The Australian Children's Television Foundation presents

My Place

The story of 13 children, all with a talent for some kind of trouble. They live in the one place, over 120 years, 1880 to 2008. Each hiding up the very same fig tree, each with a story to tell.

Here are their stories:

1880: Laura borrows a horse to visit the doctor in the nearby town. She falls, breaking the leg of the doctor’s beloved dog. She can’t find a way to even up and say sorry. It’s 1880 and the Prime Minister is trying to all the same thing with his wife.

1939: Mohammad is a man been beaten and is desperate to join the cricket team at his new school. But there are no wickets and as so he ends up playing with the girl. Who proved to be the better side.

1945: John’s dad died in the war. Now his mum is planning to marry Walt, who even though he has a son, definitely doesn’t match up in Jan’s eyes to John’s war hero dad.

1950: Colum has two bug ambitions: to stop his best mate Thorne’s family from being kicked out of their home and to get up the nerve to ride his bike, isn’t down Brickfield Hill.

1965: Neville just wants to hang on with her big sister Kim and best friend Lorri, and his in on their secrets. After talking her way into stopping alone, and wheeling her baby brother in his pram, Neville sat off for what is meant to be a day of memories fun and relaxation.

1979: Bette is doing all she can, including putting on a magic show, to save the money to buy a special gift to welcome his brother, Eddie, home from the war. It’s a pair of brown horse shoes.

1988: That you can’t wait for mother’s night. This year, for the first time, her father has been able to afford to buy the family their own box of chocolates. Unbeknownstly foreign shows the kid to her disbelieving neighbour Freddie.

1994: Monday lunch for his father and some friends. Confused that good deeds will be rewarded, will do anything to help his mother and the other residents in the boarding house they live in. But when he discovers that his father may never come home at all.

2008: Victoria and her family has just moved into the family house that her father has built. She’s all to go and to see that she may stay there forever - including mountains.