

Kids Care About Climate Change 2021: Plant a Tree, Cool the Earth!

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Would you like the ***GIANT banner*** to come to your school?



2629

trees will be planted



33

countries

Argentina, Australia, Belarus, Brazil, Brunei, Canada, Colombia,
Denmark, France, Germany, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Kenya,
Malaysia, Mexico, Mozambique, New Zealand, Norway,
Pakistan, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka,
Switzerland, Trinidad And Tobago, Uganda, United Kingdom,
United States, Uruguay, Zambia, Zimbabwe



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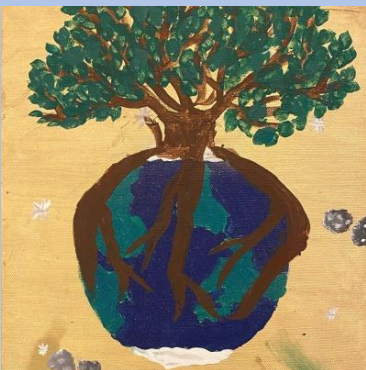
schools

Drawings came from every continent and 33 countries!

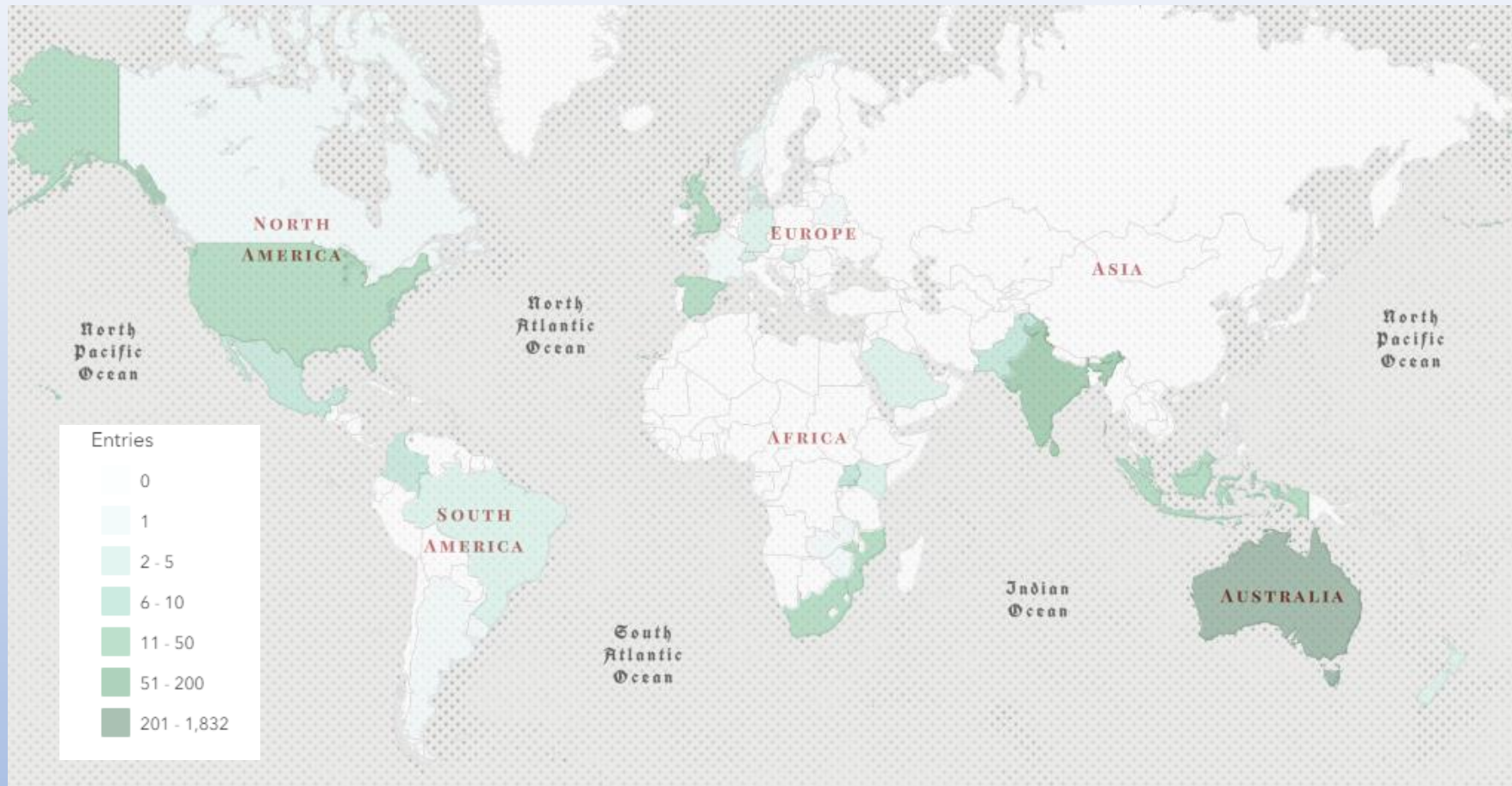
USA



Mozambique



Mexico



The countries are: Argentina, Australia, Belarus, Brazil, Brunei, Canada, Colombia, Denmark, France, Germany, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Kenya, Malaysia, Mexico, Mozambique, New Zealand, Norway, Pakistan, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, Switzerland, Trinidad And Tobago, Uganda, United Kingdom, United States, Uruguay, Zambia, and Zimbabwe.

