# Yenda Agenda

Yenda Public School

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#### Term 4, Week 6

#### **Principal's Report**

As term 4 progresses, great teaching and learning continues to take place in all classrooms.

This week, our Book Fair has commenced. There is a wonderful collection of books available for purchase. Students will still have the opportunity to purchase books next Tuesday and Wednesday (November 16 and 17). There is more information about the Book Fair later in the newsletter.

Yesterday, a virtual assembly, hosted by our School Captains, was held over our school PA system to commemorate Remembrance Day. All students were extremely respectful during this assembly. Well done, Yenda Public School!

Next week, we welcome Dr Kate Bricknell back to Yenda Public School. Dr Bricknell will be working with teachers to further develop our whole-school plan for effectively teaching English across the school. She will visit the K/IB and 1/2M classrooms to work with the students, and will conduct a final lesson with Year 6 students to equip them with handy English tips to take into high school. We are very lucky to have Dr Bricknell's expertise within our school.

Have a nice weekend!

Gary Workman Principal

## Friday, 12 November 2021

#### Calendar 2021 Term 4

Week 7

**Monday 15-Wendesday 17 November** Dr Kate Bricknell at YPS

**Tuesday 16 November** P&C Meeting- 6:30pm via Zoom

Thursday 18 November

4-6 PD/H/PE Trampolining Excursion

#### Friday 19 November

2022 Kindergarten Orientation-9:00am-12:30pm

#### Week 8

#### Thursday 25 November

K-3 Geography and Science Altina Excursion Year 7 2022 MRHS-Wade Site Orientation Day

#### Friday 26 November

2022 Kindergarten Orientation-9:00am-1:30pm PBL Assembly (students and staff only)

## Week 9

## **Tuesday 30 November**

Bluearth (class Sport at school) Students to wear Sports Uniform

Wednesday 1 December Centenary Memorabilia Orders Due

#### **Thursday 2 December**

2022 School Captain Nomination Speeches (12:30pm- students and staff only)

#### Friday 3 December

2022 Kindergarten Orientation-9:00am-3:00pm Presentation Night Rehearsal at Griffith Regional Theatre (students and staff to attend)





## **Upcoming Dates (End-Of-Year Events) Tuesday 7 December**

Presentation Night- 6:30pm

#### **Tuesday 14 December**

Year 6 Farewell

Griffith Regional Theatre. Tickets will be on sale soon. In following Theatre guidelines, please walking past! note that for students to attend Presentation Night, they must have at least one fully vaccinated parent present in the audience.

When purchasing Presentation Night tickets, all of those attending over 16 years old must have proof of two doses of a COVID-19 vaccine. Proof of vaccine will be asked both when purchasing tickets from the school and upon entry to the Griffith Regional Theatre.

The Year 6 Farewell, will be held at the Yenda Diggers Club. Year 6 students and staff are invited to attend. Parents of Year 6 students are invited to attend to accompany their child but must show proof of 2 doses of a COVID-19 vaccine upon entry to the Farewell. Students must be accompanied by at least one fully vaccinated parent in order to attend the farewell.

There will be further, more specific information regarding these end-of-year events soon (following COVID-19 guidelines).

#### **P&C Meeting**

Our next P&C Meeting will take place on Tuesday 16 November at 6:30pm via Zoom. Please contact the school office if you require the password for this Zoom meeting.



#### **YPS Thanks COVID-19 Essential Workers**

Recently, students in all classes completed artworks or pieces of writing to thank the essential workers of the COVID-19 pandemic. These wonderful works are now on display in the shop window next to Yenda Foodworks. Thank Our Presentation Night will be held at the you to Yenda Pharmacy for allowing us to use this space. Be sure to take a look when you are







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#### **Health Actions**

The following health actions are being promoted for students and staff as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic:



- 1. Wash your hands regularly and thoroughly.
- 2. Sneeze into your elbow or a tissue, disposing of the tissue straight away and then washing your hands.
- 3. Stay home if you are unwell (students with COVID-19 symptoms are to get a COVID-19 test and return to school upon receiving a negative result).

