

## **GLENHAVEN PUBLIC SCHOOL**

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Dear Parents/Caregivers,

## YEARS K-2 AUTHOR VISIT - AURA PARKER

As part of Book Week celebrations, we have incorporated a visit from Aura Parker, an Australian illustrator, writer, and designer for Years K-2.

Her work is joyful with a playful sense of humour, brimming with details to explore. Aura Parker's storytelling through words and pictures inspires imagination, courage, and confidence in young readers as well as a love, curiosity and passion for nature. Her picture book Bowerbird Blues has been nominated for the 2024 CBCA Book of the Year Awards.

Aura also shares her enthusiasm for drawing and reading in visual literacy presentations and illustrations session, encouraging children to be creative and brave. Aura has a background in design and regularly exhibits illustrations, prints, paintings, and handcrafted textiles.

Date: Wednesday 14 August, 2024

**Destination:** School Hall **Cost:** \$7.00

Please note your child's attendance is optional. Their inclusion, however, depends upon consent being received no later than **Friday 26 July, 2024.** 

In order for your child to participate in this learning experience, please complete consent via the School Bytes Parent Portal no later than **Friday 26 July, 2024.** 

Parents who are unable to meet all or part of the expenses associated with this incursion are advised to contact the school to discuss options available **prior to the due date.** 

Jane Egginton

Teacher Librarian

Kerry Maxwell **Principal**