UK



Singapore



Australia

<https://storymaps.arcgis.com/stories/a76fa3cda8ca4b9982fa481dc6cc62ba>

9 Grand Prize Winners – 11 People's Choice Winners – 117K 'likes'



Drawing made into a flag that circumnavigated Antarctica with sailor Lisa Blair

Drawing to be made into a skin for the game 'Fortnite'



Zoom call with 'Hearts in the Ice' explorer, author and activist Sunniva Sorby

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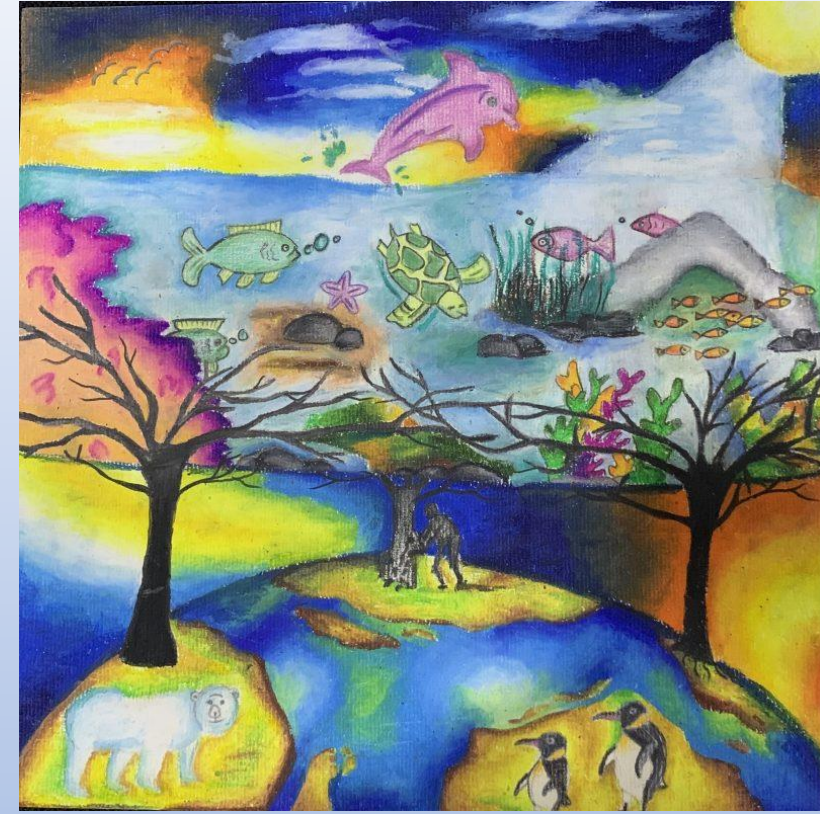


Zoom call with Commander Rebecca Waddington who flies aircraft through hurricanes

Drawing published in Australian Geographic Magazine



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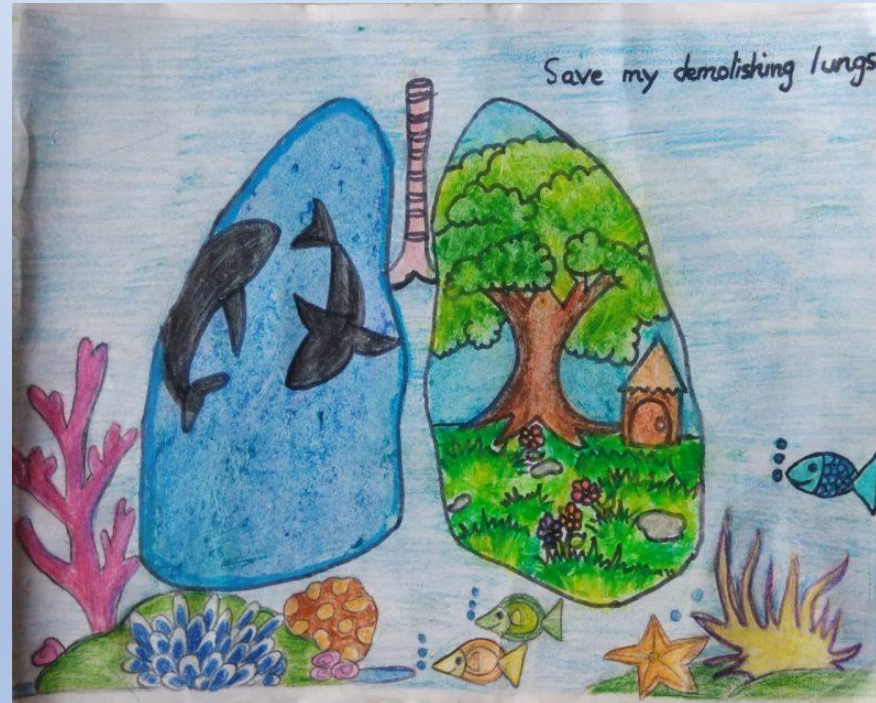


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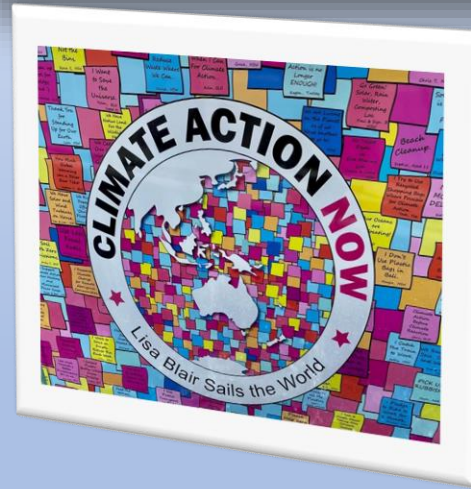


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Drawing sailed around Antarctica!



