MEDIA RELEASE



by Renae Hayward and Rebecca Mills

KEYNOTE

A baby book from an award-winning author that celebrates the wonderful world of bedtimes.

ABOUT THE BOOK

Exploring all the things babies love to do as they get ready for bed - from bedtime stories to massages from mum - the simple, high-contrast illustrations and playful rhymes feature many recognisable words, like mum, dad and pyjamas.

ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Renae Hayward has authored three books for children, *Barking Mad* (Walker Books Australia), *Say Hello* and *Say Hooray* (Fremantle Press), and was the inaugural recipient of the Ray Koppe Young Writers Residency (Australian Society of Authors/ Varuna).



ABOUT THE ILLUSTRATOR

Rebecca Mills is a graphic designer and illustrator, best known for her bright, colourful, whimsical illustrations. Rebecca's illustrations have made it into exhibitions and onto prints, puzzles, clothing, stamps, and even surfboards.

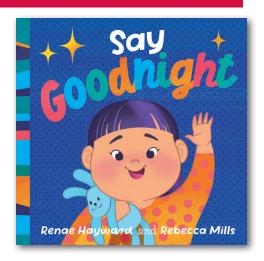
NOTES

- Uses plyaful rhymes and vibrant illustrations to celebrate the wonderful things babies and parents do around bedtime.
- Fifteen years of working in perinatal and infant health taught Renae how important family relationships are in the social and emotional development of babies.
- Renae was the 2024 Books for Little Bookaburras ambassador

 a program that gives more than 14,000 books to almost
 5,000 kindergarten-aged children.

PRAISE FOR THE BOOK

'For those with little humans in their lives, I can't recommend this brilliant book enough. It's a daily favourite and an absolute delight.' *Craig Silvey*



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