

## Wellbeing and Health Updates: The Man Cave Returns and Dental Care Access

We have some exciting news to share with our school community! Firstly, we are happy to announce that The Man Cave will be returning to run the second level of their program for our Year 7 to 12 boys. This program has proven to be incredibly beneficial, and we are looking forward to seeing our students continue their journey of growth and empowerment. Additionally, The Man Cave is launching a trial program specifically for Year 5/6 boys, and we are excited that our younger students will have the opportunity to participate as well. Both sessions are scheduled for late Term 3.

While the next update may not seem as thrilling for our students, it is certainly important for their health. The NSW Health School Mobile Dental van will be visiting our school for the last four weeks of Term 3. This program provides access to free dental care delivered by experienced NSW Health staff. This is a fantastic opportunity for our students to receive essential dental services conveniently at school. More information and consent forms will be sent out in Term 2, so please keep an eye out for those.

## Cross Country and Term 1 Assembly Tomorrow!

Our annual cross country event is happening tomorrow! We encourage all students to participate and support one another in this spirited event. Following the cross country, we will hold our Term 1 whole school assembly. This special occasion will feature an Easter Hat Parade for our K-6 students. We invite families to join us in recognising the achievements of our students.

## Wishing You a Happy Easter and Safe Holidays!

As we approach the Easter break, we want to take a moment to wish all our students, families, and staff a joyful Easter filled with happiness and celebration. We look forward to welcoming everyone back refreshed and ready for the new term ahead.

Happy Easter and see you soon!  
Terrie Payne

Principal: Mrs Terrie Payne



## Spotlight



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Term 1 Week 11					11 Apr UCS Cross Country Scholastic Book Fair, Assembly & Easter Hat Parade LAST DAY TERM 1 Canteen: Tara Rowling
Term 2					
Term 2 Week 1	28 Apr Staff Return	29 Apr	30 Apr Students Return	1 May	2 May  Canteen: Lizzie Devlin
Term 2 Week 2	5 May Primary Schools Cup Netball @ Griffith  Canteen: Mel Roberts	6 May	7 May NSW CHSSA Australian Football Girls Championship @ Tuggerah (3 days)	8 May	9 May  Canteen: Marreesha Chantrill
Term 2 Week 3	12 May Mitch Tambo  Canteen: Sheree Birks	13 May HSC Study Days (3)  Sam Byrne - Wiradjuri Language and Culture Workshop	14 May	15 May	16 May National Walk Safely to School Day  Canteen: Lisa Crofts
Term 2 Week 4	19 May  Canteen: Ashley Heath	20 May	21 May Bedgerabong Pig Youth Show	22 May	23 May Lower Lachlan Cross Country @ Ungarie  Canteen: Lisa Crofts

Primary

Secondary

Whole School

P&amp;C

Public Holidays





## Happy Birthday April

**23rd** Alainah Banham

## SUPER SPELLERS

**3/4** Asher Chantrill, Madelyn Hoskinson and Neve Rossiter

**5/6** Ruby Hall, Hailey Ward, Adelaide Ward, Scarlett Brown, Isla Rossiter, Lucy Ward and Max McClintock

↓↓ **Tomorrow** ↓↓

**Friday 11th April, 2025**  
**Term 1, Week 11**



### Cross Country



**10 am start**



- \* All students will participate in the UCS Cross Country at 10 am.
- \* Students need to wear joggers, sports uniform and have their hat, water bottle and Asthma medication.
- \* Start / finish line will be near the front of UCS.
- \* Please contact the front office with further questions.
- \* Spectators are welcome!



### Book Fair

**all day  
in the  
UCS  
Library**

After the Cross Country, please come along to our

### Term 1 Assembly & Easter Hat Parade



**11.30 am - 12.30 pm**  
**All welcome!**

**UCS P&C  
Easter  
Raffles &  
Guessing  
Competition  
will be drawn  
/ announced  
at the  
assembly**





## 'HUMBUG HIGH FIVE' AND SPORTS AWARD RECIPIENTS FOR WEEK 10



### POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR FOR LEARNING (PBL) PRIZE DRAW

Congratulations to Imogen Chantrill, Claire Ward, Caleb Protheroe and Marvel Hoek who won the Week 9 and 10 PBL prizes.

