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Term 1 Week 3 2015

Monday, 16 February 2015

What's On!!

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Spring Into School: Tomorrow Tues 17 Feb

OSSA Swim Carnival: Tues 17 Feb - *Nominated students only*

First Assembly: This Thurs 19 Feb

Welcome BBQ: This Thurs 19 Feb at 6pm

Running Festival: Sun Mar 1

May Cup: Wed 4 March – Whole School

Athletics Carnival Mon 30th March

Welcome/Welcome back BBQ

This Thursday at 6 pm we will be holding the School Family BBQ. Meat will be provided by the P&C, please bring your own drinks and a salad or dessert to share.

Assembly this Thursday

We will hold our first Assembly this Thursday in the Multi-Purpose Room starting at 2.45pm. Please come along if you can to see what has been happening in the classrooms. Mrs Barrett's class will be showing their work this week.

School Team for the Running Festival

The school has the opportunity to enter a team in the 5km Cadia Valley Operations Schools Challenge to be held on Sunday 1st March at 10.30am. To enter the school would need a team of 5 students. The cost is \$10.00 per student. Please complete the attached expression of interest if your child is interested in participating in this.

OSSA Sports Trials Gala

Last Tuesday the primary students attended the OSSA sports trails day where they had an opportunity to try out for a range of sporting teams. The behaviour of our students was excellent. Some teams have been finalised while others picked a squad and will hold a further trial. Well done to Bradley who was selected in the touch team and in the squad for soccer, Brooke who was picked in touch and soccer and Lawson who was picked in the rugby union team. We are still waiting for confirmation of the netball team.

OSSA Swimming Carnival

Good luck tomorrow to Lauren, Brooke, Ellen, Skye, Georgia and Bradley who will be representing Spring Terrace at the OSSA swimming carnival at the Orange pool. Swimmers need to arrive at the pool by **8.30am** with the carnival finishing at approximately **2.30pm**.

Children should wear their swimmers and sports uniform also pack recess, lunch and a water bottle.

Mr Scott will be in attendance but will have a role in the running of the carnival and will only see the students from time to time throughout the day. There will be an OSSA teacher on duty to watch the students not accompanied by parents.

Mrs Chapman will also be at the carnival.

Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden Project

We have re-commenced our Kitchen and Garden program with great enthusiasm. It would be a good idea for students to bring an old shirt to wear over the top of their school uniform on Wednesday to protect their clothes from dirt and/or cooking spills. Students will rotate their groups each week so they receive an even share of either cooking or gardening. Please see attached sheet regarding further ideas/ways you can support this program for your children.

Book Club

Please find attached the first issue for the year of book club – please return any orders by **this Thursday 19 February**.

P&C News

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This Thursday at 6 pm

Running Festival

The P&C are providing water stations for the Colour City Running Festival to be held on Sunday 1st March. If you are able to help with running one of these stations for a couple of hours between 6.00am and 11.30am please leave your name at the office or see Lis Arundell.

Spring Terrace School P&C Contact List

Late last year we sent home a form for family details and contact information to be compiled onto a centralized list for the P&C which would be circulated to all families. We need permission to publish these details within the school community. If you submitted information for this and you no longer want the information



Canteen: Kylie T 20-2-15



published, please contact Mr Scott or call into the office. If your details have changed since October 2014 please let us know. New families will have an information sheets attached to the newsletter also a sheet if you did not respond last year (please return these as soon as possible).

If you have not contacted the school by next Tuesday 24th February, 2015 we will assume we have your permission and the P&C will publish & distribute the Contact List shortly

Community News

ORANGE REGIONAL CONSERVATORIUM

This year we are launching two **NEW Early Childhood Music** classes for 12mths and under. They are running on Thursday and Friday mornings at 9am. \$110/term. Call the ORC Admin to register - 6361 7974.

We are also welcoming our **Sing and String** group back for 2015 after a year in hiatus. This will be running on Wednesdays from 2:00pm until 2:40pm. Please contact the ORC to register - 63617974.

We would also like expressions of interest for two other groups/workshops we would like to launch. **Weekend Warriors** for adult guitar and bass players. This group is great for those who used to play and would like to jump back in on a Saturday afternoon with a group of other adults who have dusted off their guitar. If you would like to express interest in this group please contact the ORC Admin on 63617974 or admin@orangecon.org.au

We are also calling for expressions of interest for an **Improvisation Class**. This class will be for any instrument and players of any style, classical or contemporary. The class will teach you how to improvise, scale/chord theory and group performance skills. These two groups will be run by James Buchanan and Stephen Somerville. Contact the ORC to register your interest. 63617974.

Please note that Crescendo has been moved to Wednesdays.

Concerto Competition

The ORC Concerto Competition is now OPEN.

The Concerto Competition gives rising stars the opportunity to perform as a soloist with the Orange Youth Orchestra in concert. Applications can be obtained from the ORC Admin. APPLICATIONS CLOSE 5PM, 20TH FEBRUARY

Maggie Ferguson Tango

Workshop and Concert

Australia's leading Tango Musician Maggie Ferguson is bringing her very popular Tango workshop to Orange! Work with Maggie during an intensive one day workshop and then perform for your friends and family in a professional concert that evening. If you play a string instrument, clarinet or flute and are Grade 5 or above this is for you! Don't miss out on this amazing opportunity to work with one of the best. Only \$15 for the whole day.

Seraphim Piano Trio Masterclass and Concert

5th March, Thursday
More information to come.

For further information contact: Admin@orangecon.org.au or 6361 7974



Ex-Services Hockey Sign on Day

All current players and potential players, junior/senior (both male and female) are invited to come along and join.

Venue: Orange Hockey Centre, Moad Street, Orange

Date: Sunday, 1 March 2015

For more information on our club please feel free to contact:

Makita Kennedy (Secretary) on 0437 640 209 or by email
kennahan@bigpond.com

Gail Kennewell (President) on 0452 636 785 or by email
gailkennewell12@gmail.com

School Info/Reminders

Private vehicle conveyance will be paid from mid-February, 2015.

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Please see attached the new canteen price list!!!