

# Join the Barmy Army!

Orange High School is a diverse school that offers a large range of extracurricular activities. There are many ways to get involved both on and off the sporting field.

This guide provides an overview of the larger clubs and events which will take place throughout 2017, being only a fraction of what we have to offer.

To prevent yourself from missing out on any important information regarding upcoming events and team trials, always ensure that you are listening during rollcall, as all notices and important information regarding extracurricular activities will be read out during this period by your rollcall teacher.



## The BARMY ARMY Chant:

**OHS's Barmy Army! (OHS's Barmy Army!)**

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**Black Gold Army! (Black Gold Army!)**

**Orange Army! (Orange Army!)**

**We're Not Mad We're Bloody Barmy!**

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**Barmy Army! (Barmy Army!)**

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## How to Get Involved Within OHS!



An introduction to the various clubs and events available to incoming OHS students and how to get involved!

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## OHS Events

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### **Astley Cup**

The Astley Cup is a long-standing sporting competition between Orange High, Bathurst High and Dubbo Senior College. It incorporates rugby league, girls' and boys' soccer, tennis, hockey, basketball, netball, athletics, and the Mulvey Cup debating competition. As this involves only open teams, the best way for younger student to get involved is through spectating. The more noise we make, the more motivation and spirit our athletes take onto the field. Let's go the Barmy Army!

### **Malyneley Shield**

This year, OHS will host Gosford in battling it out for the Malyneley shield. During this visit, students can (optionally) billet opposing Gosford students. This is recommended as you will then stay with them as we visit Gosford in upcoming years, allowing you to build a relationship with the student. The competition involves both open and junior teams in a wide range of sports so be sure to pay attention to the notices for upcoming trials!

### **Relay for life**

Orange High School have entered a team in the Orange District Relay for Life which is occurring on Saturday the 1<sup>st</sup> of April and Sunday the 2<sup>nd</sup> of April. If you would like to join the team, see Mrs Rogan in the Science staffroom for a registration form and permission note.

### **Pink Stumps day**

During Term 1 the Orange High SRC and Sports Council hold a Pink Stumps Day fundraiser event to raise money for the McGrath Foundation. This event includes a Staff Vs Students T20 Match, best dressed competition and face painting. Listen in the Daily Notices for more information.

### **Orange Running Festival**

OHS is entering a team in the Orange Running Festival. This is an event to promote health and fitness, and raise money for local charities. The event will be held on Sunday the 26th of February, with a cost of \$20. Students will be supplied with OHS athletic singlet on the day. If you are interested in walking or running the event, please see Ms Ford in the PE Staffroom.



## School Clubs

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### **Knitting Ninja's**

The "Knitting Ninja's" meet Friday lunchtimes in room 49, knitting blanket squares for charity. If you have knitted before or have basic knitting skills come along and join the Knitting Ninjas. A great way to meet new people and enjoy doing something creative and productive.

P.S. If you have 4mm knitting needles it would be useful to bring those along.

- Ms Greenslade -

### **Cross-eyed student bible study group**

On Wednesday lunch there is a student led bible study called "Cross-eyed". This is an opportunity to read the bible, pray and meet up with Christian students or students interested in learning about Christianity. We meet every Wednesday lunch in A4 (art room). We will start on the 15th of February.

- Ms Crane -

### **Junior Drama Ensemble**

There will be a junior drama ensemble on Tuesday morning in the drama room from 8am until 8:45am. We will start on the 14th of February. Anyone interested is welcome.

- Ms Crane -

### **Chess Club**

Meets every Thursday Lunch in Room 111. The team competes in the Junior NSW Chess League. – Ms Sood -

