

URANQUINTY PUBLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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TERM 4 WEEK 1 2025

Welcome Back

I hope all of our families had a good break and that the students are returning rested and excited to get back with their friends for our final term of learning this year. Please let us know if anything is going on at home that may impact your child's emotional wellbeing so that we can better cater for them at school.

Swim School 2025

Next week we commence swimming lessons at the OASIS pool in Wagga. Please ensure you have signed permission notes via School Bytes and paid online or in cash by Friday. Children will get changed in the toilets at school prior to and after returning from the pool. Please ensure they have packed underwear if they are wearing swimmers under their uniforms. Full school uniform and shoes are required for arriving at school. Thongs or crocs are acceptable for travelling to the pool. If your child prefers to wear goggles you will need to provide these and please label them. The bus will leave school at 11am and return by 1pm each day. Any non-swimmers from the Wilay class will join Mrs Brett's class whilst the swimmers are away.



Hats

This term we implement our No Hat -No Play (in the sun) policy. Please send your child to school with their red school hat each day. If it is lost we have new hats available for purchase at the office.



Art Exhibition

Some of our students participated in an Art Extension program at the Riverina Environmental Centre last term. Their artwork will be exhibited at the Wagga CSU is being held on Thursday 23rd October 5-8pm. All are welcome to view the artworks. Please see back of newsletter for flyer.

Kinder Orientation

This term we welcome next year's Kinders to spend three days with us getting used to our routines and expectations. The dates are 11th, 18th, 25th October. During these days our Year 2 students will move up to the Dinawan class in preparation for their transition into Year 3.



Bloom

Our stage 2/3 girls have been invited to Tarcutta PS on Tuesday 4th November for a Bloom Day - connecting our girls to wellbeing, self-confidence and changes that they are going through while growing up. The girls will bring home more info today and a permission note will be put onto School Bytes soon. Mrs Healey will accompany the girls and we are looking for another parent to assist with transport. Please let Mrs Cowell know if you would be able to help out on the day.

Assembly

Tomorrow we will be holding our first assembly of the term. We will be presenting our Athletics Carnival certificates. Parents and family members invited to attend.

Canteen news

There will be NO CANTEEN this Friday 17th October.

Next week onwards please use the Term 1 and 4 canteen menu which was provided to all families at the beginning of the year. Spare copies are located in the office and there is a smaller version included with this newsletter.

Book Club

Book Club brochures are sent home today with the newsletter. Orders are due back at school by Thursday 30th October.

Calendar

October

Tues 14th – Students Return for Term 4
Wed 15th - Assembly
Mon 20th – Swim School begins daily for 2 weeks
Thurs 23rd – Mobile Library
Wed 29th - Assembly
Fri 31st – Last day of Swim School program

November

Mon 4th - Bloom Project @ Tarcutta PS
Tues 11th – Kinder Orientation
Wed 12th – Assembly
Thurs 13th - Mobile Library
Tues 18th – Kinder Orientation
Wed 19th – Proud and Deadly
Tues 25th – Kinder Orientation/Parent chat
Wed 26th – Assembly
Thurs 27th – Mobile Library



The poster is for an 'ART GALLERY EXHIBITION' hosted by the Riverina Environmental Education Centre (RIVERINAEEC) and the NSW Department of Education. It features a grid of six artworks: a landscape with trees, a close-up of a flower, a bird, a butterfly, a flower bud, and a landscape with water. The text 'HPGE ART IN NATURE' is prominently displayed in the center. Below the artworks, it says 'HR GALLOP GALLERY CSU'. The exhibition dates are '23 OCT 2025 5:00PM - 8:00PM' at 'CHARLES STURT UNIVERSITY BUILDING 21, DARNELL-SMITH DRIVE (OFF CARPARK 5) WAGGA WAGGA 2650'. A circular logo with a gear and a head is also present. At the bottom, it says 'Join us as we celebrate the creativity and talent of 80 Stage 2 and Stage 3 students from NSW Department of Education schools across the Rural South and West Directorate. These young artists have been selected for their demonstration of High Potential and Gifted Education in the creative domain of art. The Art in Nature collection showcases artworks inspired by the beauty and diversity of the natural world, reflecting the unique perspectives of these gifted students under the guidance of artist in residence Amanda Morton. Light refreshments will be served.' The NSW Government logo and 'Education' text are at the bottom right. RSVP details are at the bottom left: 'PLEASE RSVP BY: 17th OCTOBER 2025' and 'RSVP CONTACT: JACQUELINE.MASSEY@DET.NSW.EDU.AU (02) 69329134'.

RIVERINAEEC
Environmental Education Centre

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NSW GOVERNMENT Education



Speech Therapy in Wagga

My Word Health is taking on new clients for Speech Therapy services in Wagga and surrounds.

Who are we?

At My Word Health, we're passionate about empowering kids and families in rural areas through high-quality allied health services. With local clinics in Albury, Wangaratta, and now Wagga! We want to see a world where no child is left behind. We are a paediatric clinic and work with children aged 0 - 18.

What do we offer?

We are opening up services in the Wagga Wagga region and surrounding towns. Currently, we are taking bookings for Speech Pathology services.

Speech Pathologists can support with:

- Speech sounds
- Language
- Literacy
- Social skills
- Stuttering
- Feeding
- Communication devices

Want to book an appointment or find out more?

(02)6023 6380
info@mywordhealth.com.au
<https://mywordhealth.com.au/>



UPS CANTEEN MENU:

Term 1 & 4

MINI PIZZAS (2): Choose from:

*BBQ CHICKEN

*HAM

*HAM AND PINEAPPLE.



CHICKEN BURGER: Chicken breast, cheese, lettuce and mayonnaise. \$5.00



MEAT PIE: chunky beef. \$5.00



HOMEMADE SAUSAGE ROLL: sausage mince, onion and carrot. \$5.00



CHICKEN TENDERS (2) AND POTATO WAFFLES. \$5.00



COLD DRINKS: Choose from: orange juice, apple juice, strawberry milk, chocolate milk. \$2.00



PLUS A CHANGING SELECTION OF TREATS

EACH WEEK INCLUDING:

fruit salad, jelly, custard, chips, slice, biscuits and ice blocks.

SO BRING SOME SPARE CHANGE FOR A TREAT TOO.

PLEASE WRITE LUNCH ORDERS ON A LUNCH BAG WITH CHILDS NAME AND

CLASS AND BRING IT TO THE

CANTEEN BEFORE SCHOOL ON FRIDAY.

CORRECT MONEY WOULD BE APPRECIATED.

Uranquinty PS

2026 Kinder Orientation



2026 Kinders are invited to spend three full Wednesdays with us
11th, 18th, 25th November

Learning Together at Uranquinty PS

