

UMINA BEACH PUBLIC SCHOOL WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Term 3, Week 2
Tuesday 30 July, 2019



UBPS Girls Soccer Team

P&C Association

Meet every 2nd Tuesday of the month
All parents welcome.

School Canteen

8:45am – 12:00 noon.
Volunteers welcome.

Uniform Shop

Thursday 8:45am – 9:30am
Thursday 2:30pm – 3:15pm

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Office hours: 8:30am – 3:30pm

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DIARY DATES

	TERM 3, 2019
Mon 29 – Thur 8 Aug	Book Fair in Library
Wed 31 July	OC Placement Test
Wed 7 Aug	Open Day
Tue 13 Aug	P&C Meeting
Fri 16 Aug	Stg 3 Gala Day
Mon 19 Aug	Book Week Parade 9:40am
Thu 22 Aug	Central Coast Showcase matinee & evening performance
Fri 23 Aug	Stage 2 Gala Day
Mon 26 Aug	Zone Athletics
Mon 26 – Wed 28 Aug	Year 6 Canberra excursion
Fri 30 Aug	Father's Day stall
Mon 2 Sep	Spelling Bee regional finalists to Copacabana PS
Mon 2 – Wed 4 Sept	Year 5 Great Aussie Bush Camp excursion
Tue 3 Sep	ICAS Technology
Wed 4 Sep	Kindergarten farm visit excursion Year 1 Rumbalara excursion
Thur 5 Sep	ICAS Science
Tue 10 Sep	ICAS Writing
Wed 11 Sep	Year 1 Rumbalara excursion
Thu 12 Sep	ICAS English
Thu 19 Sep	Kindergarten farm visit at BWSC Umina Campus ICAS Maths

From the Relieving Principal...

RECORDER ENSEMBLE

I am looking forward to attending the 2019 Festival of Instrumental Music at the Sydney Opera House this evening. Our recorder players have been working extremely hard all year to learn the repertoire of music that they will be performing tonight. Thanks must go to Mr Bonnor for co-ordinating and teaching our recorder ensemble.

ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Yesterday we held our school Athletics Carnival that was postponed from last term. By all accounts it was a great day at McEvoy Oval. Thanks to Mr Butler and Mr Benson who organised the day. Thanks to our P&C for running a canteen at the carnival for students, teachers and parents.

OPEN DAY

Don't forget next week is Public Education Week and the theme this year is Every Student, Every Voice. It is a celebration of student empowerment and how the NSW public education system gives students the skills they need in order to have and express a voice during their own educational journey and as engaged global citizens.

Our Open Day is Wednesday 7 August.

Classrooms will be open from 10:15 – 11:15

Then parents are invited to enjoy a picnic lunch with their children. ***A special canteen menu for Wednesday 7 August is included later in this newsletter.***

Our annual Stewart House Cake Stall will be held at lunchtime. Cakes are priced at \$1.00. Buy a cake or two and support Stewart House.

CANTEEN NEWS

Congratulations to Deb and her helpers in the Big Bite canteen. Central Coast Area Health have awarded our canteen with a Central Coast School Canteen Award in recognition of achieving the requirements of the NSW Healthy School Canteen Strategy.

Well done Deb and the Big Bite Canteen!

Sharlene Percival

SCHOOL PUBLIC SPEAKING COMPETITION

Notes will go home this week regarding our annual Public Speaking Competition. This year's topics are 'Past, Present, Future' – 'My Family', 'Strange Fascinating Facts' and 'World Events'. All students will present their speech to their class in the coming weeks.

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GIRLS SOCCER (see cover pic)

A huge congratulations to our girls soccer team who competed in Round 6 of the PSSA Knockout last Thursday. Unfortunately, the girls were beaten by a very strong Harbord PS at Harbord Park 3-0. Our girls showed incredible determination and teamwork to compete for the entire game. To make the final 32 schools in the state and the Sydney North semi final is a fantastic achievement! Well done team – we are proud of you!

Thank you to all the parents for your support.

Mr Jackson



CAKE STALL

The Stewart House cake stall will be held on Wednesday 7 August during Education Week. All Year 1 & 2 families are asked to provide cakes/slices on this day for sale. The cakes can be left on the trestle tables under the large Primary COLA on the Wednesday morning. **All parents visiting our school for Open Day are welcome to enjoy these treats.**

Cakes will be sold at lunchtime for \$1.00 and all proceeds will go to support our major charity Stewart House. Thank you for your support.

