

FROMAGE

by **SALLY SCOTT**

ABOUT THE BOOK

Journalist Alex Grant is enjoying the last days of her summer holiday in Croatia when she is accosted by an old school friend, Marie Puharich, and her odious brother, Brian, both there to attend the funeral of their fearsome grandfather's two loyal retainers. The only upside of the whole sorry business is meeting Marco, the family's resident Adonis.

An incorrigible foodie, Alex is unable to resist Brian's invitation to visit the family creamery in Australia's south-west to snoop around for stories and eat her body weight in brie. But trouble has a way of finding Alex, not least because her curiosity is the size of a giant gouda wheel. What begins as a country jaunt in search of a juicy story will end in death, disaster and the destruction of multiple pairs of shoes.

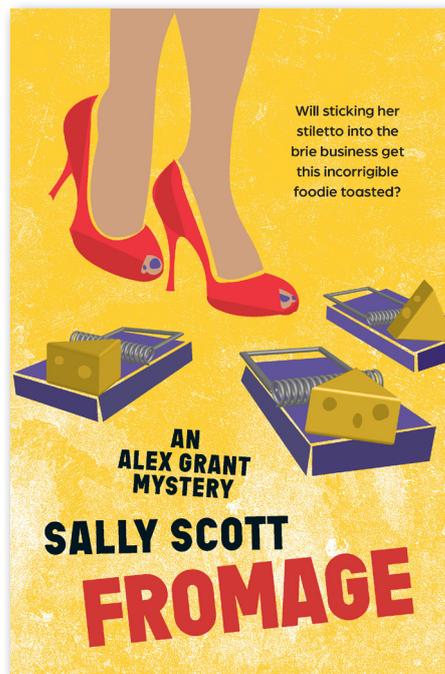
ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Sally Scott wrote her first novel as an 11-year-old. It was a *Famous Five* pastiche and every word was precious. She kept writing cosies until an arts degree led to experimentation with short stories, none of them publishable, but joyous to write. Then 'adulthood' happened and creative writing gave way to a career in academia, jobs as a weapons systems contractor and her own business development consultancy. *Fromage* is the first novel in the Alex Grant series. Sally is currently working on the second book, *Oranges and Lemons*.



KEY POINTS

- Fans of MC Beaton, Kerry Greenwood and Richard Osman will love Sally Scott's Alex Grant whodunnit series. Addictive without the additives, this lactose-doting, high-heel toting amateur sleuth sniffs out a mystery that will keep you on your toes from her very first bite of Croatia's flaky pastries right to her date with the delectable but dangerous cheeseboards of Margaret River.
- Scott describes 28 August 2018, as 'Tits-up Tuesday'. She says there's nothing like a diagnosis of cancer and a boob going bust to focus the mind. Sally has been writing almost every day ever since and credits this novel with helping her get through treatment.
- Scott has chaired panels at Perth Writers Festival and been on the organising committee for the Brisbane Writers Festival.
- Scott was born in Tasmania and grew up in Laverton, Eneabba and Perth. She has spent time based in Victoria and Queensland as well



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