News this week

There has been plenty of action in our first two weeks of Term 4!

It has been great to see our 2015 Kindergarten students begin their second phase of our Transition Program. This week each group of new students will come in at 9am and go through until lunch time. I was lucky enough to get a visit from these 3 gems on Wednesday showing me their artwork. Awesome!

Phase 3 begins the following week, where the whole group will come in for a whole school day on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. I have no doubt it will be a thrill a minute for all involved!

We have set a date for our Nitbuster Day. Jackie Ross has generously given her time to come in on Monday the 3rd November. Permission notes have been sent home, so if you require another, please ask Carol or Sheree at the front office. This will be of no cost to any student.

This Saturday is our next round of the IGA Barbecues. We have two dates for this term to head in and raise some money for our school. The dates are:

Saturday the 18th October
Saturday the 15th November.

If you can spare an hour of your time from 10am – 2pm, we would appreciate it! Please contact the front office if you're available to help out.

Thank you!

Upcoming Events @ U.C.S...

24th of October: Arts Central @ TCS
A variety of visual art, dance and music activities for those creative souls!

24th October: Mental Health @ Barnado Park
Presentations, activities & live entertainment!

27th of October: Illustrator visit
Australian award winning illustrator Marc McBride will be visiting us. Marc is best known for his illustrations in the Deltora Quest series written by children’s author Emily Rodda.

See you soon!
Super Spellers
K/1 - Week 10, Term 3
Madison Vinecombe, Hannah Wilson, Lara Bryant, Dakota Williams, Lewis Henley, Alfred McCubbin, Adelaide Langham, Caitlin Rossiter, Patrick Whitey, Zoe McRae, Allora Vinecombe, Ethan Robb, Deakin Ross.

2/3/4 - Week 1, Term 4
Reuben West, Harry Roscarel, Noah Bryant, Hayley Wallace, Ashton Ross, Hugh Williams, Abby Wason, Ella McRae, Georgia Wilson.

5/6 - Week 1, Term 4
Angus Williams, Matilda Langham, Ruby Henley, Jai Thompson, Tom Roscarel, Josh Roscarel.

Illustrator Visit
Marc McBride, a well known illustrator, will be visiting UCS on Monday 27th of October. He has drawn the front covers of many of Emily Rodda's novels. Marc will be holding sessions with students from K-Year 10. We are looking forward to viewing some of his illustrations.

Milo Cricket
Milo Cricket has commenced. It is on at 3.30-4.30pm each Thursday at the town oval. Patrick Whitey, Zoe McRae and Lachlan Ward are pictured modelling their new cricket outfits, along with a bat, bag, water bottle and ball. Mr Cattle is the coach with Vanessa Robb and Issy Archibald the volunteers. Justine Henley has done a lot of work again to organise the new packs and raffles for fundraising. Mr Cattle and all the kids really appreciate this!

Art Exhibition
The UCS Art in Action will be held on the 30th of October 5-7.30pm at the Ungarie Memorial Hall. All students are busy designing and creating their masterpieces. They look forward to displaying their work. Emma's dancers have been practising their moves and music students have been practising their items. Hope to see you all there.

Enviro Champs Day
The Year 5 Leadership Group will be travelling to Junee next Wednesday to attend the Enviro Champs Finale. The students will be presenting an imovie they have made to show an overview of the food gardens. Goodluck!
You are invited to join us for our

Special Persons’ Day

(This can include grandparents, aunties, uncles, cousins or friends)

Thursday 30th October, 2014

12:20pm – 3:00pm

Ungarie Central School Hall

The day will include:
- Whole School Assembly
- Free BBQ lunch
- Afternoon activities

Followed by our Ungarie Central School Art Exhibition evening at the Ungarie Memorial Hall at 5pm
Head Teacher Secondary Studies

The calendar is starting to fill up quickly with events for this term. Notes went home yesterday to students in Years 9 and 10 for the, "Year 9 We're Doing Fine" and "Crossroads" excursions. All Year 9 students also received a TVET enrolment application form for Automotive skills. This is being run out of Condobolin High School next year. At this stage it is not committing students to participation in the program with further details needing to be finalised before this takes place.

Our Year 12 students have started their HSC exams this week. Not long now until a well earned break!! I am in the process of finalising our Under 14’s Super 8’s cricket teams. Once I receive more information regarding timing and locations for this a note will be sent home. At this stage it will be held on the 4th of November at Wagga.

Over the coming weeks 7-10 will be learning more about their physical health. Students have been participating in various fitness assessments focusing on the health and skill related components of fitness, with the intention to improve our results in these assessments over the coming weeks. To find out some more information on the recommended physical activity and sedentary behaviour that our children/students should be involved in check out the current advice from the Department of Health:

- 5-12 year olds [http://goo.gl/xblhAi](http://goo.gl/xblhAi)

Have a great week!!

