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Term 3 Week 7 2016

Thursday, 1 September 2016

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## WHAT'S ON!!

### Term 3 2016

- **Sport: this Friday 2 Sept at School**
- **Open Classrooms: Tomorrow Wed 31 Aug**
- **P&C Fathers Days Stall: This Wed & Thurs**
- **Spring into School: Next Tues 6 Sep**
- **Swimming: Next WED 7 Sept**
- **School Open Day: Tues 13 Sept**
- **School Photos – Week 10 Tues 20 Sept**

### OPEN CLASSROOM-TOMORROW

Our first open classroom will be tomorrow Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> August. Lessons will run as normal and parents are invited to come in and observe what goes on during a typical school day.

**Parents, friends and family are all welcome to come in anytime throughout the day and if they like can join the students for recess or lunch.**



### Spring Terrace School Open Day

Our first Spring Terrace Open Day will be held on **Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> September from 1:30 to 5pm.** We will have a range of activities mostly aimed at preschool aged children including; Face painting, story time, gardening, petting zoo, play dough, bubbles and afternoon tea

### **Please find 3 attachments to the newsletter**

1. *The flyer advertising our Open Day*
2. *A note for you to please indicate how you can help out*
3. *A flyer advertising our Kinder Orientation days*

If you know of anyone who might be interested in attending our Open Day or Kinder Orientation Days could you please pass a flyer onto them? There are also spares in the office.

### P&C News

**Tomorrow - Wednesday 31 Aug & Thursday 1 Sept**, the P&C will be holding a Father's day stall. There will be pre-made gifts available up to \$5.00 for the children to purchase! They will go home with the children on the day of their purchase.

*To all the Fathers on Sunday have a*

===== **HAPPY FATHERS DAY** =====

### School Sport

Please note the following:

- Sport will be here at school again **this Friday 2 September.**
- Swimming will commence **next Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> Sept** – lessons are from 2.30 to 3.30pm at the Orange Aquatic Centre. The children will travel in by bus and are to be collected by parents. Please find attached the permission note with further details which is to be returned by **this Fri 2 Sept.**

### Primary Excursion

This year our primary class (Years 3, 4, 5 and 6) will be going to Sydney. We will be leaving school on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> November and returning to Spring Terrace on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> November travelling with Australia Wide Coaches.



**Canteen: Belinda this Friday 2 Sept**



Our accommodation will be at Land's Edge at Chowder Bay and we will be visiting lots of Sydney attractions. One of our main reasons for going to Sydney is to follow up on the work done in class earlier this year on European discovery of Australia and early settlement.

Further information will be sent home when the agenda is finalised.

If you have any questions or concerns, please speak to Mr Scott.

The cost will be \$120 per child and can be paid off between now and the excursion. Cost should not be a reason for any child not attending the excursion, if you need assistance or more time to pay please speak to Mr Scott.

### **Support Staff Appreciation Week**

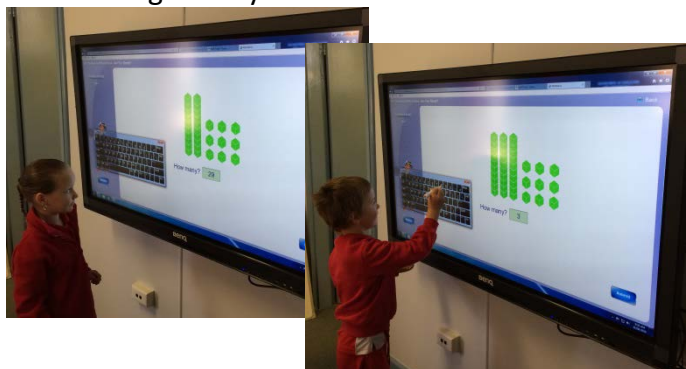
Our school would not operate as smoothly and as efficiently without our wonderful support staff. So take a moment this week to thank our support staff and appreciate all that they do to make our school the wonderful place that it is. A big thank you to Maxine, Paige, and Danny.



### **Technology Centre-Update**

On Thursday our new touch screen was installed in the Technology Centre. This is going to be a great tool for teaching not only technology but also Maths and English along with a range of other subjects.

The benches have been ordered and will be installed soon. Hopefully we will have the room up and running for day 1 term 4.



Mrs Barrett and Mr Scott will be attending a workshop tomorrow to find out about robotics and are currently evaluating other technology

programs that will provide our students with skills for the future.

### **COMMUNITY NEWS:**

#### **Play Cricket**

Registration Day

Boys and Girls 5-16

Riawena Oval Kooronga Ave, Orange

Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> September 12-2pm

BBQ and used cricket gear sale

This also includes **Thunder Girls** – girls only cricket league. Contact Jo Hunter on 0414 450 368

For more info visit [odjac.nsw.cricket.com.au](http://odjac.nsw.cricket.com.au)

#### **Softball Come-n-try**

A free family event including BBQ

Fun for all ages

7 different teams to play in including Kandooz Disability, under 11's, competitive adults.

Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> September at Sir Jack Brabham Park

For more information email

[orangedistrictsoftball@gmail.com](mailto:orangedistrictsoftball@gmail.com) or ring Pam 0419 013 951

#### **OOSH – ORANGE CITY COUNCIL**

*Spring is coming and so are the school holidays. If you wish to book your child/children in for vacation care or want more information about bookings, please call 6393 8600 or email [childrenservices@orange.nsw.gov.au](mailto:childrenservices@orange.nsw.gov.au)*

### **Checklist**

- Open day tomorrow***
- Also Fathers Stall Wed & Thurs-gifts up to \$5***
- Return note for swimming by Friday***
- Return helper note for Open Day by next Wed***
- Pass on flyers please***
- Order School photos if you haven't already, if you have lost your envelope or are having any problems ordering online-please contact Cliff Dykes on 6342 3070***

