Yenda Agenda



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Term 4, Week 7

Friday, 19 November 2021

Principal's Report

This week, we welcomed Dr Kate Bricknell back to Yenda Public School. Dr Bricknell worked with teachers to further develop our whole-school plan for effectively teaching English across the school. She also taught K/1B, 1/2M and our Year 6 students. Thank you to Dr Bricknell for visiting our school.



On Monday, we wrapped up our fourth Newman's Error Analysis Challenge. All problems had a Statistics and Probability focus. Congratulations to Emily Harman, who was the lucky winner of the \$20 Griffith City Cinema/Star Bowling/Family Funland voucher. Thank you to the many families who supported this initiative once again. It is great to see wonderful Mathematics problem solving taking place right across the school and at home!

On Wednesday, I visited the 3/4B classroom to speak to the students as part of their day learning all about Japan. The learning on this day was fantastic. Thank you very much to special guest Nicole Okimura, who has lived in Japan, for visiting 3/4B and making the learning come to life by sharing her knowledge

of Japan. This was a fantastic learning experience for the students.

Yesterday, our Year 4-6 students attended their PD/H/PE Trampolining Excursion. This was a wonderful opportunity for the students to practice trampolining skills. I heard that it was a great excursion. Thank you to Mrs Perez, Mrs Kirkman, Miss Dredge and Kellyanne Humphreys for accompanying the students on this excursion.

Earlier this week, a note was sent home containing all relevant information regarding our Presentation Night. Tickets go on sale on Monday morning at the Curran Road main school entrance (8:15-9:00am). Also, from this time, tickets can be purchased online using the POP system. Each family is allowed to purchase a maximum of 4 tickets.

Information will be sent home soon regarding the PBL Celebration Days, which will be held at school on December 9 and 10. Information will also be sent to Year 6 families shortly outlining details of the Year 6 Farewell.

Have a nice weekend!

Gary Workman Principal





Calendar 2021 Term 4

Week 8

Monday 22 November

Presentation Night tickets on sale at the Curran Road entrance 8:15-9:00am

Tuesday 23 November

Presentation Night tickets on sale at the Curran Road entrance 8:15-9:00am

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)

Week 10

Tuesday 7 December

Presentation Night 6:30pm Griffith Regional Theatre

Thursday 9 December

PBL Celebration Day at School

Friday 10 December

PBL Celebration Day at School

Upcoming Dates (End-Of-Year Events)

Tuesday 14 December

Year 6 Farewell

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.

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).

