

Uranquinty Public School Newsletter

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Book Launch

Yesterday afternoon we were very pleased to host the Local Land Heroes Book Launch here at Uranquinty Public School. Schools from across our area participated in this project and yesterday students and 'Land Heroes' from Ladysmith, Kapooka and Yerong Creek attended the launch. Ms Stacey Staunton-Latimer and Mr Owen Dunlop spoke highly of our student's efforts and visitors to the school were very impressed by the standards of the books produced. Mr Sam Archer, Chairperson of the Local Lands Service was very impressed with the books produced and the recognition given to local farming families.



Science Show

This morning Origin Energy sponsored a Science show which was highly engaging for our students. During the morning as students raced to produce kilowatts by pedal power, they were actually raising money for our school and the local Pre-School as Origin matched the kilowatts produced with dollars. We very much appreciate the support of the Origin Power Plant.

Swimming School

Would all parents who received a note about the swimming school please let the school know if you intend your child to participate in these lessons as we need to confirm numbers this week. We are very appreciative to Yerong Creek Public School for helping us access qualified Austswim staff to run the Swimming School.

Concert

This is the big week, the 'night of nights'! Wednesday will be a full dress rehearsal. On Thursday we will present a Matinee performance for Collingullie Public School students and the Pre-Schoolers. After the matinee on Thursday, students will bring home the first costume they appear in so that they can come on Friday night already dressed in their first costume. As the evening performance will be quite tiring for the students, we are happy for any parents who wish to come and collect their children at lunchtime, to have a restful afternoon in preparation for the concert evening. Any students who stay at school will have a quiet afternoon inside.

Bailey's Story

I have received positive comments regarding the school display board at the Quinty Bakehouse, but I needed to share this one with you. Last week a man who was travelling through to Melbourne stopped at the bakery for some lunch. Afterwards he rang the school to say how impressed he was by the display and in particular one story. He mentioned that while he was not normally prone to emotional responses, after reading Bailey Pollard's story about a father and son in World War One, he was brought to tears! I was grateful that a busy business man took the time to call a school he had no connection with, to praise a student he will probably never meet. Congratulations Bailey for your impressive ability to connect with your audience through your story.

Tree Removal

We were quite sad to see some of our established trees removed this week. This was necessary after an arborist's assessment earlier in the year. The trees removed were deemed unsafe and in the interest of our students who play underneath the trees, they had to be removed.



Science Show



Calling all Dads, Male Guardians and boys:

MOUNT AUSTIN HIGH SCHOOL

BOYS NIGHT OUT

WHEN
Tuesday
November, 18th, 2014
4.30pm – 6.30pm

WHERE
Mount Austin High School
Hall
Leavenworth Drive, Wagga Wagga, NSW

THIS TERM
FEATURING:

**NERF
GUN
WARS**



Please bring a NERF gun and bullets if possible. If not, we will try to provide extra NERF guns and bullets for the night.

Dinner is provided free of charge. This term we will be having fish and chips.

Summer School Uniform Order

Please find attached amended uniform order form, if you wish to place an order for summer uniforms, order form and correct money are due in by Monday 1st December. I have some new items, red microfibre shorts, boys grey shorts, grey polos and cotton shirts. Further inquiries please phone Kathleen on 6920 1964 or 0409 273121 to arrange time.



2015 P & C CALENDAR ORDERS
IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO
PURCHASE A SCHOOL CALENDAR,
PLEASE SEND IN YOUR ORDER
FORM WITH THE CORRECT MONEY
NO LATER THAN FRIDAY 28TH NOVEMBER.
These calendars make a wonderful
Christmas gift!

2015 WANGARATTA MARATHON & FUN RUNS

MAJOR SPONSORS:

EVENT SUPPORTING: **SUNDAY 22 FEBRUARY WANGARATTA SHOWGROUNDS**

COMMUNITY TEAMS

MARATHON HM 10KM 5KM 2KM

MORE PEOPLE MOVING MORE OFTEN

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2KM PRIMARY SCHOOL

- OVER \$12,000 IN CASH AND PRIZES
- BIB CHIP TIMING FOR ALL EVENTS
- CUSTOMISED MEDAL FOR ALL FINISHERS
- FOOD AND BEVERAGES POST EVENT
- FREE ENTERTAINMENT
- EXCEPTIONAL VALUE ENTRY FEES
- FAST FLAT ACCURATE COURSES (AIMS/IAAF MARATHON & HM)

NOTE: NO ON THE DAY ENTRIES



The Rock Pool will be opening Tuesday 18th November. There will be a Sausage Sizzle Friday 21st November 5.00pm-7.00pm, Sausage sandwich - \$1.00. We have hot food, cold food, coffees, slices, slushies and much more! Open early mornings and until late. Contact Sophie Driscoll on 0448481272

URANQUINTY ACADEMY AWARDS CONCERT

Tickets are available for purchase from the office



WHEN: 21st November 2014
WHERE: URANQUINTY HAL
TIME: 7.00PM START

Cost: Adults - \$15.00
Children (Up 18yrs) - \$10.00
Family - \$35.00 (including grandparents)
Pre-Schoolers FREE

P & C School Disco

When: Monday 15th December
Time: 6.00-9.00pm
Where: Uranquinty Hall
Cost: FREE

BYO: Parents to supply nibbles & drinks for their families
Parental supervision a must

Canteen Friday - 21/11/14

HELPERS:

MORNING Casey Ankers
LUNCH Teresa McDonald
Kylie Heffernan
Melissa Tingle

Canteen Monday - 24/11/14

Hotdogs - \$3.00 each

HELPER:

Natalie Jacobs, Kristy Burkinshaw

SRC will be selling chocolate chip cookies - \$1.00 each

SRC helpers - Lily Burkinshaw, Lily Heffernan

White Ribbon Day 25 November



Unite for the Right To Prevent Domestic Violence

March against domestic violence
Gather at the old Franklins Car Park Off Peter Street at 9.45am
March from Southern end of Baylis Street at 10am
Concluding at Victory Memorial Gardens

FREE BBQ
Face Painting
FREE Soft Drinks
Support and Information
Petting Zoo
Feed the Ducks
DRUMBEAT
Children's Entertainment
Community Groups



Proudly Supported by Wagga Domestic Violence Liaison Committee, including:

