

# Spring Terrace Newsletter

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Term 1 Week 7 2018

Tuesday 13th March

## WHAT'S ON!!

### Term 1 2018

- Infants Tabloid Day 28<sup>th</sup> March
- Assembly 29<sup>th</sup> March 2pm
- Easter Hat Parade Thurs 29<sup>th</sup> March
- Easter Break Fri 30<sup>th</sup> March – Mon 2 April
- School resumes 3<sup>rd</sup> April

### First Assembly for 2018

Thank you to those who were able to attend our first assembly for 2018. I'm sure those who attended would have to agree that Mrs Colquhoun's class did an outstanding job in performing "The Highway Rat."



### Infant's Tabloid Day at Spring Hill

Parents/Carers this is a reminder to please return your child/child's lunch order form along with your parent helper form to our front office by end of day Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> March as these forms need to be sent off ASAP.

### Bus

We would like to remind parents/carers that your child/children's bus Travel Routine Form is to be returned to the front office when you fill them out as we haven't yet received many returns.

### Award Winners

Congratulations to Edith, Noah, Stanley, Sammy, Harry, Chelsea.



**Canteen:** This week is Rosemary Jones





### **Library News**

Just a quick reminder to ask parents to purchase a library bag so that the children can borrow each week. This will ensure library books are protected from lunch box malfunctions and leaking drink bottles etc.

### **Tennis Lessons**

Tennis lessons will begin this Friday 16<sup>th</sup> March at 11am with Alison Seib. Alison is a tennis coach from Orange and has worked with many of our students in past years.

While we get some funding from the government to run sporting programs the school still subsidises these programs. We ask that parents contribute \$10 per child

per term for sporting activities that involve professional coaches or bus travel is involved.

### **Welcome Hayley**

This year all public schools were given additional funds in their budget, under the heading of Principal Support, to assist the principal in completing the growing number of tasks required to run the school.

At Spring Terrace, I have decided to employ Hayley Lavers and make use of her amazing IT skills to ensure that all of our IT systems are running smoothly and to update the school website among other tasks.

This will allow me to focus more on leading the school, administration and above all ensuring that I am giving our students the best education possible.

### **Growth Mindset, Resilience and Peer Support**

This Friday we will start our Peer Support activities focused on Growth Mindset and Resilience. Students from the primary class with support of the staff will lead small groups of students as they complete activities and discuss these topics.

### **OSSA Athletics**

This week we will finalise those students who will be nominated for the OSSA Athletics Carnival. The high jump will be held on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> April at Canobolas High School with the main carnival being held on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> April at Waratah's Oval.

Students, particularly 8 year olds could be nominated only in their age race as they are part of the junior (8,9,10) division. If this will be the case it will be up to the student and their parents to decide if they will attend school or the carnival on this day.

Before we nominate students for the carnival we need a 100m time for each participant. As we do not have the space for a 100m track at Spring Terrace we will have to take the students to another venue to do this. The details of where and when this will be done will be shared as soon as they are finalised.

## P&C News – Week 5

### P&C Meeting

We would like to thank everyone who was able to attend our P&C meeting on the 8<sup>th</sup> March. It was a great turn out and it was great being able to get everyone's input.

### P&C Family Contact List

Any last additions to the P&C Family Contact List? The list will only be distributed in a hard copy to other school families, and can be useful for getting in touch with others to arrange car-pooling, swap recess rosters etc (please find attached a copy of Recess Roster). You only need to supply any information you're happy to share. Spare forms are available from the office, or by email

from: [springterracepublicschool@pandcaffiliate.org.au](mailto:springterracepublicschool@pandcaffiliate.org.au)

### Easter Raffle

Dear Parents/Carers please be advised that we will be distributing Easter raffle tickets for the Spring Terrace Public School Easter Raffle. Tickets will be \$1 per ticket, please return your raffle booklet to the school by 27<sup>th</sup> March or if you have sold out of raffle tickets beforehand please come into the office so we can issue you with another booklet.

The Easter Raffle will be drawn on 29<sup>th</sup> March after our Easter Hat Parade.

If you have any enquires please don't hesitate to contact.

Tegan Day

### Orange Tigers Australian Rule Football Club

Want to play AFL this year?

Online registrations now open for U12's, U14's, U16's, and Youth Girls (13-17yrs) competitions.

Only \$30 for the 2018 season including shorts and socks (when using the \$100 Active Kids Rebate).

2018 season commences Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> May.

For further information contact:

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Louise Bock (junior Coordinator) on 0417947845 or email: [loulodelovely@outlook.com](mailto:loulodelovely@outlook.com)

### Harmony Day Fiesta

Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2018 between 4:00pm-8:00pm

South Court Byng Street Orange, NSW 2800

Multicultural Food, Entertainment and Artisans + Presentation of the Harmony Cup.

### Orange Region Farmers Market

60 great stalls, new season vegetables, apples, olive oils, cheese, chocolates, fudge, plants, wine tasting, Live music etc 8:30am – 12:30pm

Orange North Court, Piesley Street

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