



From the Principal's desk ...

We cannot start this week without a massive congratulations to all the students and staff who participated in the Northern Riverina Football and Netball Grand finals last weekend, especially our U16s netball team and U17s football side who both came away with the win. What an amazing achievement!

Yesterday, our school was transformed into a realm of imagination and creativity as we celebrated Book Week Dress Up Day. The theme for this year, "Read, Grow, Inspire," brought forth a delightful array of characters from beloved books. It was heartwarming to witness our students and teachers alike fully embracing the spirit of the event. The dedication and effort put into the costumes truly showcased the magic of literature. Well done to everyone who participated and contributed to making this day a resounding success.

Our HSC students conclude their trial exams today. I commend our HSC students for their hard work and focus during this period. I wish you the best of luck, and remember that these experiences are invaluable stepping stones toward your success but do not define what you can achieve.

Looking ahead, tomorrow is the Lower Lachlan Athletics Carnival in West Wyalong. Hopefully, our students have been training and preparing for this event with dedication and enthusiasm. It's not just a day of competition but also an occasion for sportsmanship, camaraderie, and representing our school with pride. To all participants, remember to give it your all, have fun, and showcase the spirit of Ungarie Central School.

Our Secondary Lawn Bowls team, consisting of Harry Roscarel, Patrick McClintock, Hugh Williams and Rueben West will head to Dubbo on Monday to compete in the 2023 Central School Bowls Finals. We wish them the best of luck.

Jane Cooper



Spotlight

NSW Department of Education

Why attendance matters

When your child misses school they miss important opportunities to...



Learn



Make friends



Build skills through fun

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Days missed = years lost

A day here and there doesn't seem like much, but...

When your child misses just... they miss weeks per year... and years over their school life

1 day per fortnight = 4 weeks = Over 1 year missed

1 day per week = 8 weeks = Over 2.5 years missed

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Attendance Matters!

Principal: Mrs Terrie Payne

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Term 3 Week 6					25 Aug Lower Lachlan PSSA Athletics @ West Wyalong Canteen: Vanessa Williams
Term 3 Week 7	28 Aug Secondary Lawn Bowls @ Dubbo Canteen: Tegan Bussenschutt	29 Aug P&C Father's Day Stall Yr 11 Study Day (3 days)	30 Aug HSC Hospitality Revision Study Day @ Ungarie	31 Aug	1 Sep K/1/2 100 Days of School Party and Dress Up Day Canteen: Lisa Crofts
Term 3 Week 8	4 Sept Canteen:	5 Sept	6 Sept LAP Graduation @ Lake Cargelligo	7 Sept	8 Sept UCS Talent Show PBL Colour Run Canteen: Jess Gerhard
Term 3 Week 9	11 Sept Canteen:	12 Sept	13 Sept	14 Sept Yr 3/4 Todd Woodbridge Cup @ West Wyalong	15 Sept WSSA Primary Athletics @ Dubbo Canteen: Kathy McKay
Term 3 Week 10	18 Sept Canteen: Tegan Bussenschutt	19 Sept	20 Sept	21 Sept Yr 12 Formal Moorambilla Voices @ Baradine (2 days)	22 Sept Last Day Term 3 Canteen: Vanessa Williams

Primary

Secondary

Whole School

P&C

Public Holidays



Happy Birthday *August*

Jackson Protheroe 27th
Riley Mulqueeney 29th

Super Spellers

Mrs Wilson/Mrs Payne

Mason Gray, Callen Mealing, Rhyder Crofts, Chevy Baker, Asher Chantrill, Dean Hale, Neve Rossiter, Ava McClintock, Madelyn Hoskinson and Jolene Hale

Yr 3/4

Max McClintock and Aiden Hoskinson

Yr 5/6

Owen Jackson and Taylah Ward

Congratulations **Hardworking** **Humbugs** **10 Humbug High** **Five Awards**

Leo McClintock
Kinder



Linden Olsen-O'Connor
Yr 6



Darcy Cattle
Yr 8



Daniel Spencer
Yr 9



Mitchell Collins
Yr 10



Jayda Brew
Yr 11



Congratulations **Humbug** **Hotshot** **20 Humbug** **High Five** **Awards**

Jackson Protheroe
Year 8



'HUMBUG HIGH FIVE' AND SPORTS AWARD RECIPIENTS FOR WEEK 5



POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING (PBL) PRIZE DRAW

Week 4 and 5 'Fast and Free' PBL draw. Congratulations to Olivia Webster, Leo McClintock, Riley Mulqueeney, Tahlia McKay and Nicholas Batty on receiving their prizes. Olivia then spun the 'prize wheel' to win Zooper Doopers for K/1/2 and Tahlia won morning tea provided for Yr 7/8.