Grand prize winning drawing sailed around Antarctica with Lisa Blair!

<https://lisablairsailstheworld.com>

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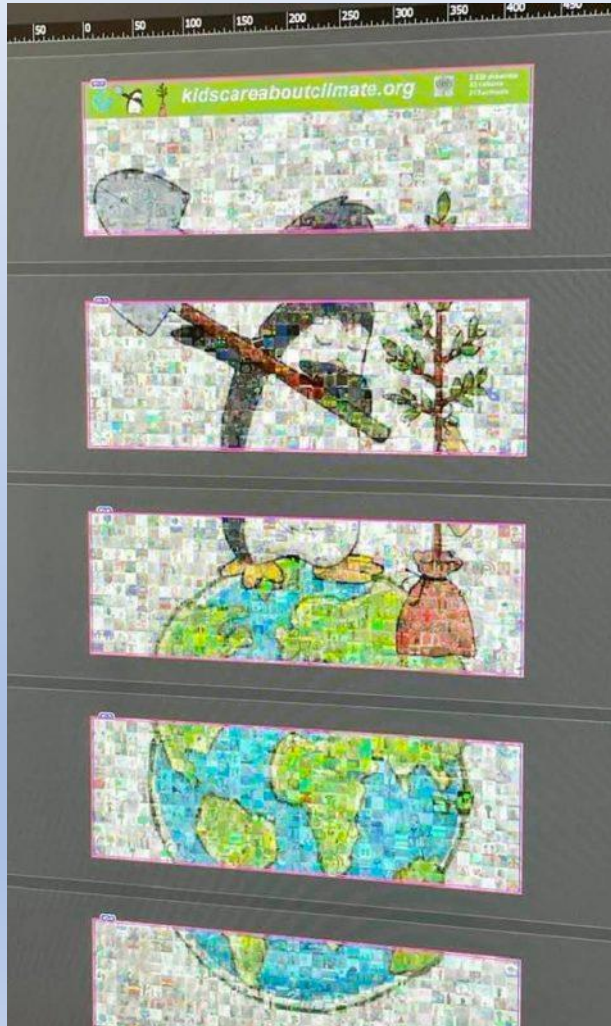


Once it is safe to visit Sri Lanka, I will bring the signed flag and the giant banner to the winner!



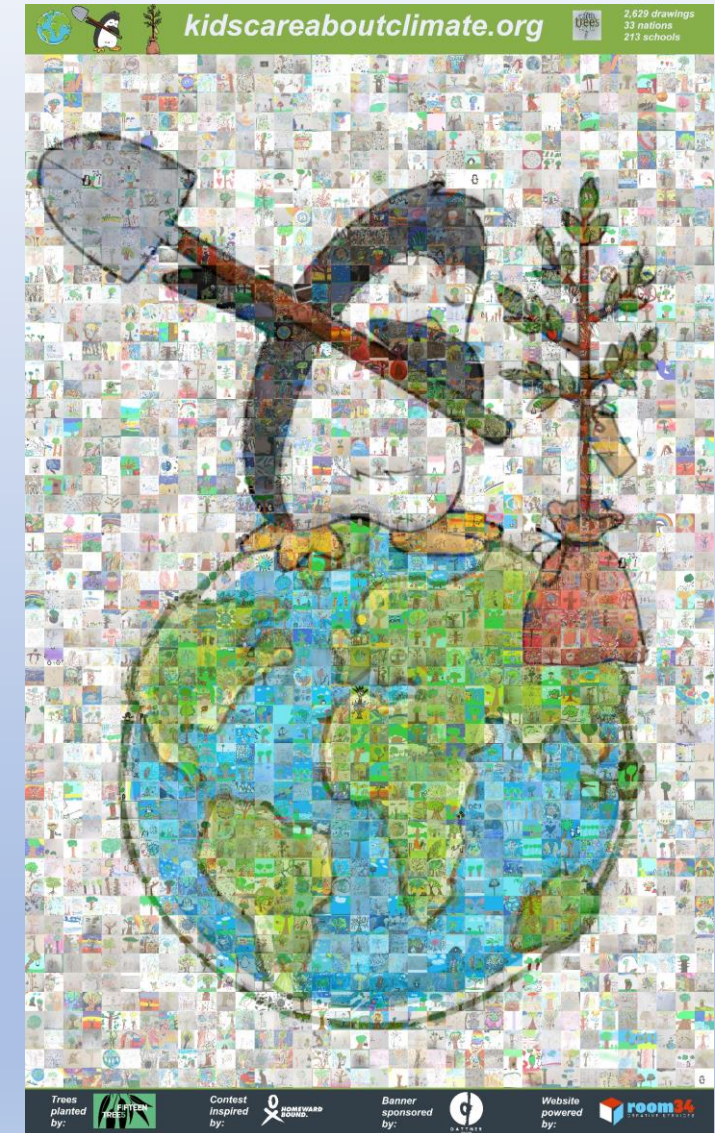
How did we make the giant banner of all the drawings?

