

Yenda Agenda

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Term 4 Week 5

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Principal's Report

Welcome to our Week 4 edition of the Yenda Agenda!

What can I say! What a week!!!

The K-2 students had the most amazing time visiting Altina as their major excursion this week, seeing a wide variety of animals and learning heaps of cool facts! Did you know that Altina has been successful in supporting species such as Maned Wolves, African Wild Dogs, Scimitar Horned Oryx, Addax Antelope, Przewalski Horses, Hog Deer and White Rhinos? Their work in conservation has helped keep many species from extinction.

You can support Altina in this important work by visiting, or sponsoring an animal. Be sure to check it out! www.altinawildlife.com

The Year 6 students held a successful mini fete on Friday 16 November, raising money for their end of year gift to the school. Congratulations year 6 on your creativity, enthusiasm and playfulness! It made for a wonderful day!



Week 6

Tuesday 20 November Pull up your socks day

Wednesday 21 November Get Lost Mr Scary – Student Session
Get Lost Mr Scary – Group 1 booster session

P and C Meeting

Friday 23 November Assembly 2:15pm
Kindergarten Orientation 9am – 12.30pm

Week 7

Tuesday 27 November Get Lost Mr Scary – Student Session

Thursday 29 November P&C Ginger Bread House Fundraiser 6pm

Friday 30 November Kindergarten Orientation 9am – 1.50pm

Week 8

Wednesday 5 December Get Lost Mr Scary – Student Session

Thursday 6 December Presentation Night

Friday 7 December No Assembly Today

Week 9

Thursday 13 December Year 6 Farewell Dinner



Yenda Public School News

Pull up your Socks Day!!!

There are still a number of socks left for purchase before our Pull Up Your Socks Day event, raising money for the McGrath Foundation. Socks can be purchased from the front office for \$12 each.



Students will receive their purchased socks home today (Friday 16 November) ready to be worn on Tuesday 20 November. Students are still required to wear school uniform on the day, but can wear their special funky socks!

Year 6 Farewell

Invitations will soon go out for the Year 6 Farewell. Please mark the date, Thursday 13 December in your calendars!

The Year 6 Farewell will involve speeches, presentations of gifts, a slide show of memories of primary school, as well as a sit down dinner.

The formal proceedings will be followed by a school disco for all students K-6.

More information to come!

Year 5 School Leaders Preparation

The time is fast approaching where our current school leaders will hand over the responsibility to 2019 Year 6 students.

As per the Yenda Public School Student Leadership Policy, students will go through a process to be nominated, and to be considered for the positions of School Leader (previously referred to as School Captain) and Sports Captain.

A copy of the policy will be sent home to all year 5 students, allowing for parents to support their child in their pursuit of leadership positions. Please note, ALL nominations for student leadership positions must be endorsed by both their current classroom teacher and the Principal.

Students will present their School Leader speeches on Monday 3 December in the school hall, followed by the election.

Interested students will present their Sport Captain speeches to their house groups on Tuesday 4 December, which will also be followed by an election.

School Leader and Sport Captain positions will be announced at Presentation Night with a badge presentation.

If you have any questions about the process, please make an appointment to see Mrs Wallace before the election date.

Good luck to all students who are nominating and running for leadership positions.

Get Lost Mr Scary

Students in this terms Get Lost Mr Scary group are continuing to become the boss of their fears and worries, learning a wide range of strategies.

There will be a 'booster' session for the Term 3 group on Wednesday 28 November.

Thank you Andrew and Mrs Wallace for continuing to run this program for our K-2 students.



P and C News

Gingerbread Building Night Fundraiser

The next P and C meeting will be held on Wednesday 21 November from 7pm. Please come and join us to see what the P and C have planned for the rest of the year!

Gingerbread building night on Thursday 29 November at 6pm in the YPS Hall. The three varieties to choose from include a traditional gingerbread house, gluten free gingerbread house and chocolate gingerbread house. All varieties are dairy, egg and nut free. Prices are \$35 each or \$40 with lollies.

If you are unable to join us on the evening at school, take home kits will be available, if ordered. Everything is included in the gingerbread house, icing, board and cellophane. You will also be able to bring some different lollies with you for something special.

Order forms can be collected from the office or found online on the school Facebook Page.