Imogen and Caleb then spun the PBL prize wheel, with Imogen spinning arts and craft for K/1/2 and Caleb spinning 30 minutes computer games for Year 7/8.





## Lucy learns new skills at Lower Lachlan Netball Trial.

On Thursday 3rd April, Lucy Ward attended the Lower Lachlan Netball trials in West Wyalong.

The trial for Year 5/6 students saw Lucy join 12 other students in varied positions for four quarters. Lucy showed her dynamic skills and determination in shooting and the centre court. Lucy gained valuable experience playing with some older girls, however the experience of the other players on court meant Lucy was unable to gain a spot in the Lower Lachlan team to trial for the Western team.

Congratulations Lucy on your persistence. We are glad you the experience.



## Max and Rhyder Trial for Western PSSA AFL Team.

On Friday 28th March, Max McClintock and Rhyder Crofts travelled to Parkes for the Western PSSA AFL team trial.

Max and Rhyder both played well in the games but positions were highly contested and the boys were unable to secure a spot in the Western PSSA team.

Congratulations Max and Rhyder on your fantastic sportsmanship and terrific effort. We hope to see you at trials again next year!

## Ungarie Tries Hard in Tennis Knockout

On Friday 4th April, our PSSA tennis team travelled to West Wyalong to compete in the second round of the Western PSSA tennis knockout.

Our opposition was West Wyalong Public School, who narrowly defeated Wyalong Public School in the first round.

The singles matches were played first, with Jax McCartney and Hayden Ward taking on their more experienced opponents, and Claudia Protheroe and Isla Rossiter doing battle on the adjoining courts. Both Jax and Hayden found the going tough, losing their singles, however our girls had strong wins in their matches.

The doubles followed, with our boys being outclassed by the WWPS boys, but again, our girls had a strong win against their opposition. 3 sets all after the doubles!

It came down to the mixed doubles to decide the winner. Isla and Jax played well, but were no match for Heath and Ruby, losing 6/1. Claudia and Hayden played some smart tennis, working well together to secure a win 6/3. With both teams winning 4 sets, there was a countback of games to decide the winner.....

with the cumulative games score being 27/26 to WWPS.

The Ungarie team put up a terrific effort, only to fall short by the barest of margins.

Well done team!!





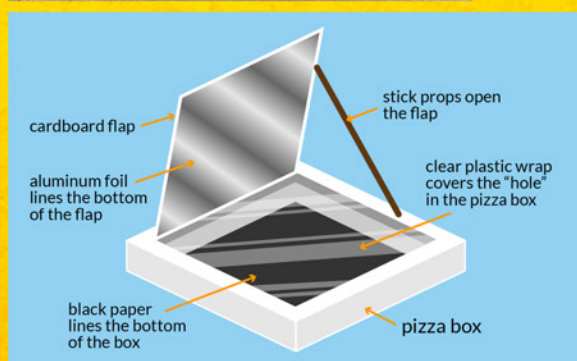
# Sweet Solar Ovens

In Term 1, Year 5/6 students have been embarking on an out-of-this-world journey through the solar system, with a particular focus on the sun.

To bring their learning to life, on Tuesday March 25th, students worked in small teams to design and build their very own solar ovens! Their aim was to harness the sun's heat and melt marshmallows! They used materials including pizza boxes, aluminum foil and clear plastic, with each group crafting a unique solar oven, combining creativity and scientific thinking.

Finally, on Friday April 4th, the big test day arrived! Though the weather wasn't as hot as we'd hoped, some ovens still managed to reach a toasty 57°C, softening the marshmallows just enough to make them delightfully squishy and gooey.

Despite the cooler temperatures, everyone enjoyed the sweet, warm marshmallows, turning the experiment into a tasty success!



An example solar oven, similar to our inspiration.



