Spring Terrace Newsletter

Spring Terrace Public School Small School-Big on Learning



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Term 3 Week 8

Tuesday 11th September 2018

WHAT'S ON!!

Term 3 2018

Wed 29 Aug-26 Sept-Gymnastics every Wed 1:45pm-2:45pm. Students will return to school via bus.

Thurs 13th Sept: School Assembly Fri 21st Sept: Springside Rural Fire Visit

Fri 28th Sept: Last day of term Big Day Out at Lake

Canobolas

Fri 26th Oct: Spring Fair 3:30pm 7pm



Riley

Riley McDonald is off to Dubbo this Friday 14th September to compete for Orange District in the Western Region Athletics Carnival. Riley will be a part of the junior boys relay team.

Gymnastics - Tomorrow

Gymnastics is on again tomorrow. It is important that the students bring a drink bottle to gymnastics as the facilities at the gym are limited.

Term 3 Big Day Out

For the last day of term 3, Friday 28th September we plan to take the students Lake Canobolas to take part in a range of activities including bushwalking, kayaking and games.

Parents and families are welcome to join us.

If you have a kayak or life jacket we appreciate being able to borrow them for the day. Please see Mr Scott if you can help out.

Get Ready Weekend 2018

As part of the NSW Rural Fire Service Get Ready Weekend Springside RFS will be visiting our school on Friday 21 September at 2pm. This is a valuable opportunity for our school community to meet their local firefighters, find out about the local fire risk and learn just how easy it can be to prepare for the bush fire season.

Students will no doubt enjoy investigating the fire trucks and asking lots of questions. Working together we can all help make our communities safer this bush fire season.

As this will take place on a Friday the Spring into School students will be taking part. WIN news may be present to take footage of the RFS visit to show on the news in order to bring attention to the 'Get Ready Weekend'.

There is a permission note attached to the newsletter to allow your child/children to participate in this event. Please ensure that you complete the additional section of the note that gives the option on the whether you give permission for your child/children to be filmed in the event that the television crew attend the day. The note is to be returned by this Friday 14th September.

Fight for our Bus



Please continue to ensure children catch the bus as often as possible so that we get to keep our bus.

<u>Assembly</u>

Assembly will be held this Thursday starting at 2:45pm in the BER.

Book club

_Please find attached Issue 6. Orders are due in next Tuesday 18th September.



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Come and try 'Spring Into School' for free:

Our 'Come and Try Spring Into School' days continue to be a success. We are still welcoming new faces each week. The free trial finishes on Friday until 21st September. However, I'm pleased to announce that 'Spring into School' will run on both Tuesday and Friday of Term 4 2018.

As a side note, if you have any empty tissue boxes that you could donate to our craft trolley, it would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you

Kylie Pulling



| Pros | Cons |
|------------------------|---------------------------|
| Unisex | Girls to look like little |
| | girls |
| Ability to exercise | No formal looking |
| whenever | uniform for events |
| Equal costs girls/boys | Nice uniform that |
| | everyone comments on |

After some discussion the following proposal was put forward;

- Do away with the summer dress and summer grey shorts and shirt.
- Wear sports clothes for summer period.
- Change the red shorts/trackpants to black (with black socks). Wears and washes better and more easily purchased.
- Girls then have the option of a black skort (shorts with skirt around them).
- Students encouraged to wear sports uniform every day.
- Keep the Winter/Formal uniform, girl's tunic/pants and boys grey pants/top, for boys for assembly and other formal occasions (ANZAC day, eisteddfods, etc.)
- If a formal occasion did occur in summer then the winter formal uniform could still be worn.

We are looking into uniform options and will have some samples to look at and photograph soon. This includes a longer sleeve winter polo.

P&C News - Uniform Changes

Thank you to those parents that were able to attend the P&C meeting on Wednesday in Orange. I think the location and use of the West Room near the art gallery/library worked well.

The decision to do away with the girls dresses and boys grey pants and tops and go to a unisex uniform was split 50/50.

Some of the pros/cons were as follows;

COMMUNITY NEWS

Orange Waratahs Cricket Club Try out the new fast & Fun formats.

Register online by Sept 15 ORANGEWARATAHS. NSW. CRICKET. COM. AU

Kandooz-Softball4all abilities.

Modified and wheelchair friendly. 13 Oct-March 2019 every Saturday.

For more information contact Cathy Gutterson -0407 450 260

Orange Regional Conservatorium

2019 ScholarshipsMusic Scholarships are now open. Applications forms are available from the ORC or the website. Applications close Fri 28 Sept 5.00pm. Contact the ORC for more information.

Lead the Way

On Friday 21st September, 2018 at 7.00pm The Orange North Rotary Club is proudly hosting, `Lead The Way,' a charity concert at the Orange Civic Theatre to raise the \$35,000 required by Guide Dogs NSW/ACT to provide a vision impaired person with a Guide Dog.

The concert will feature 6 choirs from the Orange Regional Conservatorium, the Orange Male Voice Choir, the local female Cantar Choir and the Orange High School 'Manchoir.'

The guest performer is the internationally acclaimed New York based Australian pianist Andrea Lam and the Master of Ceremonies is Marian Arnold who recently retired after 34 year years as a presenter and producer of ABC Classic FM radio. Ben MacPherson OAM is our Guest Conductor.

Contact the ORC for tickets.

Around the World: Join us and our Symphonic Wind

Ensemble for a fantastic concert Sunday 23rd

September at 4pm, as they take us on a musical world tour!

Visit Broadway, Washington DC, Hollywood, Ireland, Europe and Ancient Egypt before returning to the Land

of Oz!

Tickets available through ORC admin

STUDENTS HAVING FUN AT GYMNASTICS

