News this week...

Ungarie Central is still buzzing from our Open Day last week. The staff were blown away with the number of family members that came in to support the day.

I would like to take this time to acknowledge those staff, students and school community member who received awards on the day.

The student awards were given for being an excellent role model, demonstrating exemplary leadership and commitment to their studies. These awards were received by: Kadee Gerhard-Scali, Angus Williams and Louise Hunter.

The staff awards were for their outstanding service and commitment to students, exemplary administration and commitment to our school.

These awards were received by: Mrs. Mareea James, Mrs. Brony Mason and Mrs. Carol Rattey.

The school community award was given for outstanding service and commitment to students. This award went to Justine Henley.

I would also like to thank Tamara Spencer for coming to our assembly and sharing her insights of her time at UCS and where her life choices and experiences have taken her since leaving school.

It was great to see a good number of parents attended this afternoons P&C meeting too! Many topics were discussed and there are plenty of things to be involved in. The next meeting is on September 3, so if you have a spare hour, come on down!

Congratulations to Ella, Josh, Ashton and Hugh for their selection to represent Western Area Athletics in Dubbo. Go you good things!

School photos also went really well today. Big smiles everywhere!

See you soon!
Super Spellers
K/1
Hannah Wilson, Rachel Ridley, Madison Vinecombe, Caitlin Rossiter, Lara Bryant, Josh Batty, Dakota Williams, Mitchell Collins, Lachlan Ward, Zoe McRae, Deakin Ross
2/3/4
Jayda Brew, Reuben West, Harry Roscarel, Noah Bryant, Regan Hukins, Audrey Hukins, Ashton Ross, Hugh Williams, Tess Henley, Georgia Wilson
5/6
Jai Thompson, Angus Williams, Madi Cassidy, Prue West, Molly Bryant

LLPSSA Athletics
Well done to those students who represented UCS at the LLPSSA Athletics on Tuesday. It was fantastic to see all students trying their best. A special congratulations to Ella McRae, Josh Roscarel, Hugh Williams and Ashton Ross who have qualified to represent Lower Lachlan at the Western Area Athletics on the 29th August, in Dubbo.

Year 5 Enviro Champs
Yesterday our Year 5 leaders planted over 100 trees around Ungarie with the help of Glenn Neyland from the Bland Shire Council and David from the Local Land Service. Ryan Wallace, Ryan Crofts, Prue West, Kadee Gerhard-Scali, Madi Cassidy and Ruby Henley worked tirelessly throughout the day to plant the trees. You may have spotted them around town with their bright orange vests!

These six students are doing a fantastic job with the food garden at school and they are to be commended on their dedication to their Enviro project. Thank you also must go to Mrs Lisa Payne for her assistance with the Year 5 leaders.

Live Life Well @ School
Why reduce television time?
- studies have shown we use less energy watching TV than sitting still
- TV influences the food choice of kids - Australia has a high rate of food advertising during children’s viewing hours
- TV replaces time a child can be active and enjoy physical activity
- there is an association between TV watching and being overweight
- 40% of children 5 - 12 years report watching an average of two hours or more of television or videos a day.

Save the Date!
Our next Whole School Assembly will be held on Friday 5th September. This will be a Book Week Assembly so students are encouraged to come dressed as their favourite book character.
Head Teacher Secondary Studies

This week, years 9, 10, 11 and 12 travelled into West Wyalong on Tuesday as part of Local Government Week. The students spent a session looking at the online services offered by the Library that they are able to access at any time. Students were also presented with their Bland Shire Library cards. We then headed up stairs for a Q and A session with council staff about their jobs within council. Thank you to all staff who generously made their time available for this. Following this our students were fortunate to be provided with a personal tour of the sewerage treatment works by Tony Carr. It was a very informative and surprisingly not smelly tour. Thank you Tony for your time and giving our students the opportunity. Thank you to Rebecca McDonell for organising the day.

HSC Trial exams start next week. Students have their timetables for when their exams are on. There will be no formal lessons during this time, with times outside of student’s exams being utilised as study periods.

