

NEWSLETTER

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Ever Aiming Higher!

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

To mark the upcoming **SASS recognition week: 3rd – 7th September**, I would like to take this opportunity to thank Urbenville Public Schools' non-teaching staff for their tireless work and commitment to our student's academic success and emotional wellbeing.

Our non-teaching staff play an important role in our school community. They are often the first people you see when you enter our school and they are essential to maintaining positive relationships with our students, parents and community. At Urbenville, our non-teaching staff work in our school office, assist in our classrooms and libraries and are responsible for maintaining and caring for our school grounds and buildings. They are quite often the ones to tend to students when they are unwell and they ensure the efficient management of school financial and administration functions.

I encourage everyone to join me in recognising the amazing work our non-teaching staff do for our wonderful school.

Thank you

Dates

TERM 3

Sat 24th August
P&C Trivia Night

Week 6
Mon 26th Aug– Dental Van
Mon 26th Aug – Aged Care visit
Thu 29th Aug – History Excursion

Week 8
Fri 13th Sept – Book Week Parade

Fri 13th Sept – P&C Meeting

CWA INTERNATIONAL ASSEMBLY – Thursday 22nd August

Students, staff and special guests had a wonderful time on Thursday as we conducted our CWA Assembly for 2019. The country of study this year was Papua New Guinea. Students dazzled audience members with their knowledge of PNG, demonstrated through PowerPoint presentations, readings, artwork and a 'silky smooth' rendition of the PNG National Anthem.

Thank you to Urbenville and Old Bonalbo CWA members as well as those parents that could make it for attending.

GONE BUT NOT FORGOTTEN - WW1 HISTORY WORKSHOP – Thursday 29th August

Urbenville Public School has kindly been invited by our friends from Bonalbo Central School to the 'Gone But Not Forgotten' – WW1 interactive history workshop that will be visiting their school on Thursday 29th August. This workshop will offer our students an engaging, thoroughly researched and well-resourced learning experience, which will deepen our students' understanding of World War 1 history. Students will have the opportunity to handle artefacts, try on clothing, uniform and webbing, explore source material and images and participate in role play and hot seating. Parents are kindly reminded to return permission notes to the office by Wednesday 28th August.

P&C TRIVIA NIGHT – Saturday 24th August

Urbenville P&C Association will holding their 'Trivia Night Extravaganza' on Saturday 24th August at the Urbenville Bowling Club. Teams are asked to be in by 6:30pm with the trivia starting at 7:00pm. Please see attached information flyer for more information.

DENTAL VAN – Monday 26th August

Northern NSW Local Health District will be visiting our school on Monday 26th August to conduct a free Oral Health Assessment for our students. In addition to the dental assessment, students will have the opportunity to engage with an oral health lesson in class. Thank you to Northern NSW Local Health District and Casino Public Dental Clinic for facilitating this important program.

BOOK PARADE – Friday 13th September

Students are eagerly anticipating our schools upcoming book parade, which will be held on Friday 13th September. Students, staff and parents are encouraged to have some fun and come to school dressed as their favourite book character.

P&C NEWS

Our next P&C meeting will be held on **Friday 13th September at 3:00pm**. Come along and take part in our meetings as we are always looking for fresh input on ways to help support our school and the students. All parent and community members welcome. See you there!!

CANTEEN VOLUNTEERS

Students at Urbenville Public School enjoy a wonderful selection of fresh healthy foods provided by our very hardworking school canteen volunteers. If you are able to spare a few hours of a Wednesday to help support our already hard working canteen team, please contact the school for more information.

'RIDDLE ME THIS'

Last Week's Riddle

Q: A merchant can place 8 large boxes or 10 small boxes into a carton for shipping. In one shipment, he sent a total of 96 boxes. If there are more large boxes than small boxes, how many cartons did he ship?

A: 11 cartons total 7 large boxes ($7 * 8 = 56$ boxes) 4 small boxes ($4 * 10 = 40$ boxes) 11 total cartons and 96 boxes.

This week's 'BLAZE' edition riddle

- A duck was given \$9, a spider was given \$36, a bee was given \$27. Based off this information, how much money would be given to a cat?
- If you buy a rooster for the purpose of laying eggs and you expect to get three eggs each day for breakfast, how many eggs will you have after three weeks?

Student Awards





GO4FUN
HEALTHY ACTIVE HAPPY KIDS



Go4Fun - FREE fun program to help kids become fitter, healthier and happier!

Do you have children between 7-13 years old?

The Go4Fun program is a free healthy lifestyle program to improve health, fitness, self-esteem and confidence in children above a healthy weight.

Go4Fun runs for 10 weeks over the school term for children, between the ages of 7-13 years and their parents. Sessions include games, activities, tips on healthy food, label reading, portion sizes plus much more!

Opportunity for Go4Fun in Kyogle!

Register your family's interest. With enough numbers Go4Fun will run in Kyogle in Term 4, 2019. Call 1800 780 900

To find out more visit www.go4fun.com.au



Northern NSW Local Health District

URBEN CONNECT



Community Shared Lunch
Urbenville Hall
Sunday 25th August at 11am

Bring a plate to share & \$2 donation
Hopefully

Guest Speaker from Bonalbo Men's Shed





Please join us for a

High Tea

FUNDRAISER

HOSTED BY

*Urbenville Hospital
Auxiliary*

SAT 21st SEPT
10-30
2019 AT 10 A.M.

LOCATION: URBENVILLE MEMORIAL HALL

\$25 per person

BOOKINGS & PAYMENT
ARE ESSENTIAL
BY THE 7TH SEPTEMBER
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"SHED HAPPENS"

When Shed Men Meet
All men are champions
All men have a story to tell
ALL MEN AND YOUNG BLOKES
ARE INVITED TO ATTEND A
"SHED HAPPENS"

Where: Bazz Hart's— #7 Deane Street, Urbenville

When: Saturday 31st August

Time: 10:00 am to

Cost: \$5.00

Morning tea/coffee and lunch provided

RSVP: Phone 02 6634 1204 before Thursday 29th August



NSW Department of Primary Industries

Wollongbar DPI

Open Day

Saturday, 24th August 2019, 10am - 3pm

- * Guided tours
- * Kids activities
- * Historical displays
- * Food
- * Latest research
- * Fun

All Welcome

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Urbenville P&C Association

TRIVIA NIGHT

Saturday

August 24th

BYO Snacks

Raffles drawn on the night

Urbenville Bowling Club

Teams in by 6:30pm Trivia Starts 7:00pm

\$10 Per Person/ Tables of up to 8 players

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