



UNGARRA PRIMARY SCHOOL - TERM 3 - WEEK 3 - 2021

NEWSLETTER

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Fluent reading is accurate, quick and with expression. I continue to be amazed when listening to students read and the growth they have shown with fluency. Being a fluent reader helps the students to make that switch from 'learning to read' to 'reading to learn'. Students are growing in their enjoyment of reading and we see our students picking up books to read independently or with friends for enjoyment. Recently while at recess three of our JP students sat on the library couch and took turns to read picture books to each other. We can assess growth with tests but it is very easy to witness the change when students begin choosing to read for enjoyment.

Students, educators and parents continue to develop students' fluency by reading aloud to students and modelling fluent reading. Also word and word part exercises build fluent recall as well as explicit teaching of punctuation.

Activities which help students build fluency may include reading poetry and for many students reading song lyrics which is a great excuse for karaoke. Students can access these on the web with parent approval and they are a fun and engaging way for students to consolidate their fluency.

Covid restrictions will be changed as of Thursday 5th August. The following will impact families and students of Ungarra Primary School:

From Thursday 5 August, the following activities can resume:

- playgroups and Learning Together (parents should wear masks where possible)
- whole school assemblies
- choir and dance rehearsals within the school
- all extracurricular activities within the school
- incursions, excursions and intrastate camps.
- events held at offsite venues with approved COVID safe or COVID

Management plans

Events held within school or preschool grounds (such as performances and concerts) providing:

- density requirements and [physical distancing](#) requirements are met by all attending adults
- masks are worn by adults and students in years 8 and above who are not performing
- all attendees are encouraged to COVID Safe check in.
- school sports including interschool sport training, trials and competitions
- water safety/swimming/aquatic lessons.

The following measures remain in place until further notice:

- all interstate camps and travel must be postponed
- parents minimising their time on site which includes drop offs and pick ups at the gate unless negotiated with myself, and when on site parents must wear a face mask and practice physical distancing
- all adults (including staff) must COVID-Safe check in each time they enter the site. Thank you for your support keeping our community healthy. **Karl**



Ungarra Primary School students demonstrate their reading fluency throughout the curriculum from interpreting and summarising their Farming Agreement for their farm plots to interpreting recipes independently in kitchen lessons and recently analysing biographies and providing their opinion on these texts.

It is great to see our students enjoying their reading.



DIARY DATES

Fri. 13th Aug.	Assembly 2.15
Fri 20th Aug.	Farming Excursion
23-27th Aug.	BOOK WEEK
Mon. 6th Sept	Teddy Bear Picnic
8th/9th Sept.	Interviews
Fri. 10th Sept.	Assembly 2.15

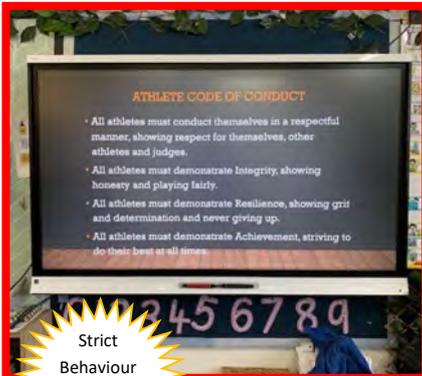
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THE JP'S POTATO OLYMPICS



Strict Behaviour protocols



Nice technique



Pippa wins Gold in Target Throw

Students in Mrs Robinson's Junior Primary Class have been immersing themselves in sport by running their own Ungarra Potato Olympics.

The children have each created their very own potato athlete, complete with name, attributes and sporting strengths.

They created athlete profiles, designed flags for their chosen countries and more.

Through the various sporting events, students have further developed mathematical understandings in Capacity, Speed, Distance, Time and Hefting.



SOME OF THEIR ATHLETE'S PROFILES

BOB
(Callan Phillis)

"Bob's strength is in Shot Put. He is 23 years old and this is his 4th Olympics. He's won a Gold Medal for Shot Put by throwing 11 metres. Bob is bald and he's a happy potato."

ANGELA
(Rachel Franklin)

"Angela is a Swimmer. She's good friends with Herby (Freya's potato). Angela won a medal in the Rolling and the Running events."

PIPPA
(Florence Telfer)

"Pippa is good at Hefting and she has received a Gold Medal. Pippa now has two Gold and one Silver. She has been good at waiting for her turn."



Bob and Tom



Adele was the Official Scorer



Herby throws 8.21m



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UNGARRA FARMING ENTERPRISES



It began with an UP Literacy lesson where they had to first understand the Lease terminology and then explain it to the JP's. They could not sign up quick enough!



This was followed by planning the 1 x 2 m farming plots, digging in the posts (donated by Modra Seeds), spreading manure from Darvel Farms, planting, sitting in posts for the paths and laying gravel walkways (Newland Real Estate). All this has happened in just three weeks of school.



