A/34		"The Watching Lake", "A Glassful of Giggles"
		VIDEOS
ACC 5600A/38 20° Stack		Interview with Elaine Forrestal by Maggie McTaggart of the BBC (NI)
ACC 5600AD/38		Interview with Elaine Forrestal by Maggie McTaggart of the BBC (NI)
ACC 5600A/39 20° Stack		Benjamin's Toothbrush Something in the Cupboard
ACC 5600AD/39		Benjamin's Toothbrush Something in the Cupboard

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