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Term 3 Week 8 2016

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## WHAT'S ON!!

### Term 3 2016

- **Swimming: THIS WED 7 Sept**
- **Spring into School: Next Tues 13 Sep**
- **School Open Day: Tues 13 Sept 1.30-5pm**
- **School Photos –Tues 20 Sept**
- **Last Day of School: Fri 23 Sept**
- **School Returns: Students Mon 10 Oct**

### Open Classroom

Thank you to the parents and grandparents who visited our classrooms, despite the weather being so uncooperative on Wednesday.

We want parents to know that they are welcome in our classrooms to have a look at what goes on or to help out. We plan to hold a similar open classroom event once a term.

The two things parents can do to assist in their child succeeding at school are ensuring they attend school regularly (over 95%) and be involved in their learning.

### School Sport – Swimming this Wednesday

Swimming will commence **this Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> Sept.** Lessons are from 2.30-3.30pm at the Orange Aquatic Centre. The children will travel in by bus and are to be collected by parents at **3.20pm.** *Please inform Mr Scott early if other arrangements need to be made for example; if you are running late or you have designated someone else to pick up your child.* **Remember to pack:**

**costumes, towels** also goggles/caps if necessary.



**Note: Please return your note TOMORROW if you haven't already done so.**

**\*\*\*\*PLEASE NOTE: NO PERMISSION NOTE-NO SWIMMING**

### Awards:

Congratulations to the following students on their awards last week:

Noah, Holly, Sammy, Ethan, Amellia and Lawson.

### Spring Terrace School Open Day – Next

**Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> September**



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, a petting zoo, play dough, bubbles & afternoon tea.



*This is going to be great fun, so come along and join in the events!*

### **Helpers needed please!!!!**

We currently only have 3 forms returned to indicate parents attending on the day to help out and these are all for afternoon tea help. Thank you to these parents, it is much appreciated but we need your presence to welcome potential new families and to help promote our school as a wonderful learning place for your child. If you have the time available could you please consider helping out and return the form to school tomorrow so we can finalise our arrangements.

### **P&C News**

*Thank you to our school treasure - Shirley for organising the Father's Day Stall for the children. There was a wonderful range of gifts for them to pick from, already wrapped and ready to go.*



**Canteen: Kylie T this Friday 9 Sept**



**School Sores and Head Lice**

A parent has reported that their child has a school sore. This may or may not have been contracted at school. Please keep an eye on anything that might look suspicious. Children must see a doctor and be given antibiotics before they return to school.

Thank you for being diligent in checking and treating head lice and keeping children home when they are not well enough for school.

Please continue to keep us informed if your child has an illness, especially anything contagious. We are lucky that in a small school like ours we can keep infection to a minimum if we work together.

**“Love Food Hate Waste” – This Sat 10 Sept**

Bobbie, Skye, Anna-Rose and Brooke will be participating in the Schools Sustainable Cooking competition this Saturday at the Orange Farmers Market, students will need to arrive by **9.00am**. We wish our students good luck as they demonstrate their great skills in the competition!

**Book Club**

Please find attached Issue 6; orders are due next Tues 13<sup>th</sup> September. Remember late orders will still be taken but they will arrive later!

**School Jumpers**

It is that time of year when students will take their jumpers off throughout the day and quite probably leave them lying in the playground or hat room. Our rule is that jumpers are to go into student's bags when they take them off and most afternoons we hand stray jumpers back to their owners. Despite this students occasionally take home the wrong jumper or lose theirs.

Parents can help by;

1. Ensuring that jumpers are clearly labelled, and
2. Checking their children's jumpers and returning them to school if they don't own them.

We are currently looking for Levi's jumper which we think was accidentally taken home by someone else last Thursday.

**COMMUNITY NEWS:****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)

**LIVE LIFE LIVE FESTIVAL -**

**Is raising money for Ronald McDonald House in Orange. It is a day event at the Orange Civic Square on Saturday September 24<sup>th</sup>. Features include: free kids activities & NRL Celebs, face painting, 'Mental as Anything', Eric Grothe, Sarah McLeod and Diana Anaid and much more.....**

**Then there is a night time fundraiser for programs in schools in conjunction with:-**

**HEADSPACE ORANGE** – Invites you to an Evening at the Orange Ex-Services Club on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> Sept 2016. Tickets are on sale at [www.oesc.com.au](http://www.oesc.com.au)  
2 Course dinner incl bf 18+ event. There will be lucky door prizes & raffles, with all proceeds going to Headspace Orange. Come along to this worthwhile cause which features **'Angry Anderson' and 'Swannee'**

**CHECKLIST**

- Return note for swimming by tomorrow
- Return helper note for Open Day by tomorrow
- Pass on Open Day flyers please
- Book club due next Tues 13 Sept
- Open Day Next Tues 13 Sept 1.30 – 5.00pm

