

NEWSLETTER



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SCHOOL WETHER CHALLENGE DUBBO

On Tuesday the 26th and Wednesday the 27th of August, Ashely Sawyer, Tamara Matthews, Rochelle Hall and Mayhayla Davis travelled to Dubbo to compete in the School Wether Challenge. Students had to raise animals at school and care for their health and welfare including feeding, halter training and perform basic husbandry activities. There were 21 teams entered in the competition. At Dubbo, the student competing in a range of activities including shearing, assessing muscle and fat scores and parading. Sheep were judged in a range of categories including visual wool and meat assessment, and value for the sheep. Students received 4th place in the visual carcass judgment. On Wednesday, students participated in junior judging where they were assessed on their ability to determine superior animals and superior fleeces. In this section, Ashley Sawyer placed in the final 6 of 79 competitors which is a great achievement. Overall it was an excellent day and we are looking forward to taking a larger team of students and sheep next year.



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Achievement in a supportive environment

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

The recent release of our 2014 NAPLAN Results has been met with much celebration and excitement by teachers and students. The 2014 NAPLAN scores are further strong evidence that our multi-dimensional approach is working. The 2014 NAPLAN scores show significant gains in almost all areas compared to previous years. I would like to recognise and congratulate the students in Years 7 and 9 and also the committed and talented staff who had led this increase in student achievement. I am confident that with our ongoing cycle of improvement we can continue to achieve even better results in future years.

The following table shows the increase in average scores against each aspect of the assessment.

Literacy Year 9

Aspects Assessed	Increase in average scores compared 2013
Reading	3.7
Writing	42.5
Spelling	2.3
Grammar and Punctuation	7.5

Literacy Year 7

Aspects Assessed	Increase in average scores compared 2013
Reading	2.8
Writing	4.3
Spelling	2.2-
Grammar and Punctuation	17.8

Numeracy Year 9

Aspects Assessed	Increase in average scores compared 2013
Number, patterns and Algebra	15.2
Measurement, Space and Geometry	17

Numeracy Year 7

Aspects Assessed	Increase in average scores compared 2013
Number, patterns and Algebra	0.1-
Measurement, Space and Geometry	5.5

I was delighted to hear late yesterday that our Open Hockey Team achieved the incredible result of second in the state. Just to make the grand final was an incredible achievement. I understand the team played well together and showed determination and strong school spirit as they fought valiantly in the Grand Final against Kiama High School. Of course this victory follows closely on the heels of our very credible finishing 5 in the State for Netball. Congratulations to all our talented sport people and coaches.

Congratulations also to Tom Milson – for his win of \$100 for a great picture capturing the Spirit of the Astley Cup.

The end of next week will see the conclusion of formal lessons for Year 12. A week of activities has been planned to celebrate the successful conclusion of 13 years of education. Celebrations will include;

Monday

- Year 12 Final Whole School Assembly – 11am

Tuesday

- Year 12 Students Vs Staff Games at Lunch – 1pm
- Year 12 farewell Disco – 6.30pm

Wednesday

- Staff and Year 12 Dinner and Trivia Night – 6pm

Thursday

- Year 12 Breakfast and Mystery Tour – All Day

Friday

- Year 12 Formal Assembly and Presentation – 9.30am – Performing Arts Centre

Parents and community members are warmly welcome and encouraged to attend the special assembly on Friday during which each of our Year 12 students will be presented with their school portfolios. This will be a special presentation and capstone to their education.

David Lloyd, Principal



FACULTY NEWS – CAPA**DRAMA**

This term has been an exciting and busy term in Drama. We have celebrated senior student work with the Senior Drama Night and hosted HSC Examiners as they watched and examined the year 12 Drama students. One Friday we will be travelling to the Orange Civic Theatre to see Bell Shakespeare perform “Henry V”.

Next term we will be taking forty lucky drama students to the State Drama Festival, thanks to some generous state funding. We will also be watching Jamie Mann at this event as he represents the region in the State Drama Ensemble. It has been a fantastic term, supporting year 12 through the final stages of their HSC Drama course. I wish them all the best of luck in their final exam.

Rachel Crane

YEAR 12 VISUAL ARTS

It was another successful celebration of the 2014 Visual Arts students major works at “Take a B.O.W” this year.

