



4th November 2016

Term 4 Week 4

Dear Parents,

### **NEWS NEWS NEWS!!!!!!**

I am sure you would have already heard the good news that Ulong School has been successful in receiving an Eco Grant of \$3500. Our little school along with Woolgoolga School was mentioned in the Advocate newspaper on Wednesday, 26th October. This money will be utilised to have an Eco-friendly garden with bush tucker plants and herbs. These grants are not easy to get as it is very competitive. Mrs Moore and Mrs Slaviero spent some of their time helping the school get this grant. Therefore, we cannot go without acknowledging their hard work and efforts. We have also installed our school's core values on bright colour pencils to remind our students and instil these values in them.

Congratulations to one of our awesome all-rounders who has once again made it to state in her Physi competition. This lovely student is none other than Aurora-Jayne. Well done Aurora -Jayne the school is very proud of you.

**Newcastle Maths Competition:** Ulong School has some great mathematicians!! Congratulations to Andrew, who is a Year 4 student but participated in the Year 5 section and achieved a Distinction. What an achievement Andrew!! Some of our other students narrowly missed out receiving Distinctions but made us proud by receiving Merit certificates. Well done to Darcie, Jo,

Aidan Campbell and Rylie .

This is not an easy competition as the standard of the tests are very high and only high achievers are able to succeed in it. Therefore, I cannot be more proud of these wonderful students.

**Star of the Week:** This week Karlos was nominated by the teachers and students for his excellent leadership skills & positive behaviour. Congratulations!!! Very proud of you Karlos for showing such mature behaviour before going to high school.

Jo was Star of the Week in Week 3, he was also chosen by his peers and the staff for his responsible and mature attitude. Congratulations Jo!!



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**Writers Club:** The school is very proud of some of our seniors that are taking their writing seriously and staying back after school to improve on their writing skills. Well done and keep it up.

**Maths Enrichment Day:** On Wednesday, 26th October 3 students from Stage 2 and Stage 3 attended a Maths Enrichment Day at different venues. The students were encouraged to think out of the box and did some hands on activities with mathematical concepts. All students gave us positive feedback about the day. Thank you to Dave Rhodes and Cherie Hay who kindly provided transport to our students. These days are only possible when members of the community or the school are willing to provide some help with transportation.

**Grandparent's Day:** What a lovely gathering we had today for Grandparents Day. Thank you to all our Grandparents and parents who came along and had High Tea together. The students have been very excited about this event and enjoyed making their gifts and learning the song they wrote about and performed for grandparents. A big thank you to my hard working staff who have given generously of their time and resources to bring this celebration to you.



Rural Fire Service Visit



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### SCHOOL CALENDAR

### TERM 4 2016

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Week 1</b> 10/10 - 19/10					
<b>Week 2</b> 17/10 - 21/10		Musica Viva			
<b>Week 3</b> 24/10 - 28/10		Kinder Orientation	OVLC Maths Enrichment		RFS Visit
<b>Week 4</b> 31/10 - 4/11		Kinder Orientation			Grandparents High Tea
<b>Week 5</b> 7/11 - 11/11		Kinder Orientation			Remembrance Day Assembly
<b>Week 6</b> 14/11 - 18/11		Kinder Orientatiaon Parent Information CHHS		Green Valley Farm Excursion	Green Valley Farm Excursion
<b>Week 7</b> 21/11 - 25/11	Swimming	Swimming	Swimming	Swimming	Swimming
<b>Week 8</b> 28/11 - 2/12		Kinder Orientation	CHHS Small Schools Orientation	Practical Surf Education Day	
<b>Week 9</b> 5/12 - 9/12	Parent Teacher Meetings		CHHS All schools orientation Whole School Excursion		
<b>Week 10</b> 12/12 - 16/12				Presentation Day	Last Day for students
<b>Week 11</b> 19/12 - 20/12	SDD			HOLIDAYS	

**Students and return Monday 30th Jan**

*What ever you do,  
do well.*

