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'Communicating with our Caring Community'



Wednesday, 5th April 2017



DATES TO REMEMBER

DATE	EVENT
6 April	K-2 Easter Hat Parade & Picnic
6 April	Easter Raffle Drawn
7 April	Primary Cross Country POSTPONED
7 April	K-2 Cross Country POSTPONED
7 April	Magpie Reward Day
7 April	Last day of Term
24 April	Staff Development Day – staff only
25 April	Anzac Day March – see article
26 April	Students return for Term 2
26 April	CANTEEN CLOSED
27 April	K-2 Pets Program
1 May	CANTEEN CLOSED
2 May	Kindergarten Laycock St Theatre
9 – 11 May	Yr 3 & 5 NAPLAN Assessments

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents and Community Members,

As this term draws to a close, I would like to thank everyone associated with this wonderful school for a fantastic term. The level of enthusiasm and participation I see from students, staff and parents is exciting and infectious.

Recently, a number of parents have been using the bus zone as a drop off point, particularly in the mornings. I

know the rain is a nuisance but please consider the safety of all our students.

Caroline Potter and a small team of helpers have completed the ANZAC lettering to hang on the school fence for ANZAC Day. She is unable to be here on Monday, 24th April to attach the letters. This is a pupil-free day and staff will be engaged in professional development activities all day, so we are asking any parents who may be able to assist to contact Caroline as soon as possible. There are five letters to be attached and Caroline has got all the wire and tape ready to go.

I have been contacted by the principal from another school regarding behaviour on the buses. Please remind your children that staying in their seats, minding their manners and being sensible are necessary. The bus drivers have the authority to refuse bus travel to children who persistently behave unsafely or rudely.

On Tuesday, Layla C and Brittany S gave my hair a make-over. To support Shave for a Cure, I agreed to let them colour my hair. The result was fabulous and I'm thinking of starting a trend! The girls raised nearly \$1200 which is quite amazing. Congratulations girls, your parents can be very proud of such thoughtful, caring young ladies.

Tomorrow we have our Easter Hat parade for our infant's classes, starting at 12.15 pm. All welcome.

School resumes for students on Wednesday, 26th April.

I wish everyone a safe and restful Easter break. Hope the Easter Bunny finds you all.

Have a great week,
Glynis Lughan
Principal



CLASSROOM EFFORT & BEHAVIOUR POINTSCORE

Week 9 – Winning House – Platypus

Platypus – 36 Koalas – 32.5

Kangaroos & Emus – 25.5

Week 10 – Winning House – Emus

Emus – 27 Koalas – 26.5

Kangaroos – 25 Platypus – 22.5

CLASSROOM AWARDS K-2

Week 10 – Linh V, Oscar P KL, Violet B, Ryan O KM, Sophia D, Jaxon O KS, Chloe B, Chace B 1A, Izak F, James F 1B, Sebastian S, William D 1M, Maison G, Abbey M 1/2G, Mariah J, Liam L 2M, Josh P, Lucy V 2W, Tallon M, Chloe B Library

Week 11 – Shanti E, Flynn W KL, Johnny R, Ruby B KM, Kayla D, Koby B KS, Georgia M, Caydin W 1A, Lily H, Sammie G 1B, Toby D, Sophie D 1M, Airlun T, Aila B 1/2G, Sam B, Alacia B 2M, Ivy C, Gejora L 2W

CLASSROOM AWARDS 3-6

Week 10 – Matthew P, Cooper H 3/4B, Long N, Maddy M 3/4E, Michael M, Tameka W 3/4PF, William D, Mia C 3/4R, Caitlyn K, Logan D 4/5A, Lusinta L, Rory McNee 5/6E, Joed M, Isabella G 5/6K, Michaela L, Lily W 5/6S, Maja H, Brittany S 5/6W, Billy M, Neesa D Library

Week 11 – Emily M, Brodie T, Emily B 3/4B, Anisha G, Lainey G 3/4E, Bailey C, Carrera B 3/4PF, Ruby D, Oliver J 3/4R, Hannah J, Abigail C 4/5A, Mikaela L 5/6E, Eddie G, Taya W 5/6K, Tevita L, Max F, Luke B 5/6S, Aylin D, Giselle B 5/6W

CORE VALUES

Values

This fortnight we are focusing on the core value of 'Fairness'.

OURIMBAH PUBLIC SCHOOL VALUES

FAIRNESS

Treating people equally without showing any favouritism and accepting that everyone is different.

- making sure that everyone has a turn when playing a game
- always playing fairly in everything you do
- never criticising or making fun of others because of their religion, colour of their skin, accent or background
- always listening to both sides of an argument
- including everyone equally
- never cheat or be a bad sport & not arguing when you don't agree with a decision

CORE VALUES

For the last fortnight we were learning about our school value of 'Excellence'. Below are our Core Value award winners.



