LRC News

Have Book Will Travel @ The Summer Reading Club:
The Yarra Plenty Regional Library offers the Summer Reading Club program every year over the Summer Holidays. It is a fabulous opportunity for our students to join this reading community and have fun reading and participating in events and activities linked to the theme which is “Have Book Will Travel” this year. You can find out more at the LRC Blog.
If your child doesn’t have their own Library Card, now is a great time to get them one!

End of Year Book Returns:
Where did the year go? It’s that time of the year again when all of our library books need to be returned to the LRC. Students have two more weeks of borrowing.

ALL library books are to be returned to the LRC by FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6th.
At the end of the year I need to organise library and classroom resources for the following year. This is a big job and your support in ensuring your child has returned their library books on time is really appreciated!

Refugees and Asylum Seekers:
In the LRC, the Year 6s have been exploring what it is like to be a refugee and asylum seeker through the use of picture books, poetry, images and social media. These poems are by by Anna B in 6CC and Olivia J in 6AC in response to some of our learning. I hope to share some of the Year 6 reflection on the LRC Blog shortly.

A Place to Call Home
This was never planned,
We need to seek safety on your land.
We have done nothing wrong,
And we just want to belong.
No harm we will do,
After all we have been through.
Please just let us stay,
We will do everything as you say.
My family means the most,
I need them very close.
But when you watch one die,
You feel like no tough guy.
The journey had no light,
As nothing was all right.
No food, no water, no place to call home,
My tears would have filled a dome.
All I want is a country that’s fair,
To live a life without despair.
All I ask is to start anew,
To live a life just like you.

By Anna

Humans
Blood
Is what you control with a band aid
Blood
Was the last I saw of my home country
Alone
Is a feeling you value
Alone
Is my eternity
Death
Was the wolf in “Little Red Riding Hood”
Death
Is no fairytale
Crash
Is the drop of a plate
Crash
Is the rubble that buries my family
Water
Gushes plentifully from your taps
Water
Surrounds my leaking boat
Locks
Keep you safe
Locks
Keep me captive
Dreams
Yours are to be hugely wealthy
Dreams
Mine are to survive
Australia
You take for granted
Australia
Is our lucky country

By Olivia