

Yangebup Primary School

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Issue 13

Dear Parents and Caregivers

Book Week: Luckily, as the White Witch of Narnia, I did not have to freeze the school as our wonderful Yangebup students got into the spirit of Book Week with fabulous costumes and fantastic behaviour. It was a joy to see so many parents attend the morning assembly and to see so many students dressed up!

Faction Naming Competition: Thank you to the panel of school representatives for your time and thoughtfulness in short listing our entries. The panel consists of year 5 students, Zaiden, Sienna and Cruz, Jenna Rosier representing the School Council, Karen Haines representing the P&C, Julie Collins representing the staff and Richard Barr and myself. Here is the short list:

Noongar seasons: Birak, Djlba, Kambarang

Noongar: Koort (heart), Boodjera (land), Ngangk (sun)

Plants: Birdack (bottle brush), Balga (grass tree), Pudjak (banksia)

Birds: Red Makaw, Green Lorikeet, Golden Eagle

Thank you to everyone who submitted an entry. Tell one of the panel members which is your favourite and a final choice will be made just before the Faction Carnival so we can announce it then.

Faction Athletics Carnival: We are looking forward to welcoming parents and caregivers to our Faction Carnival this year. We want you to have a wonderful day and enjoy watching your children but we also ask that you follow the rules we have set up for the day. Children are excited and noisy on the day and it is important for us to be able get their attention when they are needed for events. Therefore we ask that no parents enter the student bays. We also ask parents not to come into the finish line area. Being a finish line judge can be a stressful job and if parents are there it can be difficult to get the children to follow instructions and keep the day moving and on time.

The P&C will be organizing lunch for students who wish to order as well as a canteen for parents to buy coffee and snacks. If you wish to buy something for your child, you can, but please wait until the recess or lunch break to give it to them as students will then be able to move about freely and come and visit their parents. We thank you in advance for your co-operation.

Class Representative Meeting: Thank you to the parents who put up their hand to be a class parent rep. We meet once a term and had our first meeting yesterday. I was able to give them first-hand information about things going on around the school and what things are in the pipe-line. If you are unsure about something and don't know who to ask, try your class parent rep. Also, if you have feedback or questions for the school, you can ask your rep to bring it up in the next meeting. These are our parent reps:

KA: Rosie Miller

PP2, Rooms 2 and 26: Kylie Grida

Room 4: Aimee Logan

Room 19: Jacinta Thompson

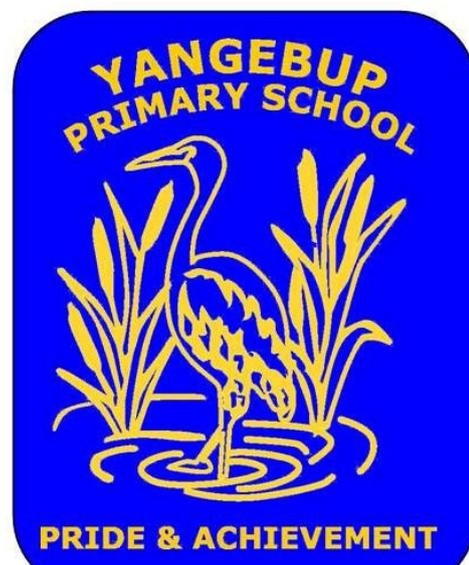
KB and Room 12: Jenner Rosier

PP3 and Room 7: Elaine Graczyk

Room 9: Tammy Hill

Room 6 and 14: No-one as yet! (Please let me know if you would like to be the rep!).

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Dates to remember

Wed 15th Sept
Assembly Room 2

Monday 20th Sept
Jumps and Throws

Thurs 23rd Sept
Athletics Faction Carnival

Friday 24th Sept
Last day for Term 3

Term 4 Commences
Monday 11th October

Thurs 21st October
School Open Night

Pupil Free Day Term 4
Friday 5th November

Battery Recycling available
outside Room 26 (opposite
the Library)



Instagram

Skoolbag

Smartphone school to parent communication

@yangebup_library

Tel: 9395 3200

Email: Yangebup.ps@education.wa.edu.au

Problems/Conflicts/Issues: If you or your child has a problem that needs to be resolved, the first point of contact is your child's teacher. Please feel free to make an appointment with me after that if the problem cannot be resolved.

