



# Kahibah Public School

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## Book Week Parade and Author Visit

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Dear Parent / Carers,

Dust off the sewing machine and pull out the sparkles - It's that time of year!

Each year, all over Australia, schools and libraries spend a week celebrating books by Australian authors and illustrators. The theme for Book Week 2021 is 'Old Worlds, New Worlds, Other Worlds'. At Kahibah Public School, we will be celebrating with a Book Week Character Parade for our K-6 students. All students are encouraged to dress up as their favourite book character. We will ensure this is done in a COVID safe way, unfortunately this means that families and visitors cannot attend this year's celebration. However, we will ensure there are plenty of photos taken on the day.

When: Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> of August at 1:30pm in the school hall.

Children are also encouraged to bring their book along to school with them if possible. Please note that costumes can be as elaborate as you wish! However, costumes can be simple and can often be created from items already found at home.

Additionally, to celebrate Book Week, local author and illustrator Sami Bayly is coming to Kahibah Public School. Sami's masterpiece "The Illustrated Encyclopaedia of Dangerous Animals" is in the running to win the 2021 CBCA award for nonfiction information books.

When: Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> August in the school hall. Sami will conduct 1-hour workshops in stage groups.

Cost: \$2.50 online payments only

A permission note for this incursion will be going home and needs to be signed and returned to school. These are due in by Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> of August.

Looking forward to celebrating Book Week with you all,

Alison Bull  
(Teacher Librarian)

***"Positive Relationships for Positive Learning"***

