UQFL376
Nick Earls Collection

Size
44 boxes

Contents
Literary drafts, correspondence, research notes, audio and video recordings, ephemera.

Date range
1989 to 2014

Biography
Nick Earls was born in Northern Ireland and moved with his family to Australia in 1972. He was educated at the Church of England Grammar School and graduated from the University of Queensland in 1986 with an honours degree in medicine. During the late 1980s and early 1990s he worked in general practice, hospitals and for an insurance company while building his career as a writer. Earls published a book of poems in 1985 and a collection of short stories in 1992, but he attracted most attention when he published *Zigzag Street* and the young adult novel *After January* in 1996. Earls won several prizes for these works and has since pursued a career that produces fiction for adults and young adults. He won more awards for the young adult novel *48 Shades of Brown* (1999) and has built a substantial following with adult novels like *Bachelor Kisses* (1998) and *Perfect Skin* (2000). Widely admired for the comic elements of his fiction, Earls has performed some of his works at festivals. Some of his works have been adapted for the theatre and several screenplays are also under development. He has written a number of plays that have been performed in Australia and England. Earls has also written jingles, comedy scripts and corporate videos. He has been involved with several charities and has assisted with the marketing of his home-town Brisbane. In 2006 Earls was named Queensland's Multicultural Champion in recognition of his 'energetic and passionate advocacy for the rights of refugees and the disadvantaged' and also The University of Queensland's 2006 Alumnus of the Year. – [extracted from AustLit]

Notes
Unrestricted access

Box 1

Folder 1 [Drafts]
Luciana [?] to N Earls, 1p, has attached poems ‘Tee Vee’ and ‘A Quiet Life Passing’, also has three photographs of Nick Earls, nd

‘Pisces’, [draft], 13pp

Folder also contains loose materials:

“‘Come on Mathew, grief’ Andy shouted. ‘Where is it….’ [First line], 1p, nd
‘Mexico’, 1p, nd
‘By the top of the stairs she is composed again, but no…’ [First line], 1p, nd

Folder 2 [Drafts]
‘Adagio’, [draft], 13pp
‘Doom Party’, 37pp
‘Mars’, 11pp
‘Mexico’, 17pp
‘Story with Balloons’, 13pp
‘Carnations, Reincarnations’, 10pp
‘The man next door’, 5pp
‘Mexico’, 3pp
‘Relentlessly’, 3pp
‘Passion’, 7pp

Folder 3 [Drafts]
‘Short stories’, by Nick Earls

Folder 4 [Drafts]
‘Spaces’, 12pp
‘Polaroid Histories’, 15pp
‘Water’, 14pp
‘Water’, 8pp
‘Passion’, 7pp
‘Missiles’, 8pp
‘Nothing but great rock and roll’, 10pp
‘The visitor’, 3pp
‘The drowning point’, 3pp
‘The drowning point’, [multiple pages]

Folder 5
Miscellaneous research notes and materials
Queensland Multicultural Writers Association, various functions, 4pp
Scope, Vol 35, No 1, Feb 1990 and No 4, May 1990
Folder 6 Correspondence

Outgoing
N Earls to [unknown], 1p, 13 Feb 1990
N Earls to Laurie [?], 2p, 15 May 1990

Incoming
D Graves to N Earls, 1p, Mar 1989
B Self to N Earls, 1p, 16 Nov 1989
J Broomhead to N Earls, 1p, 17 Nov 1989

Folder 7 [Drafts]
‘Doom party’, 2pp
‘The master of kites’, 5pp
‘Relentlessly’, 3pp
‘Interiors’, 4pp
‘Look after Mr Waite’, 14pp
‘Dream Sequences’, 6pp
‘Life under glass’, 5pp
‘Cost of Living’, 3pp

Folder 8
‘Passion’ [various draft stages]

Folder 9
‘Passion’ [various draft stages]

Box 2
Folder 1 [Draft]
‘A Brief Republic on the very Edge of Greatness’, [multiple pages]

Folder 2 [Drafts]
‘The master of Kites’, 5pp
‘Pisces’, [2 copies, multiple pages]
‘Diminishing Distances’, [three copies, multiple pages]
‘Drowning point’ [2 copies, multiple pages]
‘Mars’, 5pp
‘Spaces’, 6pp  
‘Carnations, reincarnations’, 10pp  
‘Love as a perfect stranger’, 8pp  
‘Games for the visually impaired’, 14pp  
‘Plaza’, 14pp

**Folder 3**
Senior Project Officer Literature Board from N Earls, 1p, nd [rough draft]  
The *writers train song book*, commissioned for the ‘murder of the Charleville Express, 21-31 of July 1990’  
Miscellaneous loose handwritten and typed leaves

**Folder 4**
Manuscript draft for ‘Clair de Lune’, notes for Dec 1993, [multiple pages]  
‘Clair de Lune II – Body Politick’, [two drafts, multiple pages]

**Folder 5**  
‘Meanwhile, Thirty-eight Above Charlotte’, [two drafts, multiple pages]  
‘The Burning Man’, [draft, multiple pages]  
Letter to Rosie [?] from N Earls, 23 Aug 1992, has attached draft ‘The Burning Man’ 7pp plus 3pp of typed notes  
‘Give someone a Duck’, [draft], 2pp  
‘Learning to Fly’ [short stories, multiple pages]

**Folder 6**  
‘Short pieces’, [draft, multiple pages]

**Box 3**  
‘After January’, [various chapters, multiple pages], 4 bundles  
3.5 Disk – ‘After January’, Nick Earls

**Folder 1**
Various draft stages of chapters from ‘After January’, [multiple pages]
Folder 2
Miscellaneous typed and handwritten loose leaves

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Folder 1
Book covers, *After January*, 10 copies

Folder 2
‘Juliet Novel’, draft, [multiple pages]
‘The Poem about the watcher’, poem, 1p
‘Clutch Cable’, poem, 1p

Folder 3
*After January*, draft chapters 1-19, [multiple pages]

Folder 4
*After January*, draft chapters 20 – 47, [multiple pages]

Folder 5 Correspondence
Fax Outgoing – Nick Earls to Genevieve Hoey
- G Hoey from Nick Earls, 1 Sept 1995, 4pp
- G Hoey from Nick Earls, 8 Sept 1995, 9pp
- G Hoey from Nick Earls, 5 Dec 1995, 1p
- G Hoey from Nick Earls, 10 Jan 1996, 2pp
- G Hoey from Nick Earls, 11 Jan 1996, 1p
- G Hoey from Nick Earls, 15 Jan 1996, 1p
- G Hoey from Nick Earls, 7 Feb 1996, 1p
- G Hoey from Nick Earls, 9 Feb 1996, 1p
- G Hoey from Nick Earls, 12 Feb 1996, 1p
- G Hoey from Nick Earls, 13 Feb 1996, 1p
- G Hoey from Nick Earls, 15 Feb 1996, 1p
- G Hoey from Nick Earls, 29 Feb 1996, 1p
- G Hoey from Nick Earls, 5 Mar 1996, 2p
- G Hoey from Nick Earls, 7 Mar 1996, 1p
• G Hoey from Nick Earls, 2 Apr 1996, 1p
• G Hoey from Nick Earls, 3 Apr 1996, 1p
• G Hoey from Nick Earls, 16 Apr 1996, 1
• G Hoey from Nick Earls, 19 Apr 1996, 1p

