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# Term 1 Week 3 2016

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## WHAT'S ON!!

### Term 1 2016

- OSSA Swimming Carnival: This Wed 10 Feb
- □ **First Assembly**: this Thurs 11 Feb 2.30pm
- □ Return Information/Tennis Notes this Thurs 11 Feb
- Tennis this Friday 12 Feb
- □ Spring into School: Next Tues 16 Feb

#### Awards:

Our first awards for the year are as follows: Abbey, James, Sammy, Archie, Lawson, Toby, Chelsea & Kyla.

#### OSSA Swimming Carnival 2016-Tomorrow

The Orange Small Schools Swimming Carnival will be held tomorrow Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> February.

The carnival is held at the Orange Aquatic Centre. The nominated students need to arrive by **8.30am** and be picked up by about **2-2.30pm.** If you need transport assistance to and from the Aquatic Centre - please ring Mr. Scott on 0404 200 251.

Mr Scott will be attending the carnival and will have a role in assisting in the running of the carnival. The canteen will be open but it would be wise for students to bring recess, lunch & drinks. (No pre ordered lunch this year).

## Admission: \$ 3.30 per student. Parents & non-swimming free

Because there only 5 students not swimming in the OSSA carnival those staying at school will work in Mrs Barrett's room for the day. Miss Paige will be staying at school and will be on hand to assist Mrs Barrett and the students. While tomorrow will not be a normal day, students will have planned work and activities and should attend school.

The only cancellation of the carnival will be if there is lightning – if poor weather please listen to 105.1 from 7am or 105.1 6362 2144.

#### Central Western Daily Photos – Kinder & Yr 6 only

**This Thursday** the Central Western Daily will be at the school around 9.30am to take photographs of our kindergarten and year 6 students. Students need to attend school in their full summer uniform.

#### Sporting Schools-Tennis Lessons

Tennis lessons for all students are on again this Friday with local coach Alison Seib. Kindergarten lessons will begin at 9:15am followed by years 1 and 2 at 9:45am and years 3 to 6 from 10:15 until 11:15am. Please return you permission note and payment by this Thus 11 Feb if you havent already.

#### Permissions and Information Updates for 2016

We are required to update our information on a regular basis, this is important as we need our information current especially contact numbers and medical conditions for students.

Please fill out the doubled sided form and return it to school by this Thur 11 Feb, if you haven't already done so.

### Best Start- Kindergarten Screening

Our Best Start-Kindergarten screening has been completed and letters sent home to parents. If you have any questions about the assessment itself or your childs results please make an appointment to chat to Mrs Barrett.

#### Assembly

We will hold our first assembly this Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> February starting at **2:30PM**. Please come along a little earlier at pickup time, the students love the opportunity to show off what they have been doing at school.

This week the primary students will be showing pictures of their excursion and talking about the great activities they took part in.

#### Head Lice/School Sores

There has been head lice reported to the school recently, please check your child's hair and treat them acoordingly. While headlice are always around, in a small school like ours we can generally minimise their occurance. There has also been a case of school sores (impetago) reported to the school. If you suspect your child may have school sores please see a doctor as antibiotics are required before students can return to school.

*Please find attached the School A to Z* – Too sick for school handout, which is a handy guide for parents to follow.



Tuesday, 9 February 2016

# Term 1 Week 3

## P & C NEWS:

We only have 2 names on volunteer roster for the Canteen on the board in the school foyer. Please consider putting your name down if you can help out of a Friday with supplying morning tea for canteeen sales

Orange City Running Festival – The school will be involved again this year. Please keep the date: Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> February in mind to come and be involved with the fun of the Festival!!!!

Thank you P&C Committee

# **COMMUNITY NEWS**

#### LOCAL - ORANGE MARKETS

James Sheahan High School - Markets are on Sunday  $21^{\rm st}\,{\rm Feb}$  Also

Emmaville Markets are on at the Botanic Gardens from 9.00am

For more details please contact Cathy 0407 450 260

#### Ex-Services Hockey Club – Sign on day

Orange Ex-services Bloomfield Country Club: Fri 12 Feb, 5.00pm-7pm Please see the flyer in our school foyer for more details

#### Friday after School - KIDS CRAFT CLUB - ORANGE

- Every FRIDAY: from 3.30PM TO 6.00PM.
- In the Orange Church of Christ building, Cnr of Rawle Avenue & Burrendong Way, Orange.
- Cost is \$5.00 per child per visit
- Enquiries: Mr Terry Findlay 0458 603 186