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Term 4 Week 4 2015

Tuesday, 27 October 2015

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## WHAT'S ON!!

### Term 4 2015

**Swimming:** Tomorrow Wed 28 Oct

**Spring into School:** Next Tues 3 Nov

**Assembly:** Next Tues 3 Nov at 2.30pm

**Bunnings BBQ:** Sunday 6 Nov

Seedling Sale: 3pm Fri 29<sup>th</sup> Oct

### Awards

Congratulations to last week's award winners: Mia, Zakk, Archie, Chelsea, Georgia, Cooper, Bobbie and Lauren.

### Swimming this Wednesday

Swimming **tomorrow** - Wednesday 28 Oct from 2:30-3:30 pm. Please remember to have everything packed for your child/children to participate, including \$5.00 to go in the silver box if you are paying weekly. Please be at the pool by **3.20pm** to collect your child/children.

### Whooping Cough

We have been notified by the Department as follows:

There is an outbreak of whooping cough (pertussis) in NSW, mainly affecting school-aged children.

Coughing spreads the infection to others nearby.

Whooping cough can spread to anyone at home, including younger brothers and sisters. Whooping cough can be especially dangerous for babies.

Whooping cough starts like a cold and progresses to bouts of coughing that can last for many weeks. The infection can occur even in fully-vaccinated children.

Older children may just have a cough that is persistent and may be worse at night.

*For more information please read the attached flyer and there are websites parents can refer to*

### P&C Meeting/AGM

Thank you to Lis Arundell and Sue Sanders for their wonderful contribution to our school over the past few years. Many thanks to the other 2015 committee members, Kylie Thompson, Rosalie Rice and Shirley Blandford as well to everyone that has helped the P&C throughout the year.

Congratulations to our new committee:

**President:** Rosalie Rice, **Vice-President:** Kerrie Windberg, **Treasurer:** Belinda Richards, **Secretary:** Kylie Thompson, **Fundraising Officer:** Jane Baker, **Uniforms:** Shirley Blandford & Kylie Thompson. **Canteen/Organiser Extraordinaire:** Shirley Blandford.

### Bunnings BBQ-Fund Raiser

The P&C will be running barbeque at Bunnings on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> November. This will be our major fund raiser for the year and it would be great if everybody was able to donate a couple of hours of their time to help out.



### □□□ Assembly-Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> November □□□

Next week we will hold assembly on **Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> November** starting at **2:30 pm** so that our Spring Into School students can be involved. All parents, friends and family are invited to come along.



**Camp Out and Movie Night**

Thank you to everyone who was able to come along and make our campout and movie night a great success. Parents, students and teachers all had a great time.

Special thanks to Mrs Barrett for all her organisation and food preparation.

**Found:** *If you are missing a 4G Telstra Wireless device and the charger, please contact the school.*

**Plants for Sale:** *This Friday starting at 3pm we will be selling seedlings including cos lettuce, pumpkin, tomato, zucchini, cucumber and watermelon. Call in after school to buy some plants for your veggie patch!!!!*

**Primary excursion and zoo visit**

The primary students go on their excursion to Burrendong from Monday 14<sup>th</sup> December until Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> December.

The students in years 3 to 6 will travel by bus to Burrendong Sport and Rec camp on Monday morning and spend Monday and Tuesday participating in a range of outdoor activities.

On Wednesday morning the bus will pick up the infants students as well as any parents and Spring Into School Students who wish to attend, then drive to Burrendong to collect the primary students. We will then all spend the day at Dubbo Zoo before returning home on Wednesday afternoon.

The cost of the Primary Excursion will be \$150 per student. This can be paid off in instalments. We hope that all students attend and that no students miss out due to financial reasons. If you would like to arrange a payment plan or require assistance please speak to Mr Scott.

**End of year Zoo Excursion**

On the last day of school, Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> December there will be an excursion for all

students from Spring Into School through to year 6 to the Dubbo Zoo.

The bus will leave Spring Terrace School at approximately 8 am, drive to Burrendong to collect the year 3 to 6 student then continue to Dubbo to the zoo.

Parents and siblings are welcome to join us; numbers will only be limited by the number of seats available on the bus. Preference will be given to parents of Spring Into School and Infants students.

The cost will be \$20 per student and \$30 for parents and siblings in high school.

*Permission notes are attached for both excursions. Please return permissions/deposits for Primary by next Thursday. Zoo only by Tuesday 10 Nov 15.*

**OSSA Rehearsal & Performance Dates:**

Dress Rehearsal at Civic Centre: Tues 10 November 9.30am – 2.30pm. Evening Public Performance: Tues 10 November 5.30pm for 6.00pm start. Schools only performance: Wed 11 Nov 12.00 for 12.30pm start. Evening Public Performance: Wed 11 Nov 5.30pm for 6.00pm start

**OSSA Spectacular Performance Tickets:** OSSA spectacular tickets are available for the nights of Tues 10 and Wed 11 November through Ticketek at the Civic Theatre by phoning 6393 8112 or in person. Students will watch the matinee on Tuesday and won't need a ticket.

**Bookclub: Issue 7 will be sent home Thurs & due next Tues**

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## COMMUNITY NEWS

**Positive Parenting Interactive Seminar-Tues 3 Nov**

*Interrelate is holding a 3 hour seminar on positive communication and parenting techniques. Parents can learn:*

- *How to acknowledge each child as individual*
- *About the power of focusing on what children are doing well*
- *To help children have better relationships with themselves and other.*

**Cost: \$25.00 per person, \$15.00 Concession. Venue: Interrelate, 108 McLachlan Street, Orange. Bookings essential – Phone 6363 3650**