Our F1 students are gearing up for their regional finals in Dubbo next week. The students are still looking for assistance with sponsorship for their race teams. If you are able to assist, please contact Mrs Sonya Ward at school.

There are lots of excursions coming up, please ensure that notes are returned in order for your child to attend.

Good luck to everyone involved in sporting finals this weekend.

Have a great weekend.

Regards, Mr Currey

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How2Learn

Our next How2Learn focus is: Making Links

When you use this learning muscle you:

- look for connections between experiences or ideas
- find pleasure in how things fit together
- connect new ideas to how you think and feel already
- look for analogies in your memory that will give you a handle on something complicated. For example, in Science we could use the analogy of soldiers (known information) to help teach the concept of white blood cells (new information).
Canteen Roster:
Fri 8th Aug - Colleen Robb
Mon 11th Aug - Sarah Hale & Marreesha Hale
Fri 15th Aug - Justine Henley

Upcoming Events:
26th Aug Secondary – Griffith Regional Theatre - Henry V
Week 5 & 6 HSC Trials
Week 9 & 10 Prelim Yearly Exams

Thought for the day
Don't look back, you're not going that way!

UCS Ag plot
Produce for Sale
Small pumpkins $3
Large pumpkins $4
Lettuces $2ea - Rachel Jackson

Laugh a little!
The shoes of old Eskimo Joe
Fell apart as he walked in the snow.
'Have you needle and thread?'
I enquired, but he said,
'No igloo them not sew them, you know'.

Recycled Design
The Year 9/10 Design & Technology class have started a new topic this term called Recycled Design. During the unit they will be learning about sustainability and sustainable design. They will also be designing and constructing their own recycled object for the home.
If anyone has any old materials that they would like to donate to the school, the students would be very grateful. Some of the materials they are looking for include, recycled timber, pallets, mirrors, glass, and paint.
We look forward to sharing our designs later in the term.

Book Fair
Sales at last week’s Scholastic Book Fair topped $1,400 which gives our Library a nice pile of books in commission.
Thank you to everyone that participated and for encouraging our students to read books.

The school cleaners are picking up a lot of school uniform/clothing items around the school that have no name on them.

Parents/caregivers: PLEASE mark any items that your children bring or wear to school so it does not end up in Lost Property. If there is a name on it, at least items can be returned easily.
Community News

Ungarie Advancement Group AGM & General Meeting

The next General Meeting and AGM is scheduled for Wed 20th August 2014 commencing at 7pm sharp at the CWA rooms.

All positions will be declared vacant for the AGM.

Please get in and support your town, have your say on how things happen and contribute your thoughts and ideas on how to move our wonderful community forward into the future.

We encourage all to attend and look forward to seeing lots of new faces.

MARKETS! MARKETS! MARKETS!

The next markets are coming up this Sunday 10th August from 9am till 1pm at the Ungarie War Memorial Hall

Have you thought about clearing out the kid’s toys, the Tupperware cupboard or hubby’s shed?? Why not have a stall... Stall holder opportunities are available.

Contact Kylie on 0413 242741 or 69759883.

The Ungarie CWA will be providing Devonshire Tea with the Advancement Group holding a BBQ. Come along and have a lovely morning tea and a sausage sizzle.

We are looking for people that are available to assist with setting up on Saturday afternoon at 5pm and to assist on the day. Please contact Kylie Brewer on 69759883.

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0434 208950
Last Sunday 3rd August, our local doctor, Dr Waili, Dr Huda and their son Zaid attended the Sunday morning breakfast at the Bowling Club. Approximately forty people attended breakfast and welcomed our doctor to his ‘first’ breakfast at the club.

A game of club fours was played on Sunday afternoon with Mick Apps team playing Ben Wallace’s team- with a couple of subs, filling in. Mick’s team came away with the win by a couple of shots.

Club subs are due and can be paid to the Club Treasurer.