PBL



Above and left: Well done to Jack Douglas, Brogan Crofts, Bailey Margery, Allora Vinecombe, Chelsea Nielsen, Rhyder Crofts, Riley Mulqueeney, Olivia Webster, William Gerhard and Hayley Wallace for reaching the 'Hardworking Humbug' level with 10 "Humbug High Fives". Congratulations to Ethan Robb and Kate Jackson who received their "Hotshot Humbug" award for 20 "Humbug High Five's".



SCHOOL HAPPENINGS



In an ongoing effort to provide a conducive learning environment for both our students and staff, new furniture has arrived for the secondary staffroom and the K/1/2 literacy room. The secondary staffroom is also receiving a paint job.

YEAR 7/8 SCIENCE

Year 7/8 have continued learning about the functions of different body systems in their study of living things. This time they were able to examine sheep lungs, inflating them using a rubber tube and then dissect them to observe the internal structure. Students were surprised to see that the lung tissue changed colour when they inflated them and were impressed by the number of tiny tubes making their way through the lung tissue.



Alex Jackson dissecting the lungs.



Alex Margery inflating the lungs.

Gus Wallace inflating the lungs, with Darcy Cattle and Tyler Crofts.



Tahlia McKay, Isla Mayall and Eva McCubbin.

THE RESILIENCE PROJECT™



Week 6: Resilience in K/1

K/1 has been focussing on Mindfulness, learning about how to recognise our moods and what sort of activities may help us to change our mood when we are not feeling so good or happy.



We tried two different methods. The first was being mindful of our breathing and lying quietly to focus on our breath and relaxing. We recorded our findings in our journals.



Our next method was dancing while listening to music. This one worked the best for most of the class.





UCS TALENT SHOW
FRIDAY WEEK 8, TERM 3
PARENTS AND COMMUNITY
MEMBERS WELCOME
8th Sep, 2023 11.30am
(PBL Colour Run to follow)



\$5 ADMISSION

100 Days Party

On Tuesday the 29th August

K/1/2 will have been at UCS for 100 days
of 2023. We will celebrate this on

Friday 1st September 2023

We would love for students to dress up as
if they are 100 years old and bring a
plate of party food to share with the
class.



UCS P&C
Father's Day
Stall

Tuesday 29th
August
During Lunch
at the
Canteen

Prices from
\$2-\$10

UNGARIE BOWLING CLUB

Friday Night Jackpot Draw \$3,500 this week!

ATM and Eftpos available

*Bowlo
Kitchen*

Friday Meat Raffles @ 7pm

Friday Night Specials

Battered Fish \$12

Chicken Kiev \$16

**All meals served with vegies, salad
and chips with your choice of sauce.**



COMMUNITY JAM SESSION



BRING YOUR INSTRUMENT OR VOCALS

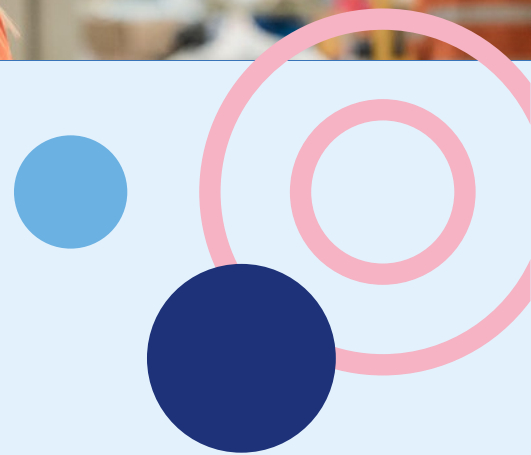
Ungarie Central Hotel

Saturday 9th September from 3pm

This is a family friendly event



We want to work with businesses within our school communities



Work is available maintaining our schools

School Infrastructure NSW manages a large maintenance program for more than 2,000 schools across all parts of NSW. To do this work, we are looking to engage local businesses, including Aboriginal owned businesses and people.

We want to go local

We have changed our approach. We are now directly managing our facilities and enlisted the support of new facilities maintenance contractors and tradespeople to work directly with us.

Why go local? We want to:

- be more responsive to maintenance issues reported by schools
- ensure we are working with local trades and spending our money in our local communities
- provide better working conditions for local tradespeople, including faster payment terms
- increase employment opportunities for apprentices and trainees in local communities.

Opportunities for Aboriginal businesses

As part of our engagement of local contractors, we are also seeking to grow the number of local Aboriginal businesses we work with and increase employment opportunities for Aboriginal employees, apprentices and trainees.

Our Aboriginal Senior Program Officers are able to help Aboriginal businesses, and local contractors who already employ or are looking to employ Aboriginal employees, apprentices, and trainees.