Fax Incoming
• G Hoey to N Earls, 1 Mar 1996, 1p
• G Hoey to [N Earls?], 1p, nd

Folder 6 Correspondence
Fax Outgoing: Nick Earls to Leonie Tyle
• N Earls to L Tyle, 20 Nov 1994, 1p
• N Earls to L Tyle, 1 Mar 1995, 3pp
• N Earls to L Tyle, 27 Mar 1995, 2pp
• N Earls to L Tyle, 31 Jul 1995, 11pp
• N Earls to L Tyle, 18 Sep 1995, 2pp
• N Earls to L Tyle, 23 Oct 1995, 1p
• N Earls to L Tyle, 4 Dec 1995, 4pp
• N Earls to L Tyle, 1 Mar 1996, 1p
• N Earls to L Tyle, 14 Mar 1996, 1p
• N Earls to L Tyle, 15 Mar 1994, 2pp
• N Earls to L Tyle, 27 Mar 1996, 2pp
• N Earls to L Tyle, 22 May 1996, 1p
• N Earls to L Tyle, 4 Jun 1996, 1p

Folder 7 Correspondence
Outgoing
• N Earls to R Sheahan, 18 Nov 1994, 1p
• N Earls to Caroline [?], 9 Feb 1995, 1p
• N Earls to M Moriarty, 9 Feb 1995, 1p
• N Earls to S Gribs, 9 Feb 1995, 1p
• N Earls to N Lurie, 13 Feb 1995, 1p
• N Earls to T Coulter, 9 Feb 1995, 1p
• N Earls to A Taranto, 9 Feb 1995, 1p
• N Earls to A Taranto, 13 Feb 1995, 2pp
- N Earls to A Taranto, 17 Feb 1995, 1p
- N Earls to T Coulter, 21 Feb 1995, 1p
- N Earls to Jane [?], 11 Jan 1996
- N Earls to Natalie, 27 Feb 1995
- N Earls to J Greenwood, 29 Feb 1996
- N Earls to T Lyon, 1 Mar 1996
- N Earls to T Coulter, 29 Mar 1996
- N Earls to A Taranto, 29 Mar 1996
- [Unidentified page signed Nick]

Incoming
- P Shelton to N Earls, 1p, 19 Aug 1994
- C Riddell to N Earls, 1p, 10 Feb 1995
- A Taranto to N Earls, 1p, 13 Feb 1995
- T Coulter to N Earls, 1p 13 Feb 1995
- N Lurie to N Earls, 1p, 14 Feb 1995
- A Taranto to N Earls, 1p, 16 Feb 1995
- S Gibbs to N Earls, 1p, 14 Mar 1995
- T Lyon to N Earls, 1p, 2 Feb 1996
- R Sheahan to N Earls, 5pp, 18 Apr 1996
- R Chay to N Earls, 2pp, 6 Jun 1996

Folder 8
The Place at the Coast, draft synopsis dated 9 Apr 1994, 4pp
The Place at the Coast [handwritten draft], 2pp
After January, [various draft chapter pages]
After January, synopsis, 4pp
After January, detailed synopsis, 9pp
After January, chapter 1, [multiple pages]
‘The Coast’, [draft], 6pp

Folder 9 Miscellaneous After January materials
‘After January’, [handwritten drafts], 2pp
[Handwritten notes], 6pp
'Readers Report', 1p  
[English Teachers Association of Queensland Inc], 1p  
[Rough hand drawn floor plan related to After January], 2pp, Feb 1996  
[Handwritten notes, possibly relating to?], 1p  
‘3M Talking Book Award’ [fax], 1p  
‘Cooking with style: quick breads’, [fax], 1p  
‘Accidentally Kelly street where friends…’ [Handwritten notes], 2pp

**Folder 10**

UQP Children’s Book Catalogue, 1996  
‘What’s Best Today’ *Sunday Mail*, 3 Mar 1996  
‘4SS makes waves as it changes bands’, *Sunshine Coast Weekly*, 4 Jan 1995  
‘A new kind of Australian teenage novel, a stunning novel’, 1p  
‘Authors comic passions’, *The Courier Mail*, 22 Jul 1996, 1p  
*Claiming a Place, Program*, ‘The Children’s Book Council of Australia, Third National Conference, 3-6 May 1996’, [booklet]

**Box 5**

**Folder 1**

*HeadGames*, bookplates [6]  
[Miscellaneous unidentified notes, 1p]

**Folder 2 [Drafts]**

‘How the book came about’, [Nick Earl writing on his collected works?] 5pp  
‘Sizzle baby Sizzle’, 12pp  
‘Back soon with fish’, 15pp  
‘The Ekka Job’, 12pp  
‘Short story collection proposal’, 9pp  
‘Box shaped heart’, 12pp  
‘Heart shaped heart’, 10pp  
‘Juliet’, 6pp  
‘Juliet’, 8pp  
‘Problems with a girl and a unicorn’, 18pp  
‘All those ways of leaving’, 23pp
’20-minute hero’, 3pp
‘There must be lions’, 7pp
‘The haircut of a more successful man’, 11pp
‘The haircut of a more successful man’, 11pp
‘There must be lions’, 6pp
‘Nights at the Palace’, 13pp

Folder 3 [draft chapters]
‘Head Games’, 15pp
‘The goat flap brothers and the house of names’, [handwritten], 13pp

Folder 4 [draft chapters]
‘Green’
‘Problems with a girl and a unicorn’
‘A haircut of a more successful man’
‘Back soon with fish’

Folder 5 [draft chapters]
‘Sausage Sizzle’
‘Dog 1, dog 2’
‘All those ways of leaving’
‘Head Games’

Folder 6 [draft chapters]
‘The Ekka job’
‘The goat flap brothers and the house of names’
‘There must be lions’
‘Nights at the palace’
‘Losing it least of all’

Folder 7 [draft chapters]
‘Twenty-minute hero’
‘Moving’
‘Box-shaped heart’
Folder 8 [Correspondence]

[Incoming]
- N Earls from Jam Roll Press, 1p, 22 Feb 1994
- N Earls from J Bradley, 2pp, 25 Jan 1995
- N Earls from Penguin Australia, 1p, 3 Aug 1998
- N Earls from System Administrator, 1p, 23 Nov 1998
- N Earls from Penguin Australia, 1p, 8 Jan 1999
- N Earls from Penguin Australia, 1p, 1 Feb 1999
- N Earls from Penguin Australia, 1p, 19 Oct 1999

[Outgoing]
- N Earls to S Glover, 1p, 3 Feb 1995
- N Earls to F Inglis, 1p, 5 Feb 1995
- N Earls to [James?], 1p, 7 Feb 1995
- N Earls to C Brown, 1p, 29 Sept 1998
- N Earls to R Scully, 1p, 23 Nov 1998

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Folder 1
Bookplates for HeadGames, [2 copies]

Folder 2
HeadGames Editorial queries, 5pp
HeadGames, review, [fax], 22 Dec 1998

[Incoming correspondence]
N Earls from Penguin Australia, 1p, 8 Jul 1999
N Earls from Penguin Australia, [multiple pages], [has attached chapter ‘All those ways of leaving’], 19 Oct 1998
N Earls from Penguin Australia [Rachel], 2pp, nd
N Earls from Penguin Australia [Rachel], 1p, 24 Nov 1998
N Earls from Penguin Australia [Rachel?], card, nd
N Earls from Penguin Australia [Rachel?], with compliments slip, nd
Folder 3 [Chapter drafts: Multiple pages]
‘Box Shaped Heart’
‘Heart Games’
‘The goat flap brothers and the house of names’
‘The haircut of a more successful man’
‘Sizzle Baby Sizzle’
‘Dog 1, Dog 2’
[Two title pages: ‘Plaza from ‘Passion”, 2pp]
‘HeadGames’