Regards, Mr Currey.

Laugh a little!

What do you call a gorilla wearing earphones?

Anything, he can’t hear you!
Ungarie Central School is a PBL school. Positive Behaviour for Learning (PBL) is a school-wide behaviour management strategy. PBL encourages positive behaviour from students, which has been shown to improve their self-concept and motivation to learn.

You may have started noticing some PBL information being displayed within the school. If you haven’t, but would like to find out more, please feel free to access and browse the new information on our school website. Otherwise you can have a chat to one of our team members:

**PBL Team Members**
*Team Leader, Data Base Manager & Archivist* – Telea Imrie
*Secretary/Recorder* – Mareea James
*Communication Coordinators* – Leanne Parkinson & Sonya Ward
*Time Keeper* – Brett Davies
*Celebrator* – Terrie Payne
*Other Members* – Adam Currey & Sally Malone

**No Hat – No Play**
A reminder that students **must** wear a hat at all times in the playground, No Hat – No Play! Students are encouraged to wear a wide brimmed hat to most effectively protect them from the sun, and if possible in the school colours.

**Jellybean Guessing Competition!**
Atomic Drag will be holding a guessing competition throughout Week 3 with the winner to be announced on Thursday 23rd October. Please support the F1 boys raise funds for participation at State level.

**For Sale:**
Eggs from School Ag Plot
$3 per doz

**Academy School Photos**
UCS Sport and Special school photos are now on display in the office foyer. These can be ordered for $15 each.

**Canteen Roster:**
Fri 17th Oct - Kim Cassidy
Mon 20th Oct - Michelle Potter
Fri 24th Oct - Lisa Crofts & Kylie Brewer

**Happy Birthday**
Chloe Brewer 19th Oct
Mikell Quarman 23rd Oct
Rachel Ridley 23rd Oct

**Thought for the day!**
To a child, love is spelt T.I.M.E.
**Upcoming Events:**

Oct 18 UCS BBQ @ IGA West Wyalong  
Oct 24 Arts Central- Tully Central School  
Oct 24 Mental Health Day- West Wyalong  
Oct 27 Illustrator, Marc McBride visit  
Oct 28 Yr 9 ASPIRE trip-Dubbo  
Oct 29 Whole School Assembly  
Oct 30 UCS Art Exhibition  
Week 5 Central Schools Cricket –Dubbo  
F1 State Final- Sydney  
Nov 10-14 ESSA testing  
Nov 17- 21 Yr 10 Crossroads- Lake Burrendong  
Nov 24th Intensive Swimming commences  
Dec 10th UCS Presentation Night  
Dec 17th Last Day of Term for students  
Dec 17th HSC results released

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**Secondary English News**

*Year 7 & 8* - Ways of Being  
**HOMEWORK**  
10-15 mins of reading & logging every night  
Knowledge quest worksheet 61  
Knowledge game play - Contractions

*Year 9 & 10* - Sustainability  
**HOMEWORK**  
10-15 mins of reading & logging every night

*Year 12* - Standard English  
Preparing Assessment Task 1 - creative section

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**P&C NEWS**

As the weather warms up ALL school kids need to wear a WIDE BRIMMED HAT.  
Wide brim hats with School Emblem on are available from the front office for $12 each.  
School uniform orders from last term are expected in the next few weeks.  
Orders for this term will be taken in the next few weeks.  
Another form will be sent out in next week’s newsletter.

A snake bite first aid flyer has been attached.  
Please read over this and talk about this.  
Snakes are everywhere already and education is our best resource.

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**TV & Satellite Repairs**

The school has workers from Parkes Sight n Sound booked to install a new satellite dish on Wednesday 5th November.  
If anyone would like to have a satellite dish installed or TV’s looked at while the workers are in town, please give the school a call or get in contact with David from Parkes Sight n Sound on (02)68624475 to organise a time for them to visit.

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**For Sale**

The school has a number of TV’s etc which are no longer being used in classrooms. If you would like to purchase any of the below items please send your tender in to Brett at the school.  
NEC 21” Colour TV  
Samsung Hitron 20” Colour TV  
NEC 28” Colour TV  
NEC 27” Colour TV  
Panasonic 20” Colour TV  
Panasonic Video and DVD Player  
Brother 7 in 1- (Printer/Scanner/Copier/Fax/Message Centre)  
Hammond Electric Organ
UNGARIE JUNIOR CRICKET
Commences on Saturday 18th October. Ungarie has the bye the first week due to the schools involvement with Mexico in the West.
Our first game will be 25/10/2014. The draw is not out yet but I will put it in next Week’s News letter.
It was stipulated that you need to be registered and paid prior to taking the field. If you need registration forms please see Michelle Roscarel or Jenny Thomas (0269759169).