Canteen News

Thank you to those families who have been contributing to the canteen with donations of baked goods. Please be sure to let Catherine know either in person, or by going to <https://www.schoolinterviews.com.au/code?code=353UW> (Event code: 353uw)



Hats

Please remember to send your child with their hat to school each day. Now that the weather has warmed up they are required to wear hats at all times. If they do not bring a hat they will need to remain under the Cola at recess and lunch.

Kindergarten Transition



Altina Excursion 2018

Yenda Public School K12 students had a wonderful time at Altina Wildlife Park on Thursday.





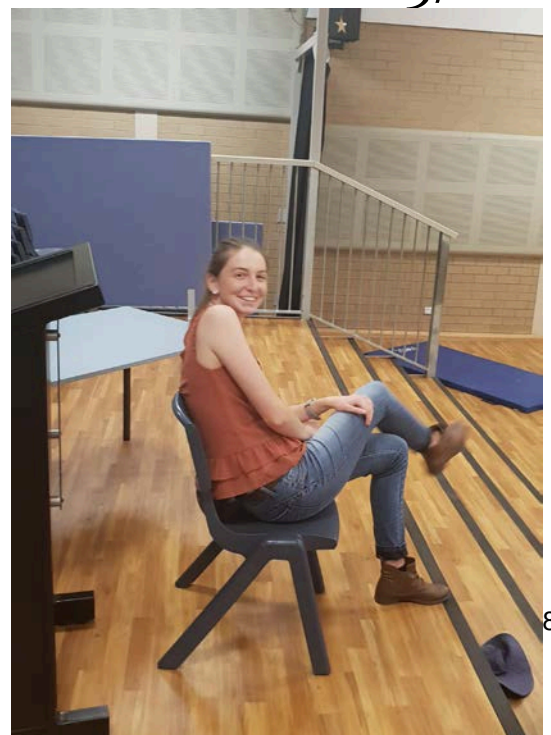


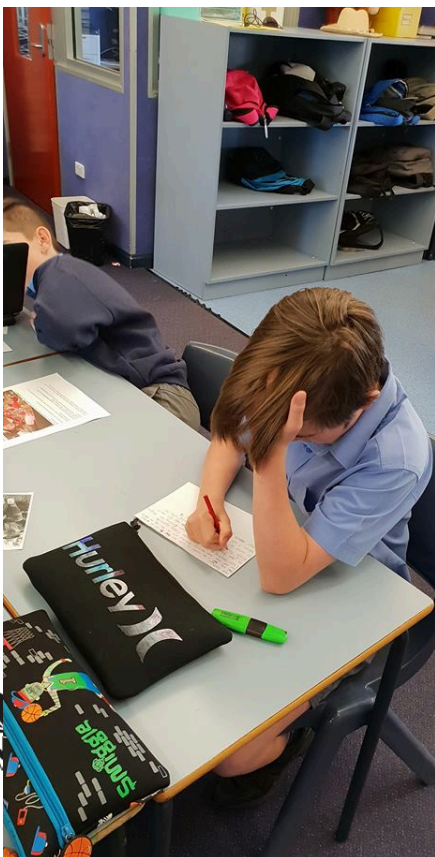
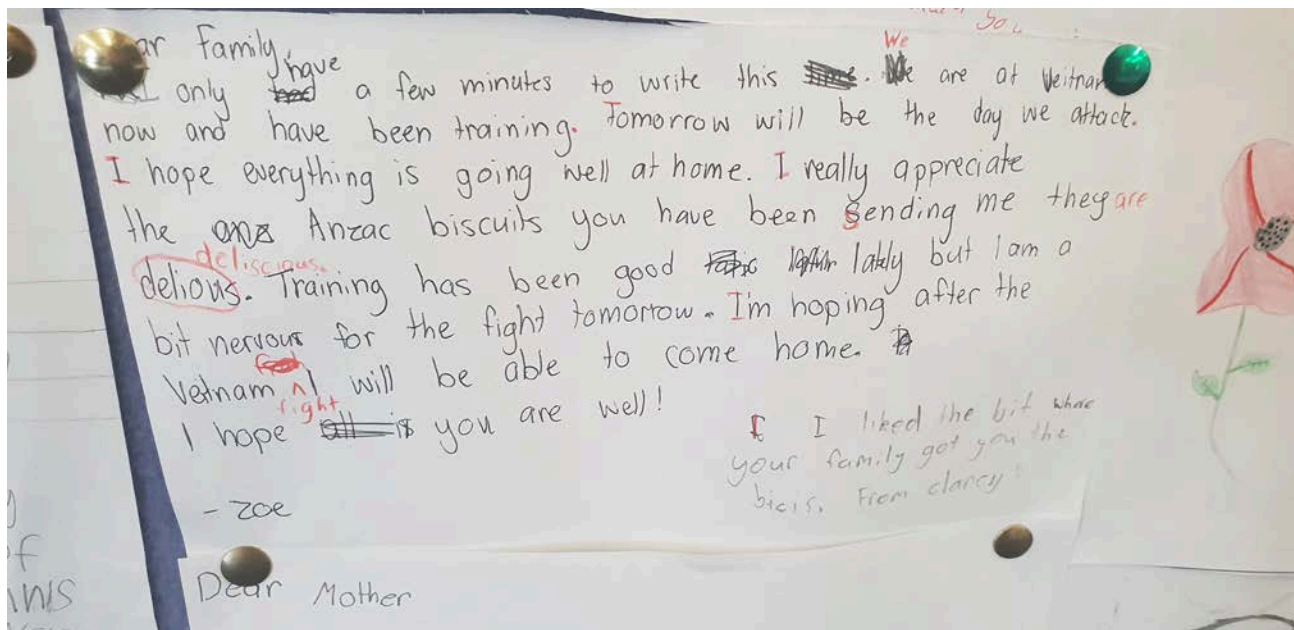
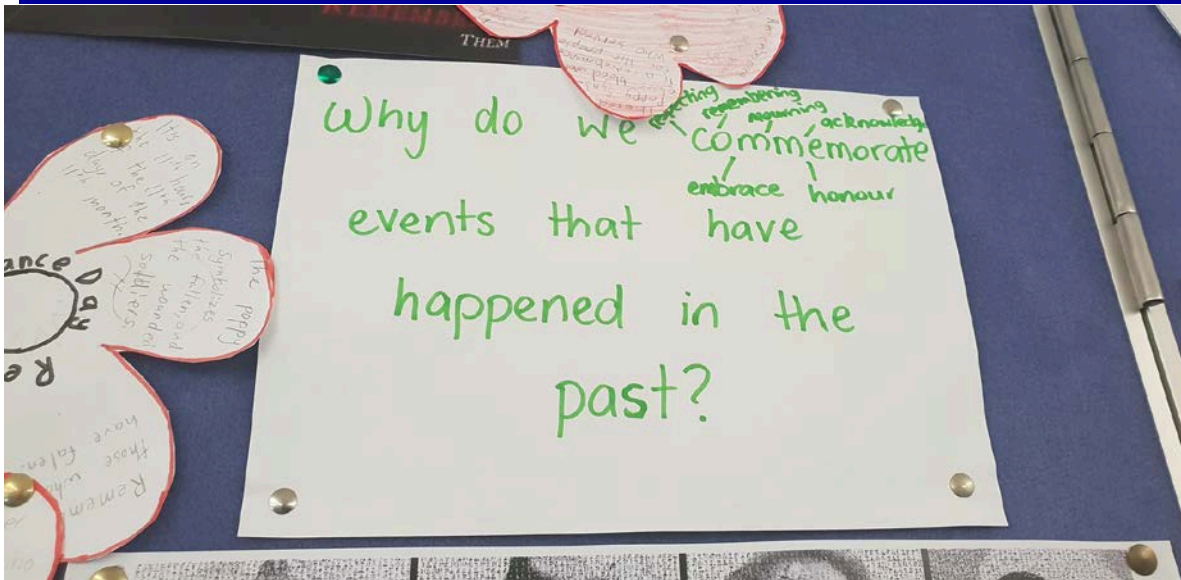