SPORT NEWS

CROSS COUNTRY POSTPONED

Both the Primary and K-2 Cross country Carnivals have been postponed until next term due to sporting field closures and ongoing wet weather. A new date will be set next term.

BOYS CRICKET

Last week, the Boys Ourimbah Public School Cricket Team played against Kariong Public School. The game was played with great sportsmanship and spirit. Unfortunately, Kariong won on the day. The boys all played well and had fun. Thank you to those parents who were able to come along and help on the day.
Tom Scriven



SWIMMING CARNIVAL CHAMPIONS

Congratulations to the following students who had the honour of being named as our swimming champions for 2017:

Jnr Boy – Michael M
Jnr Girl – Shayla W
11 yr Boy – Corey S

11 yr Girl – Ashlee M

Snr Boy – Cody W

Snr Girl – Olivia W

The overall house winner for our 2017 carnival was Emus.

TERM 1 MAGPIE REWARD DAY

The students who received 10 Magpies this term will be rewarded this Friday, 7th April with an ice treat from the canteen. Come on everyone, let's give our best at all times and achieve our goals.

Magpie Committee and all staff

K-2 EASTER HAT PARADE

The K-2 Easter Hat Parade will be held tomorrow, 6th April at 12.15 pm in the school outdoor COLA. Parents and caregivers of K-2 children are welcome to come and watch the parade and are then invited to stay for a picnic lunch (weather permitting).

Children will need to wear their regular school uniform. Parents are asked to park in the RSL Club car park.

We look forward to a wonderful Easter celebration and seeing some interesting creations!

K-2 Teachers

EASTER RAFFLE

Our fantastic Easter Raffle will be drawn tomorrow. There are so many wonderful prizes. Thank you for your generosity and best of luck to everyone who purchased tickets.

HOT CROSS BUN DRIVE

Don't forget the Hot Cross Buns will be ready for pick up from the canteen covered area before and after the Easter Hat Parade. Orders that are not picked up will be sent home with the students.

ANZAC DAY DISPLAY

Thank you to the following volunteers who spent Monday morning at school making a wonderful poppy display, which will be used to decorate the school fence on Anzac Day: Kristy Murray, Felicity Davies, Megan Morgan, Leanne Diggle and Caroline Potter.

The beautiful display will spell out the word ANZAC and will be a lovely tribute on the day.

Thank you from the P&C.

ANZAC DAY MARCH

This year's Anzac Day March will be held on Tuesday, 25th April and will leave from Yates Road at 2.30 pm.

All Ourimbah Public School students are invited to join the march. Our school officials or senior students will lead our school group followed by any interested students. Please be aware that parental supervision is necessary. Mrs Golding will also assist with supervision. If your son or daughter can be present on the day it

would be greatly appreciated. The march will finish inside the school grounds for the official Anzac Day Ceremony, run by the Ourimbah-Lisarow RSL Sub Branch.

Students are expected to wear full school uniform, however as a mark of respect we will not be wearing school hats for the purpose of the march. Thanks for your support.

UNIFORM SHOP

Operating Hours – Mondays & Thursdays

The opening hours for the uniform shop have changed slightly and are as follows:

Mondays 8.30 am - 9.15 am

Thursdays 2.30 pm - 3.15 pm

Online ordering via flexischools.com.au and eftpos are available in the Uniform Shop. Order forms are also available from the office with an option to make arrangements for collecting/paying at the canteen or from the uniform shop.

Below is the new winter uniform price list which will take effect from Term 2. Please note there have been a few price changes.

OURIMBAH PUBLIC SCHOOL P&C - UNIFORM SHOP				
OPENING HOURS: Monday 8.30-9.30 Thursday 2.30-3.00				
WINTER UNIFORM ORDER FORM - as at 24th April 2017				
DATE:.....				
NAME:.....				
STUDENTS NAME:.....				
CLASS:.....				
CONTACT PHONE NUMBER:.....				
	SIZE	QUANTITY	TOTAL	
Girls Tunic	Size 4-16	\$50.00		
Girls long pants	Size 4-16	\$46.00		
Boys grey gaberdine long pants	Size 4-16	\$25.00		
House polo shirts (PLATYPUS)		\$20.00		
House polo shirts (KOALA)		\$20.00		
House polo shirts (KANGAROO)		\$20.00		
House polo shirts (EMU)		\$20.00		
Long sleeve shirts (unisex)		\$25.00		
Zip jackets		\$32.00		
V neck jumpers		\$29.00		
School Tie		\$17.00		
School Tie (pre-tied)		\$20.00		
Bucket Hat with emblem	S M L	\$15.00		
Slouch hat with emblem	S M L	\$15.00		
School Backpack with emblem LARGE		\$56.00		
Library Bag/Excursion Bag		\$10.00		
Iron on school emblem		\$4.00		
Total				

Cash or cheque accepted. Please make cheques payable to Ourimbah Public School P&C
 Send completed orders to: (please circle) Uniform Shop Child's Classroom Canteen

ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS

Entertainment books will once again be available from Ourimbah Public School at a cost of \$65.00 each. All books will be delivered to the school but must be ordered online by via www.entbook.com.au/345q54.

