

NEWSLETTER

TERM 1 WEEK 10: TUESDAY 2 APRIL 2019

Senior Citizens' Concert

It was a full house on Thursday morning as we welcomed Grandparents, special friends and community members to our annual Senior Citizens' Concert. Our bands and soloists were outstanding, and I loved the choral poems by 3/4T and 5/6W. Performances by our younger students (especially the extreme cuteness of Kindergarten children with frog masks performing their frog songs!) brought a smile to everyone, and there was plenty of audience participation when the Beatles medley got under way. Thank you once again to the indefatigable Mrs Armour for pulling it all together with such finesse and professionalism, and to Danni and the team in the canteen for the superb refreshments.



Parents as learning partners

The children have loved having Kellie and Rosie running with them most mornings in preparation for the Cross Country Carnival (which is tomorrow!) There are so many ways to participate in learning with your children - we love having parents here!



Cross Country Carnival tomorrow!

The weather has cooled just in time for our Cross Country Carnival tomorrow. The first race starts at 9:30am. Students should wear running gear in their House Colour (Mountain - green, River - blue or Valley - red). Parent helpers are most welcome - please see Mr Southgate.

Fabulous Family Fun Fair

What a wonderful evening we had together on Friday at the Family Fun Fair! There was something for everyone, from water slides to pony rides, from circus games to face painting, from old fashioned games to laser tag, from vegetarian feasts to the perfect barbecue. There was a beautiful community vibe, with great support for the musical performances and raffles. It was an outstanding effort from our P&C, with some fresh ideas from Fundraising Committee coordinators, Alonna and Tereasa, and plenty of support from the team. Thank you also to our generous sponsors who once again went above and beyond in their support of this amazing school!

A reminder from the bus drivers: Safety first

Our bus drivers have asked me to remind the school community to comply with parking restrictions on bus stops before and after school. Bus drivers are often forced to double park on Kyogle Road because they are not able to get into the bus zone, which puts children at risk as they board or leave the bus. The safety of our children is of paramount importance, and we ask for your cooperation in this important matter.

Smile St Dentists deliver important messages

Yesterday we welcomed practitioners from Smile St Dentists in Murwillumbah, who reminded our K-2 children about the importance of taking care of their precious teeth by brushing and flossing regularly and eating healthy food. Thanks, Smile St!

Reminder: Free Positive Parenting Sessions

Don't forget to return your slip to the front office if you'd like to come to the Positive Parenting sessions run by The Family Centre. These informal, discussion-style sessions will take place 4pm-6pm on Thursday 4 April and Thursday 11 April. Food will be provided for adults and there will be a movie on for children.

Rachel Watkins - Principal

Words of the week

K-2: Superb - 'superb' means **extremely good or excellent**

3-6: Indefatigable - 'indefatigable' means **being able to go on for a long time without becoming tired**

Get ready for The Big Veggie Crunch!

Only around 5% of NSW children eat enough vegetables. To help our community do better, our school will be taking part in The Big Veggie Crunch (part of Vegetable Week).



This **Thursday 4th April at 10:15am** our school will be joining hundreds of schools across NSW to break the record for the most students crunching vegetables simultaneously. Primary schools across NSW will be joining together to break the record for the most students crunching vegetables simultaneously. Last year 50,260 students crunched together.

Coles Murwillumbah have donated different vegetables for the students to crunch and are sending 2 staff to assist us with the event but we also need your help to make it a success!

What can you do to help?

- Pack a container of vegetables for your child to eat on Thursday 4th April eg capsicum, carrots, celery, broccoli
- Keep serving up the vegetables at home and in your children's lunchboxes!



Renee Mills - Coordinator

HEADLICE – PLEASE CHECK YOUR CHILDREN

The facts:

- head lice are one of the most commonly reported health complaints from parents and teachers
- anyone can catch head lice regardless of their age, sex, or how clean their hair is
- head lice move from one person's head to another via direct contact with the hair
- head lice do not survive long when they are off a human head
- head lice do not live on furniture, hats, bedding or carpet
- head lice have built up some resistance to head lice treatments

Treatment

Mechanical removal and chemical removal are the two main [options to remove head lice](#). The [Nitbusters program](#) is a NSW Health initiative to reduce the prevalence of head lice in the community. The program is aimed at identifying and managing infestations. Regular checking and treatment are the best way to combat this problem.

P&C NEWS

What an EPIC Fun Fair!

From Laser Tag to Archery, Pony rides and Jumping castles, Slip and slide and 'Old-time' games and heaps of other things to take part in, pretty safe in saying WE HAD IT ALL!

Thanks To Alonna and her Team for organising such a successful evening and to All you guys and girls that came along and had your faces painted and your faces fed, thanks to those that bought raffle tickets and congratulations to those that won every cent raised or donated goes to our school.

A big thank you goes out to 'The BBQ Crew' who worked non-stop, and also Danni and her team in the canteen serving beautiful vegetarian dinners. Danni was at the school pretty much all day prepping in the kitchen and was one of the last to leave after 830pm, So a massive shout out there Danni!

We raised almost \$8000 for the school, which we'll put towards the final stages of landscaping around the playground, creating some playground murals and assisting the school with classroom resources.

Well Done Uki!

Thanks for your Support,

Andrew Tiffen, P&C President

CANTEEN NEWS

Thanks for your support of our biggest ever SUSHI day last Friday. Keep an eye out for the next one in Term 2.

