Building learning power... our teachers engaged in Learning

Last Friday we had a sensational day with Laura McBain and Jake Plaskett from High Tech High San Diego, working with our teachers to build exceptional learning experiences. It is an important aspect of a good school to ensure their teachers are well supported and given opportunity to innovate for the benefit of students. At UHS we aim to create learning environments and experiences for our students that will give them the skills and the knowledge to be highly successful school leavers. During the day, teachers brainstormed their teaching practices around such ideas as construction of knowledge, sharing, dialogue, reflection, critique and open ended idea development.

“A VIEW from the heart”… Creative celebration of our unique local community

Last week I had the privilege of joining the Ulladulla View Club and at that meeting they shared with me this amazing book of sixty local people writing about their lives and experiences over the years from Conjola to Kioloa. What is unique about this book is, one of the stories is written by our School Captain, Natasha Harvey, where she tells her story of growing up in our district “Shaped by a Special Place”. What an outstanding contribution and what an amazing initiative from our local ladies of the View Club.

“One’s intelligence is the sum of one’s habit of mind”
Bill Lucas

Celebrating NAIDOC Week

The paintings created by our Aboriginal students were exceptional, in particular Jemmara’s works.

Have a fabulous week! Denise Lofts, Principal

Principal’s Last Word.
What we focus on becomes our reality.

App of the Week
Angry words

A classic. This free app has become one of the most popular apps worldwide. Angry words is a multi-player Scrabble-type game that allows you to exercise your mind while having a good time. This app is a great way to kill time when you’re waiting for your bus (or you could check your study notes on ExamTime!).

P&C Meeting TONIGHT (Monday) in the Library 7pm start ALL WELCOME
Welcome to the Celebration
Ulladulla High School will be hosting the Year 12 Graduation Ceremony on Friday (18/9).
This is a formal occasion to celebrate the students completion of High School. All family and friends of students are welcome to attend.

When: 10.15 am
Where: UHS MPC (Birriga Gundji)
The most direct access is via St Vincent St.
As we wish to begin the ceremony at 10.15 am please allow time to be seated prior to this.
Year 12 students are to be in the COLA by 9.30 am in alphabetical order so that they can move into the MPC to be seated by 10.00 am.
A morning tea will be provided at the conclusion of the ceremony.

Looking Forward to Your Attendance.

Denise Lofts
Principal
Donna Cattanach
Year Adviser

Video Game Challenge
Best wishes to our Year 8 boys Jack Gumley, Nathan Ledger, Preston Berry and Ethan Surace, who have sent off their game to the Australian STEM Video Game Challenge. The team worked collaboratively to design and build an original video game based on STEM concepts. Their game will be played by industry professionals as part of the judging and the winners will be recognised at a national level, and by international bodies within the global gaming industry. So good luck boys and hope your game is a success!

Looking Forward to Your Attendance.

Ms Smith
Technology Teacher

Y12 Students continue to make us proud

Congratulations to Jessica Went (left) and Bianca Smith. (photographed with a very proud Ms Cattanach Y12 Adviser). Jess and Bianca are this term’s recipients of a facial from Ingenue Milton. We thank Ingenue for the donation of four facials to our Year 12 students this year.

From Canteen
Lots of yummy food at bargain prices!
Remember to order your lunch in Term 4
Lots more choices (Designer menu on offer) and no queuing! Bags, pens and price list supplied. Volunteers desperately needed in Term 4. Phone Canteen 4454 1758 if you can help.
See the Canteen page on website http://www.ulladulla.h.schools.nsw.edu.au/our-school/canteen

Community Support Awesome!
Free Toast is available Tuesday Wednesday & Thursday mornings at MPC thanks to our SRC, Bakers Delight, Ulladulla Anglican Church, Hayden’s Pies. A huge THANK YOU

Y12 IT Projects to blow your mind!

Flat pack skateboard rack by Tyson Skedgwell
Health Care App by Casey Edwards used to track and record health care related information of patients in nursing homes and other care
Remote control drone created by Ben Flynn, it’s made of reused materials and commonly found materials.
Mobile Toy box and white board storage created by Newton Hoang.
BACK UP YOUR STUFF!
Move it or lose it...
A system upgrade for UHS desktop computers will happen during the holiday break.

What this means for students?
It is essential that ALL work is backed up before the holidays as it will not be available in Term 4.