# 9/10 Crazy Days

## Food Technology Assessment

On Wednesday 2nd April, Year 9/10 students completed the practical component of their Crazy Days assessment. Their task was to thoughtfully select and arrange ingredients to create visually appealing and appetizing grazing boxes. Each box also featured a cooked element - either freshly baked scones or cupcakes - prepared during the lesson.

In addition to the practical work, students produced a magazine-style article where they analysed current food trends and planned the layout of their grazing boxes with both creativity and purpose.

All students should be incredibly proud of their final creations - the grazing boxes were beautifully presented and showcased their impressive culinary and design skills.





# ***A Sweet Treat for our Students***

## ***PBL Tier 1 Reward***

On Tuesday April 8th, our students were in for a cool and tasty surprise as they celebrated reaching Tier 1 of the PBL reward system with a delicious ice cream spider!

Kinder to Year 12, students had the opportunity to choose from a variety of fizzy drink flavours to pair with their creamy vanilla ice cream, creating their own ice cream spider.

It was the perfect day to enjoy this refreshing treat, as everyone savoured their sweet creations under the warm sunshine.

And the excitement doesn't stop there, Tier 2 is just around the corner, which will see students rewarded with refreshing fruit boxes and delicious hot dogs!

Keep up the great work, everyone!



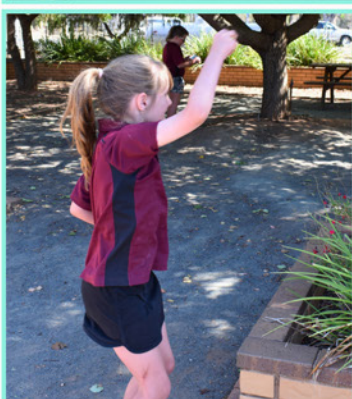


# Egg-cited Year 3/4 students hop into Easter egg hunt

On Wednesday April 9th, Year 3/4 students embarked on a thrilling Easter egg hunt, which took place throughout the school grounds. Miss Johnston had hidden special eggs filled with cryptic clues in spots all around UCS, including the front office, playground and lunch area. Each group worked together to decode the clues and track down all 8 hidden eggs.

The egg-cellent hunt didn't stop there! After collecting all the clues, the students had to race to find the extra special Golden Egg in their classroom. Every student earned a delicious reward of 5 chocolate eggs to celebrate their efforts!

Wishing everyone a hoppy Easter from Year 3/4!





# UNGARIE BOWLING CLUB

**Members Jackpot draw this week is \$6,000**

**RAFFLES drawn @ 7.30pm**

ATM and Eftpos available



**Kitchen open between 6-8pm**

**Friday Night Specials**

**T Bone Steak \$25**

**Chicken Schnitzel \$16**

*Bowlo  
Kitchen*

All meals served with salad and chips plus a choice of sauce

Dine in or takeaway!

**↓ Drawn Tomorrow ↓**

## UCS P&C EASTER RAFFLES & GUESSING COMP DONATIONS

UCS P&C are on a sweet mission,  
hunting for Easter eggs and chocolates donations  
from our awesome community for our annual  
Easter Raffles  
and  
Guessing Competition,  
which will be drawn at UCS Easter hat parade  
a date will be confirmed.

Every little treats helps, and we'd be over the moon with your  
contributions!

Your goodies can be dropped at the school front office.

STAY TUNED FOR MORE EGG-CITING UPDATES  
UCS P&C SENDS A BIG THANK YOU!