BOOK FAIR

Umina Beach Public School is holding their annual Book Fair in the library over the next two weeks, finishing on Thursday 8 August. The school community are invited to come and browse what products are available from 8:45am in the morning to 4:00pm each afternoon. Your children will be allowed to make a wish list of things that they might like to purchase during their library lesson so keep an eye out for it in their school bag. There is **NO** obligation to purchase anything, however please be aware that any profits come back to the school to buy new resources. Parents are encouraged to pop in without their children if they choose to shop for Christmas presents and stocking fillers as there are activities and games as well as books. Either Eftpos or cash is accepted. We hope to see you in the library!

Mrs Deas and Mrs Darmody.



100 DAYS OF KINDERGARTEN

Last Thursday, Kindergarten celebrated **100 Days of School**. Our 6 Kindergarten classes participated in activities to celebrate being 100 days older and wiser. It was a fantastic morning and we are very grateful for the effort made by our families, assisting the students in dressing up as 'old people.' Thank you also to the parents and carers who were able to help out in our classrooms. We are incredibly proud of all that our Kindergarten students have accomplished, and how well they have settled in to school life. This was a wonderful way to recognise their achievements. Kindergarten Teachers

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Mrs Charles and Ms Fitzsimmons celebrate 100 Days



Salty visits the students

PBL CELEBRATION DAY

Last Wednesday we had our PBL Celebration Day #2 where we celebrated our 4 school values; **ACT SAFELY, BE COOPERATIVE, CARE FOR ALL** and **DO YOUR BEST**. Students across the school participated in a variety of activities to demonstrate their commitment to positive behaviour. At each activity the students collected Salty the Seagull's body parts to 'Build-A-Salty'. The students had a wonderful time and enjoyed celebrating all things positive!



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KINDERGARTEN 2020

We are currently taking **enrolments for Kindergarten 2020**. If you have a child starting at Umina Beach Public School next year, please call into our office and collect an enrolment pack.

Our **Early Birds Transition Program** begins on Wednesday 16 October (Week 1, Term 4) and continues for the following 3 weeks – Wed 23 Oct, Wed 30 Oct and Wed 6 November. There will be a morning group from 9:30-11:00am and an afternoon group from 12:30-2:00pm. We are really looking forward to meeting our new Kindergarten students.

We are also holding **Kindergarten student interviews**. These interviews are a 10 minute meeting with a member of the staff in relation to your child beginning school. The meeting will be attended by parents/carers, a staff member and the child.

The aim of the meeting is for us to get to know your child a little better before starting the Early Birds orientation program by addressing some of the following questions:

- Personal interests
- What motivates your child
- Friendship networks
- Socialisation skills
- Medical needs
- Learning needs
- Preschool experience

To make an appointment please go to the following website and register yourself and select the timeslot that best suits your family calendar.

<https://www.schoolinterviews.com.au/code?code=dzrt7>

Interviews will be conducted on the following dates (timeslots vary):

Thursday 1 August

Monday 5 August

Friday 9 August

Tuesday 13 August

Thursday 15 August

Thursday 22 August

Friday 23 August

Monday 26 August

Tuesday 27 August

Wednesday 28 August

Wednesday 4 September

Friday 6 September

Wednesday 11 September

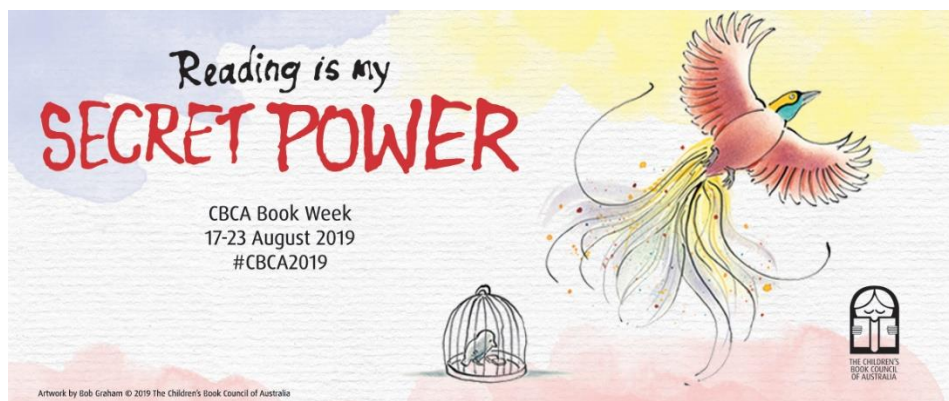
Liza Moulton - Relieving ES1 Assistant Principal

UBPS K-6 BOOK WEEK PARADE

This term we will be celebrating Book Week with a **parade** for all students across the school K-6. The theme of this year's Book Week is 'Reading is My Secret Power!' This is our opportunity to celebrate children's literature. We would love to see students inspired to come to the parade dressed as a character from their favourite book.

