

1. What is iBistro ? The basics.

The screenshot shows the homepage of the Casey-Cardinia Library Corporation. The header features the library's logo and name, along with the tagline "Imagine Explore Understand". There are input fields for "user ID:" and "PIN:" with a "Login to the e-Library OPAC" button. A "Library Info" box provides links for "Have You Read?", "Library Hours", "Services", "Events", and "More information". A navigation bar includes "Search/Home", "Find It Fast!", "Kids' Library", "I Need Material", "Knowledge Portal", "My Account", and "Contact Us". A secondary bar has "Go Back", "Help", and "Logout". The main content area features a "Quick Search" box with a search input field, a dropdown menu set to "words or phrase", and a "Search" button. Below the search box is a "library:" dropdown menu set to "Casey-Cardinia Library Corporation" and a "Power Search" link. Three columns of recommended content are visible: "Recommended Reading" (listing awards and council resources), "Best Sellers" (listing Dymocks and New York Times lists), and "Hot Sites..." (listing religious and gadget guides).

iBistro – this is the new name for the Casey Cardinia Library Catalogue.

User ID – is your library card number with a capital A at the beginning (ie: A1234567)
if your card number ends in an A, replace the A with a – ie. A123456A becomes A123456-

PIN – your password to your account. PIN stands for “Personal Identification Number”. iBistro will automatically set your PIN to the last 4 numbers of your library card. You can change your PIN through logging in to your account. *if your card number ends in an A, replace the A with a – ie. 456A becomes 456-*

Quick Search – you can type in a keyword search here. The default search is for all items at Casey Cardinia Libraries but eventually you will be able to search across the catalogues of all of the “Swift” libraries.

Find it Fast – gives a list of pre-selected searches in a number of different subject areas

Kid’s Library – a junior version of Find It Fast

I Need Material – send a notice to the Library recommending books and material to purchase

Knowledge Portal – links to other Library catalogues world wide

My Account – is the member’s area. Once you have logged in you can click here and access your membership details.

Contact Us – send a notice to Library staff with any questions you may have about iBistro or your membership details.

Search/Home – will take you back to the first page of iBistro.

Go Back – will take you back to the last screen you were viewing.

Logout – click here to log out of your account or iBistro.

Recommended Reading lists – these are award winning lists of books from Australian and International sources

Best Sellers – various Best Seller lists from Australian and International newspapers and magazines

Hot Sites – features selected web sites that change on a regular basis