

## PRINCIPAL'S ADDRESS

Dear Parents and Caregivers

**Easter Raffle:** What a lot of Easter treats have been donated already! Keep them coming in and best of luck in winning one of the many prizes. Thanks to the P&C for organizing this raffle. Major prize winners will be announced at the assembly on Wednesday .

**Assembly Room 14, Year 1:** We would love to see you at the assembly next Wednesday, 31<sup>st</sup> March. Assembly starts at 2.20pm.

**Additional Class:** Our student numbers are growing so we have taken the decision to put significant funds towards adding another class, starting Term 2. This has meant that there will be a reorganization of classes from Year 3 to Year 6 (not including Room 9, Year 2/3). All parents from these classes have been informed by email of these changes. If your child is in one of these classes and you have not received an email, please call the front office to update your email details.

**Interschool Carnival:** We would like to wish all our competitors in tomorrow's carnival the very best of luck. I know you will represent our school with pride and show the good sportsmanship that Yangebup PS is famous for.

**Term 2:** A reminder that Term 2 starts for students on **Tuesday, 20th April** as the Monday is a School Development Day for staff.

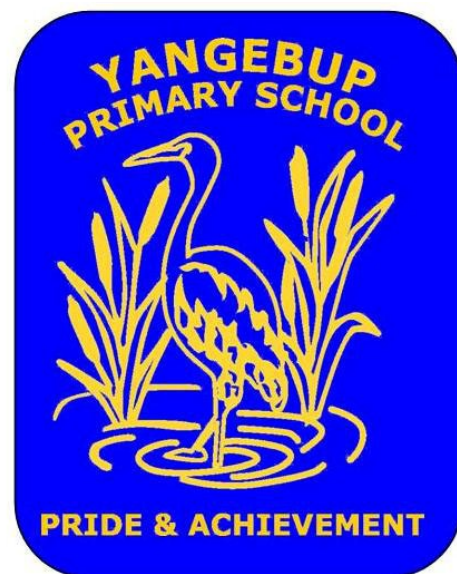
*Andrea Macfarlane*

Principal

### MATHS BOOKS—Years 1-6

**Have you paid for your child's maths book? If not ,can you please contact the school office and organise payment asap.**

**Thanking you.**



## Dates to remember

**Friday 26th March**  
Summer Interschool Carnival

**Thursday 1st April**  
End of Term One

**Monday 19th April**  
Staff Development Day  
(No Students)

**Tuesday 20th April**  
**Commencement of Term 2 for  
all students**

**Monday 21st June-**  
**Friday 2nd July**  
Interim Swimming Yrs PP-6



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**Skoolbag**  
Smartphone school to parent communication

## STUDENT NEWS

We are always thrilled to hear of students excelling outside school in a wide variety of interests.

Today we would like to share with you **Oliver Chidlow's** fine achievement.

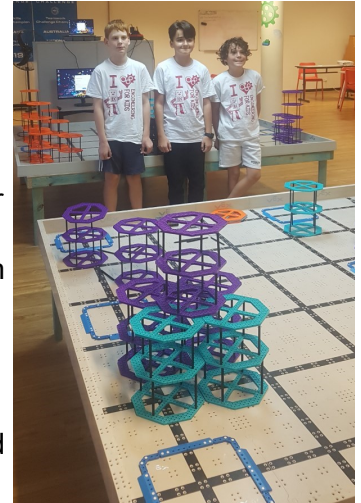
Oliver was due to attend the VEX Robotics Competition in Adelaide earlier this month but unfortunately the event was cancelled due to COVID. Instead Oliver's team had an online remote option last Friday over a Zoom meeting.

The boys had to construct their own robot to strict dimensions from scratch! They had numerous challenges to attempt, including 3 chances with a remote control to challenge their drivers skills. Their robots also had to complete a course with stacking risers.

Oliver worked hard over the summer holidays and five times a week including Sundays to gain this well deserved outcome. His team is currently in 4th place in Australia and, fingers crossed, it looks like they will qualify for the World Championships in May this year.

Congratulations Oliver, and good luck for the next stage.

*If there are any other students out there who are doing amazing things outside school hours please let us know. We'd love to acknowledge their achievements too.*



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### Cats Make The Best Pets.... by Mason C. Rm2

I'm sure that everyone would want a mouse, guinea pig or a dog and if not those a bird – but do you know what would be better? ..... A CAT!