1. 2,629 drawings mosaic'd to form a bigger picture. Design split into 5 sections.



2. 5 sections printed – twice!

3. Sections sewn together, reinforced around the edges, handles added – (10 hours each time)



4. DONE: 7 m high, 4 m wide!!

Where has the giant banner been so far?

WHERE TO NEXT?

- Penguin Parade, Phillip Island
- Sri Lanka / India
- US / Canada
- Madagascar

6 countries!
~~29~~ 22+ schools!
Many forests!



World premiere of the giant banner in Perth, Western Australia



Beaumaris Primary school won the right to the world premiere with the most entries in the contest – 513!!



<https://youtu.be/ZpXoJic1Eo4>

St Marys Anglican's Girls School, Perth

<https://youtu.be/mF80pgGmjc>



Eurekamp Oz school holiday camp, University of Western Australia



<https://youtu.be/yq-sa0w5fMU>

The giant banner tours Magnetic Island, Queensland!



<https://youtu.be/PblbC8bAkaQ>

Davies National Park, Queensland



Launching the giant banner over the Daintree Rainforest!!



<https://youtu.be/WAcyQX5ozwE>

The giant banner in Trinity Beach, Queensland

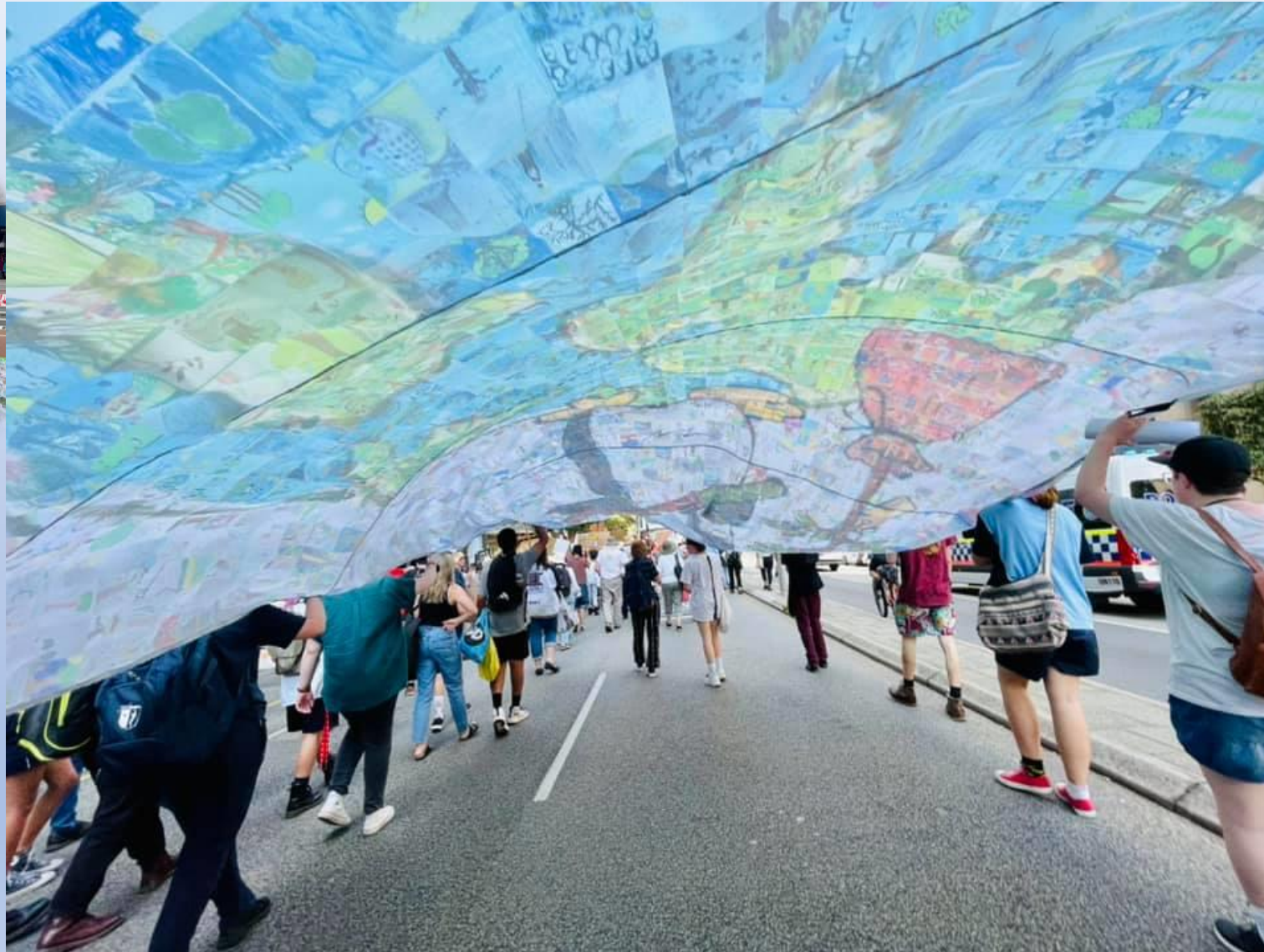


3 schools + a mangrove forest!

