

# Uranquinty Public School

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## Newsletter

**Term 1 Week - 5**  
**26<sup>th</sup> February 2013**

### From the Principal's Desk

#### SWIMMING

We wish all our competitors the best of luck in today's Wagga PSSA Swimming Carnival. For those swimmers who earn a place at the regional carnival it will be held in Albury on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March. Don't forget that swimming lessons for years 2-6 will be held at The Rock pool this Thursday afternoon. Travel will be by bus.

#### INDIVIDUAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS

As students vary greatly in their academic and social needs, I will be inviting parents over the next few weeks to discuss the creation of Individual Education Programs for some students. I will begin with teacher identified students and then move on to parent nominated students. All students will still be presented with the DET standard curriculum, but individual targets and goals can be jointly set between parents and teachers to more fully meet individual needs. Please don't be alarmed if we ring you to request an appointment as I believe it is in the students' best interest for us to work together.

#### HOW2LEARN

Next Tuesday and Wednesday I will be attending a Professional Learning course called How2learn. This course is being undertaken by each of the small schools in our area and each of staff members will be involved throughout the year. I am looking forward to investigating the latest research in brain theory and how children learn. Whilst I am absent my class will be taken by Ms Fahey.

#### SOCIAL NIGHT

Next week the P&C are holding a social night at school to welcome new families and catch up with old friends. The children will be watching a movie inside and are welcome to bring their pillows and blankets to get comfy. Parents are asked to bring some supper to share and a camping chair if you wish. Please come after dinner at 7pm.

Regards,

*Cathy*

Mrs Crick  
Principal

#### Reminders

- **Permission Forms (green forms - Media & Internet, Child Protection, Walking & Scripture) are overdue.**
- **Just a reminder that swimming fees are due by this Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> February.**
- **Summer uniform orders due in by this Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> February**

#### School Newsletter Emailed

If you would like the school Newsletter emailed to you each week, please send your email address to the school email address:

[uranquinty-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:uranquinty-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au)



#### Book Club – Issue 1

**Orders and money due back by this Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March.**

**Please hand into the office**



# Small Schools Swimming Carnival



**OUR  
STARS**





### PAYMENT ENVELOPE

NAME.....

CLASS/GROUP.....

MONEY FOR.....

AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ : ☐ Cash (✓ Please tick) ☐ Cheque

At Uranquinty Public school we have introduced payment envelopes for use when making any payments to the school. These envelopes will make it easier for you to make payments as details can be written on the front panel and the envelopes can be left safely at the office in our purple posting box. This is convenient if Mrs Manning is busy or not in attendance. The posting Box will be located on the front office counter. Please try to have exact money when making payments as change is not always available. If you have used up or require envelopes please pick some up from the Office.

### University of NSW-2013



### International Competitions and Assessments for Schools (ICAS)

Open to students from Years 2 – 6

*This year, ICAS has extended its competitions to Year 2 students for the first time, in the areas of English and Mathematics.*

COMPUTER SKILLS - Tuesday 21st May	\$ 8.00
SCIENCE - Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> June	\$ 8.00
SPELLING - Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> June	\$11.00
WRITING - Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> June	\$17.00
ENGLISH - Wednesday 31 <sup>st</sup> July	\$ 8.00
MATHEMATICS - Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> August	\$ 8.00

**Final Closing date for these competitions will be Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April, 2013.**

If you would like your child/ren to participate in these competitions please return note and correct money in an envelope, please make sure that you mark down what competitions you would like your child/ren to participate in.

## Canteen

### Canteen Duty Roster for 01/03/13

Morning - start @ 9.10am

Natasha Bax

Nikki Hooper

Tuckshop - start @ 12:30pm

Melanie Skates

Kathleen Dalziel



**\*Just a reminder that Chicken Burgers are \$3.00 each.**

P&C Meeting will be held next Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March at **7.30pm** in the "Home-base"  
All Welcome

### Uranquinty Unicorns Junior Netball

Expressions of interest for girls in Kinder to Year 2 age group to play indoor netball commencing in Term 2 through to end Term 3 on Saturday mornings.

The games are held at the Indoor Netball Courts, Nagle Street Wagga.

We need at least 7 players, if you are interested please let me know by next Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2013

All inquiries please contact  
Katherine Rodham - 0407 259459

### Final Summer School Uniform Order

Order forms and money due in by this Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> February if you wish to place an order for summer uniforms.



Further inquiries please contact Kathleen on 69201964 or 0409 273121 to arrange a time.

### Bedwetting

A new DVD based program, **Bedwetting Cured**, has been developed by Dr Mark O'Donovan and information for parents.

For more information please visit:

[www.bedwettinginstitute.com.au](http://www.bedwettinginstitute.com.au) or

Phone 1300 135 796

### Angela's Family Day Care – Uranquinty

Registered Educator with Wagga Regional Family Day Care

Quality home based childcare

Open: 7.00am -5.30pm (Flexible)

Please phone 0407 895 301

## Calendar Term 1

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 5	25/02/13 Chicken Burger Day	26/02/13 PSSA Swimming Carnival - Wagga	27/02/13 Whole School Assembly - 3.00pm	28/02/13 Student Banking Day Swimming Lessons (Yrs 2-6) - The Rock PSSA Soccer Trials	01/03/13 CANTEEN DAY
Week 6	04/03/13	05/03/13 P & C Meeting - 7.30pm	06/03/13	07/03/13 Student Banking Day Catholic Scripture Commences Mrs Cricks Classroom 9.00-9.30am	08/03/13 CANTEEN DAY
Week 7	11/03/13 Chicken Burger Day	12/03/13	13/03/13 Whole School Assembly - 3.00pm	14/03/13 Student Banking Day	15/03/13 CANTEEN DAY
Week 8	18/03/13	19/03/13	20/03/13 Student Banking Day	21/03/13 Small Schools Athletics Carnival - Jubilee Park Wagga	22/03/13 CANTEEN DAY
Week 9	25/03/13 School Photo's Chicken Burger Day School Counsellor Visit	26/03/13	27/03/13 Whole School Assembly - 3.00pm	28/03/13 Student Banking Day	29/03/13 GOOD FRIDAY
Week 10	01/04/13 Easter Monday	02/04/13	03/04/13	04/04/13 Student Banking Day	05/04/13
Week 11	08/04/13	09/04/13	10/04/13 Student Banking Day	11/04/13	12/04/13 Last Day Term