SAVE THE DATE: School Open Night: We are having an open night! You are invited to come into school and view your child/rens work! This is an opportunity for you to view work displayed in classrooms, look through your child's books and visit the Science and Art rooms. There will be no opportunity for parent interviews at this time. If you wish to discuss your child's progress with the teacher, please make an appointment for another time.

- ◆ When: **Thursday, 21st October**
- ◆ Time: **4.30 – 5.30**

We can't wait to see you there!

Andrea Macfarlane
Principal

Rooms 2 and 4 Excursion



On Monday 6th September, Rooms 2 and 4 had an amazing excursion to Scitech. We all watched the moon base movie in the planetarium, learnt about the planets in our solar system and the moon's impact on planet earth.

Our challenge for the day was to create an efficient wind turbine. Our science inquiry skills were utilised. The day enhanced by the fact that we had so many parents willing to come along and help. A big thankyou to all the parents concerned.

from Mrs Downer's Sports Desk

Bibra Lake Fun Run: Lace up your running or walking shoes and join myself, my family and other Yangebup Primary School students and parents in participating in the Bibra Lake Fun Run. It is on this **Sunday 12th of September** and there is still time to register for this free event. There are 6km and 12km options for runners and walkers. If you do register be sure to write **Yangebup Primary School** in the Club Section so we have a chance of winning vouchers for the school.

Thanks to a Sporting Schools grant and Hockey WA, the Year 1-3's have had the opportunity of learning some valuable new skills in the sport of hockey. They have had fun learning about safety, dribbling, push passing and tackling. If your child is interested in trying some more hockey then please contact **Fremantle Cockburn Hockey** on freohockey.com.



Japanese News

Room 7 Japanese class learning the basics of SUMIE (Japanese ink painting) with Mr Blades. The students are painting images of bamboo.



**Don't forget
Cheesies \$2 and
Warm Chocolate \$1
EVERY
Wednesday recess until
the end of term.**



Book Week 2021



Early Childhood Furniture Opportunity

Retired Year one class furniture is available to the Yangebup PS community! We don't need this furniture anymore and would like to offer it to parents as a set, consisting of 1 desk and 2 chairs.

There is a small fee of \$10.00 for each of these sets, or even less if you purchase more! Funds raised will go towards future classroom equipment renewal in 2022.

The furniture will be available to purchase on Wednesday the 22nd of September from 2pm in the area between D and E Block (near the flag pole).



PJ Day

During our recent whole school PJ Day our children in PP3 had a Teddy Bear and Hot (warm) Chocolate stall, which proved very popular with the children!



P&C News

Yangebup Primary Graduation Fundraiser

Looking for something fun
to do with the whole family?



Tickets are valid for 1 whole year. Every ticket sold includes skate hire and a bonus 2 for \$35 discount pass for your next visit!

<https://www.cockburnicearena.com.au/product/yangebup-primary-school-fundraiser-one-year-expiry-tickets/>



Uniform Shop: Will be open Thursday mornings in weeks 1, 3, 5, 7, and 9 of term. Alternatively you can order on line via the P&C Facebook page.

School Disco: We would like to thank the following local businesses for their donation of generous prizes for our recent school disco.

- Yangebup IGA
- Priceless Discount South Lake
- Big W Gateways
- Coles Gateways
- Kmart Gateways
- Dominos South Lake

Fathers Day Stall: Thank you for your support of our Father's Day stall. We hope all our Dads and the special males in our children's lives enjoyed their gifts on Fathers Day.

Ice Skating Fundraiser: Don't forget to grab your discounted tickets. Great way to occupy the kids during the holidays—and help the school at the same time.