The parade will take place on **Monday 19 August** (Week 5) and families are welcome to attend. Specific times will be confirmed in the coming weeks.

Liza Moulton



CANTEEN NEWS

Wed 31 July	Sue Park, Rachel O
Thu 1 Aug	Jodie D, Zoe B
Fri 2 Aug	Stephanie W, Taamara H, Ana M
Mon 5 Aug	Zoe B
Tue 6 Aug	Yana, Liz K

OPEN DAY WEDNESDAY 7 AUGUST *VISITORS MENU*

These items will be sold at 11:15 – 12:00pm until sold out

Large pie \$4.00

Sausage roll \$3.00

Junior pie \$2.50

Pre-made sandwiches

Egg and lettuce \$4.00

Ham/cheese/tomato \$4.00

Chicken/lettuce/mayo \$4.00

Cheese/tomato \$3.50

OPEN DAY WEDNESDAY 7 AUGUST *STUDENT MENU*

Must be ordered in the morning as per usual

Large pie \$4.00

Sausage roll \$3.00

Junior pie \$2.50

Chicken burger \$4.00

Toasties (as per school menu)

Vegemite sandwich \$2.50

Ham sandwich \$3.00

Cheese sandwich \$3.00

Volunteers needed for Term 3. Please consider volunteering a couple of hours a fortnight. No experience needed. See office staff or call in to the canteen for more information.

Debora Elliott – Canteen Manager

New School Banking rewards now available!

Exciting new Term 3 Polar Savers rewards are now available, while stocks last!



Arctic Owl Fluffy Keyring



Scratch Art Cards

For every deposit made at school, students will receive a silver Dollarmites token. Once students have individually collected 10 tokens they can redeem them for exclusive School Banking reward items in recognition of their regular savings habits. There are two new items released each term so be sure to keep an eye out for them!

School Banking is also a great fundraiser for our school. Our school receives a Regular Savers Contribution of \$5.00 for every 10 deposits processed per student as well as an Annual Contribution which is based on the number of students who made at least one School Banking deposit in the prior year.

Thank you for supporting the School Banking program and remember, School Banking day is every Tuesday.

COMMUNITY NEWS



TERM 3 ENROLMENTS

Last chance to claim your \$200 Vouchers



Come try your first week **FREE**
Classes from \$6



Classes at Umina Primary

Monday
3:30PM - 5-12 Yrs Jazz Technique
4:00PM - 5-12 Yrs Jazz Concert
4:30PM - 5-12 Yrs Hip Hop Concert
5:00PM - 5-12 Yrs Contemporary Concert



Term 3 is the perfect time to join!
All of our classes start brand new routines in the lead up for our end of year show.
Our Shows are affordable, with costume hire options!

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PENINSULA JUNIOR TOUCH ASSOCIATION 2019-2020 REGISTRATIONS ARE OPEN

Online registration and payments can be done via our website 24/7

www.peninsulajuniortouch.com.au

Registrations close 5:00pm Friday 9 August, 2019

Fee: \$100.00 per child (1 child), \$90.00 per child (2 children), \$80.00 per child (3 children)

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Learn more about Plain Jane here:
australianballet.com.au/plain-jane

WHEN:

Monday 16 - Thursday 19
September 2019

WHO CAN APPLY

NSW Public School students
from Years 5 – 12

VENUE:

Village @ AMPA
Academy of Music and Performing Arts
4/85 O'Riordan Street
Alexandria NSW 2015

HOW TO APPLY:

For more information and to apply visit:
artsunit.nsw.edu.au/australian-ballet-workshops-2019-dance-application

Applications close 9 August.

Successful applicants will be
notified between 18 – 23 August.

All students must apply to be
accepted into the workshops.

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