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Term 1 Week 9 2014

Monday, 24 March 2014

What's On!!

TERM 1 2014

Spring into School: Tomorrow Tues 25th March

Tennis Lessons: Fri 28th March

P&C-Fundraiser Linen Party: This Wed Night 26th March

Assembly: Thurs **27th Mar** – 2.45pm. Parents welcome

OSSA Athletics Carnival: Fri 4th April

Mobile climbing wall, Primary: Tuesday 8th April

EASTER Hat Parade: Thurs. 10th April 2pm

Last Day of Term 1: Friday 11th April

ANZAC March: Friday 25th April

Last Week's Award Winners

Congratulations to last week's awards winners: Riley, Archie, Chelsea, Rachel, Erjan, Devlin, Lauren and Monique.

Spring Hill/Terrace Athletics Carnival May Cup

Well done to all the students for their great efforts and sportsmanship at the May Cup Athletics Carnival last Wednesday. It was a fantastic day with students having the opportunity to compete in all events with a bit of friendly competition.



Photos

If you have taken photos at events such as the May Cup or the Camp out it would be great if the school could get a copy of them for the newsletter or web site. These can also be used as motivation for students to write about events they have been involved in.

OSSA Athletics Carnival

The Orange Small Schools Carnival takes place next Friday the 4th April at Waratahs Sports Ground. All students will be entered into their age race. Students 5 to 8 will go to infant's tabloids for the rest of the day. Students 8 to 12 year olds will participate in 200m, 800m and field events where they have been nominated. Students who are 8 will go to infant's tabloids unless they have qualified for a junior running or field event.

Camping - Kinder to Year 6

Despite the rain we had a wonderful time camping on Saturday night. Thank you to all the parents who were able to come along to make it a great success. A special thankyou to Toni and Carolyn who were brave enough to stay the night.



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Mrs PE returns

Mrs PE will return this Wednesday. Thanks to Mrs Tolhurst for filling in during the last 3 weeks.

Start making your Easter Hats

We will have an assembly and Easter Hat Parade on Thursday 10th April, starting at 2pm. Children make their hats at home and bring them in on the day. Pre-schoolers are welcome to join. This will be followed by an Easter egg hunt.

P&C News

Please come along to our school fundraiser this Wednesday night 26th March – 7.15pm for a **7.30pm start**. Bring a friend along and enjoy the night.

**COMMUNITY NEWS****April school holidays are almost here.
Time to book into Vacation Care!**

Will you be needing care for your school aged child during the holidays?

Orange City Council's Vacation Care will be operating from Monday 14 April 2014 to Thursday 17 April, then from Tuesday 22 April 2014 to Thursday 24 April 2014 at Calare Public School Hall, (closed over Easter and on Anzac day). We will also be providing care for the pupil free day on Monday 28 April 2014.

Bookings for Vacation Care and the pupil free day will open from Monday 24 March to Friday 11 April 2014 **from 11.00am to 4.00pm only**, at the Community Information and Services Centre, 79-81 Kite Street, Orange. Bookings are limited!!

Full payment must be made at time of booking.

For more information about bookings for Vacation Care, please call 63938600 or email mstanford@orange.nsw.gov.au



Hey mums & dads,

Are you looking for some great fun activities for your children to be involved in these April School holidays? AFL NSW/ACT will be running a school holiday clinic for boys and girls aged 4-12.

Bathurst: Mon Apr 14 - George Park, Browning Street – 10:00am-12:00pm

Orange: Mon Apr 14 – Jack Brabham Park – 2:00-4:00pm

* Venues subject to availability

COST: \$30 includes a NAB AFL Auskick School Auskick bag with synthetic Sherrin football PLUS a drink/snack

Register by April 7, but pay on the day. To register, go to: www.afcentralwest.com.au and complete the short online registration. It's that easy!

No previous AFL experience required – just the willingness to have heaps and heaps of fun.

For more information, contact Kelsey Smith on 0417 808 646 or kelsey.smith.afcentralwest@gmail.com.

The Inaugural Wombat Books Illustration Challenge - NOW OPEN!

Wombat Books is seeking original illustrations from Australian students to publish in a unique picture book by well-known children's author Aleesah Darlison. The Challenge has been established to provide aspiring young illustrators with the opportunity to be published in a professionally produced children's book and gain an introduction into the world of illustrating. The book, titled **Zoo Ball**, is scheduled for release in early 2015. Up to twenty winning illustrators will be published in the book and will also receive two free copies of the book and a \$50 voucher. They will be acknowledged on the Wombat Books website as a rising illustrator and there may be opportunities for them to illustrate work in the future.

One outstanding illustrator will be given the exclusive opportunity to design the cover for the book and will win a cash prize of \$200.

For full guidelines and entry forms visit: www.wombatbooks.com.au/competitions

REMINDERS

- *This Wed night P&C fundraiser*
- *Tennis this Friday - Infants to be at school ready to start at 9.10 am*