Folder 4 [Chapter drafts: multiple pages]
‘The Ekka job’
‘Problems with a girl and a Unicorn’
‘There must be Lions’
‘Nights at the Palace’
‘20-minute hero’
‘Moving’
‘Head Games’
‘The next story is: spaces from ‘Passion’

Bundle 5 [Chapter draft]
‘Green’ [labelled ‘Nick’s collections’, multiple pages]

Bundle 6 [Chapter draft]
‘Green’ [multiple pages]

Box 7
Folder 1 [Draft chapters ‘Zig Zag Street’]
‘Zig Zag Street’, chapter 1, 6pp
‘Zig Zag Street’, chapter 2, 5pp
‘Zig Zag Street’, chapter 3, 3pp
‘Zig Zag Street’, chapter 4, 7pp
‘Zig Zag Street’, chapter 5, 3pp
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'Zig Zag Street', chapter 13, 5pp
'Zig Zag Street', chapter 14, 1p
'Zig Zag Street', chapter 15, 6pp
'Zig Zag Street', chapter 16, 4pp
'Zig Zag Street', chapter 17, 6pp
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'Zig Zag Street', chapter 24, 4pp
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'Zig Zag Street', chapter 40, 4pp
'Zig Zag Street', chapter 41, 5pp
'Zig Zag Street', chapter 42, 2pp

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'Zig Zag Street', chapter 43, 16pp
'Zig Zag Street', chapter 44, 5pp
'Zig Zag Street', chapter 45, 3pp
'Zig Zag Street', chapter 46, 5pp
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'Zig Zag Street', chapter 54, 5pp
'Zig Zag Street', chapter 55, 16pp
'Zig Zag Street', detailed synopsis, [multiple pages]

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Detailed synopsis, [multiple pages]

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[Handwritten chapter notes, multiple pages]

**Bundle 6 [Draft chapters ‘Zig Zag Street’]**

'Zig Zag Street', 55pp

Also in box *The Australian Way*, Jun 1994
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Bundle 1 [Draft chapters ‘Zig Zag Street’]
‘Zig Zag Street’ [multiple pages], [has attached letter from Annabel Adair to Laura Paterson, and with compliments note to Nick Earls from Laura Paterson?]

Bundle 2 [Draft chapters ‘Zig Zag Street’]

Bundle 3 [Draft chapters ‘Zig Zag Street’]
‘Zig Zag Street’ [multiple pages]

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Folder 1 [Draft chapters ‘Zig Zag Street’]
Editorial report on ‘Zig Zag Street’, by Nick Earls, Jan 1996, 4pp
[Handwritten chapter corrections and notes], 5pp
‘Zig Zag Street’, chapter 29, 6pp
‘Zig Zag Street’, chapter 30, 2pp

Folder 2 [Correspondence]
[Outgoing]
- N Earls to B Foley, 1p, 18 Feb 1996
- N Earls to B Foley, [has attached ‘Companion Document’], 5pp, 12 Mar 1996
- N Earls to Transworld Publishers [Laura Paterson], [has attached ‘Possible cover quotes’], 3pp, 13 May 1996
- N Earls to Laura [Paterson?], 1p, 10 May 1996

[Incoming]
- Laura [Paterson?] to N Earls, 1p, 4 Mar 1996
- Bernadette Foley to N Earls, 2pp, 27 Feb 1996

Bundle 3 [Draft chapters ‘Zig Zag Street’]
‘Zig Zag Street’ [55 chapters, multiple pages]

Bundle 4 [Draft chapters ‘Zig Zag Street’]
‘Zig Zag Street’ [55 chapters, multiple pages], [Curtis Brown copy?]
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Folder 1 [Miscellaneous]
Letter to Nick Earls from Curtis Brown [Fiona Inglis], 1p, 19 Apr 2001
Book cover ‘World of Chickens’, Nick Earls
Poster size colour copy of the bookcover for ‘World of Chickens’, Nick Earls [has attached note from Penguin Australia], 11 Apr 2002
Miscellaneous pages 92-100, 145-151, 165-170 and 270-274 from ‘World of Chickens’
Chapter corrections, ‘World of Chickens’ [multiple pages]

Bundle 2 [Drafts ‘World of Chickens’]
Manuscript draft ‘World of Chickens’, [title page][multiple pages]

Bundle 3 [Drafts ‘World of Chickens’]
Manuscript draft ‘World of Chickens’, [multiple pages]

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Bundle 1 [Drafts ‘World of Chickens’]
Manuscript draft ‘World of Chickens’, [multiple pages], [has attached note from St Martins Press, nd]

Bundle 2 [Drafts ‘World of Chickens’]
Manuscript draft ‘World of Chickens’, [multiple pages], nd

Bundle 3 [Drafts ‘World of Chickens’]
Manuscript draft ‘World of Chickens’, [multiple pages], [has attached note from Penguin Australia], nd

Folder 4 [Drafts ‘World of Chickens’]
Manuscript draft ‘World of Chickens’, [drafts, multiple pages], nd
Folder 5
Manuscript draft ‘World of Chickens’, [drafts, 3pp]
‘World of Chickens’, book cover, 1 copy
‘World of Chickens’, editorial queries, 7pp

Folder 6 [Incoming Correspondence]
N Earls from Penguin Australia, 5pp, 23 Apr 2001
N Earls from Penguin Australia, 3pp, 14 Jun 2001
N Earls from Penguin Australia, 2pp, 2 Jul 2001
N Earls from Penguin Australia, 8pp, 10 Apr 2002
N Earls from Penguin Australia, 6pp, includes attached style sheets [also has attached photocopied chapter 1, 8pp]

Box 12
Folder 1 ['Perfect Skin Drafts']
The Courier Mail, 11 Sept 1999, 1p
Juice Magazine, ‘Magic Marking, what happens when you want to change it to another girls name’ Jun 1998, 2pp
‘The University of Queensland Medical Society, graduation dinner, 4 Dec 1998’

Folder 2 ['Perfect Skin']
Bookplates various sizes for: ‘Perfect Skin’ [differing covers] and ‘Solid Gold’

Folder 3 [Correspondence]
[Outgoing]
• N Earls to Saywell, Dr M, 1p, 27 Oct 1998
• N Earls to Saywell, Dr M, 8pp, 13 Sept 1999
[Miscellaneous]
• Melbourne International Comedy Festival [S Provan] to Penguin Australia [I Cook], [fax regarding Nick Earls], 1p, 24 Mar 1999
[Incoming]
• Coles Myer Ltd to N Earls, 1p, nd
• R Scully to N Earls, 1p, [e-mail], 16 Nov 1999
• Penguin to N Earls, 1p, 25 Nov 1999
• Penguin to N Earls, 1p, 21 Dec 1999
• Penguin to N Earls, 1p, 11 Jan 2000
• Penguin to N Earls, 1p, 15 Feb 2000
• A Tandy [Penguin] to N Earls, 4pp [includes itinerary], 2 Feb 2001
• St Martins Press to N Earls, 1p, 17 Apr 2001
• Macmillan to N Earls, 1p, 25 Apr 2001
• Penguin Australia to N Earls, 15pp [attached revised prelims various N Earls books], 30 Jul 2002