#### **Remembrance Day**



# PBL AWARDS Gold Awards

Roman Badoco, Luke Twigg, Codie Hartnett, Jesse-James Lawson



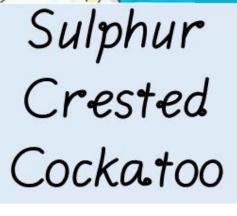


















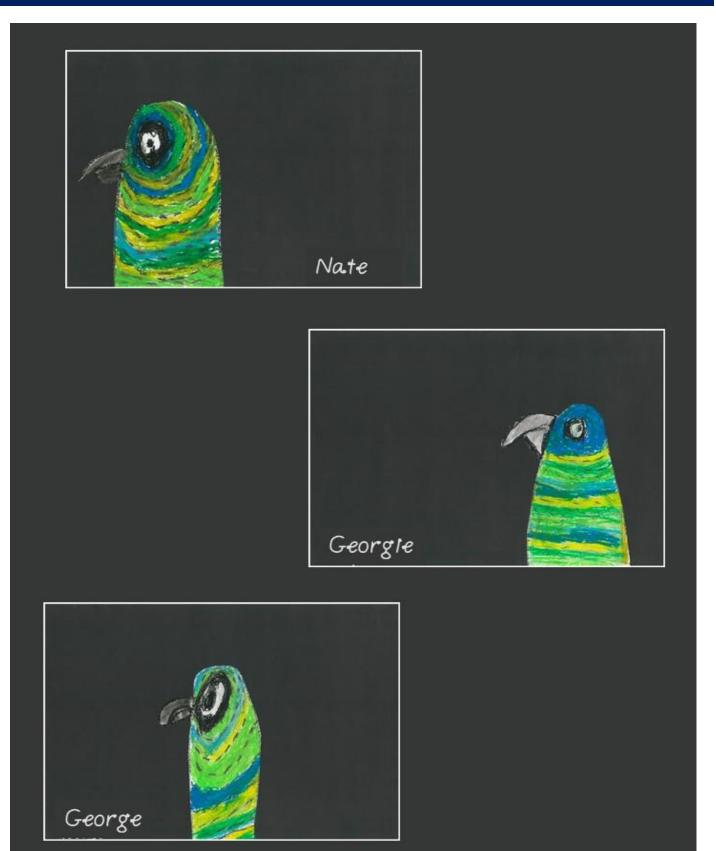




K/1B have been learning all about birds this terml We loved bird watching for the Aussie Backyard Bird Count, reading and writing about birds and lots of amazing bird artl