Principal Award

Joie Damini







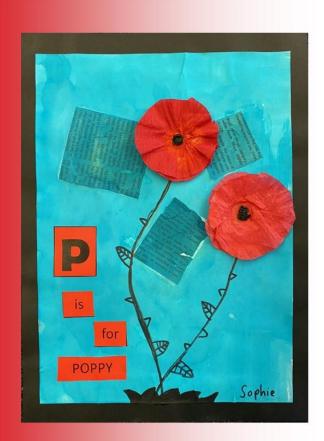


1/2M artworks for

Remembrance Day



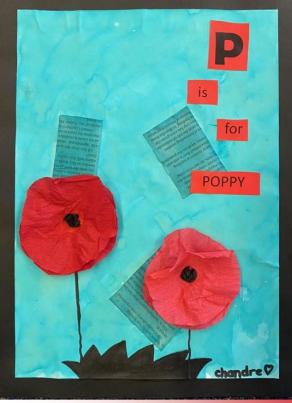




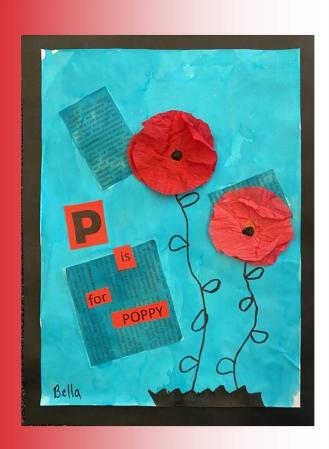


We Will Remember Them

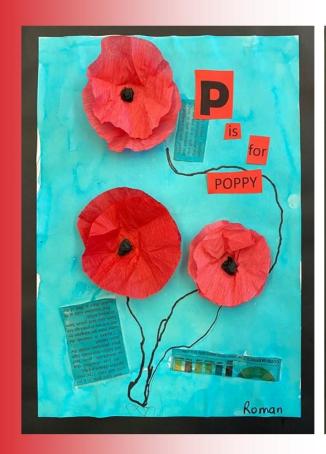






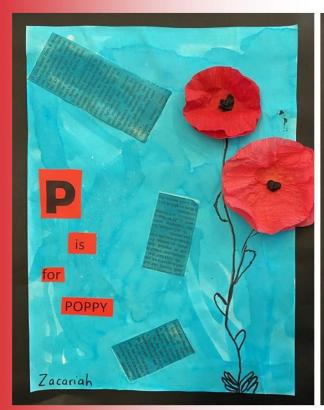


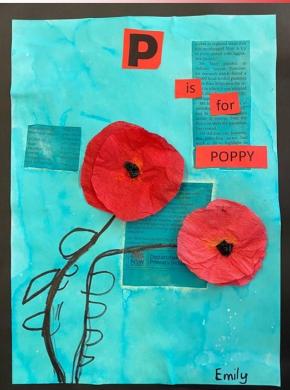




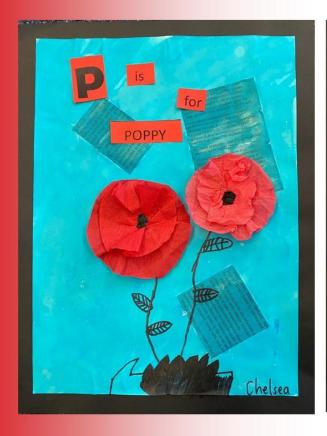






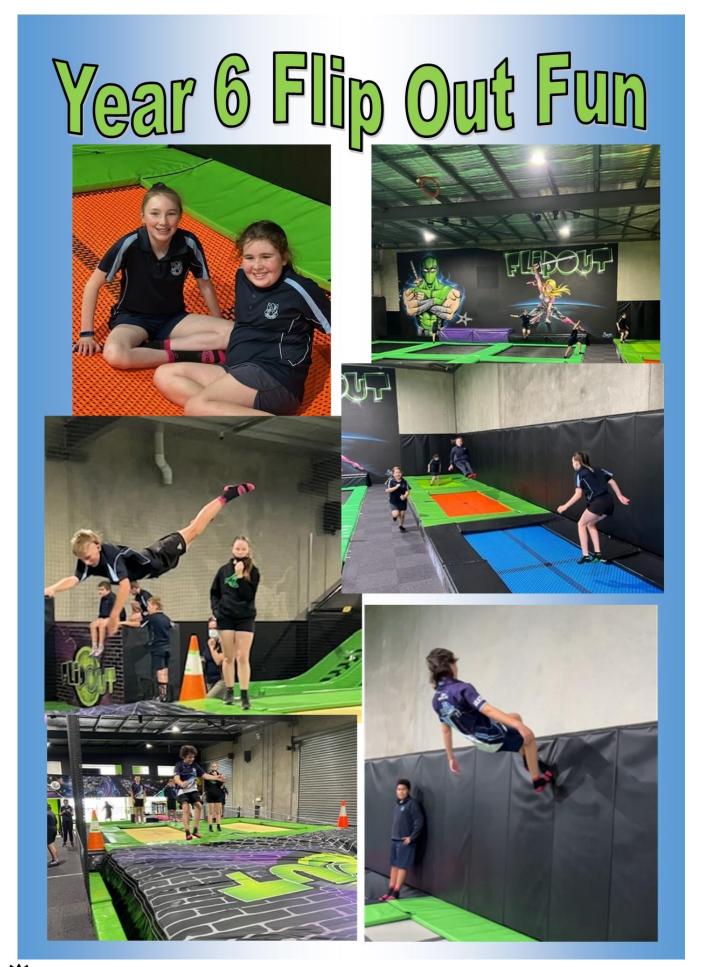


Thank you to Mrs Perez for helping us create these wonderful pieces of art.