Folder 4 [Draft ‘Perfect Skin’]
Various draft chapters of ‘Perfect Skin’ [multiple pages]
Paper entitled ‘Lasers: a general practice perspective’, by Asha Ram, 11pp

Folder 5
[Handwritten copy edit notes for ‘Perfect Skin’, multiple pages], also includes ‘Application to a doctor for permission and certificate to cremate’, 3pp

Folder 6
[Folder Penguin Australia Marketing Department, includes ‘Perfect Skin’ publication and promotion information], 4pp [Handwritten notes on Brisbane Writers Festival letterhead paper], 7pp
Indooroopilly Dermatology Clinic, [information sheet?] ‘Post –Op Management after Curette & Cautery’, 1p
Indooroopilly Dermatology Clinic, [information sheet?] ‘ Post Op Instructions following laser Curettage’, 1p
Indooroopilly Dermatology Clinic, [information sheet?] ‘ Post Op Instructions for wounds with outside sutures’, 1p
[‘Medical Observer’ letterhead, with handwritten names], 1p

Bundle 7
Note to compositor for ‘Perfect Skin’, [multiple pages]

Bundle 8
‘Perfect Skin’, manuscript draft, [multiple pages]
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Bundle 1 ['Perfect Skin']
‘Perfect Skin’, Galleys Galley Pages, uncorrected proofs, [A3 multiple pages], 19 Oct 1999

Bundle 2 ['Perfect Skin']
‘Perfect Skin’ manuscript, has attached letter from Penguin Australia to N Earls, 1p, 18 Aug 2000

Bundle 3 ['Perfect Skin']
Manuscript draft ‘Perfect Skin’, [multiple pages]

Folder 4 ['Perfect Skin']
‘Perfect Skin’ miscellaneous pages marked ‘Extras’, [multiple pages]

Folder 5
‘Perfect Skin’, Galleys Galley Pages, uncorrected proofs, [A3 multiple pages], 23 Dec 1999

Folder 6
Manuscript drafts entitled ‘skin outline’, 59pp

Folder 7
‘Perfect Skin’, specific page queries, 7pp
‘Perfect Skin’, style sheet, 3pp
‘Perfect Skin’, ‘New bits’, [handwritten], 2pp

[Incoming Correspondence]
Penguin Australia [R Scully] to N Earls, 3pp, 12 Aug 1999
C Forster to N Earls, 1p, 11 Aug 1999

This box also includes ‘Perfect Skin’, advertisement poster, 1 copy
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Folder 1

‘Lives of the sands’


‘Moving’ draft, 9pp

Miscellaneous material relating to Freedom of Information, 13pp

[Miscellaneous notes relating to ‘Moving’ chapter?], handwritten, 4pp

Folder 2

‘There must be lions’, 6pp

‘H Trembath does the works’, 8pp

‘Harry Trembath sings the hits’, 9pp

‘Meanwhile, Thirty-eight above Charlotte’, 10pp

‘Learning to Fly (One)’, 8pp

‘The fax man’, 3pp

‘Beautiful’, 9pp

‘Meanwhile, Thirty-eight above Charlotte’, 10pp

‘Learning to Fly (two)’, 8pp

‘The Elvis Wars’, 3pp

‘Consumables’6pp

‘Histories’, 6pp

‘Learning to Fly (two)’, 10pp

‘Give someone a duck’, 2pp

Folder 3

‘Lives of the Sands’, 43pp

‘Before you bought that hat’, 7pp

‘Dog 1, Dog 2’, 7pp

‘The Burning Man’, 7pp

‘The Quay’, [2 copies, 8pp]
Folder 4
‘Lives of the Sands’, 49pp
Contents page of ‘Short pieces’, 3pp
‘The Quay’, 5pp

Correspondence
N Earls & S Garvey from D &J [?], postcard, nd
N Earls to Rosie [?], 11 Jun 1992, 1p

Folder 5 [Short Pieces]
Contents page ‘Short Pieces’, 1p
‘Heading North’, 9pp
‘Before you bought that hat’, 7pp
‘Dog 1, Dog 2’, 7pp
‘Several Minutes in a Great City’, 7pp
‘There must be lions’, 7pp
‘Harry Trembath sings the hits’, 9pp
‘H Trembath does the works’, 9pp
‘The Office’, 9pp
‘Beautiful’, 9pp
‘Moving’, 9pp
‘Danny Delafield Is Dead’, 8pp
‘Histories (In three)’, 9pp

Folder 6
Miscellaneous notes, handwritten on Dr N F W Earls letterhead notepad, [multiple pages]
[‘Use of a tale of a two’?], handwritten notes, 5pp
[‘The Gullible Traveller’?], miscellaneous handwritten notes, 2pp
[Photocopied music, ‘Cockles and Mussels’ and ‘Courtin in the kitchen’, ‘ A horse named Bill’,
‘Clementine’ and ‘Around the corner’], 2pp
Handwritten poem ‘Au Clair de la lune…[first line] on Isordil letterhead, 1p
Handwritten notes on Surgam letterhead, 3pp
Handwritten notes entitled ‘Structure’, 1p
Miscellaneous handwritten notes, 4pp
‘The passage of seasons…’ [first line], 1p
Miscellaneous notes ‘voice/dream/songs to C…’ [first page], 12pp
Handwritten notes entitled ‘Clair’s Return’, 1p
‘White City’, [handwritten], 2pp
‘Claire and Clementine’, 5pp
‘Story Synopsis’, 2pp
Miscellaneous handwritten notes relating to ‘Claire and Clementine’, [multiple pages]
‘Claire de lune synopsis’, 9pp
Miscellaneous material relating to ‘Claire and Clementine’, 6pp
Miscellaneous handwritten notes relating to ['Claire and Clementine’?], [multiple pages]
Miscellaneous notes relating to ‘Clair de lune synopsis’, multiple pages

**Bundle 7**
‘Clair de Lune’, manuscript draft, [multiple pages]

**Bundle 8**
‘Learning to fly’, manuscript draft, [multiple pages]

**Bundle 9**
‘Claire de Lune’ manuscript, [multiple pages], also has attached letter from Allen & Unwin to N Earls, 24 Aug 1994, 1p

Also in box *Travellers’ foreign phrase book, English, French, German, Italian, Spanish, Dutch*, by J O Kettridge, 1945

**Box 15**
**Bundle 1**
‘Clair de Lune’ various chapters, [multiple pages]

**Folder 2**
Manuscript drafts ‘Players’, 6 copies
Miscellaneous handwritten notes, 2p, on the back of ‘Lives of Sands’ draft

**Folder 3**
‘The Drowning Point’, draft manuscripts, 2 copies [multiple pages]
Folder 4 ‘Play Notes’  
Miscellaneous play notes, multiple pages

Folder 5 [Correspondence]  
N Earls from La Boite Theatre [Louise Gough], 16 Aug 1994, 2pp  
N Earls from La Boite Theatre, 4pp, nd  
N Earls from UQP [Rosanne Fitzgibbons], 1p, nd, [attached readers reports for ‘Lives of Sands’], 7pp

Folder 6  
Manuscript drafts ‘Lives of the Sands’, [multiple pages]

Folder 7  
‘Claire de Lune’, [manuscript draft, multiple pages]

