



ULAN PUBLIC SCHOOL

A member of the Cudgegong Learning Community – promoting public education



Main Street, ULAN NSW 2850

Ph: 0263 734625 Fax: 0263 734807 ABN: 7 139 345 454

NEWSLETTER MARCH 31st

TERM 1 Week 10

3 Rs STUDENT CHOICE AWARDS

This week's Student Choice Award goes to Luke Fay for being respectful and caring towards others.

Great Effort!! Well Done!!

STANDOUT STUDENT AWARD

This week's Standout Student Award goes to Ashlee Milton for great improvement in class work.

NEWS Schedule

The News Schedule this week is all about Easter. Students are asked to talk to the class about Easter. They are asked to think about What Easter means to your family? Explain how you celebrate Easter with your family.

KINDER TRANSITION 2018

Transition for Kinder 2018 students begins next Term. We are very keen to hear from anyone who is considering starting their child/ren at Ulan Public School in Kindergarten in 2018. Please let anyone you know who has a child starting Kinder at Ulan next year that we would like to make contact with them. While we would like to have all Kinder 2018 students do transition on the same day, we understand this may not be possible due to Pre-School commitments and are happy to make arrangements to suit.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Geoff and Beck Fay on the safe arrival of the newest member of the Fay family. They welcomed little Ruby into the world on Wednesday evening. Both Mum and Bub are doing well.

CANBERRA EXCURSION

Mrs Lewis and I continue to be very busy planning and organising for our Canberra excursion. Accommodation has been confirmed. Costing will be finalised shortly and a payment

plan can be put in place. We look forward to heading to Canberra in style with a coach from Eggtranz. Once again, a huge thank you to Susan and Grayson from Eggtranz for the very competitive quote and their very generous donation towards the cost of the bus.

EASTER RAFFLE

A reminder that the P&C are currently co-ordinating the Easter Raffle. Tickets went home with last week's newsletter. Tickets are \$1 each or 3 for \$2. The raffle will be drawn at the Easter Hat Parade on 6th April. If you would like more tickets to sell, please see Mrs Lewis.

EASTER HAT PARADE

The Annual Easter Hat Parade will be held on Thursday 6th April commencing at 12 o'clock. Family and friends are invited to come along and enjoy the fun and colour of the parade.

LOCAL EXCURSION

We had a great day on our local excursion on Tuesday. Thank you to all the parents and friends who assisted with transport, this helped to keep costs to a minimum, not to mention it meant they were able to enjoy the outing with us.

It was great to see the students being hands on with the animals at SWOOP Petting Farm, as well as see how interested the kids were in the exhibits at Gulgong Museum.

Fittingly we finished the day by enjoying an ice block on the veranda of a reconstructed Ulan building.





FACEBOOK

If you would like to see more pictures of the excursion to SWOOP and Gulgong Museum, you can have a look on our Facebook page. The FB page has been set up as a platform to share good news and photos of the great things happening at Ulan Public School. We encourage you all to 'like' the page and share any of the photos and news.

Our Facebook page is called Ulan Public School P&C.

Facebook is an avenue for sharing, and we welcome any positive feedback that it brings. I ask that regular communication about any concerns you have regarding events at school are maintained and that Facebook not be the place to air any grievances.

CASSILIS CROSS COUNTRY

The Cassilis Sports Day and Cross Country is being held on the first day back of Term 2, Wednesday 26th April. Transport to Cassilis will be by car. Should you wish for your child/ren to order lunch on the day, complete the lunch order form and return it to school with the correct money by Monday 3rd April.

READING LOG AWARD

Congratulations Emily McGrath for completing 20 nights of Home Reading. Emily was presented with the Reading 20 log award this week.



All students received a Reading Log this Term. The Reading Log, along with the Premier's Reading Challenge encourages students to read for leisure. In doing so, they are further developing their reading skills. As students complete the Reading Log, they will be acknowledged with Reading Awards. Should your child have lost their Reading Log, please encourage them to ask for a new one.

ANZAC DAY

This year Ulan Public School students are invited to participate in the ANZAC March in Gulgong. Students are asked to meet Mrs Endacott and Miss Maclean at the Fire Station in Gulgong by 10:15 am on Tuesday 25th April. All students marching will need to wear full summer uniform. Our captains are invited to lay a wreath on behalf of our school.

Our school ANZAC service will take place on Friday 28th April commencing at 10:30 am.

PLAYGROUP

Playgroup continues to run each Thursday from 9:30- 11:15. We are fortunate to have regular visits from Galloping Gumnuts each term. Dates for the Galloping Gumnuts next Term are Thursday 18th May and Thursday 22nd June. Again I would encourage you to share the news of Playgroup with anyone from the Ulan area that has young children.

THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday: Lunch orders

Library Borrowing

Tuesday: Helen Gray visiting Ulan PS

Wednesday: Melties

School Banking

Thursday: Playgroup - 9:30am

EASTER HAT Parade

Friday: Last day of school for Term 1

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

6th April - EASTER Hat Parade

24th April - First day of Term 2 for teachers

25th April - ANZAC March Gulgong

26th April - First day of Term 2 for students/Cassilis Cross Country

28th April - School ANZAC Service