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**Sport**

**Track series** by Jason Reynolds

A fast but fiery group of kids are chosen to compete on an elite track team. They all have a lot to lose, but they also have a lot to prove, not only to each other, but to themselves.

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**Rugby Spirit** by Gerard Siggins

Eoin's has just started a new school and a new sport. Everyone at school loves rugby, but he hasn't even held a rugby ball! And why does everybody know more about his own grandad than he does?

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**Foul Play** by Tom Palmer

Danny Harte is obsessed with two things - watching football and tackling crime.

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**Glory in the Cup** by Bob Cattell

Hooker, the captain, finds that it takes time to build a cricket team. Will Glory Gardens go all out for victory or will they be out for a duck?

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**Booked** by Kwame Alexander

This electric and heartfelt novel-in-verse by poet Kwame Alexander bends and breaks as it captures all the thrills and setbacks, action and emotion of a World Cup match!

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**National Velvet** by Enid Bagnold

Velvet Brown is 14, horse mad, and the ugly sister among four beauties. When she wins a piebald horse in a raffle, she and the assistant in her dad's butcher shop hatch a plan to enter Velvet and the Pie in the Grand National.

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**Other authors worth mentioning:**

Mal Peet - Keeper 
Stacy Gregg - Pony Club Secrets 
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