Folder 8 [Drafts]  
‘Interlude (one) – The Fax Man’, handwritten draft, 2pp  
‘Interlude (two) – The Elvis Wars’, handwritten draft, 3pp  
‘INSI’ handwritten draft, 9pp  
‘INSI 43’ handwritten draft, 8pp  
[Miscellaneous handwritten notes relating to ‘The Quay, short pieces’, multiple pages]

Folder 9 [Drafts]  
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[Safari?] ‘Mum and Grannie knocked over like two…? [first line], 3pp
‘Prague 93: Events and Receptions’, 4pp [relating to ‘3rd Prague International Book Fair & Writers Festival’] has attached Prague International Book Fair and Writers Festival, complimentary ticket, 1p
‘Writers Festival at the Palace of Culture’, 13 May – 15 May 1993, [programme], 2 copies
[Miscellaneous notes, various sizes, front item entitled ‘Travel Book’, 3pp]
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Folder also includes various tourist information brochures from London, Prague, Austria, France, Germany, also includes various train, bus, concert tickets, postcards, hotel brochures, tourist maps, sugar sachets, and vehicle hire receipts

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Avencourt Exhibitions Lt to N Earls, 24 Feb 1993, 3pp [regarding the ‘3rd Prague International Book Fair & Writers Festival’]
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Folder 3
‘World of Chickens’, [multiple pages]
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Invitation to N Earls and Partner, the Brisbane Premiere of *Fame the Musical*, 1 Apr 2000 [has scribbled notes on the back of the invitation]
E-mail N Earls and A Quigley, 2 Jan 2000, 1p
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‘Because you felt so desperately, out of control. We admired the chameleon…’ [first line], 1p
[Handwritten notes on Panamax letterhead], 7pp
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Encyclopaedia of World Crime, Vol I, A-C, J Nash [Photocopy], pp143-152
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Penguin Australia [S Wilson] to N Earls, 1p, 12 Nov 2001
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‘Publicity tour’ 1 Feb – 8 May 1998, 12pp, attached airline itinerary, 2pp
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N Earls to Curtis Brown, 1p, 30 Apr 1995
The Literature Board, The Australian Council from Curtis Brown [F Inglis], 1p, 5 May 1995
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‘PK332, Anti-Depressants’, 2pp, 19 Sept [19?] [handwritten notes on Adalat 10 letterhead]
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Abnormal Laboratory Results, Commonwealth Department of Health, 1987
‘Literature Board Australia Council, Individual writers grants conditions of application, 1995’, 8pp
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‘Is there really a split Schizophrenia? The Genetic Evidence’, lecture [source unknown, nd], 12pp
‘Psychosocial Sequelae of Head Injury – Anatomy of a Relationship’ British Journal of Psychiatry, 1988, pp141-146
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‘Melatonin: A review’ [Fax] [Medical Observer?], 1995, 11pp
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‘Details and contacts for session: Why don’t they read proper books?’, Melbourne Writers Festival, 1p, 29 Aug 1999
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Sarah Neal, Nick Earls, Dallas Angguish, [1st draft], ‘Zig Zag Street – the screenplay, draft March 1998’, 99p, 5 Apr 1998
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- ‘Performance cues for Zigzag Street’, La Boite Theatre Company, 26p, [2005]

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The Thompson Gunner, sample copy of hardback edition, (no text), [2004]

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Page proofs for After Summer, Houghton Mifflin, Boston, 232p, includes 3 undated notes from Margaret Raymo (Houghton Mifflin), 10 Apr 2004
(After January was originally published in 1996 by UQ Press and subsequently published in the US as After Summer in 2005)
‘After Summer – UK school visits June 2004’, 1p, [2004]
Folder 3
Jody Lee to N Earls, 1p, 13 Apr 2005

Chris Kunz (Random House) to N Earls, 1p, 4 Oct 2005
‘A Battle with the English Equipment’, short story manuscript, 16p, [2004]

Kim Swivel to Fiona Henderson [Random House], 2p, 30 Apr 2004
‘A Battle with the English Equipment’, short story manuscript, 19p, [2004]

Jessica Dettmann (Random House), to N Earls, 1p, 13 Sep 2004
‘A Battle with the English Equipment’, proof pages, 21p, 10 Sep 2004

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Handwritten notes, preliminary material and prose relating to *Monica Bloom*, approximately 20 loose pages, nd
*Monica Bloom*, [1st draft], 91p, [c2005]

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*Monica Bloom*, [2nd draft], 93p, [2005]

Folder 6
Michelle Madden (Penguin) to N Earls, 3p, 3 Aug 2005
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*Monica Bloom*, [3rd draft], 100p, [2005]

Folder 7
Michelle Madden (Penguin) to N Earls, 1p, 19 Dec 2005
Michelle Madden (Penguin) to N Earls, 1p, 24 Jan 2006
N Earls to Michelle Madden (Penguin), 2p, 28 Jan 2006
‘Blurb for Fiona’, 1p, nd
*Monica Bloom*, [incomplete draft manuscript], 26p, [2005]
*Monica Bloom*, [4th draft – ‘Monica Bloom, copy edit’ written in green on page1], 113p, [2005]
Folder 8
Michelle Madden (Penguin) to N Earls, 1p, 28 Feb 2006

*Monica Bloom*, [5th draft - page proofs], 125p, [2006]

Michelle Madden (Penguin) to N Earls, 1p, 22 Mar 2006

*Monica Bloom*, incomplete set of page proofs marked by proof reader, 16p, 21 Feb 2006

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Michelle Madden (Penguin) to N Earls, 1p, 13 Apr 2006

‘Prelims and end matter for *Monica Bloom*, 2p, [2006]

*Monica Bloom*, cover design, 1p, [2006]

*Monica Bloom*, cover design for Penguin edition, A3 colour print, 1p, [2006]

*Monica Bloom*, [6th draft – page proofs], 147p, 3 Apr 2006

Laura [Harris] (Penguin) to N Earls, 1p, 29 May 2006

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Handwritten notes, research material, planning material and prose pertaining to *Joel and Cat set the story straight*, approximately 40 loose pages in manila folder, [2005?]

N Earls to Rebecca Sparrow, 1p, 13 Nov 2005

N Earls to Rebecca Sparrow, 2p, 12 Jan 2006


Laura Harris (Penguin) to Rebecca Sparrow and N Earls, ‘Report on *Setting the Story Straight*, 4p, 13 Nov 2006

‘Chapter notes’, 10p, nd

*Joel and Cat set the story straight* chapter drafts:

- ‘Joel – Monday’, 12p, nd
- ‘Tandem story’, 13p, nd
- ‘And then my father says’, 12p, nd
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- ‘I reach for my mobile’, 14p, nd
- ‘It’s only once’, 13p, nd
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*Joel and Cat set the story straight*, [1\textsuperscript{st} draft – annotated by Laura Harris], 207p, [2006]

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Folder 5
Michelle Madden (Penguin) to N Earls, 1p, 2 Feb 2007
*Joel and Cat set the story straight*, [3\textsuperscript{rd} draft – copy edit and revisions], 230p, [2007]

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Michelle Madden (Penguin) to Rebecca Sparrow, 1p, 23 Mar 2007
*Joel and Cat set the story straight*, [4\textsuperscript{th} draft - first proof pages – proof reader’s marks], 244p, 5 Mar 2007

Folder 2
[Michelle Madden] (Penguin) to Rebecca Sparrow and N Earls, 1p, [2007]
*Joel and Cat set the story straight*, [5\textsuperscript{th} draft - first proof pages – revisions by Earls], 244p, 5 Mar 2007

