



# UNGARRA PRIMARY SCHOOL - TERM 4 - WEEK 9 - 2021

# NEWSLETTER

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As we arrive at the end of another school year, we can reflect on the year that was and the success and achievement our students, staff and school have had.

Our school magazine, painstakingly compiled by Sharon Campbell, is a wonderful walk down memory lane in what has been a busy year. A year that has included camps and sleepovers, excursions and projects, community events and visitors, sports and arts and through it all quality teaching and learning.

I am continually proud of the team of staff and families dedicated to each child's education at Ungarra Primary School. And while this is sadly my last newsletter article as the departing Principal, I am forever indebted to this schools' learning community who have shaped my expectation of what schools should be. Engagement of every student through world class teaching and learning. The Team around the Child.

Regards Karl Robst



### New Acting Principal Report.....

Hello Ungarra Primary School families,

I am looking forward to working with you all over the next Term as Principal of this wonderful school. I enjoyed spending the afternoon here on Wednesday getting to know the site and staff and am eager to meet the rest of the school community. During my 15-year teaching career, I spent the bulk of it at Poonindie Community Learning Centre in which I took on many leadership roles including Acting Principal for Terms 2-4 in 2019. As a result country schools have a special place in my heart and I have fond memories coming to Ungarra Primary School as part of Interschool Sports Days. I have spent the last 2 years at Port Lincoln Primary School as Deputy Principal and was Acting Principal in Term 3 and 4 this year. This has given me more valuable experience as a site leader and I look forward to continue in a Principal role here at Ungarra.

I have 3 young boys of my own – Flynn 8, Tommy 6 and Paddy 3 who make me smile and laugh every day. My wife Jemma is the Eyre Peninsula “local” and brought me over to Port Lincoln at the beginning of 2007. She is working at St. Joseph’s School as a Year 1 teacher. I play football for Waybacks Football Club, have recently started golf and love spending time at the beautiful EP beaches with family and friends. I have a strong passion for improving student wellbeing and learning and I look forward to working here with the community in Term 1 2022.

Kind Regards, Rory Hunt

**School resumes on the 31st January 2022**

## FAREWELLS



From left: Marika, Jarley, Hunter, Rachel, Ashlee, Lauren, Tiffany Maddie and Ben who are sadly all leaving us at the end of this year.



When I came back to fill in for Term 4 in 2017, I never imagined that I would still be here today.

It has been an immense joy and a real privilege to have worked here for so long, in a role that I just love and to have done this journey

with so many students, families and staff.

You all have a place in my heart and I will remember with great fondness my time here at Ungarra Primary School.

Good friends don't say goodbye but see you later. We will be back from time to time to check on you all, so see you all later!

Janet Beard CPS

*Thankyou to the staff, students and school community for making my time here at Ungarra enjoyable. I came for 1 year and am extremely thankful for the opportunity to stay for the 2nd. I have loved my time here and look forward to seeing you all again in a relieving teacher role. Tschüss und bis bald!* Kelly Kitson



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# CONCERT & ROWAN RAMSEY AWARD



## This year's Rowan Ramsey School Community Award recipient is **Petrina Fauser**

Petrina has proven herself to be an unwavering support of Ungarra Primary School.

Her support began many years ago volunteering in Playcentre before her children began schooling at Ungarra Primary School. This support continued into classrooms and her dedication has driven improvements both in our facilities and or processes.

Petrina has been part of the Governing Council and P&F and led them through some interesting years. She has clarity and is able to share her view in a constructive and direct way. Her greatest strength however is her heart and her love for this community. How I have heard her speak of her connection with the school, the students and families recently in reflection, is a tribute to her. Congratulations



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# PRINCIPAL'S AWARDS

**RACHEL**

**FRANKLIN**

For demonstrating a wonderful positive attitude in all of her learning. She always strives hard to achieve her best and present great work.



