



Welcome to the Museletter!
Tenth edition!
Hot off the press (or at least off my keyboard!)
A monthly newsletter where I'll update you on my creative endeavours, books that I've enjoyed (with links where relevant), and some musings on the creative process.

Time is precious and I don't want to waste yours, so...

- Covid-19 — 1 year old!
What an impact it's had on our world.

It's fair to say that this Christmas will likely look a lot different for a lot of people.

Video calls aren't quite the same as being with loved ones in person, and Christmas-time often seems to enhance that feeling of disconnectedness.

Wherever you are in the world, however you may be able to celebrate, I hope that these holidays find you happy, healthy and connected to friends and / or family.

(Those of you who know The Never-ending Story will understand the joke in the picture, those of you who don't - go and watch it!)

- My update:
"Wagging His Tail Behind Him" has fallen behind. ;-)

As I was engaged in NaNoWriMo, I spent most of my free writing time during November completing first revisions for 2 novels.



Wagging His Tail Behind Him



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December will see me back on track to complete “Wagging His Tail Behind Him.”

On the plus side, I did somehow manage to write a new children’s book one evening while I was at work! Now all I have to do is illustrate that one too. (Anyone know how to cram more hours into a day?)

- My recommendation this month is Using Paint Chips / Swatches to make Simple Gifts.

Christmas can be a hugely stressful time for far too many people, with expectations to give gifts even when it’s out of our means.

This website offers some really cost-effective ideas for using paint chips as craft projects.

There are plenty more websites like this if none of these ideas appeals to you.

The paint chips, of course, you can usually pick up from your home improvement or painting stores for free - so that’s a great start right away!

If you do make any of these, I’d love to see them - you could share them on my Facebook or Instagram pages.

- If you have any questions about my writing, stories, or have a book that you’d like to recommend, please drop me a line so I can include it!



- ...and, just to make you groan:

Thanks for your time.
Max and I will ‘see’ you next month.
Mauri ora!



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