## UCS P&C Guessing Competition

**50c per guess or  
\$1 for 3 guesses**

**For viewing:**

Mon-Fri  
school front office  
(During school hours)

**Weekends**

**Central  
Bowlo  
Pines motel**



Winner will be announced at school  
assembly on the 11th april

Thank you for supporting UCS P&C



*Lest we forget*  
UNGARIE RSL SUB BRANCH

# ANZAC DAY

**FRIDAY 25 APRIL 2025**

**DAWN SERVICE**  
6am UNGARIE REMEMBRANCE PARK  
**BREAKFAST**  
7.30am CENTRAL HOTEL  
**\$10 BREAKFAST**

**CEMETERY SERVICE**  
9am SERVICE AT THE WALL WITH ROSS  
**MARCH & SERVICE**  
10.30am MARCH MUSTER  
On path near Ungarie Fire Shed  
11am SERVICE, LAYING OF WREATHS &  
PRESENTATION OF REG RATTEY VC AWARD  
UNVEILLING OF ATATURK MEMORIAL  
UNGARIE REMEMBRANCE PARK  
**BBQ LUNCHEON 12.30 & THE DUGOUT OPEN @ 1PM**  
UNGARIE WAR MEMORIAL HALL  
\$15/PERSON  
PRIMARY OR YOUNGER \$10 OR \$3 SAUSAGE SANDWICH  
RETREAT  
6pm FLAG LOWERING CEREMONY

RSL Raffle will be drawn at the luncheon

**Corporal**  
*Reginald Roy Ratley*  
**VC**



On 22nd March 1945,  
**Corporal Reginald Roy Ratley VC**  
performed the actions for which he  
was awarded the Victoria Cross.

**80 YEARS AGO**  
22nd March 1945

Students attending the Ungarie ANZAC Day March, should wear their school uniform and assemble on the path near the Ungarie Fire Shed at 10.30 am.

## Are you one of Australia's 2.7 million unpaid carers?

**Carer Gateway**  
An Australian Government Initiative

**liveBetter**

Carer Gateway is an Australian Government initiative that aims to make your life a bit easier, with free access to practical advice and support for carers.

**Am I a Carer?** A carer is someone of any age who looks after a family member or friend with a disability, a medical condition, mental illness or is frail due to age.

**GET SUPPORT | 1800 422 737 | [carergateway.gov.au](https://carergateway.gov.au)**





## Round 2 - Sat 12th April v West Wyalong Girral @ West Wyalong

After an exciting first round last weekend, Ungarie play West Wyalong Girral in West Wyalong this Saturday. It will be a warm one, so please remember to bring plenty of water and sunscreen! Check the scoring rosters for any duties, and please find a replacement if needed.

### Game Times

#### **Football**

Auskick - 9am  
11s - 10am  
14s - 11.20am  
17s - 12.45pm  
Seniors - 2.30pm

#### **Netball**

10s & 16s - 9.30am  
13s & C Grade - 10.45am  
C Res & B Grade - 12 noon  
A Grade - 1.15pm

Please be at the game half hour before your game to get ready and warm up. If you are unavailable to play this weekend, please let your coach know asap.

Results & Awards - Round 1 v Lake Cargelligo

#### **Football:**

**Auskick: Awards:** Mason Gray & Dean Hale

**11s:** Ung 0.0 (0) def by Lake 15.6 (96)

Awards: Ollie Currey, Marcus Murrells & Jax McCartney

**14s:** Ung 4.7 (31) def by Lake 9.11 (65)

Awards: Will Gerhard, Isaac Hutton & Bryson Fall

**17s:** Ung 15.13 (103) def Lake 2.4 (16)

Awards: Alex Jackson, Hayden Collins & Mitch Reid

**Seniors:** Ung 10.8 (68) def by Lake 14.14 (98)

Awards: Ethan Robb, Cooper Brien, Flynn Bryant, Kody Whiley, Hayden Collins & Reece Archibald

#### **Netball:**

**10s:** Awards - Jolene Hale & Annabelle Thomas

**13s:** Ung 12 def by Lake 40

Awards - Isabella-Maree Smith, Ruby McKay & Ella Patton

**16s:** Ung 22 def by Lake 40

Awards - Tahlia McKay & Ella Burley

**C Grade:** Ung 50 def Lake 16

Awards - Tayla Kelly, Tahlia McKay & Caitlin Rossiter

**B Grade:** Ung 50 def Lake 30

Awards - Molly Bryant, Libby Kelly & Azaya Norris

**A Grade:** Ung 55 def Lake 43

Awards - Tess Henley & Kayla Clements