The trades and services we are looking for include:

- Plumber (including roof and gas)
- Electrician
- Lift Technician
- Refrigeration mechanic
- Glazier
- Hazmat
- Arborist AQ3 / AQ5
- Locksmith
- Cleaner
- Pest control
- Carpet / vinyl
- Data technician
- Security technician
- Painter
- Plasterer / renderer
- Tiler
- Landscaper
- Brick layer
- Fire management
- Sheet metal
- Concreter
- Removalist
- Playground specialist
- Pool technicians and cleaner
- Carpenters
- Gasfitters
- Test and tag
- Lighting
- Construction
- Gutter cleaning
- Equipment construction and maintenance Engineering
- Fencing services building and repair
- Roofing

How can I participate?

We're looking for a wide variety of maintenance services and trades to work with us.

Reach out to our team to find out more and access the documents to apply to work with us.

On approval you'll be setup in our systems and onboarded, with induction covering how to work with us and use our systems. It's easy to work with us! Reach out using the details below.

Get in touch

To register your interest please select a region below or email the relevant office:

Southern NSW Regional Office – snsf.fmct@det.nsw.edu.au

South Western Sydney Regional Office — swsf.fmct@det.nsw.edu.au

Sydney Regional Office — sydf.fmct@det.nsw.edu.au

Western Sydney Regional Office — wssf.fmct@det.nsw.edu.au

North Western NSW/New England Regional Office — nwnsf.fmct@det.nsw.edu.au

Hunter Central Coast Regional Office — hccf.fmct@det.nsw.edu.au

North Coast Regional Office — ncf.fmct@det.nsw.edu.au

Northern Sydney Regional Office — nsf.fmct@det.nsw.edu.au

Ungarie Magpies Football and Netball Club

A huge congratulations to our Under 17s football and Under 16s netball teams who are 2023 Premiers after their wins in the Grand Final on Saturday!! What a great day for the club and Ungarie!!

Well done to our Under 14s football and B and C Grade netball teams who all played extremely well and fought hard in tough games, but were unfortunately unable to come away with the win. All teams should be proud of the efforts throughout the season and for making the grand final.

Results -

Under 14s Football - Ungarie 4.4 (28) def by Lake 5.5 (35)

Under 17s Football - Ungarie 11.9 (75) def WWG 5.4 (34)

Under 16s Netball - Ungarie 47 def Lake 30

C Grade Netball - Ungarie 36 def by Hillston 44

B Grade Netball - Ungarie 32 def by Hillston 39

It was a big weekend with our Junior Presentation on Sunday. Congratulations to all the award winners and thank you to everyone for coming along to support the club. Senior Presentation will be held on Saturday 2nd Sept at the Ungarie Bowling Club, 5.45pm for a 6pm start.

Save the Date -

Ungarie Football & Netball Club Annual General Meeting - Sunday 15th October

Come along and see what makes the club run, so our kids can all play football & netball!





AUSTRALIAN VETERANS'
CHILDREN ASSISTANCE TRUST

CELEBRATING **20** YEARS

AVCAT Scholarships

Applications are now open.

AVCAT scholarships, including the Long Tan Bursary, are tertiary scholarships for the children and grandchildren of Australian ex-serving veterans. Scholarships are \$4000–\$6000 per year, for up to three years. Apply 18 August 2023, Vietnam Veterans' Day, and close at midnight AEDT on 31 October 2023.

Applicants must be:

- Enrolled or planning to enrol in a full-time course for one or more academic year's duration at a university, TAFE, or RTO in 2024
- The child, stepchild, foster child, or grandchild of an Australian ex-serving veteran
- An Australian citizen or permanent resident
- In receipt of, or eligible to receive, a means-tested Commonwealth educational payment – Youth Allowance, ABSTUDY, Austudy or Veterans' Children Education Scheme (VCES) in 2024

The Long Tan Bursary is sponsored by the Australian Government Department of Veterans' Affairs. View the complete list of AVCAT Scholarship sponsors [here](#).

Find information about scholarships, the application process or scholarship eligibility at avcat.org.au.



BASKETBALL NSW X **3x3 STREET HUSTLE**

GET UP + HUSTLE

3x3 STREET HUSTLE

BNSW Street Hustle – West Wyalong

WHEN
Thursday 28th September, 2023 from 10am

WHERE
West Wyalong Sports Stadium, 6 Short Street,
West Wyalong NSW 2671

BLAND SHIRE COUNCIL
west wyalong

AGE GROUPS

- 12's & Under
- 14's & Under
- 16's & Under
- 18's & Under
- Open's

COST
\$110 per team

FOR MORE INFO
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SCAN NOW



Ungarie Pre-loved
will be open
for late night
shopping
Tomorrow night
Friday 25th,
4pm till 7pm