

NEWSLETTER

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PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

As we find ourselves midway through Term 2, I would like to take this opportunity to reflect upon our school motto, 'Ever Aiming Higher!' This fundamental value is at the heart of everything we do at Urbenville Public School. I would like to acknowledge the wonderful effort our learning community has nurtured in the classroom as we all strive to improve on yesterday's efforts.

LETTER OF APPRECIATION

We were deeply saddened to hear about the tragic passing of Mr Ron Knight, a loving husband, father and pop. The Knight family are close friends of Urbenville Public School and our thoughts and deepest sympathies go out to the family during this difficult time.

Joanne Knight has written a beautiful heartfelt letter that she has requested be placed in the school newsletter for the community to read.

RESPONSIBLE PET DAY 30TH MAY

Urbenville Public School was treated to a wonderful afternoon of pet ownership and the roles and responsibilities that are associated with it. Students learnt how to approach, ask permission and safely pat a dog, as well as what to do when they come across a cranky one! Thank you to Jenny and Stella the dog for visiting our school.

Dates

TERM 2

WEEK 5

Wed 30th May – Responsible Pet Day

Fri 1st June – Zone Cross Country

WEEK 6

Fri 8th June – Pirate Day

WEEK 8

Fri 22nd June – Books in Homes Book Giving Assembly

PIRATE DAY 8TH JUNE – Gold Coin Donation

Friday 8th June marks the official Pirate Day. Students at Urbenville Public School will be encouraged to come to school dressed in their best pirate attire in order to raise money for a great cause, and of course to have a swashbuckling good time.

AUSTRALIAN EARLY DEVELOPMENT CENSUS (AEDC)

Between May and August this year, Urbenville Public School will be taking part in the Australian Early Development Census. The AEDC is a nationwide census of early childhood development that measures the progress of children as they start their first year of full-time school. Census data is used by early childhood educators and health services, local councils, community groups, schools and governments to help plan and allocate the right type of services, resources and support for communities.

NEXT DATE FOR P&C

Our next P&C meeting will be held on Friday 8th June at 2:30pm. Community members are encouraged to attend to help progress the wonderful job our P&C currently do for our school. Feel free to come along in your pirate costume to the meeting and support the fundraiser ☺

UPS P&C CANTEEN IOU's

There seems to be a bit of confusion over the policy on booking up at the Canteen. To clarify, if your child/ren book up at the Canteen, this needs to be paid by the following week or if not, they will not be able to order until any outstanding IOU's are paid. If you have any queries about this, please do not hesitate in contacting us.

URBENVILLE AGED CARE HOME

Thank you to the Urbenville Aged Care Home for facilitating our fortnightly visits. Our students gain so much from these valuable and rewarding learning experiences. Residents are regularly treated to our students showing off their ever improving reading skills as they bring along their favourite books to read.



'RIDDLE ME THIS'

The answer to last week's riddle:

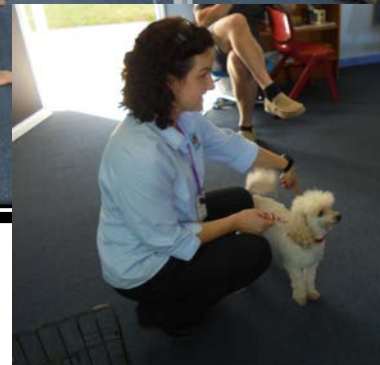
Q: *I'm tall when I'm young and I'm short when I'm old. What am I?*

A: A candle.

This week's riddle:

Q: How many months have 28 days?

The answer will be published in the next newsletter!



Win one of 5 x \$200 grocery vouchers*

4-17 June 2018 2018 LOCAL HEALTH NEEDS ASSESSMENT
COMMUNITY SURVEY

SPEAK UP

This June, make sure you have a voice by completing the 2018 community survey. What you tell us today, can improve local health tomorrow...

www.ncphn.org.au/speakup

Complete your 2018 community needs survey online today... anywhere, anytime. Google NCPHN and follow the link, or ask for a printed copy today.

Community surveys will be open to Northern NSW and Mid North Coast residents from 4-17 June 2018. Tell us what YOU think about using your local health services. Your feedback helps organisations to plan and make decisions about future local health solutions.

*Visit www.ncphn.org.au/speakup-and-win
The 2018 local health needs assessment is an initiative of North Coast Primary Health Network and supported by funding from the Australian Government.

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to complement your
NDIS Plan

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- Daily Personal Assistance & High Intensity Support
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- Household Assistance
- Gardening
- Cooking
- Shopping
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- Skills Development
- Confidence building and exploring new experiences
- Tenancy & Accommodation

Support Packages will be developed to enhance your goals and reflect your NDIS plan of supports.

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To The Urbenville School Staff & Pupils.

The day after my lovely hubby died I found a large white envelope, decorated with happy face flowers on it. Bulging with handmade sympathy cards, with the most heartwarming messages, to help my family & I thru this sad time. They drew pictures & signed their names.

We will treasure these cards forever. I will visit the kids at school to thank them personally.

We are very grateful.

The values taught at this little school are of a very high standard - I am proud that our 3 kids started their life's journeys there.

Many Regards to you all.

From Jo Knight.