Mullaloo Beach Primary School, Perth



Marching at climate strikes with the giant banner!



<https://youtu.be/wxk7oPTP39w>

In the 'Green Zone' at COP26 – Glasgow, UK



**WOMEN ACROSS
THE WORLD
TACKLING
CLIMATE CHANGE**
9 NOVEMBER 11AM-12PM



HOSTED BY
LORNA SLATER MSP

The banner was on display in the 'Green Zone' for a week.

We showcased the banner at the above event and showed this video:

<https://youtu.be/qzORgweLtx4>

Kerry St Community School, Perth



Giant banner at Spencer Park Primary School, Albany



<https://youtu.be/80BVR6FC3Y4>



NPS International School in Singapore for Earth Day



<https://youtu.be/QaFgrZaE70w>

World Environment Day at Alinjarra Primary School, Perth



Year 5 students signed a pledge to be an 'eco-warrior' during this visit!

<https://youtu.be/NQowtm64WE4>



NPS International School in Singapore for World Environment Day!



Pasir Ris rainforest



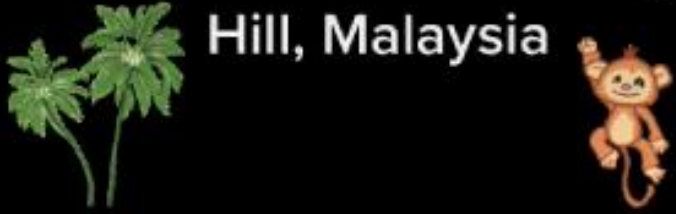
https://youtu.be/79vET6kY_U

International Coral Reef Symposium, Germany



Above the rainforest at the 'Habitat' at Penang Hill, Malaysia

The Habitat at Penang Hill, Malaysia



UNESCO protected rainforest, Malaysia



TikTok
@marjettaiip

2,629 DRAWINGS, 33 COUNTRIES

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<https://youtu.be/z9FNwmNY0Xw>



The giant banner in Tasmania for National Tree Day!

The 'Tree Projects' hung the giant banner between 2 tall trees! The banner visited 3 schools!



<https://youtu.be/2Z9zxi3ovUw>

The giant banner in Tasmania for National Tree Day!

Peregrine SCHOOL



<https://youtu.be/BCXwTWXYMQo>

Australian Marine Science Association conference, Cairns



Year 5 students in Perth spell E-A-R-T-H



1. Drone photo
2. Parachute game
3. Crazy balls game



<https://youtu.be/QymJnISvhal>

Sandy Cape Recreational Area, north of Perth, Australia



Coastal vegetation stores carbon too! We filmed the giant banner in the dunes north of Jurien Bay, WA.



<https://youtu.be/vTkWfeMI95c>

Video shown at COP27 United Nations Climate meeting in Egypt

 **Maurice Sadlier** @mauricesadlier · Nov 12

LOVE the Kids Care about Climate Video. ❤️

“World leaders put kids first”

#childparticipation #ClimateJustice

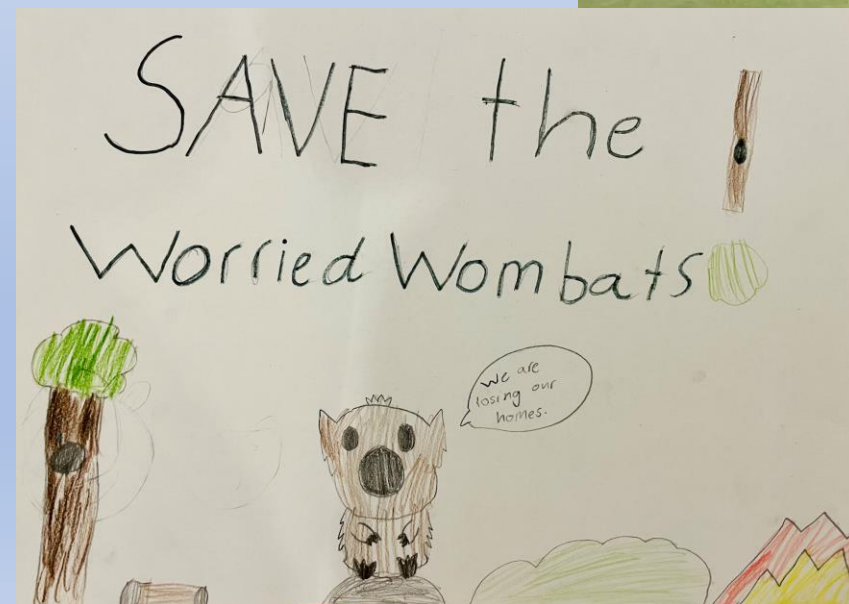
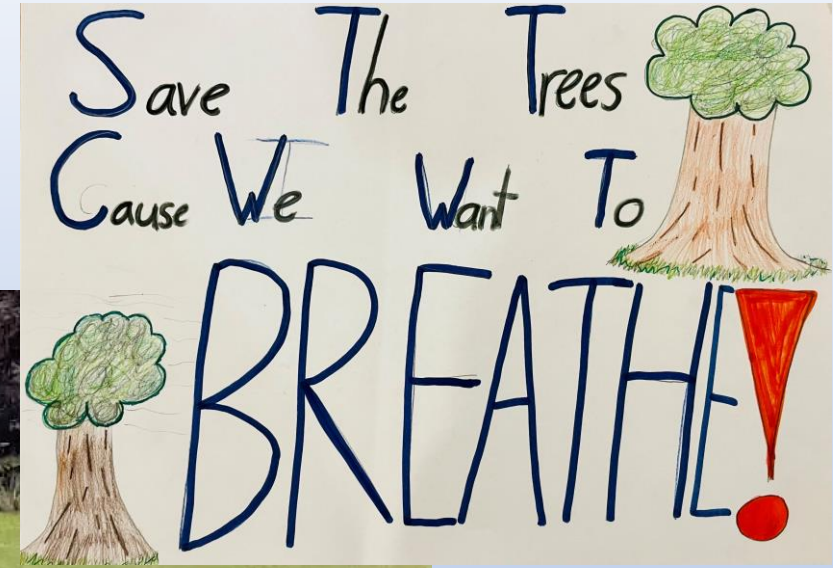