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Michelle Madden (Penguin) to N Earls, 1p, 26 Apr 2007
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Michelle Madden (Penguin) to N Earls, 1p, 19 Jun 2007
*Joel and Cat set the story straight*, cover proof for Penguin edition, 1p, [2007]
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*Joel and Cat set the story straight*, Penguin edition of novel with accompanying note; ‘Book destroyed for newspaper tug-o-war photoshoot, July 07’, title page also inscribed by both authors, 244p, 2007

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‘ABC Local Radio QLD Evening Show, notes, background material and running sheets for ABC radio show presented by Earls, 34p, 8 Mar 2007

Audio recordings:

- CD, ‘ABC Radio QLD, the Nick Earls Show – second hour’, 55:00, [8 Mar 2007]

‘ABC Coast FM’, notes, background material and running sheets for ABC radio show presented by Earls, 34p, [20 May 2007]

Audio recordings of radio show:

- CD, [Interview with] Kate Miller-Heidke by Earls, 23:20, [2007]
- CD, [ABC Coast FM – Nick Earls 6-7pm], 56:08, 20 May 2007
- CD, [ABC Coast FM – Nick Earls 7-8pm], 55:22, 20 May 2007
- CD, [ABC Coast FM – Nick Earls 8-9pm], 59:01, 20 May 2007
- CD, [ABC Coast FM – Nick Earls 9-10pm], 57:49, 20 May 2007

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[ABC Evening Show], notes, background material and running sheets for ABC radio show presented by Earls between 1 Oct and 12 Oct 2007


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- ‘Friday, 12 Oct 2007, 38p, 2007
Audio recordings of radio show:

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‘ABC Radio 7/1-15/1/08’, notes, background material and running sheets for ABC radio show hosted by Earls:

Audio recordings of radio show:
18 mp2 files on CD, including shows from 7 Jan to 15 Jan 2008

ABC Radio 612 Breakfast, notes, background material and running sheets for ABC radio show hosted by Earls, 22p, 21 Sep 2009

Audio recordings of radio show:
- CD, '612 Breakfast - Nick, 5-6 AM, 21 Sep 2009 (44:52)
- CD, '612 Breakfast - Nick, 6-7 AM, 21 Sep 2009 (44:52)
- CD, '612 Breakfast - Nick, 6-7 AM, 21 Sep 2009 (35:01)

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Handwritten notes, preliminary material, research material, ephemera and prose pertaining to *The True Story of Butterfish*, approximately 80 loose pages, [2007]

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*The True Story of Butterfish*, ‘light that guides/butterfish outline draft’, 16/2/07’, annotated throughout, 24p, 16 Feb 2007
*The True Story of Butterfish*, ‘Relationships’, 1p, [2007]

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*The True Story of Butterfish*, [1st draft – revisions by Earls throughout], 241p, [2007]

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Sophie Ambrose (Random House) to N Earls, 5p, 21 Apr 2008
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‘Possible reworking of the pool scene’, 8p, [Oct 2008]
*The True Story of Butterfish*, handwritten notes, 8p, [2007-2008]

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*The True Story of Butterfish*, [4th draft – proof pages, minor corrections by Earls], 280p, 3 Feb 2009

Folder 2
*The True Story of Butterfish*, [proof-reader’s queries on incomplete proof set – corrections and insertions by Earls], 39p, [cFeb 2009]
*The True Story of Butterfish*, notes on draft, 3p, [cFeb 2009]
The True Story of Butterfish, [5th draft – page proofs, ‘Master set first pages’ written in blue on first page – editor’s annotations], 280p, 3 Feb 2009

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Catriona Murdie (Random House) to N Earls, 1p, 30 Mar 2011
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The True Story of Butterfish, sample cover designs, 13p, [2009]
Media itineraries for promotion of The True Story of Butterfish, 22p, Jul 2009

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Sean Mee (La Boite Theatre) to N Earls, 1p, 25 Mar 2008
The True Story of Butterfish, (play script), [scene outline], 9p, [2008]
Handwritten notes, ‘C & D, music v celebrity’, 9p, [2008]
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Handwritten notes, [scene list], 2p, [2008]
Handwritten scene ‘cards’, (105mm x 60mm), 26p, [2008]
Handwritten scene ‘cards’, (55mm x 55mm), 29p, [2008]
Notes, [handwritten loose pages], 10p, [2008]
‘The Light That Guides You Home’ song lyrics, 6p, [2008]
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‘Bits to look at’, Handwritten notes and sections of The True Story of Butterfish novel manuscript, 67p, [2008]

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The True Story of Butterfish, (play script), [5th draft], 43p, [2008]
The True Story of Butterfish, (play script), pp39 to 41 of draft, 3p, [2008]
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The True Story of Butterfish, (play script), 'Butterfish media call', 1p, 17 Jun [2009]
The True Story of Butterfish, (play script), [draft press releases], 2p, [2009]
'The Courier-Mail: The Big Book Club Selection: The True Story of Butterfish', promotional bookmark, 220mm x 40mm, 3 copies, [2009]
The True Story of Butterfish, promotional postcard, Brisbane Powerhouse Theatre, 210mm x 99mm, 3 copies, [2009]
'Butterfish Publicity Schedule', 1p, 9 Sep [2009]
The True Story of Butterfish, theatre program, Brisbane Powerhouse Theatre, [2009]
The True Story of Butterfish, theatre ticket, 2 Oct 2009
The True Story of Butterfish, theatre ticket, 7 Oct 2009

Audio recordings:
- CD, 'Songs from The True Story of Butterfish', 1. 'The Light That Guides You Home', 4'30"; 2. 'It's Not What You Think', 2'32", [2009]
- 7" single phonograph recording (45 rpm), Side A: 'It's Not What You Think' [by Robert Forster]; Side B: 'The Light That Guides You Home' [music by Adele Pickvance, words by Nick Earls], 10/200, [2009]

Folder 4

Kristina Schulz (UQP) to N Earls, 1p, 11 Jan 2010
After January, cover proof for UQP edition, 1p, [2010]
After January, [first page proofs], University of Queensland Press, 10 Aug – 21 Aug 2009

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[ NB: The Fix is the novelisation of an unproduced screenplay entitled 'Tokyo Speed Ponies' written by Earls c2006]
['Tokyo Speed Ponies' (The Fix), draft screenplay, 96p, [2006]
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['Tokyo Speed Ponies'], ‘tsp treatment’, 6p, [2006]
‘Tokyo Speed Ponies’, [draft screenplay], 99p, [2006]

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['Tokyo Speed Ponies'], (The Fix), ‘New Screenplay Scene Breakdown’, 5p, [2006]
['Tokyo Speed Ponies'], (The Fix), draft screenplay, 106p, [2006]

Rob Marsala to N Earls, 1p, 12 Oct 2006
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['Tokyo Speed Ponies'], (The Fix), draft screenplay, 106p, [2006]

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['Tokyo Speed Ponies' (The Fix),], [background and research material]:
Mini-golf material; 6 mini-golf flyers and 2 scorecards, nd
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Australian Bravery Decorations material, 8p, [2004]
Gold Coast material, 7p and 1 booklet, [2004]