**SPECIAL ACHIEVEMENT**



**AWARDS**

**MARIKA**

**TELFER**

For representing our school at SAPSASA Cricket while demonstrating our school values



**KYE**

**CAMERON**

For showing outstanding growth in his reading and working hard on his blending and fluency skills



**SPECIAL ACADEMIC**



**GROWTH AWARDS**

**BEN**

**BAINES**

For showing outstanding growth in his reading comprehension



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# YUMMY CREEPY CRAWLIES!



Bugs (namely crickets and meal worms) are packed full of protein and come with numerous other health benefits. They are quick to grow and harvest and have minimal impact on the environment. Traditional meats such as beef and lamb and pork are time consuming to raise, need lots of space and can have a negative impact on the environment.

We are investigating how we can convince others that hygienically farmed insects are a way of the future. They can be ground down into eg flour, protein powder or eaten as a snack.

You may not even know that they are present in your food!! In term 3 we tried crickets and meal worms as a 'snack' flavoured with lemon myrtle or chilli & finger lime. This term we tried incorporating them into an everyday recipe. We also tried to adopt our recipes to be free of animal products.

## The Burgers



Monty: "The burger was yum"

Ben—"The burger was the best"

Freya—"The burgers were OK but I liked the wedges best"

Everyone tasted everything!

## The Pizza

Jayden—: "I couldn't even taste the insects"

Finn—"Delicious"

Ashlee—"Amazing. I couldn't taste the difference. **The Wedges**

Monty—"They has ant salt on them"

Rachel—"The wedges were good but spicy!"

Mmmm.....

Meal worm pizza  
Thanks for the interesting lessons Mrs K

The Vegan ingredients used



# THANK YOU MRS KITSON

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# UNGARRA PLAYCENTRE WEEKS 6-7 TERM 4 2021

Last week we worked on some more masks and head pieces for costumes for the Concert

The kids also enjoyed making Christmas decorations using air dry clay and cardboard decorations

Nearly the end of the year already! It's gone so quick and we've all had lots of fun at Playcentre.



Our final Playcentre for the year was bittersweet as we farewelled Sienna, Lola, Hazel and Hannah who are off to school next year. Also we said goodbye to Finan, as he will be moving to Bordertown with his mum & dad next year.



Our concert rehearsal went very well, and enjoyed following that we had a lovely shared lunch to finish up our year!



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# OTHER HAPPENINGS



## Bike-a-thon Fundraiser

Congratulations Miss Cooper and families; your Bike-a-thon raised \$1,400 to go towards new outdoor furniture and sand pit toys.



**Miss Cooper's class made solar ovens and tested them out by making S'mores. Verdict's in—they were delicious with the chocolate beautifully melted.**



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# SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY NEWS



## PASTORAL CARE WORKER

**Position Vacant**

**Ungarra PS**

Schools Ministry Group and the Tumby Bay Inter-Church Council are seeking applications for this 13 hour per week position commencing Mid Term 1, 2022. The position exists to offer a Chaplaincy service to students, staff and the school community. The Job & Person Specification and Application Form are available to download from the SMG website - go to:

[www.smg.asn.au/work-with-us](http://www.smg.asn.au/work-with-us)

**Closing Monday 7<sup>th</sup> Feb, 12pm**

For more information go to [www.smg.asn.au](http://www.smg.asn.au) or call Philip Brice, SMG Regional Manager ph: 0401376658



COME AND HEAR  
THE REALLY GOOD NEWS  
OF CHRISTMAS - FOR ME!

Ungarra Church of Christ  
Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> December  
10am

ROYAL LIFE SAVING SOUTH AUSTRALIA  
**Holiday Swim**

SWIM & SURVIVE

THE ROYAL LIFE SAVING SWIM & SURVIVE PROGRAM YOU KNOW AND LOVE!

**13-17th December**  
Cummins & District War Memorial Swimming Pool  
BRING YOUR LOGBOOKS AND GET READY FOR A WEEK OF FUN!

Courage, Levels 1-7 & Rescue awards  
[WWW.HOLIDAYSWIM.COM.AU](http://WWW.HOLIDAYSWIM.COM.AU)

Jodi Mickan  
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Just some of the reasons you will miss us so much.....



Farewell and good luck Karl. We will all miss you and your family but wish you the very best for the future.