Year 12 Visual Arts have worked non- stop throughout the year to complete one of the most diverse grouping of students work I have seen.



Students dealt with a number of issues thought their artmaking, some dealing with the issues of identity, political attitudes in today’s society and the environment. It was great to see that students were not afraid to deal with the more serious side to our world.

There were a number of students who worked beyond their comfort zones with their materials and the scale of the works. It is always refreshing to see individual’s skills and confidence in their ability level blossom throughout the year.

All the CAPA staff are very proud of the achievements the students have made this year and wish them all the best in the HSC marking which will take place in the coming weeks. Good Luck.

Jo Cormack

INTERSCHOOL BOYS SOCCER CHAMPIONS**SEASON REPORT**

The team is comprised of both Year 11 and Year 12 boys. These boys have developed their skills as a team and had one focus, to make OHS achieve in all aspects of the sport. As the photos below show, the pride, the passion and the dedication to the sport and to their school has paid off. We have finally won back the shield after ten long years.



The team comprised of our outgoing year 12’s Chris Warren, Ben Hazzard, Reece Robinson, Liam Savaro, Braden Riles, Ryan Milham, Thomas Gorton, Trent French, Brock Mate, Cameron Sharp, and our current year 11’s Mitchell Moore, Jackson Fuda, Dylan Halls, Tim Dowler, Max Herft, Tyler Mendham. I would like to make a special thanks to Eli Todman for your role as assistant coach, you will make an excellent coach in the near future.



We would like to thank our competitors James Sheehan, Kinross, Orange Christian School and Canobolas, because your dedication to the game helped us to push ourselves to our limit and beyond, looking forward to competing against you guys again next year. Also to the coaches, without us and all of the organisation we commit to, so our players get the opportunity to play, well done.

Final celebration OHS's Barmy Army!!!

Let's continue our work and be the dominant team again in 2015. Well done boys !!!!!

Coach Aaron Routh

ASSESSMENTS DUE – WEEK 10

Year 7	English (multimodal presentation) PDHPE (journal and meal plan)
Year 8	English (drama portfolio), Vis Arts (in class diary submission)
Year 9	PDHPE Mand (group performance), Dance (group composition), PDHPE (Internet Blog), Vis Arts (BOW & diary)
Year 10	PDHPE (ongoing practical), Drama (group performance, mime & physical theatre), Agriculture (pastures report), Aust Geography (exam), Aust History (exam), PASS (writing task), PIPS (research sport studies), Vis Arts (BoW, diary)
Year 11	Nil
Year 12	Nil

FAREWELL YEAR 12 DISCO

TUESDAY, 16TH SEPTEMBER, 2014

6PM - 9PM

COST : \$5

Theme: Students in Year 7-11 are encouraged to come dressed as 'ROBBERS'

Tickets for Year 7-10 will be on sale in the Star Quad during Recess and Lunch
Wednesday, Thursday and Friday ONLY.

Tickets for Year 11 students ONLY will be on sale at the school office this week.

If you are unable to purchase your ticket THIS week please see Mrs Griffen ASAP.

Tickets will NOT be available during Week 10 unless prior arrangements have been made

OPEN DAY

Exciting new club opening in Orange



FUTSAL

5-A-SIDE

INDOOR SOCCER

Summer comp starts beginning of Term 4

Come for a game of futsal and a sausage sizzle

at Kinross Wolaroi Gymnasium

on 13th September 2014

from 11am-3:30pm

COMPETITIONS & PROGRAMMES FOR
6 years- Adults- Male, female or mixed teams

Phone : 0438183284 Daryl

www.australianfutsal.com

GERSBACH TENNIS HOLIDAY CLINIC

22/23/24th September, 2014

Orange Ex-services Tennis Club

9.30am - 12.30pm

\$70 per/child

All levels catered for.

