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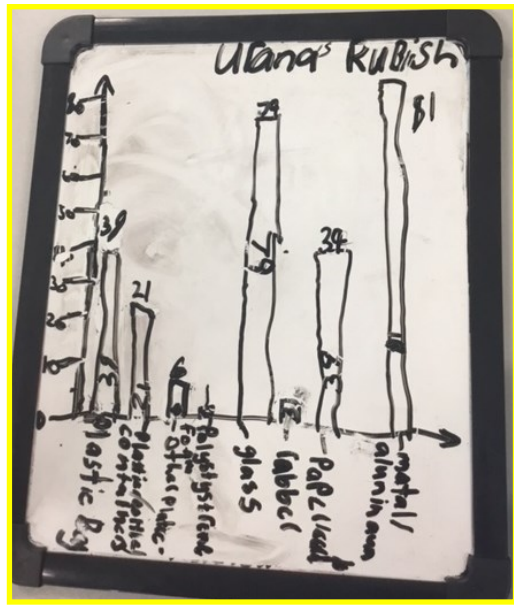
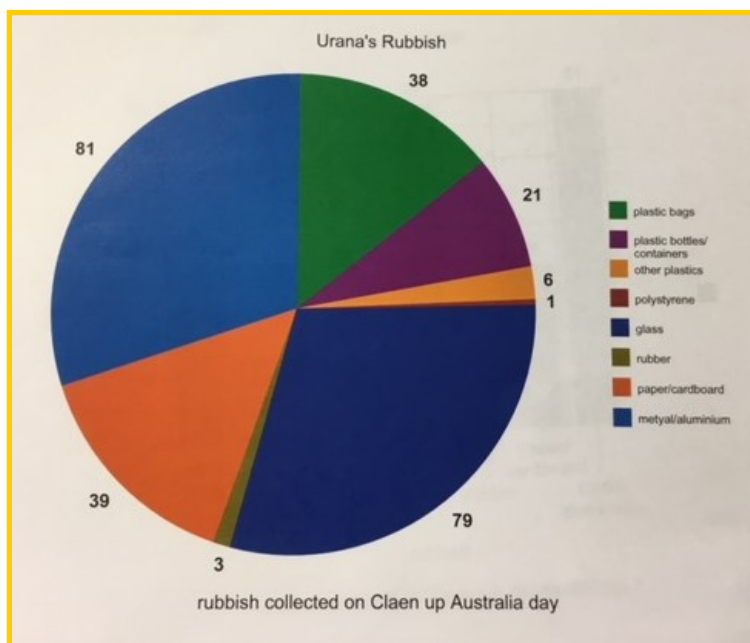
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13th March 2019—Week 7, Term 1

Dear Parents/Grandparents,

School life for our students is full of energy and enthusiasm! The learning in the classroom is ticking along with much excitement about achievement and praise for effort. These young students make every post a winner and find something great in every day—I love watching new learning happen for them!

We participated in **Clean Up Australia**, doing our bit by picking up rubbish around the streets, drains and lanes around the school! We were a little shocked at the mountain of rubbish collected by a small band of students and staff and even more alarmed at that the soft drink cans and alcohol cans/bottles that were the major percentage of rubbish collected! The students created some graphs as part of their learning to illustrate their findings. Great effort!



Weekly cooking and preparation of lunch has begun with students cooking up a storm each Tuesday. Thank-you to Mrs Cottrell for taking the lead, with Jono, her able assistant.

Pizza Pinwheels were on the menu this week! The students prepared this very tasty treat themselves and afterwards contributed to the cleaning up. This is proving to be a very valuable Tuesday activity!



AFL sessions—Wednesday afternoons 1:30-2:30pm in Weeks 5, 6, 7 and Weeks 9 and 10. Savernake PS share lunch with us and join in the sessions. We can offer this experience to the students through Sporting Schools.

Dental Checks—Murrumbidgee Local Health are conducting a free dental check and fluoride treatment at the school on Wednesday March 20th.

Anti-Bullying Performance —27th March 10:00am Berrigan PS
Engaging today's children in life-changing discussions through the captivating

Small Schools Cross Country—Tuesday 2nd April at the Urana Aquatic Centre

Michelle Meracis classroom visit— Wednesday 10th April—'Design Thinking'

STEAM CAMP—the annual technology camp for Yr 4 students from across the area is at UPS this year. It's on the last two days of term—11/12th April

AFL—Sporting Schools

The students are enjoying their footy sessions each Wednesday afternoon. It's great that Savernake can join us for the skills sessions! Today is our third session and we have two more, after a break next week, in Weeks 9 and 10.



‘Missing school leaves gaps in your education’.

You don't want to miss out on these great opportunities, do you?

Every school day presents many learning opportunities never to be repeated so make the most of what is on offer by coming to school every day



Looking ahead to Term 2


The process of finding a new UPS principal is underway. The position will be advertised today and remain open for the next two weeks. After which one hopes there will be some enthusiastic applicants who believe they can make a positive contribution to this school and its community. Interviews would then take place. Watch this space!

For the joy of knowing.....

Dorothy Dore, Principal UPS

If your child is going to be absent from school please call the school office to let staff know as soon as possible.

Please send this completed note to school on the first day back after your child's absence.



Child's name

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Dates absent

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