Danni Woods, Canteen Coordinator

Canteen Roster - Term 1

Week	Day/Date	Morning	All Day
10	Wed 3 Apr	Edwina	Emma
	Fri 5 Apr	Alonna/Kellie/Rosie all day	
11	Wed 10 Apr	Kim	Rhiannon
	Fri 12 Apr	Ellie	Tereasa

COMING UP . . . Term 1 Calendar

Week 10

3 Apr	Wed	School Cross Country Carnival
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Week 11

11 Apr	Mon	125 Year Meeting 6pm
	Thurs	Easter Hat Parade
12 Apr	Fri	Last day Term 1

Term 2

Week 1

29 Apr	Mon	Staff Development Day
30 Apr	Tues	Students return

Library Easter Raffle

Tickets were sent home last week. All donations should be left at the school office by Tuesday 9 April. Thank you for your support.





THANK YOU TO ALL GRANDPARENTS, FAMILIES AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS WHO JOINED US LAST THURSDAY FOR OUR CONCERT. IT WAS GREAT TO SEE YOU HERE AND WE HOPE YOU ENJOYED THE MORNING.

OOSH VOUCHER FRIENDS ARE FREE ON FRIDAYS AT THE UKI KIDS CLUB:



At the Uki Kids Club:OOSH this term you can bring your friend to OOSH for free! Simply decide who you want to bring, ask their parents, book them in at the school office and then come and join in the fun!

This is valid for term 1 & 2 2019 only. Children must be enrolled at OOSH. New enrolment is available on the day. For more information contact Natascha Wernick 02 6679 5024



UKI PUBLIC SCHOOL LIBRARY

EASTER RAFFLE

This year the school is holding a raffle to raise funds to purchase new books for the library.

We are asking families to please donate Easter eggs & novelty items for the hampers which will be offered as prizes.

All donations should be left at the school office by Tuesday 9 April.

All tickets should be returned (sold or unsold) to school by Tuesday 9 April.

Tickets: \$1 each or 6 for \$5
Drawn: Uki School Easter Hat Parade,
Thursday 11 April 2019

Thank you for your support!



Grand Final Night

Friday 5th April 2019

Vic Bianchetti Sports Ground, Uki

Games start at 5.15 pm

Canteen & Bar



Easter

Raffles

ALL WELCOME!

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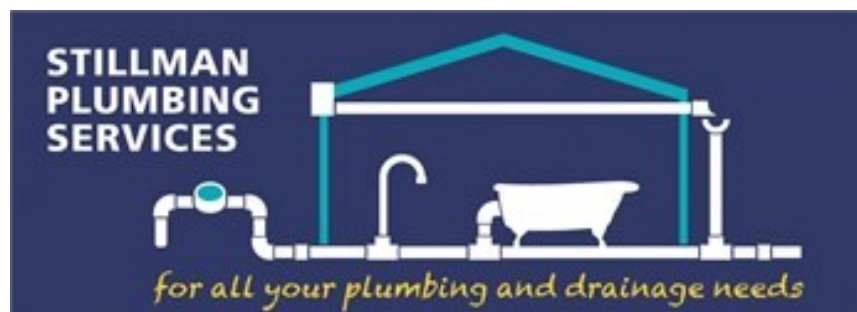


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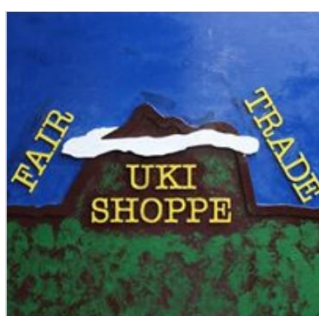
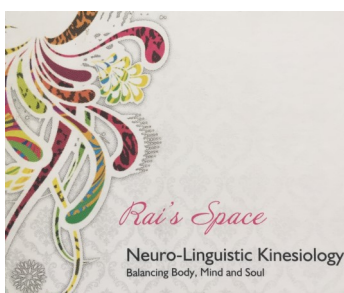
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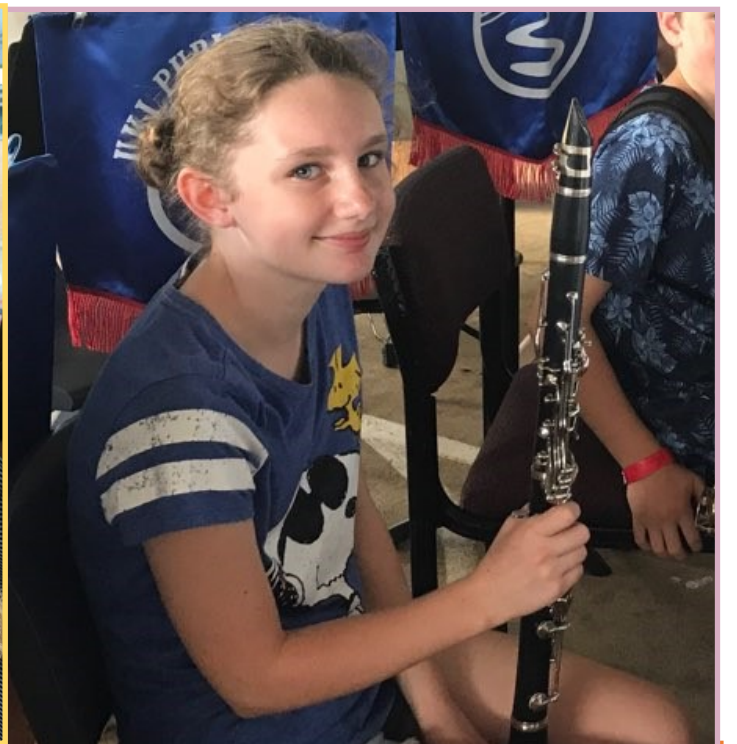
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