Call Alison on 0414428875 for bookings

Lady Khama
Charitable Trust

CWA

Orange Branch invites you to join them
for a day of fun

September 13th 10am - 2pm

CWA Hall Robertson Park, ORANGE

FREE ENTRY

Proceeds from raffles and cupcake sales to the Lady Khama Charitable Trust
for vulnerable women and children in Botswana

BOTSWANA SAFARI

Safari themed activities
including children's crafts,
face painting and rafflesGET YOUR
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THURS 6TH NOVEMBER 2014

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PCYC | Safer Drivers Course
For Learner Drivers

NEXT COURSES:

-Monday 15th
September 4pm-Wednesday
24th September
9am-Monday 13th
October 4pm-Sunday 19th
October 9amPCYC | POLICE CITIZENS
YOUTH CLUBSPCYC are an accredited provider of the Safer Drivers Course.
Guiding young people in the right direction since 1937

The Safer Drivers Course involves two modules:

Module one: A three-hour facilitated group discussion on
how to manage risks on the road. This will involve a maximum
of twelve participants and will be delivered by a facilitator.**Module two:** A two-hour in-vehicle coaching session to
develop low-risk driving strategies. This will involve two
participants and a coach. Course cost: \$140Participants must have completed 50 hours of actual on-road driving experience to be eligible for the
course. Credits gained under the 3 for 1 scheme cannot be included.

Participants who complete the course will receive 20 hours credit recorded in their learner driver log book.

To find your closest club or book into the next available course check out our website:
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RELATIONSHIP EDUCATION PROGRAM TERM 4, 2014

GROUPS

Group	Pre group interview Date	Date	Time	Duration	Address
Self Esteem & Communication	Oct 13 th	Oct 20 th to Dec 1 st	6pm to 8:30pm	7 weeks	Bathurst Base Hospital Training room
Managing Strong Emotions	Oct 23 rd	Oct 30 th to Dec 4 th	10am to 12:30pm	6 weeks	Bathurst Base Hospital Training room
Circle of Security	Oct 15 th	Oct 22 nd to Dec 10 th	6pm to 8:30pm	8 weeks	Bathurst FRC
Circle of Security	Oct 10 th	Oct 17 th to Dec 5 th	9:30am to 12pm	8 weeks	LINC 1 Padley St Lithgow
Self Esteem & Communication	Oct 22 nd	Oct 29 th to Dec 3 rd	10am to 12:30pm	7 weeks	Lithgow Probation & Parole, Main St
Parenting After Separation	Oct 23 rd	Oct 30 th to Dec 4 th	6pm to 8:30pm	6 weeks	Bathurst FRC
Kids in Care	Oct 30 th	Nov 3 rd to Dec 8 th	10am to 12:30pm	6 weeks	Bathurst FRC

SEMINARS

Seminar	Date	Time	Duration	Address
Building a Lasting Relationship	Saturdays Sept 20 th or Oct 25 or Nov 29 th	10am to 3:30pm	One day	Bathurst FRC

These courses and others can be tailored to meet specific community needs.
For further information, please contact us on 6333 8888 or send an email enquiry to www.nsw.relationships.com.au
ABN: 73 000 509 982

FASHIONMASTERS
SYDNEY

"EXPERIENCE FASHION" HIGH SCHOOL WORK EXPERIENCE PROGRAM

We are pleased to announce our brand new "experience fashion" high school work experience program where aspiring young creatives can be exposed to the study of fashion on a day-to-day basis as if they are working in a design studio or fashion business.

Our program is designed specifically to give Year 10 students a chance to be in contact with industry professionals and big fashion brands within the setting of our renowned Bachelor of Fashion and Business degree course.

OUR 4 DAY PER WEEK PROGRAM INCLUDES:

- Attendance: 9.00am-5.00pm (hours and days will be subject to negotiation with your school and the college).
- Students gain exposure to a range of design & business subjects.
- Undertake simple design activities during the course of the week which give students a taste of our subjects.
- Meet with guest lecturers to discuss possible career pathways in the fashion industry. Some of our current industry partners include: Collette Dinnigan, Carla Zampatti, Bianca Spender, and Westfield.
- Mix with other young fashion and business students and gain direct knowledge of the expectations required in tertiary education.
- Have access to WGSN and other live industry-standard trend forecast facilities.
- Be in a cool, hip cbd boutique-style fashion education environment, close to fashion boutiques, town hall train station, high-end retail, department stores, art galleries and museums.
- Attend field trips to fashion houses within our regular classes with industry-qualified lecturers.
- Be awarded a certificate of participation handed to students on their final day to keep in their portfolio.

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