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Term 2 Week 2 2016

Monday, 2 May 2016

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WHAT'S ON!!

Term 2 2016

- Infants only – Very Hungry Caterpillar Show **this Wed 4 May** (Full school uniform)
- OSSA Cross Country at Cudal – Fri 6 May
- Life Education-Happy Healthy Harold – Next Mon 9 May
- Yrs 3 & 5 only Naplan – next Tues 10 to Thur 12 May
- Assembly: Next Thurs 12 May
- Spring Into School – **Next session Tues 10 May**

The Very Hungry Caterpillar



The Infants class will be attending 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' production at 12:30 this Wednesday 4th May at the Orange Civic Theatre. Transport will be by mini bus driven by Shirley Blandford.

Students should wear their full school uniform and be transported to and from school as normal.

Please return the attached permission note and payment BY TOMORROW if you haven't already done so.

OSSA Cross Country



The time to arrive at Cross Country has changed. Could children please arrive before **10.00am** in order to participate in the "Big Crunch" which is in conjunction with the Orange Apple Festival. The students receive a local apple each and the media is going to try and come out to take a picture of all the children participating in this event. The Apple Mascot will also be attending.

The first event will be the 5/6 and 7 year olds starting at 11:15am.

Students need to wear school sports uniform and bring a drink bottle and food if they are not ordering lunch.

Parents will need to organise transport to and from the event. Because Cross Country is being held earlier in the term this year we won't have time for a practice run prior to the event.

Directions: Turn right into Boundry Street on your way into Cudal, turn right at the first intersection. At the next intersection there is a sign directing you to the Recreation ground.

Please return your permission note tomorrow if you haven't already!!

Life Education Van – Next Monday – 9th May



We will once again have the Life Education Program with Happy Healthy Harold in attendance next Monday

There will be a session each for Infants and Primary. The cost is \$10.00 per child.

Please find attached the permission note and a form for the purchase of Harold Merchandise. **If you wish to purchase any of the products, you will need to write what you wish to purchase on front of an envelope along with your child's name and the amount of money enclosed** – Also note to enclose the correct amount as there is limited time for orders to be processed and no change is given. There is also a tax deductible form if you would like to donate to Life Education NSW – a not for profit community based organisation.

Premier's Reading Challenge-Reading Champions!

Congratulations to the following students who have completed the Premier's Reading Challenge for 2016: Bobbie, Brooke, Skye and Devlin.

You are stars! -



No Canteen-OSSA Cross Country



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NAPLAN-National Assessment, Numeracy and Literacy

Next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday students in years 3 and 5 will be sitting NAPLAN. As the students have been told, this is not something for them or their parents to stress over. NAPLAN is no more important in assessment of students' level of achievement than the work they do in class every day.

As well as informing parents of how their child is going compared to other students across the state schools, we use it to gauge where our strengths and weaknesses are as a school and how much the students in year 5 as a group have improved since they sat the test in year 3.

Assembly

Assembly will be held in Week 3 when Mr Scott returns from leave.

Parent/Teacher Interviews

Mr Scott and Mrs Barrett will be holding parent/teacher interviews in Week 4 to discuss your child's strengths and weaknesses at school as well as a discussion on "where to next" in their learning. A note will be sent home next week for parents to nominate suitable times if they wish to have an interview with the teacher.

BOOK CLUB

Please find attached Issue 32016. Orders are due next Tuesday 10 May

COMMUNITY NEWS**Orange Regional Conservatorium****A Concert for Kids:****Music Mayhem with Simon Tedschi****This Saturday: 7 May at 10.00am****Tickets: \$5.00 under 12 – accompanied by an adult @ \$ 15.00 per ticket****A 50 minute performance of well-known classical and jazz.****Enquiries: 63617974****admin@orangecon.org.au****Tickets available at the door****Reminders:****Mr Scott is on leave and Mrs Colquhoun is teaching the Primary Class**

- **Infants: Very Hungry Caterpillar tomorrow Wed**
- **Cross Country at Cudal on Friday this week**
- **Life Education – Next Mon 9 May.**
- **Spring into School: next session Tues 10 May**
Bookclub also due this day!