Community News

UNGARIE CAN ASSIST
General Meeting
Tuesday 28th October
7pm, CWA Rooms, Ungarie
- All members urged to attend to discuss disposal of equipment.
- Membership now due $5.50

Jo Ward(Sec)

Ungarie Memorial Hall
AGM TONIGHT
Thursday 16th October
7pm @ the Hall

Erin Hoskinson Hairdresser
I will be in Ungarie next Monday doing haircuts. If I get enough interest in the next few months, I’ll come more often and might even start to do colours and perms etc.
Ladies haircuts $20, Mens and High School kids $15, Primary and kids not at school $8.
To make an appointment call or text me on 0448 760525
Erin Hoskinson

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Residential - Commercial - Rural
Bland Hoteliers Jackpot Draw
The draw was not claimed so will be $2400 next week.

Make sure you are here to claim the prize if your name comes out.

You must be there to win; entry is free so speak to one of our bar staff today to enter.

Tuesday night raffles are still on. Money raised will go to the Cricket Club for this month. Come on down and try to win some meat trays.

Lost Property
We have a full lost property box again. So if you are looking for that missing jacket, jumper, hat etc. it could be at the pub.

New Menu Items
We are excited to announce the addition of 3 new menu items starting tomorrow.
- Gourmet Seafood Basket
- Chicken Kiev
- Lamb Shank
All items served with your choice of chips or mash and salad or vegetables.

Touch Football WEST WYALONG
The 2014/2015 Touch Football competition will begin on Thursday 16 October (Seniors) and Thursday 23 October (Juniors – due to Wildcat challenge). All players must be registered by 4pm on Tuesday 14 October.

Online registrations are up and running at www.westwyalongtouch.sportingpulse.net

Junior players (10-14 years old) will need to scroll to the bottom of the webpage and use the Junior Registration button. They will register individually and the committee will divide them into teams with positive feedback being received from last competition.

Fees are $25.00 per player.

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Bland Shire Library - Illustrator

Bland Shire Library will host a visit by Australian award winning illustrator Marc McBride from 27 October – 31 October 2014. Best known for his illustrations in the Deltora Quest series written by children’s author Emily Rodda, Marc will travel the Bland Shire speaking to school students (Kinder – Secondary) about his work and showcase his amazing artistic talent.

Marc was educated in Northern Ireland at Bangor Grammar School. Graduating in 1990, he moved to Western Australia to study design at Curtin University.

Marc graduated in 1994. His final year project was the design and manufacture of the Dracula’s Castle at Adventure World in Perth. Working as a set designer for television commercials and short films, Marc was the winner of the 1995 WA Film and Video Festival for Best Art Direction.

In between his design work, he painted murals for various restaurants across Asia including Dome Cafes. He also began illustrating for magazines and stamps around the world. This association soon led him to book illustration where he has illustrated over one hundred and fifty book covers and eight picture books.

Marc has had work exhibited with the New York Society of Illustrators and won the 'Aurealis Award for Excellence' for the Deltora Quest series and for World of Monsters. His book Secrets of Deltora is an illustrated travel guide through the world of Deltora.

His picture books include The Kraken, Old Ridley, The Deltora Book of Monsters, Journey from the Centre of the Earth, Tales of Deltora and World of Monsters.

Marc's love of fantasy began when he was a young boy watching Star Wars for the first time. His heroes growing up were animators like Ray Harryhausen who worked on movies such as Jason and the Argonauts and when asked what he wanted to be when he grew up, Marc would reply "King Kong"! His influences for his work range from tacky B-grade movies about giant ants from outer space through to the pop artists of the sixties such as Andy Warhol, Roy Lichtenstein and other illustrators such as H. R. Giger, who created the Alien and the set design for the movie Alien.

In recent years, Marc has published three "How to Draw" books for his fans to follow. They include How to Draw Monster Battles (2009), How to Draw Dangerous Beasts (2010), and How to Draw Mythical Creatures (2010), or find help with all three in the Monster Book of Drawing (2010).

Young readers will recognise Marc McBride’s illustrations on the covers of Emily Rodda’s Deltora Quest series.

Marc McBride will also be touring local schools and will be at UCS on Monday 27th October.

Bring your copies in to be autographed!

Ungarie Magpies Footy Club

Drum Muster

Next Wednesday

22nd October

Ph: Mark Bryant 0427 683769
Sunday, November 9th
9am to 1pm
Ungarie War Memorial Hall
Entry by gold coin donation
Lots of specialty stores

A BBQ and Devonshire tea will be available - contact Kylie on 0413 242 741 or 6975 9883 or ungarieadvancement@mail.com

“Ungarie Art & Craft Markets”