

## Fundraising Update

Our Kinma Bazaar's, where families have provided clothing that no longer fits their children to be sold to others in our community, have raised more than \$2200 this year. Thank you to all who have participated in the buying and selling. I know there's been much chatter from children and adults alike when they're seen previously loved garments being worn by another,

Plus, our lower playground has been upgraded!!! Admittedly it's taken a little while to see the fruits of our fundraising efforts from last year but the lower playground has now been upgraded. While this is not a new playground, what we have managed to do is ensure the structural integrity of the equipment for years to come.

For those who are new to the Kinma community, the funds for this project were a generous donation provided by one of our family who heard about the need at our Trivia Night. We outlined the need and they responded!!! A huge thank you from all of the children and their families.



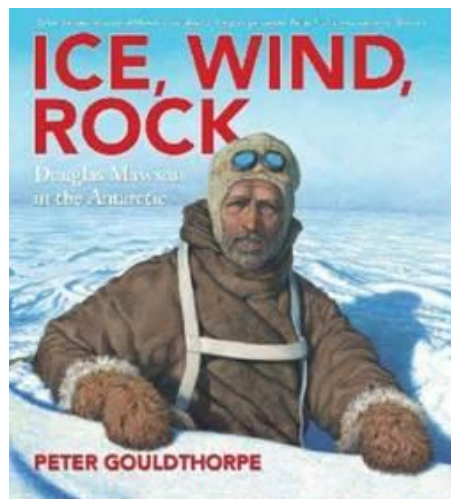
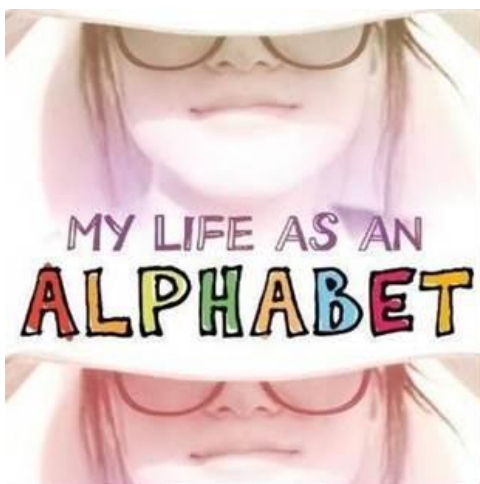
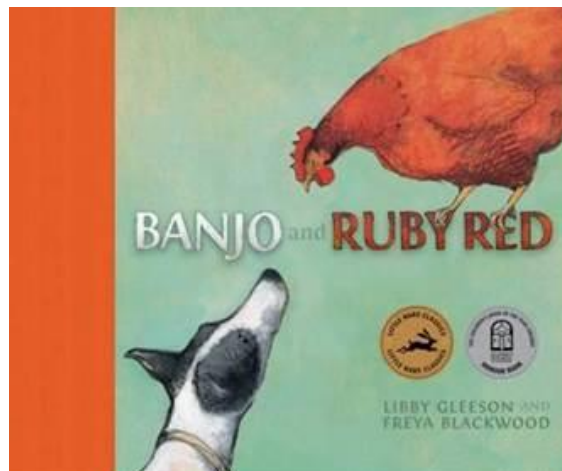
Last year we also received donations toward the acquisition of new books for the library. These were purchased under the guidance of Julie G and have formed part of the learning our children have undertaken this year. Thank you again to those families who contributed to these resources.

*A few of the books that we are now enjoying :*

*The Sloth that could not Sleep Lost Sloth Up and down the Andes The Girl who loved wild horse*

*Biblioburro The Streets are Free The Rainforest grew all around The Great Kapok Tree*

*My Name is Gabriella / Me Llamo Gabriela Is it possible to have book titles and/or photos?*



Our plan is to continue with this project based approach to fundraising to allow families to contribute to specific needs in our community. The details of these projects will be made available in the next two weeks.

Steve