

URANQUINTY PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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P&C Elections

Congratulations and thanks to the following parents who have taken up executive positions for this year;

President: Tanya Lyons
Vice President: Maree Hill
Treasurer: Kristy and James Turtle
Secretary: Skye Lewington
Canteen Manager: Kelly Jones
Fundraising/Uniforms: Maree Hill

Out Of School Hours Care (OOSHC)

It is very difficult to commence an OOSHC in a school this size but as it is an increasingly desired service, we are trying once again to see if it can be established here. Please take the time to fill in the attached survey as this will determine if the before and after school care can be offered here. Please think about the next few years as well and what opportunities it may provide for your family.

Canteen Request

Could all students ordering lunches from the canteen include what class they are in, to help Kelly sort out which baskets the orders need to go into.

Child's Name	Jack Hardcastle	Child's Class	5/6L
	Chicken Wrap	Include Price	\$2.50
	Kids Moove - Banana		\$1.10
		Total Amount	\$3.60
Money Enclosed	Money Enclosed: \$5.00		
	Change Required: \$1.40		

Online Naplan

This year our Year 3&5 students will sit the Naplan tests online in May. To give them an idea of the format they will have a practice test next Tuesday 20th March. This will be a 45 min test with a little bit of everything to show them how it's set out and to check that everything is working well. The results will not be recorded.

School Security

We have had some small issues at school with damage to items after school. If you see anything suspicious please call school security on ph: **1300 88 00 21**.

Easter Hat Parade

Our Easter Hat Parade will be held on Thursday 29th March. Parents are asked to help their child decorate a hat at home to parade in. The P&C will present all paraders with an Easter Egg. Families are welcome to join in the fun and the parade will commence at 12noon and will be followed by an Egg Hunt. Families are welcome to bring a picnic lunch to share with their children.



Harmony Day

Next Wednesday 21st March is Harmony Day and we will be celebrating our own Indigenous and other cultures from around the world. Parents and friends are welcome to join us between recess and lunch for some fun activities and then share in a true Aussie favourite – the Sausage Sizzle!



P&C News

Second hand clothing stall will be open after the school assembly on Wednesday 21st March.

Any donations of school clothes can be handed in at the office or given to Maree Hill.

A Day with a Scientist

This excursion is on Monday 19th March at Ashmont Public School. If any students are interested in attending, please let Mrs Cowell know in the office so she can register your names. Numbers would be limited so get in quick. Cost is \$38.50 per student to be paid to Mrs Cowell. Our school will be invoiced for students who attend. Transport to and from this event would be the responsibility of parents.



Epilepsy Day 2018

Come one come all! Come and celebrate Uranquinty's Purple Day of 2018. Come to school Monday 26th March (Week 9) dressed in purple! Bring a gold coin to dress up!

SRC will also have: Purple treats, purple face paint and purple hair spray, 50c each for all activities. All money goes to Epilepsy Action Australia so we can help save lives.

Fun Fact: More than 50 million people around the world are living with epilepsy and 75% of people are not receiving treatment. So let's support this cause by dressing in purple.



Stewart House

Donation envelopes have been attached to the newsletter today. For every \$2 donation you give to Stewart House you will go into the draw to win a family holiday of your choice valued at \$4,000. Extra envelopes are available from the office and will need to be returned by Friday 11h May.

Book Club

Book Club Catalogues went home today. Orders and money are due back by 28th March. Books will be ready for collection Week 1 of Term 2.

Calendar

March

Mon 19th – School Counsellor visit –Anne Egan

Wed 21st – Assembly

Harmony Day Celebrations

Mon 26th – Purple Day for Epilepsy

Thur 29th – Easter Hat Parade

Fri 30th – Good Friday Holiday

April

Wed 4th - Assembly

Fri 6th – UPS Cross Country

Fri 13th – Small Schools Cross Country

May

Fri 4th – UPS Athletics Carnival

Wed 9th – Small School's Athletics Carnival

Fri 11th –Mother's Day Stall