Folder 4
Handwritten notes, preliminary research material and prose relating to ['Tokyo Speed Ponies' (The Fix),], approximately 125 loose pages, [2004]
Handwritten [scene] ‘cards’, (105mm x 70mm), 98p, [2004]
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['Tokyo Speed Ponies' (The Fix),], [story outline], 39p, [2004]
['Tokyo Speed Ponies' (The Fix),], [story outline], some pages marked ‘tsp notes 12/9/08’, 55p, 12 Sep 2008

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Variety, vol 301, no 28, ‘Special Hand Delivery, Gore Vidal’, 27p, 12 Nov 2008
['Tokyo Speed Ponies' (The Fix),], ‘tsp scene breakdown – novel scene breakdown’, 8p, nd
The Fix, [1st draft – revisions by Earls throughout], 262p, 27 Jan 2010
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*The Fix*, ‘the facts was lost’, pages numbered 250 to 267, 17p, 27 Jan 2010

*The Fix*, ‘Fix rewrite notes Jan ‘10’, 1p, [Jan 2010]

*The Fix*, [2nd draft – revisions by Earls throughout], 251p, 18 Mar 2010

Folder 3

*The Fix*, [3rd draft – annotations and corrections by [Sophie Ambrose (Random House)] throughout], 235p, 18 Jun 2010

*The Fix*, ‘background 14/9/10’, 12p, 14 Sep 2010

[Sophie Ambrose (Random House)] to N Earls, 3p, [2010]

*The Fix*, handwritten notes, 4p, [2010]

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*The Fix*, ‘New Bits’, 3p, Dec 2010

*The Fix*, [handwritten notes], 3p, [2010]

*The Fix*, [handwritten notes], 1p, Jan 2011

*The Fix*, ‘Where did the idea for *The Fix* come from?’, 1p, [2010]

‘Fix [?] Sequel Idea’, 1p, [2010]

*The Fix*, pages 35 and 36 of manuscript for 612 ABC reading, 2p, 25 Jan 2011

*The Fix*, [5th draft], 254p, 7 Jan 2011

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Sophie Ambrose (Random House) to N Earls, 1p, [2011]

*The Fix*, [6th draft – uncorrected page proofs], 284p, 7 Apr 2011

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- ‘*The Fix* hidden cam’, m4v file, 1‘ 26”, 2 Apr 2011
- ‘*The Fix* hidden cam’, mov file, 1‘ 26”, 2 Apr 2011
- ‘*The Fix*’, mov file, 1‘ 26”, 2 Apr 2011
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Miscellaneous event flyers, cuttings, invitations and other ephemera:

- ‘Eleven writers helped’, *Brisbane Weekend Times*, 1p, 16 Oct 1993
- Universitat de Lleida, [Spain], invitation, [c1996]
- Mr July, postcard, [1997]
- Interview with Nick Earls, 4QR, audio recording on cassette, 6 Mar 1997
- Wordpool – Bris Vegas, flyer, 5 Aug 1997
- Wordpool – Bachelor Kisses, flyer, 5 May 1998
- Bar menu, The Groucho Club, [1998]
- Air India ticket, 11 Jan 1999
- British Airways ticket, 15 Jan 1999
- Ozo's Billscapes, 16 Mar 1999
- The Great Debate, flyer, 14 May 1999
- Library Week Literary Lunch with Nick Earls, 22 May 1999
- Valedictory Dinner, Anglican Church Grammar School, 18 Nov 1999
- ‘Nick Earls, JJJ, *Headgames*’, audio recording on cassette, [1999]
- ‘Yes’ badge, [1999]
- ‘Vote yes for our republic’ sticker, [1999]
- Premier’s Annual Cabinet Reception, 13 Dec 1999
- Children’s Book of the Year Awards, 2000 Shortlist, bookmark, [2000]
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- Nick Earls at QUT, invitation, 27 Jul 2001
- The American Bookstore, author events, Oct/Nov 2001
- Onstage @ Tilley’s, 21 Nov [2001]
- Myer – Centenary of Federation Gala, program, [2001]
- ‘Centenary Medal’ booklet, Michael Johnson MP, [c2001]
• *Big Night Out, Girls’ Night In* 2, 9 photographs of bookshop event, [2001?]
• VATE Federation Conference, badge, [2001]
• CHOGM Welcome Reception Menu, 28 Feb 2002
• ‘The Brisbane Story’, 8p, Mar/Apr 2002
• David Hinchliffe – Instrumental Portraits, flyer, 24 Apr 2002
• Penguin Books invitation, 1 May 2002
• ‘In the time of Nick’, *Herald Sun*, 25 May 2002
• Penguin Books invitation, 28 May 2002
• Borders’ Events, 6 Jun [2002]
• VHS video cassette, ‘House of Names, [2002]
• Material relating to Victorian schools tour, including emails, maps and itineraries, 20p, 7 Jun-20 Jun 2002
• Mater Hospitals’ Trust, invitation, 17 Sep 2002
• Thank you card, 17 Sep 2002
• Abused Child Trust, letter, 25 Oct 2002
• RegattaFest, Nick Earls – Celebrity Rower, [2002]
• Wordpool – Writers under the influence, flyer, [2003]
• Government House invitation, 30 May 2003
• Queensland Government invitation, 29 Jul 2003
• Abused Child Trust invitation, 29 Aug 2003
• Fryer Library Christmas Lunch with Nick Earls, invitation, 27 Nov 2003
• Fryer Library Christmas Lunch with Nick Earls, invitation, 27 Nov 2003
• University of Queensland parking permit, 27 Nov 2003
• Roar against Racism ribbon, nd

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• ‘Brisbane, It’s Happening’, Brisbane Marketing. Correspondence, press releases, production notes and scripts relating to the ‘Brisbane, It’s Happening’ marketing campaign, approx. 100p, 2002 to 2004
• VHS video cassette: ‘Brisbane Marketing’, 3 x 60sec commercials featuring Earls, 6 Jan 2004
• ‘Capitalising on Bris campaign’, handwritten notes, 1p, [2004]
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- ‘Inside a Dog’, launch invitation, 28 Apr [2006]
- Wordpool 10 – Wet again, flyer, 9 May 2006
- Girls’ Night Out, launch invitation, 30 May 2006
- A Midwinter Night’s Dream Charity Art Auction, ticket, 26 Jul 2006
- Rebecca Sparrow & Nick Earls in conversation with Sandra McLean, invitation, 7 Aug 2006
- Photographs from ‘A Few of Our Favourite Things’ exhibition, 14 Aug 2006 to 22 Mar 2007, 2 x 152mm x 102mm photographs, 2 x 297mm x 210mm photographs, in envelope, 14 Aug 2006
- The Australian Ireland Fund, Brisbane Garden Party programme, 2006
- Paddington Community Kindergarten and Preschool – certificate of appreciation, 2006
- Australia Day Lunch, program and menu, [2007]
- Pig City, 2 tickets, 14 Jul 2007
- Maureen Hansen, exhibition catalogue, (text by Earls), 21 Nov 2007
- Ruby Research Ball, certificate of appreciation, 13 Jul 2007
- Midnight Feast cover proof, Harperscollins, [2007]
- ‘Nick Earls, Brisbane’, SRphotography, [Newstead, (Qld.)], 81 images on CD, Mar 2008
- Sheet of thumbnail images 08109008 to 08111025, [Mar 2008]
- Noller & Turner, invitation, 20 Mar [2007]
- ‘In conversation with Nick Earls, Stanthorpe State High School’, audio recordings on CD, 20 Mar 2009