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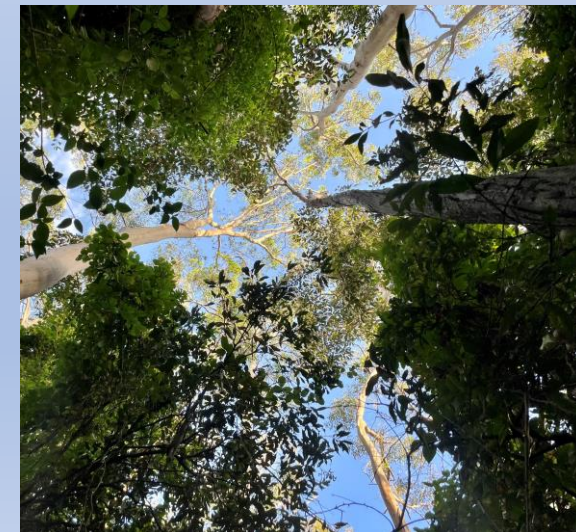
The video was shown as part of the Global Stocktake and at an event in the Australian Pavilion! More photos coming soon!

Newrybar Public School, NSW, Australia



<https://youtu.be/4s4AEzykIEU>

Subtropical rainforest at Mt Nebo, Queensland, Australia



<https://youtu.be/LqBhOZkL2GE>

Glasshouse Mountains, Queensland, Australia



Filming the giant banner with views of the Glasshouse Mountains (subtropical rainforest) in the Brisbane hinterland.

Wyalong Public School, NSW, Australia

<https://youtu.be/x5TCgT6r4-U>

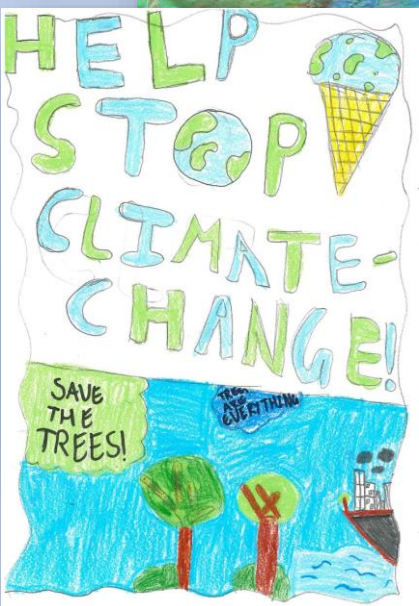


Bambou Early Learning Centre, Victoria, Australia



<https://youtu.be/yvrxzRmzNr0>

Lathlain Primary School, Perth, Australia



<https://youtu.be/k4Wybhl-SVI>



Kids urge leaders at COP15 to 'save the trees' !



Kalkie State School, Bundaberg, Queensland, Australia



- Drone photo
- Parachute game
- Crazy balls game



Celebrating the
20th anniversary of
the Reef Guardian
program!

