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On the traditional lands of the Gumbaynggirr people

NEWSLETTER NO. 14

TERM 2 WEEK 4

TUESDAY 22nd MAY, 2018

IMPORTANT DATES

Thurs 24th May	Australia's Biggest Morning Tea Urunga Golf Club @ 10am	Wed 30th May	PSSA Soccer—Boys & Girls—Urunga
Thurs 24th May	Whole School Assembly @ 2.20pm	Thurs 31st May	Basketball Gala Day - Sportz Central
Fri 25th May	MNC Cross Country	Mon 4th June	Garden Club @ 11.10am
Mon 28th May	Eisteddfod - Choir	Wed 6th June	School Photos
Wed 30th May	Jump Rope for Heart Demonstration	Thurs 7th June	Whole School Assembly @ 2.20pm

WALK SAFELY TO SCHOOL DAY

There was a good turn out of keen walkers who joined teachers for the annual Walk Safely To School Day. This day encourages all primary school children, their parents and carers to walk and commute regularly and safely to school. It is a community event seeking to promote road safety, health, public transport and the environment.

Active kids are smarter kids!!!

Everyone met at the mural down at the Urunga Recreation grounds to begin their walk back to school. They each received a sticker and a wonderful start to their day! It was also fantastic to have some parents and younger siblings join the walk as well.



www.walk.com.au
Friday 18 May 2018



AUSTALIA'S BIGGEST MORNING TEA

A reminder that this Thursday is the Cancer Council's Australia's Biggest Morning Tea. Our school has been invited to perform at the Urunga Cex (Golf Club). Our school choirs, dance groups and band will be strutting their stuff at 10am. Everyone is welcome to come along and join in the fun, have a cuppa and support this worthy cause.

Judy Thorn

BOOK FAIR ROUND-UP and LIBRARY NEWS

First and foremost I would like to extend a huge **Thank You** to our students, parents and school community for their wonderful support of our May School Library Book Fair. The students' enthusiasm for novelties and chapter books was fantastic! Thanks to your generosity and support over the past two weeks, I have been able to select a wide range of popular books from the Fair, including Picture Fiction, Fiction Chapter Books and Non Fiction Books.

Ten winners were chosen for the Stage 2 and Stage 3 Book Fair 'Colouring in' competition. The following students received a \$5 voucher each to spend as they wished at the Fair:

3/4 Blue - Bayley Cavanagh-Rose, Mollie Young, Jett Harry, Claire Young, Cooper Lamb, Indiana Sticker;

4/5 Indigo - Emma Swain, Bianca Smart, Maddi McKay; and

5/6 Maroon - Imogen Webb. Congratulations to all our winners!

Congratulations to our School Community for their superb efforts and support.

This week we celebrate **National Simultaneous Story-time (NSS)**. On Wednesday the 23rd May, Children all around Australia will be listening and responding to *Hickory Dickory Dash* written by Tony Wilson and illustrated by Laura Wood. The story is a funny twist on a well known nursery rhyme from the award-winning (Book Week 2017) creators of *The cow tripped over the moon*. Let's ALL READ MORE IN MAY!

Geri Jensen (Teacher Librarian)



WHAT'S DUE

- Term 2 Instrument Hire
- Educational Resources & Voluntary School Contribution payments
- Eisteddfod Choir Permission Note due Thursday 24th May
- Basketball Gala Day note and \$7 payment due Monday 28th May
- Year 5/6 Lake Ainsworth excursion deposit of \$100 due Friday 1st June
- School Photo Envelopes and payment due Monday 4th June



NEWS FROM OUR COMMUNITY LIAISON OFFICER JENNY LUXON

SPOTLIGHT ON SHARON HEARPS

FAVOURITE MOVIE: The Green Mile

FAVOURITE BOOK: "Flowers in the Attic" by Virginia Andrews

FAVOURITE SPORT: Soccer

FAVOURITE FOOD: Chocolate

FACTS ABOUT ME:

- I have lived in Urunga for 33 years.
- I have 5 children and 2 grandchildren.
- I collect recipe books and magazines and have more than 500 of them.
- I am a middle child.



*We all want to say a big **THANK YOU** to Sharon for running the canteen so efficiently. Her happy face welcomes everyone as they come and buy their goodies and uniforms. All the money made by the Canteen goes back to the P&C and eventually back to the students of our great school.*



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HEAD LICE

It's that time again! The head lice are out and about. Please check your child's hair regularly for head lice and eggs (nits) - use a fine metal tooth nit comb and plenty of cheap hair conditioner applied to the dry hair. This is a cheap method to see if your child has head lice, and if they do please treat with an approved head lice treatment. **It is very important to remove all the eggs and repeat the process regularly until you no longer find eggs or lice in your comb.** Eggs will continue to hatch over a ten day period.

SCHOOL PHOTOS

This year's school photos will be held in week 6 of this term, **Wednesday 6th June**. Your child received a personalised order envelope. If you would like to purchase photos please fill in the order and payment information and return to your child's teacher by Monday 4th June. There are also sibling photo forms available from the school office. Please ensure your child is wearing full school uniform on photo day.

COMMUNITY INFORMATION



NATIONAL VOLUNTEER WEEK
Give a little. Change a lot.
21-27 May 2018

Thank you for volunteering!

Bellingen Shire Council would like to invite all volunteers to drop in for afternoon tea at the Bellingen Visitor Information Centre to meet other volunteers from around the Shire, find out more about the Centre, the Events HUB and volunteering opportunities and go in the draw to win a Lucky Door prize. Not a volunteer yet? Come along and see how you can "give a little and change a lot".

When: Friday 25 May

Time: 1.00pm—3.00pm

Where: Bellingen Visitor Information Centre, Hyde Street Bellingen

More information: (02) 66551522

Bellingen Shire
COUNCIL



THE UNIFORM SHOP IS OPEN

Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays before 12 noon

Perhaps you need a new jacket to keep the chilly weather
at bay as winter.

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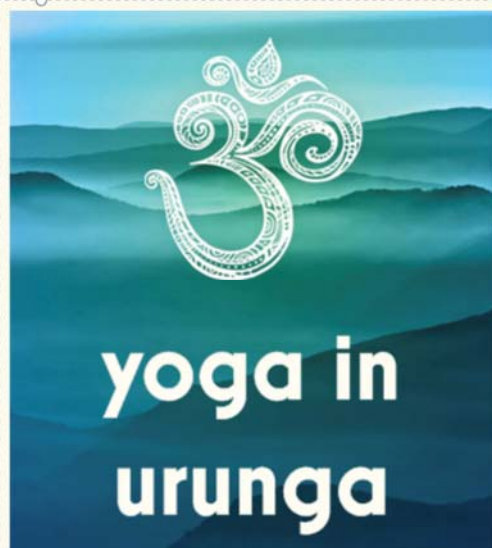
We cordially invite you to the book launch to celebrate 35 years of the Valla Community Preschool operating in Valla Beach.

Please join us in the celebration and sharing of memories in the preschool grounds.

When: 2pm 16th June 2018

RSVP: 1 June 2018

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yoga in
urunga

Tuesday
9.30-10.30am

Urunga Hall, Bowra St

Wednesday

5.30-6.30pm

Senior Citizen's Hall (behind fish and chips shop)

Friday

9.30-10.30am

Urunga Hall, Bowra St

\$15 per class
beginners welcome

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Wednesday: 600pm - 700pm

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For further details contact Rachel
Mobile: 0430 275 525
email: boxingbeauties@yahoo.com
Bookings preferred as class sizes limited to 10 pax

**WOMEN ONLY
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