A huge thanks to Agronomist Luke Wilkins from Bawden's for teaming up with Ungarra Farming Enterprises and to Lincoln Rural for supplying farming journals for students.





Ungarra Farming Enterprises Lease Agreement

"FROM LITTLE THINGS, BIG THINGS GROW!"

Welcome to the world of becoming a Farm Manager

We hope that this will be a fun and non-competitive learning experience and that you get to reap the benefits for your efforts. We hope you have fun with your farming journey!

Below is an outline of the Lease Agreement you are entering into with the Ungarra PS Advisory Committee (aka the adults!)

1. Unless jointly leased (as indicated below), your property is yours alone and cannot be entered or interfered with by others without your consent.
2. All plantings must be by way of SEEDS or HOME CUTTINGS. Seeds may be bought or swapped but no buying of seedlings or established plants are permitted. You can plant flowers, vegetables, crops etc; but not trees or anything that grows higher than 1.2 metres. You will need to take into account the time of year, spacings and the sun and wind aspects of your block. Planting and harvesting can take place at any time throughout the year and you are welcome to access your farm during weekends and holidays if you choose.
3. Plots must be suitably maintained and the failure to do so may result in a penalty or loss of your farming rights and land. Farm works must be carried out during free time at school unless arranged otherwise. You are responsible for all aspects of your land including watering, fertilizing, weeding, pest control etc. We invite you to come up with innovative ways to manage these aspects of farming. Watering is to be done by hand unless negotiated with the Ungarra PS Advisory Committee first.
4. All pest and weed control measures must be environmentally friendly and made by the owner. All spraying concoctions must be passed by the Ungarra PS Advisory Committee BEFORE being used. Wind conditions and the affect on neighbouring plots must be taken into consideration.
5. You may apply to fence your land by submitting a detailed plan/sketch to the Ungarra PS Advisory Committee for approval. All fencing is to be made from sustainably sourced and recycled materials and fences must be a maximum height of 30cm high. The Ungarra PS Advisory Committee will look favourably on submissions which enhance the overall appearance of the property.
6. You may name and enhance your property in a way which is aesthetically pleasing.
7. If at any time you wish to terminate your Lease, please put this in writing to the UPSAC.
8. And remember—all farming activities should be carried out in good neighbourhood spirit!

Please read the fine print before entering into a Lease, then sign and return to the DROP BOX in the front office. Please retain the above conditions for your records.

I/We _____ agree to enter into this Lease with the Ungarra PS Advisory Committee, with an understanding that I/we must adhere, at all times, to the above guidelines. This Lease will automatically terminate at the end of the school year with the option to renew at that time.

Signed _____ Dated _____

For a more detailed story, check out our facebook page

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UNGARRA PLAYCENTRE - TERM 3 - WEEK 4 - 2021



THIRD TIME LUCKY....
There will be so much to see and do

Ungarra primary school & Playcentre invites you to their...

TEDDY BEAR'S PICNIC

For families of children aged 0-7

MONDAY 6th SEPTEMBER 10 -1 pm

FREE LUNCH & ACTIVITIES
RSVP here or ph:86888029

FINGERS CROSSED THE COVID AND WEATHER GODS ARE WITH US THIS TIME!

GUEST AUTHOR

PLEASE USE THE SCHOOL QR CODE WHEN VISITING

SCHOOL PARENTS' SURVEY

The Department emailed directly to parents the 2021 School Parent Engagement Survey. We encourage parents to fill it out as it is useful feedback for how we can improve our practice in delivering quality teaching and learning at Ungarra Primary School. The survey can be accessed at:

<https://www.education.sa.gov.au/parentsurvey>



WEEK/DATE	MENU	WHO
Week 4—9th Aug	toasties	Tammy
Week 5—16th August	soup	Laura
Week 6—23rd August	toasties	Jess
Week 7—30th August	Soup	Petrina
Week 8—6th Sept	Café lunch	
Week 9—13th Sept	Toasties	Karen
Week 10—20th Sept	soup	Eden

MONDAY LUNCH ROSTER

Thankyou to parents who have kindly volunteered. Please be available to prep, serve and tidy up from 12.30 - 1.30pm. School will order in the meat and salad roll ingredients only - others please arrange what you may need and give your dockets to Sue.

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CERTIFICATE II IN KITCHEN OPERATIONS

[SIT20416]

If you are looking to enter into the world of cooking then this course provides you with the entry level skills you require. In this course you will gain practical experience in food preparation and cookery skills to prepare food and menu items.

COURSE COVERS

- > Hygienic practices
- > Methods of cookery
- > Serve espresso coffee
- > Responsible service of alcohol

COURSE DURATION

9 September to 10 December 2021

Two days a week 9.30am – 3.00pm

LOCATION

Tumby Bay Skill Centre

COURSE FEE

Covered by Women's Leadership & Development Program Funding

A pathway to higher level qualification which could be funded

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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