<https://youtu.be/q16SqaPr8J4>

Mon Repos Conservation Park, Bargara, Queensland, Australia



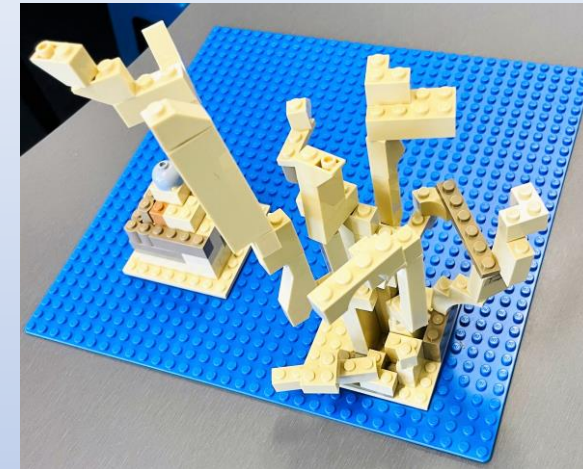
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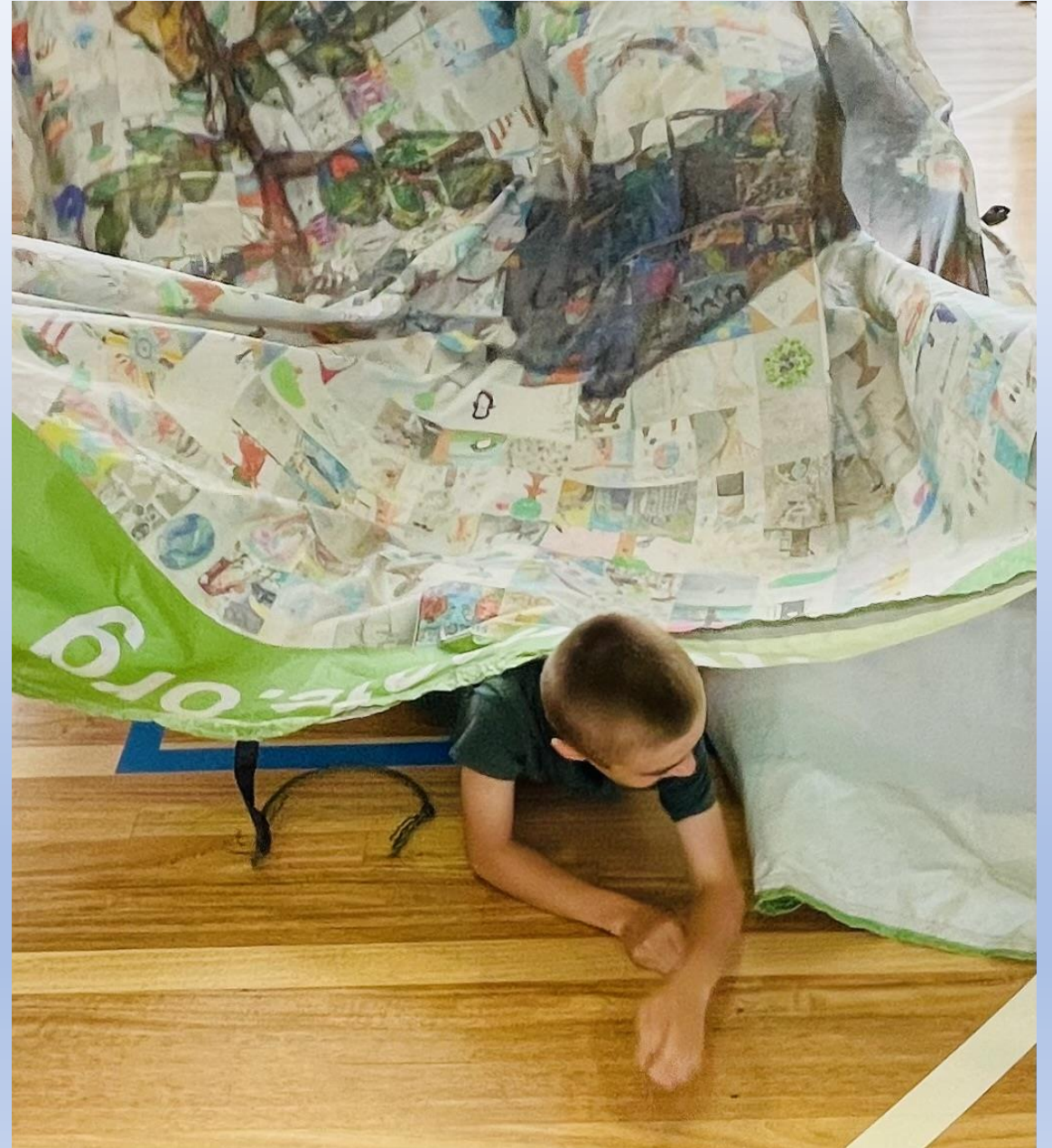
Bundaberg State High School, Queensland, Australia

<https://youtu.be/EVDTE5DB1hU>

<https://youtu.be/LHYzJnQuzIU>



Cowes Primary School, Phillip Island, Victoria



Phillip Island Village School, Phillip Island, Victoria

Marji dressed as both the Earth and a giant penguin!

We celebrated how trees can help cool the earth by doing the tree pose (on a very HOT day).

Kids used their bodies to send an S-O-S to the world about climate change next to the giant banners.



Penguin Parade, Phillip Island, Victoria



MAIN: Alongside creating an SOS from the sky, students also posed with green and brown cloth in the form of a tree in a bid to raise awareness. C61_0823 **INSERT:** Students and volunteers spelt out SOS as they demand greater change to combat climate change. Photo: Joel Sharpe

Banner for climate change

Phillip Island Nature Parks hosted a special event for Climate Action at the Penguin Parade on February 17, attended by students from local primary schools.

A giant banner is currently touring the country, to raise awareness about climate change, as part of the Kids care about Climate Change campaign.

Dr Marji Puotinen brought a giant banner made from 2629 kids' drawings.

Local primary school children were invited to attend and help to hold up the huge beach banner, which was photographed and filmed from the sky. The giant banner has visited 19 schools and six nations so far.