**Bogeye shirts & caps are still available. Men’s $40, Ladies $36, Caps $20 (with names). Contact Tony Carr 0403341041**

**BOGEYE CUP**
30th August 2014
Auction of Memorabilia Items on the day

**HAPPY HOUR**
Thursday night 6-7pm
Friday night 7-8pm

Breakfast every Sunday morning
8am-9.30am

**The Jackpot draw**
$3,600 this week
(Must be there to win)
**Bland Hoteliers Jackpot Draw**

The draw was not claimed this week and will be up to $1200 next week.

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. Come on down and try to win some meat trays.

**Good luck to the A-Grade Netball team playing this Saturday in the second week of finals.**

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**Toy Catalogue Fundraiser**

The Ungarie Playgroup is holding a toy catalogue fundraiser.

The toys are delivered to you and this is a great way to get organised for Christmas!

Please contact Emma McRae (0427 759194) if you would like some catalogues to browse through.

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**NRFL & NRNL**

90 year Anniversary 2014 Presentation
Friday 15th August 2014 @ Ungarie War Memorial Hall

Guest speaker: **Anthony Daniher**

Anyone wishing to attend this night, please see or text Michelle on 0429726242 by 12th August

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**Help & Workers Wanted**

Ungarie are hosting the 2014 NRFL & NRNL On Friday 15th August. We require help to decorate & set up, waitress, BBQ, serve & wash-up. Please contact Michelle on 0429 726242 if you are able to help.

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**Garage Sale**

Sunday 10th August
Starting at 10am
28 Euglo Street, Ungarie
**Football News**

**Finals Results**

**SENIORS**

Score
Ungarie 8.5.53 defeated by West Wyalong/Girral 12.14.86
BETTER PLAYERS: J, Ward, J. Brown, J. Keatley, C. Bussenschutt, J. Payne, M. Payne

**AWARDS:**
MUG: J. Ward
$30 CLUB AWARD: J. Keatley
CLUB MEAL VOUCHER: C. Bussenschutt
5 MIDDIES: J. Brown

**UNDER 11’s**

Score
Ungarie 9.13.69 defeated Lake Cargelligo 4.4.28
GOALS: L. Cameron 4, H. Roscarel 3, A. Ross, H. Williams
BETTER PLAYERS: L. Cameron, J. Crofts, T. Roscarel, H. Roscarel, A. Ross, J. Cameron

**AWARDS:**
CANTEEN VOUCHER: L. Cameron, J. Crofts
SOCKS: T. Roscarel

**Junior Training**

Training for the under 11’s continues this coming Wednesday running from 5pm-6pm. Please contact Mal Williams 0403519727 for more info.

**Magpies Working Bee**

Tuesday 12th August @ 1pm at the Hall, to set up and decorate for the dinner Friday Night. Your help would be appreciated.

**Heaters Wanted**

If anyone has a Patio Heater that they could lend for the dinner@ the Hall on Friday 15th August, please text Michelle 0429 726242 or deliver to Hall on Tuesday 12th from 1pm during the working bee. We are looking for 6-8 heaters.

**Perpetual Trophies**

Perpetual trophy winners from last year, could you please leave them with Ben @ the pub ASAP

**Pumpkin Donation**

If anyone has any pumpkins they could donate to the Football Club for the dinner on Friday 15th August, please phone/text/see Michelle 0429 726242 by Monday

**Netball News**

Good luck to A grade who play in the 2nd Semi Final against Cobar this weekend at Barellan @ 1.15pm. Come along and cheer them on!

Netball uniforms can now be handed back in to receive your $30 deposit. Junior uniforms are due by presentation day (24 August) and senior by presentation night (6 September) for each week they are late you will forfeit $10 of your deposit – if they are 3 weeks late = no deposit. Contact me 0427759141 if would like to hand them in before those dates to arrange somewhere to leave them.

**Dates to remember**

Sat 2nd Aug 1st Final @ Tully (11’s & Seniors football).
Sat 9th Aug 2nd Final @TBA (A grade netball).
League presentation dinner 15th August @ Ungarie see Michelle Potter for tickets.
Junior presentation 24th August.
Senior presentation 6th September.