Isn't it obvious that cats would make the best pet! Firstly cats are super clean. They literally clean themselves and dig holes to poop and pee in and they bury the holes up after they're finished. Isn't that AMAZING!

To add icing to the cake they are also super loving. When you get home from a tiring day all you need to do is get them a tiny bit of food (only if they haven't got food themselves A.K.A. bird, mouse or rat) and then you can lie down with a cute and cuddly cat lying beside you. Sometimes cats even suckle your fingers and if you rub or scratch in the correct places, they have the cutest reaction. So, if you ask me cats are 100% the BEST pets in the world!!!!

Clearly cats are the best because they keep out unwanted visitors like rats and mice. The only bad thing is when they kill a rat or mouse, they bring the corpse inside for you.

So..... cats are definitely the best pet without a doubt!





# SELF PORTRAITS

Kindy B

What a cute  
bunch we  
are!!!!



The children of Kindy B  
would like to thank  
**the Grida family**  
who donated an outdoor  
kitchen for use in the Early  
Childhood playground.

Your kindness is much  
appreciated.



## Kindy A Mud Kitchen

We finally opened our mud kitchen to the children this week! As you can see the children have enjoyed playing with the water, sand and mud. I want to thank Joel for making a stand for the sink and attaching a hose so the children can get water from the sink tap. I also need to thank all the parents who have donated items for the children to use in their play. The children recycle the water collected in the orange tub in their play and also to water our garden. At present we have rosemary, garlic chives, mint and pig face growing, thanks to donations. Luckily we now have the reticulation to water the plants when we are not at Kindy.





# P&C News

## Easter Raffle Wednesday 31st March

Have you brought in your raffle tickets? There are more in the office if you need them. We are still accepting donations of chocolate and Easter themed items for the prizes, you can leave them at the office or your child's classroom.

**Uniforms** - Does your child require a winter jacket? We encourage parents to buy them before the end of term to enable us to order more if required. We will open the uniform shop on **Tuesday the 30th from 3:00 - 3:20** if you would like to come and try on the jackets. Alternatively you can order and pay for them online and we will deliver the order to your child's classroom.

## COMING SOON

### TERM TWO

It's that time of year again....  
Yes, it's the Grad Class

### SILVER CHALLENGE, 2021

Start collecting your Silver 5c, 10c, 20c and 50c coins and bring them in to your class.

The class with the **MOST** raised at the end of **Term 2** wins a **PIZZA LUNCH!**

Money raised goes towards Year 6 Graduation events

## COMMUNITY NEWS



### YOUR BEAT MUSIC HQ IS A BRAND NEW SPECIALIST MUSIC STUDIO FOR CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES AND SPECIAL NEEDS.

Want to know more? We are holding Presentation sessions for interested families, so you can come along and see the space, find out about the different classes we offer (including sibling classes) and register to start at the beginning of Term 2 if you are interested.  
(All classes are covered by NDIS funding if your child has an NDIS plan.)

#### PRESENTATION DATES AND TIMES:

THURSDAY 8TH APRIL, 10AM - 11AM  
FRIDAY 9TH APRIL, 4.30PM - 5.30PM  
MONDAY 12TH APRIL, 10AM - 11AM  
TUESDAY 13TH APRIL, 4.30PM - 5.30PM

PLEASE RSVP TO HELEN ON 0408 535 842  
BY 6PM WEDNESDAY 31ST MARCH

I hope to see you there!

*Helen Quinlan*

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### The Play Factory Playgroup

Come join the fun and meet other local families whilst your children explore, learn and play in a secure environment overlooking Santich Park.  
Contact us to enjoy two free trial sessions!

Bring a water bottle and a piece of fruit

Who: Families with children aged 0-5

When: Playgroup sessions run Monday to Friday

Where: 19 Beckett Close, Lake Coogee, 6166 WA

Contact: playfactorynewmembers@gmail.com

Information: www.theplayfactoryplaygroup.com



### Jandakot Jets Football Club

Pre-Primary, Year 1 and Year 2 - that the registrations are open for the 2021 Auskick program at Jandakot Jets Junior Football Club.

Auskick is a great way for kids to learn and develop new skills, meet new friends, maintain fitness and most of all have fun.

Enquiries email [jetsauskick@gmail.com](mailto:jetsauskick@gmail.com)