A video of its travels was shown at CoP27 in Egypt in Nov 2022: [www.youtube.be/Gu9hZ5-crds](https://youtu.be/Gu9hZ5-crds).

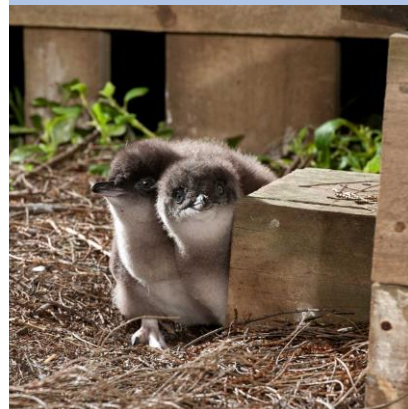
"Children are the future care takers of our planet and will experience the impacts of climate change in a more profound way than any generation that came before them," said Catherine Basterfield, CEO Phillip Island Nature Parks.

"The Nature Parks are excited to support this activity that gives children a voice to champion change in a meaningful and positive way."

For more information, visit [kidscareaboutclimate.org](https://www.kidscareaboutclimate.org)



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Plant a tree, cool the Earth

SAN REMO Primary School and Our Lady Star of the Sea grade five and six students convened at the Penguin Parade recently in a show of solidarity with students around the world.

Hosted by Phillip Island Nature Parks, in conjunction with the Australian Institute of Marine Science's Dr Marji Puotinen, the event was a spectacular hit raising awareness and giving students the chance to be part of a larger movement.

"Earth's climate is changing," Research Scientist, Dr Marji Puotinen said. "The first contest I ran in 2018 because I was going to Antarctica with an international leadership program, and I wanted to do something worthy."

"That's when I first decided to get kids to draw what they love most about coral reefs and penguins."

"I then made a giant banner of all the drawings - 1246 from 11 countries and we took it to Antarctica. This time, I wasn't going to Antarctica, but we wanted to plant a tree for every drawing we received and focus on solutions. Touring with the banner is a way to inspire people to continue to find the pathways to their own actions that they feel comfortable with."

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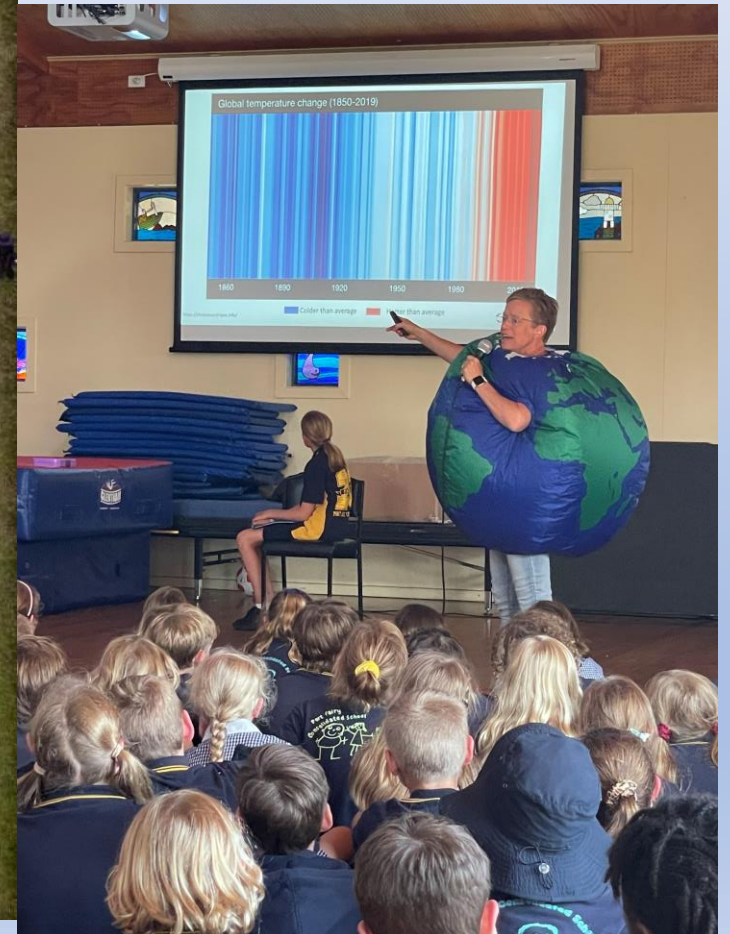
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Daylesford Catholic Primary School, Daylesford, Victoria

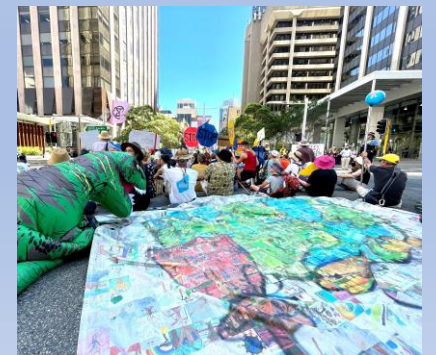


Talbot Primary School, Talbot Victoria



<https://youtu.be/-dLogqFVnd8>

School Strike 4 Climate March (Perth, 3 March 2022)



https://youtu.be/eb_sOfzZqTg