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- Southern Cross Soloists 2009 Program, 29 Nov 2009
- Australian Ireland Fund invitation, 5 Mar 2009
- Q150 Steam Train souvenir program, 28p, [April 2009]
- [Draft blurb?] for Nineteen Seventysomething by Barry Divola, [2009]
- NRL tips, 4 Jun 2010
- Anne Debert (ABC) to N Earls, footie tipping, 2p, 9 Aug 2011
- Youth Off The Streets, certificate of appreciation, Aug 2012

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- The Queensland Film and television Industry Conference, Sunshine Coast, 14-16 Jun 1996
- Brisbane Festival, 25 Aug-8 Sep 1996
- The Somerset Celebration of Literature, Mudgeeraba, 13-16 Mar 1997
- The Word Festival, Canberra, 21-24 Mar 1997
- Voices on the Coast – A Literature Festival, Sunshine Coast, 16-18 Apr 1997
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- Adelaide Writers’ Week, 1-6 Mar 1998
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• Writers Festival, 1999 Festival of Perth, 26 Feb-1 Mar 1999
• Livid Festival, Brisbane, 1999
• ‘Steve and Janet were going nowhere, till they learned … 10 Things You Should Know About Sex …’
• The Word Festival, Canberra, 19-22 Mar 1999
• Byron Bay Writers Festival, 5-8 Aug 1999
• Tasman Readers’ and Writers’ Festival, Tasmania, 19-24 Aug 1999
• Melbourne Writers’ Festival Youth Literature Days, 23-26 Aug 1999
• Melbourne Writers’ Festival, 20-29 August 1999
• ‘MWF’, handwritten schedule for Melbourne and Brisbane writers’ festivals, 1p, [1999]
• Brisbane Writers Festival, 14-17 Oct 1999
• Bernheim Invite L’Australie, [Noumea, New Caledonia], 15-30 Oct [1999]

Folder 3
2000 to 2001
• The Watershed Festival Club, 26 Jan-20 Feb 2000
• Writers Festival, Perth International Arts Festival, 4-13 Feb 2000
• The Somerset Celebration of Literature, [Mudgeeraba Qld.], 8-12 Mar 2000
• Voices on the Coast; A Youth Literature Festival, Sunshine Coast, 21-23 Jun 2000
• Victorian Association for the Teaching of English, State Conference, 14-15 Jul 2000
• Brisbane Writers Festival, 18-22 Oct 2000
• Word of Mouth, Fremantle Festival, 18 Nov 2000
• Viewpoints on Literacy, Preston Vic., 1 Dec 2000
• The Somerset Celebration of Literature, [Mudgeeraba Qld.], 7-11 Mar 2001
• Victorian Association for the Teaching of English, Federation Conference, 3-5 May 2000
• The Christchurch Book Festival, 30 May-4 Jun 2001
• PanCanadian Wordfest, Banff-Calgary International Writers Festival, 10-14 Oct 2001
• Vancouver International Writers and Readers Festival, 17-21 Oct 2001
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- The Somerset Celebration of Literature, [Mudgeeraba Qld.], 13-17 Mar 2002
- Sydney Writers’ Festival, 27 May-2 Jun 2002
- The Noosa Long Weekend, 21-30 Jun 2002
- ‘Itinerary for Noosa’, 1p, 26 Jun 2002
- Brisbane Writers Festival, 4-6 Oct 2002
- Perth International Writers Festival, 7-16 Feb 2003
- Quality … and all that jazz! 2nd International Conference, [medical conference], 26-29 Feb 2004
- July in Mackay, Festival of Arts, 15-25 Jul 2004
- Whitsunday Voices, Youth Literature Festival, 21-23 Jul 2004
- Byron Bay Writers Festival, 29 Jul-1 Aug 2004
- Melbourne Writers Festival, 20-29 Aug 2004
- Brisbane Writers Festival, 27 Sep-3 Oct 2004
- Wordstorm; Northern Territory Writers’ Festival, 16-19 Jun 2005
- Big Sky Writers’ Festival, [Geraldton (W.A.)], 23-26 Sep 2005
- Sprung Writers Festival, [Albany (W.A.)], 16-18 Sep 2005
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- Brisbane International Film Festival, 21 Jul-13 Aug 2006
- Byron Bay Writers Festival, 3-6 Aug 2006
- Brisbane Writers Festival, 13-17 Sep 2006
- Brisbane Writers Festival , Where the Wild Words Are, 2006 Program for young readers, writers & illustrators, 13-17 Sep 2006
- Queensland Multicultural Festival, 15 Oct 2006
- The London Australian Film Festival 2007, 15-25 Mar 2007
- Queensland Music Festival, (Pig City invitation), 13-29 Jul 2007
- Melbourne Writers Festival, 24 Aug-2 Sep 2007
• Ipswich Festival of Children’s Literature, 3-14 Sep 2007
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• Brisbane Writers Festival, Word Play, Program for young readers, writers and illustrators, 12-16 Sep 2007

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• Adelaide Writers’ Week, 2-7 Mar 2008
• Somerset Celebration of Literature, [Mudgeeraba Qld.], 10-14 Mar 2008
• Byron Bay Writers Festival, 7-9 Aug 2009
• ‘Talks July – Nov 09’, handwritten itinerary, 2p, [2009]
• Brisbane Writers Festival, 1-2 Aug 2009
• Wordstorm, The Festival of Australasian Writing, Darwin, 12-16 May 2010
• Voices on the Coast, A Youth Festival, Sunshine Coast, 7-12 Jun 2010
• War of the Words, Whitsunday Voices Youth Literature Festival, 13-17 Jul 2011
• Brisbane Writers Festival, 7-11 Sep 2011
• The Queensland Literary Awards, 2012 Awards Ceremony, 2012
• Perth Writers festival, 23-26 Feb 2012
• Byron Bay Writers Festival, 3-5 Aug 2012
• Brisbane Writers Festival, 5-9 Sep 2012
• Somerset Celebration of Literature, [Mudgeeraba Qld.], 13-15 Mar 2013
• Voices on the Coast, Sunshine Coast, 1-5 Jun 2013
• Melbourne Writers Festival, [artist pass], 22 Aug-1 Sep 2013
• Perth Writers Festival, 20-23 Feb 2014
• The Bookworm Literary Festival, [Beijing], 7-21 Mar 2014
• Beaconsfield Festival of Golden Words, 14-16 Mar 2014
• Byron Bay Writers Festival, 1-3 August 2014
• Melbourne Writers Festival, 21-31 Aug 2014
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• Internet access cards, nd
• Collection of 32 business cards, nd
• VHS video cassette: ‘Nick Earles’, [Channel Ten logo], nd

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Jurgensen, M, A Brisbane Kind of Love, Plateau Press, 2002 [signed by author]
The Author : Journal of the Society of Authors [UK], Vol 109 No 3 Autumn 1998, p120
The Bookseller [UK], 11 Sep 1998
Fiction etc. : previews and extracts from new books, Books etc., No 16 Spring 1999
Introducing Anchor, Anchor [Transworld Publishers], 1996
Curtis Brown, Autumn & Winter, 1996-1997, p32
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Spotlight on Copyrights : Recommended writers and titles for Asian publishers from Australia, Taipei International Book Exhibition, 2008
Taipei International Book Exhibition, Visitor’s Map, 2008

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Material related to Earls’ editorship of the Continuing Medical Education (CME) section of the Medical Observer, 1994 to 1998

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