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Term 2 Week 5 2016

Tuesday, 24 May 2016

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WHAT'S ON!!

Term 2 2016

- Assembly: **This Thursday** at 2.45pm
- School Sport – This Fri 27 May
- Spring Into School – Next session Tues 31 May**
***** Also Pyjama/Gold Coin/Hot Dog Day*****
- Spring into School – Next session Tues 7 June**
****AUSTRALIAS BIGGEST MORNING TEA IS ON AS WELL**
- School Photos: Tues 21 June

Awards

The following students received awards for Week 4 :
Skye, Toby, Lachlan, Byron, Stanley, Sammy & James

Parent/Teacher Interviews

If you haven't already spoken to Mrs Barrett or Mr Scott it is not too late to organise an interview, we would like to speak to every parent if possible. Please remember that the teachers are happy to make time to talk to parents at any time throughout the year.

Assembly this Thursday

Assembly will be on this Thursday at 2.45pm.

Pyjama Day

Next Tuesday will be pyjama day. Students are invited to wear their pyjamas to school and bring a gold coin to donate towards buying a street swag to help out a homeless person. We hope to raise \$80 with the P&C offering to help out to reach our target. Students can bring slippers to wear inside but will need proper shoes when outside. The P&C will provide hot dogs for lunch at no cost.



COLA Update

It has been a long term goal of the school and the P&C to remove the old weather shed and replace it with a much bigger, more usable Covered Outdoor Learning Area (COLA).

We have lodged a 50/50 funding application with the department which was approved but is not yet funded. We were ready to start doing some of the work towards this ourselves using the funds we have and donated time and materials, unfortunately the department has changed the rules so that now such a structure can only be built through Public Works.

The result is that until our 50/50 grant is funded we won't be able to proceed with the COLA.

The sandpit is moving

It was agreed at the P&C meeting last Thursday that we should move the sand pit to a better location in the school. Currently it is at the back of Mrs Barrett's classroom where it is very cold and wet during winter and not great for supervision.

We are currently weighing up what is the most suitable spot and will move it in the next few weeks.

School Photo Survey

In the foyer are some examples of a new layout being offered by our current school photographer? If you are at school please call in and have a look and let us know what you think.

Whooping Cough

There have been some cases of whooping cough diagnosed in schools in Orange recently. If your child shows symptoms that could be whooping cough please see a doctor promptly and let us know.



Canteen: Volunteer needed this Friday 27th May



Staff Professional Development

Mr Scott will be away this Wednesday at the Orange Principals' meeting.

Mrs Barrett will be in Dubbo this Thursday for Jolly Phonics training.

Mrs Schmack will take 3-6 tomorrow and Mrs Pulling will take K-2 on Thursday.

P&C News

Please note the following school events:

- ❖ Pyjama Day/Hot dog day: Next Tues 31 May. Money raised will go towards buying a street swag - gold coin donation
- ❖ Australia's Biggest Morning Tea: Tues 7 June.

(Details will be in the next newsletter)

We will be having canteen as usual this Friday but we have **no volunteer** at this stage to make the morning tea.

It would be much appreciated if anyone can **help** out with morning tea, on the following Fridays:

- ✚ This Fri 27 May
- ✚ Fri 10 Jun
- ✚ Fri 17 Jun
- ✚ Fri 24 Jun
- ✚ The last Friday of the Term - 1 July

School Photos:

Are booked in for Week 9: Tues
21st June 2016.

**COMMUNITY NEWS****ORANGE REGIONAL
CONSERVATORIUM****Upcoming concert:**

Choral Gala including Vivaldi's Gloria
Orange's choral event of the year!

120 Performers

6 choirs

Orchestra

Saturday 28th May 5pm

\$20/adult, \$15/concession

*supper included

Tickets available from

ORC Administration Office

73A Hill Street. Orange

6361 7974

www.orangecon.org.au



Flyers available on the school noticeboard

**ORANGE STEAM TRAIN****SHUTTLES**

June Long Weekend – Sat 11, Sun 12, Mon
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Tickets available online, from Orange
Platform on the day
Or through the website –
www.canberrairailwaymuseum

See the school noticeboard for more details