

# Specky Magee



& the Best of Oz



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# Felice Arena

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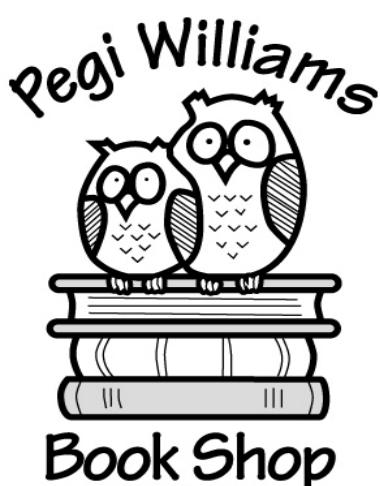
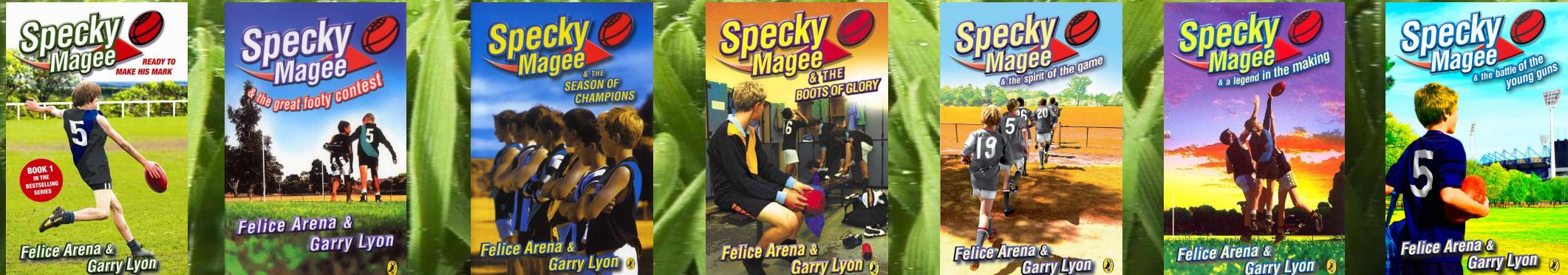
## Specky Magee and the Best of Oz

Specky has been selected to represent Australia in International Rules, taking on the Irish in a two-test competition in Ireland. Can the boys learn to play with a new set of rules and perfect their skills with the round ball before the Irish team wipes the field with them? And is someone trying to sabotage the Aussie team's chances of winning? The pressure is on, and to make matters worse Specky has some serious decisions to make about his future before he returns home . . .

This trip to Ireland is no holiday and Specky will have to dig deep to face the biggest challenge of his life!

While each book stands alone as its very own action-packed story, you may prefer reading the ongoing drama about Specky and his friends in the order they were written:

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| 1. Specky Magee (Revised Edition)           | 5. Specky Magee and a Legend in the Making         |
| 2. Specky Magee and the Great Footy Contest | 6. Specky Magee and the Spirit of the Game         |
| 3. Specky Magee and the Season of Champions | 7. Specky Magee and the Battle of the Young Guns   |
| 4. Specky Magee and the Boots of Glory      | 8. Specky Magee and the Best of Oz <b>NEW 2011</b> |



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