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COMMUNITY NEWS AND ADVERTISEMENTS

DON'T MISS OUT! REGISTER FOR ANY TERM!
 Registrations for Term 2 – 2017 are now open. Place your name on the waitlist to reserve your place on future terms. Get in early and tell us your preferred date and time.

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TERM 2 2017 24/4/2017–30/6/2017
 Go4Fun programs will be held at:

Gosford Olympic Pool Saturdays 1.30pm–3.30pm Start Date: 29/4/17 End Date: 1/7/17	Mingara Recreation Club Saturdays 1.30pm–3.30pm Start Date: 29/4/17 End Date: 1/7/17
Peninsula Leisure Centre Tuesdays 4pm–6pm Start Date: 2/5/17 End Date: 27/6/17	Point Wolsanoff Sport and Recreation Centre Wednesdays 4pm–6pm Start Date: 26/4/17 End Date: 28/6/17

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FOOTBALL: the fun game for all!

BOYS AND GIRLS AGED 4-9



Club/Organisation: Ourimbah United Football Club
Venue: Chittaway Rd, Ourimbah
Start date: Wednesday 10th May, 3.30 - 4.30 pm
Price: \$80 per participant for 7 sessions (aimed at 3 - 5 year olds)
Contact: Dijana Kamber: dijanakamber@icloud.com Ph: 0416 234 522



Participant Pack Includes:
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OURIMBAH TENNIS ACADEMY

SCHOOL HOLIDAY COACHING CLINIC

Monday 10th to Wednesday
 12th of April 2017 &
 Tuesday 18th to Thursday
 20th of April 2017
 Time : 9:00 - 2:30
 Cost : \$30- per day

Learn how to play / Make new friends
 Play singles and doubles round robins
 And have loads of fun

TERM 2 2017 TENNIS LESSONS

Bookings are now being taken for
 next terms tennis coaching.
 Tennis lessons are available from
 Monday to Saturday.
 Lessons types include Group, Semi-Private
 and Private lessons for both

For more information call

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COUNTRY FAIR

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27 MAY 2017

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CRAFT
... AND LOTS
MORE FUN!**

OURIMBAH SURGERY IS OPEN TO NEW PATIENTS

Dr Heather Reid and Ourimbah Surgery would like to announce they are now taking new patients. We Bulk bill all Health Card holders, pensioners and children aged 16 years and under.

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Nutrition Snippet

The simplest way

...to try healthy Easter treats.

Before the kids get too crazy on chocolate, why not mix up the Easter treats with some fun but healthy festive fare?



Egg-cellent surprises: fill brightly-coloured plastic eggs with the kids' favourite fruit and veg.

Breakfast bunny: add fruit adornments to pancakes to create a "you-beaut" bunny.



Or try carrot pot plants and fruity chicks.



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Nutrition Snippet

The simplest way

...to stock up on lunch box staples.

Stock up on these pantry and freezer lunch box staples to save time and money on daily packing.

Pantry:

- *Long-life, reduced-fat milk poppers.
- *Long-life custard tubs.
- *Fruit (in natural juice) tubs.
- *Baked beans (small, easy open cans).
- *Wholegrain crackers, crispbread or Corn Thins.
- *Tinned tuna or salmon.
- *Dried fruit.



Freezer:

Make healthy muffins, fruit scones, fruit pikelets, frittatas or mini quiches. Wrap individual portions in plastic, or place in an airtight container, and freeze, ready to go straight in the lunch box.

Other freezable foods include cooked meats, baked beans and sandwich breads.

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Nutrition Snippet

The simplest way

...to make easy fried rice.

Serves: 4 | Preparation: 20 minutes | Cooking: 10 minutes Leftovers are great for lunch boxes.

Ingredients:

- Brown rice
- 2 eggs
- ½ onion, finely diced
- 1 cup cabbage, chopped
- ½ cup broccoli, chopped
- ½ cup peas
- 1 carrot, finely grated
- 1 tsp salt-reduced soy sauce
- Canola oil spray



Method:

Cook rice until soft. Lightly spray a fry pan with canola oil and place over medium heat. Crack eggs into hot pan. Stir to mix white with yolk, using a wooden spoon to separate into pieces (like a scramble). Add all veg, cook about two minutes, add brown rice and season with soy sauce.

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