

URANQUINTY PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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This is Australia!

Well what an amazing crew we have here at Uranquinty! The students really put in their best efforts on show day and rose to the occasion with confidence and joy in performing. The teachers and support staff all worked together so well and it's an absolute pleasure working with these dedicated and caring human beings! A huge **Thank You** to Miss Fuller for all her work throughout the year leading up to this performance – script writing, choreography, filming, editing, coaching, directing, prop/costume design and production and a whole lot of patience and encouragement. What Talent!



Swimming School

The swimming lessons will begin next Monday. Students will have normal lessons until 12pm when they will get changed into their swimwear. Please send thongs or sandals as students are not allowed to wear bare feet on the bus. If students are sensitive to our sunscreen they will need to supply their own. Rashie shirts are encouraged. Children are encouraged not to wear their swimmers under their uniforms as they often forget to bring clean underwear to change into after swimming. We will encourage children to eat their lunch at recess and have a snack after swimming when they return to school.

Parent Satisfaction Surveys

Every school has to collect annual surveys to assess how satisfied the parent body is with the school's performance. We have tried online surveys in the past but get few responses, so at the moment we are still using paper versions. Each child will be rewarded with a treat if the family returns a survey sheet. The children tend to ensure a high return rate of our surveys 😊 Please return the attached pink survey at your earliest convenience.

Kinder Transition

Our 2020 Kinders will join us for three consecutive Wednesdays commencing 20th Nov. On the final day 4th Dec – we invite current families to meet the new families and help them learn about school routines and procedures.

Yr 2 – 6 Projects

We understand that some students are having difficulty accessing technology at home to complete their drafts for their information reports by Monday 18th November. Students are welcome to use the computers for this purpose any school day 9am to 9.30am, 1.30pm to 2pm or after school by arrangement with Mrs Crick.

Professional Learning

Our staff continue to pursue Professional Learning opportunities to present all students with the best educational experiences possible. Miss Fuller & Mrs Crick will be away on 12th Nov, and Mrs Cowell will be away on 27th, 28th Nov. Mrs Crick will also be on leave a few more times this term to attend to her foot injury.

Quinty Carols

Our Community Carols will be held at the Uranquinty Hall on Saturday 7th Nov. The children will perform a few Christmas Carols so please save the date and invite your friends and family to this evening which is always a happy and relaxed family event.

Calendar

- 18th Nov – Swimming School commences**
- 20th Nov – Kinder Transition commences**
- 29th Nov – Responsible Pet Ownership talk**
- 2nd Dec – Year 6 Farewell**
- 13th Dec – Silver Badge Pool Party**
- 17th Dec – Presentation Day**
- 18th Dec – Last day of school- 'Shops Day'**

