

SCI-FI FAN RIDES THE NEW WAVE

PRAISE FOR FUTURISTIC NOVEL

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YEERONGPILLY man James Raven grew up loving novels and movies such as *Star Trek*, *Dr Who*, *Battlestar Galactica* and *Star Wars*.

So it is no surprise he has branched out into writing his own sci-fi adventures.

Sentinels of Tzurac has already gained four and five-star reviews on website amazon.com, prompting Mr Raven to start writing a sequel.

Mr Raven said he spent his childhood watching and reading all things science fiction. "There's all these books and movies coming out of a science fiction nature, and I'm thinking, 'Some of this is rubbish,'" he

said. "I've always had a keen interest in writing and I was sure I could write a good book that could be turned into a good film."

Mr Raven said the idea of writing a sequel had not occurred to him until readers started anticipating the next book in the series.

Sentinels of Tzurac is based on Earth in the future, with intergalactic mining companies searching for energy and natural resources.

Mr Raven will have a book signing at Brookside Shopping Centre, Mitchelton, at Angus & Robertson book shop on June 29, between 10.30am to 2pm.

 For more information on *Sentinels of Tzurac*, go to jamesraven.com.au
