

Author family has a new tale

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NEW BOOK: Mia, Annabel and Lincoln Bowcher with their new book, *The Picture Pinchers*.

Picture: Les Smith



FIRST CHAPTER: Mia and Lincoln Bowcher with *The Story Snatchers*, the first book in their series.

A Wagga primary school student and his mother have published their second children's adventure novel. *The Picture Pinchers*, written by Lincoln Bowcher and his mum Annabel, is the sequel to *The Story Snatchers* which Lincoln, sister Mia and Mrs Bowcher published in 2017.

The trio of writers, who publish under the pen names of A J Hill, M E Grace and C Hook, are intending to write a series of eight books to tell the tale of *The Story Weavers of Bacalen*.

They also have a new website, www.bacalenbooks.com.au, which tells readers more about Bacalen – an anagram for a word that describes why this magical place was created deep inside the Earth – has clues to help break a code in the book and ideas for teachers and parents. The authors' first book has been sold to readers all over Australia and in New Zealand and is available in Wagga bookstores.

In July, *The Story Snatchers* was also performed as a play by a Wagga children's drama group.