We value highly the opinions of our parents. Your viewpoint counts.
Please have your say in our annual "Tell Them From Me Survey"
Click the link. Username: parent17603
Password:Ulla8495
https://www.tellthemfromme.com/login.htm

# THIS BEST SONGS OF ALL TIME
20. MONEY FOR NOTHING - DIRE STRAITS
19. MY WAY - FRANK SINATRA
18. DOWN UNDER - MEN AT WORK
17. SMELLS LIKE TEEN SPIRIT - NIRVANA
16. THRILLER - MICHAEL JACKSON
15. IMAGINE - JOHN LENNON
14. ONE - U2
13. (I CAN'T GET NO) SATISFACTION - THE ROLLING STONES
12. DANCING QUEEN - ABBA
11. STAIRWAY TO HEAVEN - LED ZEPPELIN
9. VOGUE - MADONNA
8. STAYING ALIVE - BEE GEEES
7. SWEET CHILD O’ MINE - GUNS N ROSES
6. NEVER TEAR US APART - INXS
5. KHE SANH - COLD CHISEL
4. LIVIN’ ON A PRAYER - BON JOVI
3. BILLIE JEAN - MICHAEL JACKSON
2. YOU SHOOK ME ALL NIGHT LONG - AC/DC
And number one is .......... BOHEMIAN RHAPSODY - QUEEN

Junior Debaters fine tune their skills at Batemans Bay Debating Camp
Part of our Year 7/8 debating team comprising of Rosie Riddick, Jacob Webb, Abbey Robinson and Ziad El-Tooby joined students from 8 other high schools in the Illawarra and South-East Region in a two day debating camp held at Batemans Bay. The students made many new friends and learned a great deal about the art of debating. It was wonderful to see these great ambassadors of Ulladulla High School apply their newly developed skills in practice debates against other schools from the region in preparation for their final round of the Premier's Debating Challenge against Bomaderry High School. If they are successful against Bomaderry they will win their overall division and progress to the next round of competition. World class learners in action!! Photo in next newsletter.

Who we are - Where we live...
Jacob Moseley photo

Thank you Bunnings

Lachlan Page Year 9 leads by example. He volunteers for many school and SRC activities and gives 100% in all his classes.

Holly Pullinger Year 7 is a role model in all her classes. Holly’s hard work has resulted in her being one of the first Year 7s to receive a Principal’s Award.

Vicky Samson has continued the generosity of Bunnings with supplies and education - and our vegie plot is looking great!
Community News

**Milton Ulladulla Little Athletics**
Season starts Tuesday 6th October at 4.30pm at Frogs Holla. Registrations Tuesday 15th & 29th September between 4-6pm at McDonalds Ulladulla. All new registrations require proof of age (birth cert/passport). Registrations: $80 for Tots; $85 for U6-U17 - no weekly fees. Come opening night and try it out! Parents please ensure that you arrive 15 minutes early to complete the paperwork. Any questions please call Sharon on 0406 977 101.

**Library Activities for Holidays**

**Travelbugs ‘Mini-Beasts’ Wednesday 23/9 2pm $5**
For 8-12 yr olds. Learn about these fabulous tiny creatures and maybe get an opportunity to give them a cuddle!

**Roald Dahl Day Friday 25/9 11am**
Fun for all ages. Costume parade & competition. Wonka’s Cookie Decorating Competition. Come along for a chance to win family passes to the hilarious Roald Dahl’s Revolting Rhymes at Shoalhaven Entertainment Centre. Bookings essential Ph 4444 8820 Shoalhaven Libraries

**JUNIOR OZTAG**
starting October 12th at Frogs Holla from 4pm. Parents who would like to help would be greatly appreciated. Please call Rob Granger - 0448 175 761 for further details

**Relay for Life 17th /18th October**

**Tell Them From Me Year 7,8,9 Student Feedback Survey non-consent form**
If you do not want your child (involving Years 7, 8 and 9) to participate in the student feedback survey please sign the form and return it to your school by Friday 21st August 2015.

I DO NOT give consent for my child/children to participate in the Tell Them From Me student feedback survey.

Name of student/s ......................................................................................................................

Roll class/es ........................................ Name of parent/carer ...............................................................

Signature of parent/carer ........................................................................................................ Date ........................................