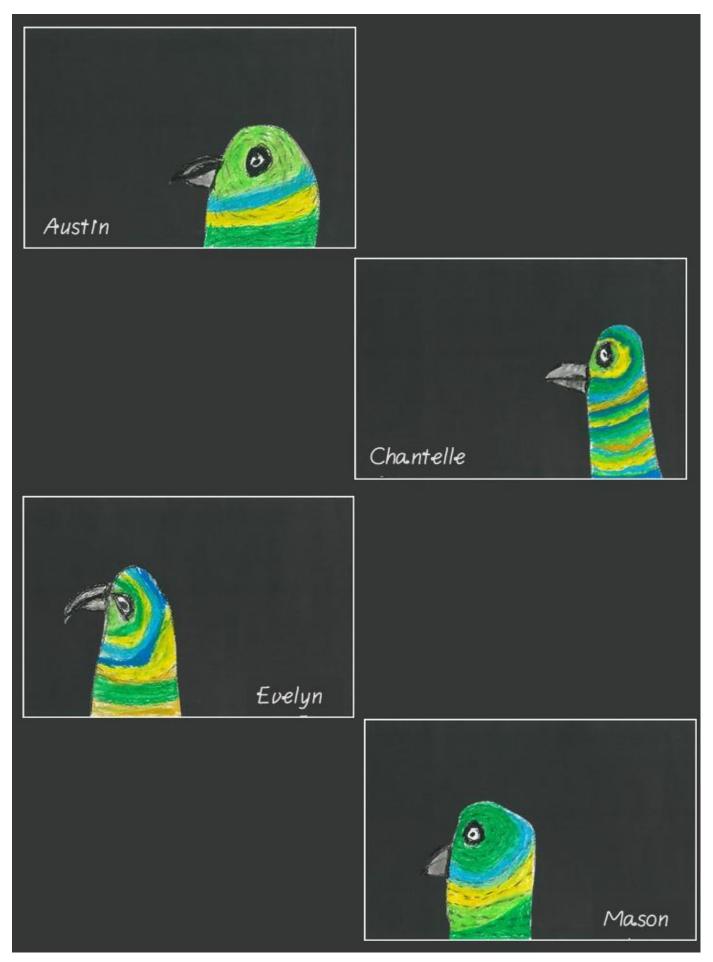




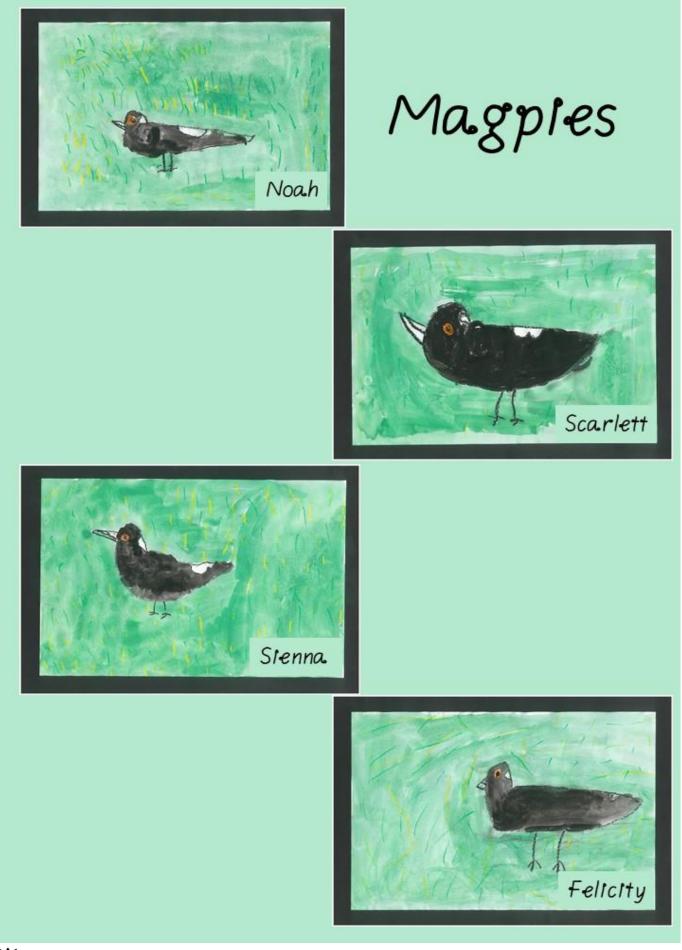


Red Rumped Parrot

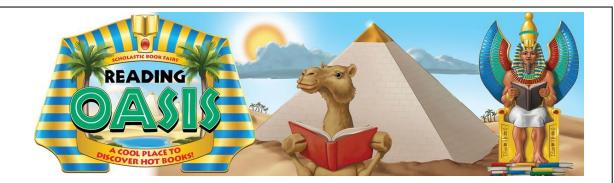












# OUR BOOK FAIR HAS ARRIVED!

The Book Fair is like having an exciting bookshop in our school. The cases are filled with exciting books and activity packs!

We have included some photos of the cases that have been sent to us by Scholastic. Also, students were given a price list at school yesterday as well as creating personal wish lists when they visited the Fair.

If you would like to do some Christmas shopping, you can place an order through Tanya at the Office. If this is a Christmas order, we can arrange collection (Click and Collect!).

Remember, the more books we sell, the higher the commission for books for our Library collection!

## **OPENING HOURS:**

# Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> November 2021

8.30-8.50am (before school); 11.10-11.50am (lunch); 1.30-1.45pm (recess)

# Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2021

8.30-9.00am (before school); 11.10-11.50am (lunch); 1.30-1.45pm (recess)

Thank you to everyone who supported the Book Fair this week!

I encourage you to continue to support us in the coming week!

Mrs Sue Chilvers Teacher-Librarian

