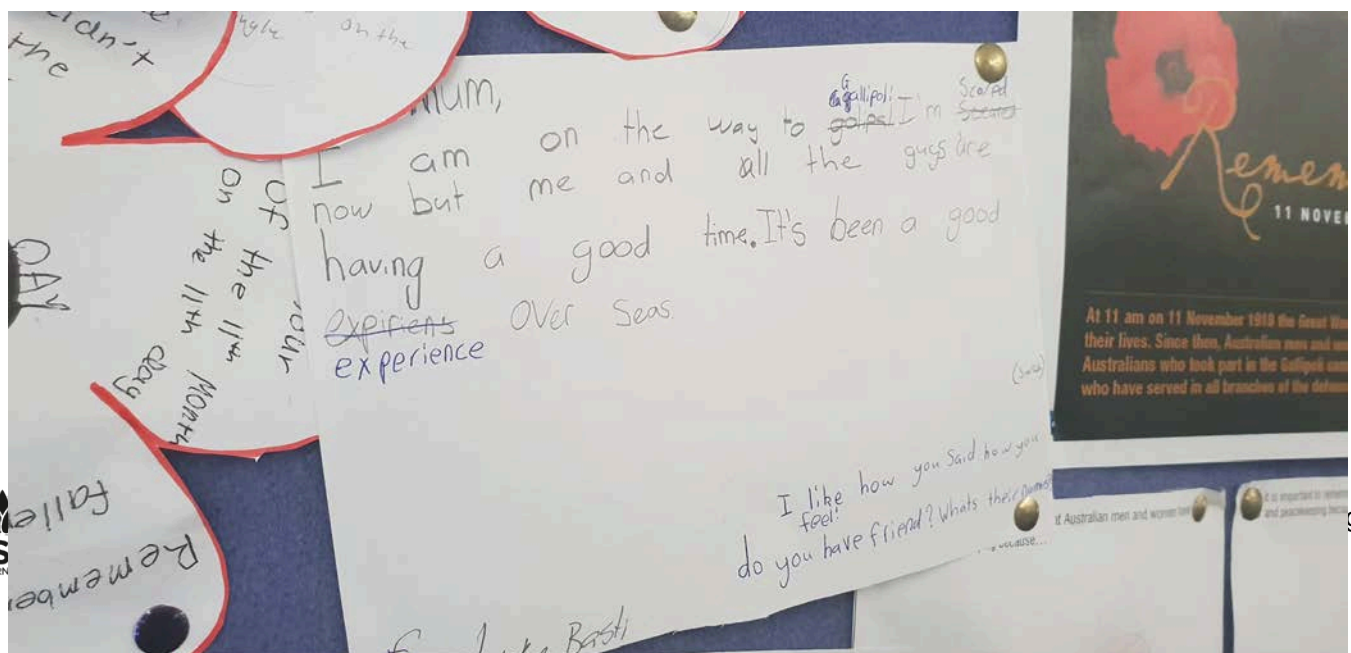
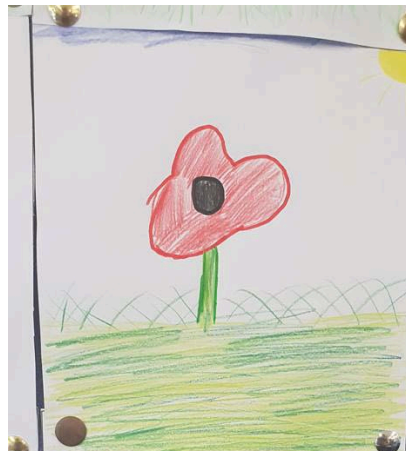


5/6M Remembrance Day Activities

Leading up to Remembrance Day, 5/6M have been investigating, researching and learning about this very important day. Students were asked the essential question 'Why do we commemorate events that have happened in the past?' and participated in a range of activities around this topic. We've also been lucky enough to have had Miss Schmetzer in our classroom over the last two terms. She is completing her second year of university and has been creating engaging and fun-filled lessons for 5/6 over these last two weeks. We wish Miss Schmetzer all the best on her teaching journey and have really enjoyed having her in 5/6M.









Dear family

⁶ ^{Golipoli}

We've landed at Golipoli. It's cold here and damp, a lot of the soldiers already have a cold. As for me I'm fine. I've still got some biscuits you can see me. Well this was a quick check in. Stay safe. I'll be home soon.

Love Bodhi

*well written
It was good
a bit hard to read*



Dear Mother,

I have been at Anzac Cove for four days, my Anzac biscuits are nearly all gone. It's getting really hot and my water is gone.

I have lost three toes and my left arm.

50,000 people are already dead and 100 are wounded from falling down the mountains and from the sea.

I will be home soon.

I like the information in your post card.

from Maddie