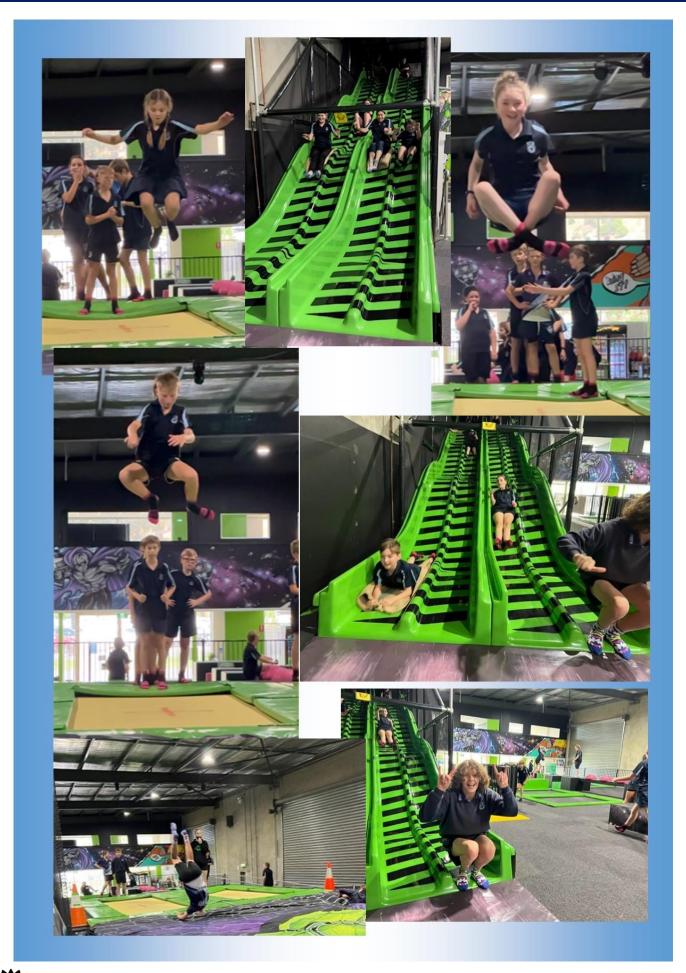


















GIANT BLOCK OF CHOCOLATE RAFFLE

Last chance to purchase tickets on Tuesday
23 Nov to go into the draw to win the GIANT
block of chocolate

\$2 per raffle ticket



The raffle will be drawn Friday 26 Nov 2021



COME AND VOLUNTEER FOR THE YENDA PUBLIC SCHOOL P&C ASSOCIATION

BEING PART OF YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL COMMUNITY IS EXTREMELY REWRADING. THE CHILDREN GET REALLY EXCITED WHEN THEY SEE MUM, DAD OR GRANDPARENTS HELPING OUT!

COME ALONG TO THE P&C MEETINGS ADVERTISED IN THE NEWSLETTER OR LET US KNOW IF YOU'RE ABLE TO BE CALLED ON TO HELP WITH FUNDRAISING.

MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK!

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT HAYLEY 0402 420 668 OR LEAVE YOUR DETAILS AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE.

Reminder—Volunteers will need a Volunteer Working With Children's Check (WWC) and to be double vaccinated.



St Therese Church

Are holding a Street Stall

Friday 3rd Dec 202, 8.45am At the stall near the Yenda Post Office

Any donations of cakes, fruit, vegetables and plants will be appreciated.

Purchase your raffle tickets for the chance to win the Grocery Hamper.

















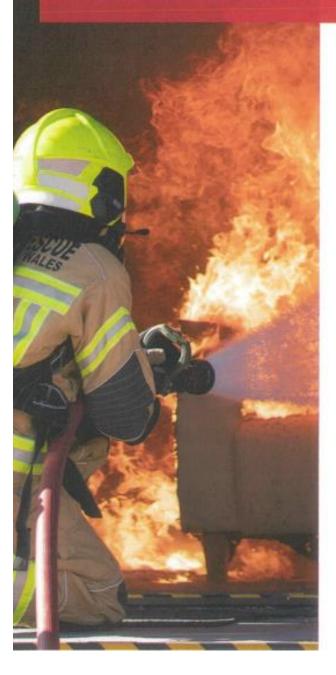






WE'RE LOOKING FOR ON-CALL FIREFIGHTERS IN YENDA

For more information or to apply, visit fire.nsw.gov.au/retained or call 02 6929 5700



MAYBE IT'S TIME TO THINK ABOUT A SECOND JOB

Fire and Rescue NSW employs around 3300 highly-trained, professional, on-call firefighters throughout NSW to respond to emergencies share a commitment to helping their local community. Right now, we're looking for firefighters in your area.

Comprehensive training is provided for all on-call firefighters, covering all aspects of the work involved to keep your community safe. You'll need to:

- ✓ Hold a current NSW driver's licence.
- Be an Australian or New Zealand citizen, or a permanent resident of Australia.
- Live or work within a reasonable distance from your local fire station.
- Have daytime availability to respond to emergencies.





