



Orange High School NEWSLETTER

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3rd December, 2015 : Term 4 Week 9

James Cashen - Western Area Debating Team



After participating in the Orange High School debating team and winning at regional level, James was chosen to go to Sydney as part of the Western Region Debating Team.

The team argued in four debates over the contest, winning one. Their winning argument was taking the affirmative stance that “we should keep 50% of the seats in cabinet for women”.

James said “It was a great learning experience, and he hopes he can share some of the things he learnt to help Orange High School debaters next year”.



Principal's Report

Principal

David Lloyd

Deputy Principals

Kathleen Maksymczuk (Rel)

Helene Hamilton

Head Teacher Admin

Kylie Winslade (students)

Joanne Cormack (Rel) (staff)

Head Teacher Welfare

Kerrie Chopping

Year 7 Adviser

Cassie Coates

Year 8 Adviser

Alice Bright

Year 9 Adviser

Sophie Healey

Year 10 Adviser

Sarah Townsend

Year 11 Advisers

Taara Wilson

Aaron Routh

Year 12 Adviser

Daniel Wait

Careers Adviser

Glen Pearson

School Counsellors

Susanna Brown

Gai Torshavin

Sport Co-ordinators

Anthony Wharton

Tegan Dray

Student Representative

Council Leader

Peita Mages

Congratulations to James Cashen (Year 10) who was selected as the Year

9 & 10 Representative Team for Western Region Debating Team. James has just returned from the University of Sydney, Women's College, where he has been participating in a three day debating competition against other Regional Representative teams. This opportunity will enable James to refine his debating skills and bring back his knowledge and skills to share with the other Orange High School debaters. Well done James.



It has been exciting to hear more Early Entry to University Offers as students have dropped into the school or communicated with us over the last week. Again, it is very difficult to publish a definitive list as there is no coordinated communication from the universities to schools. However, we are very keen to recognise achievements as we learn of them. Apologies also to Erin Cooper who was oversights last week.

Congratulations to each of the following students on achieving early entry to university

Erin Cooper	Bachelor of Pharmacy	Charles Sturt
Jamie Mann	Bachelor of Performance	Wollongong
Ash Morrow	Bachelor of Commerce	Wollongong
Greta Regan	Bachelor of Social Work	Canberra

Our 2015 Orange High Presentation Night will occur on Tuesday 15 December at starting at 6.30pm. To more fully recognise the full range of exceptional student achievements across the school, we have introduced three new sets of awards for 2015. The first is an **Attendance Award** in the form of movie vouchers for all students with attendance equal to or better than 99.5% throughout the year. Students receiving a 'Gold' or 'Silver' award on their reports will be recognised through the presentation of a medallion at Presentation Night. A **Silver Medallion** is achieved through the attainment of almost all 'Always' in the Personal Profile section of the each semesters reports in each subject while a **Gold Medallion** is awarded to the those students who achieve all or almost all 'Outstanding' or 'High' academic levels for every outcome in every subject on each semesters report. Finally, 2015 will be the first year eligible students will receive a **'Pinnacle Award'** in recognition of their achieving consistent and sustained efforts combined with school and or community service. Eligible students based on the application available on the schools website have applied via application form and had a teacher endorse their activities for authenticity.

Finally, a reminder to all parents that reports for Semester 2 will be distributed to students on Monday 14th December. **There is an expectation that students attend for learning activities until the final day for students on Wednesday 16 December.**

David Lloyd

Principal

Careers Connection News

skillset. Get Ready Day

The inaugural Skillset “Get Ready Day” was held on Tuesday 24th November.

The purpose of Get Ready Day was to provide Year 10 job seekers with the necessary skills and knowledge required to find meaningful work.

Orange High School’s Career Connection Coordinator, Mr Glen Pearson, partnered with Skillset Workforce Consultants, Mr Ben Ruddy and Mr Rowan Cleal, to deliver an intensive day of career development activities.

The 12 participants learnt about:

- Applying to job advertisements
- Preparing a successful Resume
- Employability skills – “What Employers Want”
- Writing occupation-specific job application cover letters
- Successful interview techniques
- The interview process by participating in a Mock Interview.

Drawing upon Skillset’s extensive experience working with young people, students gained confidence in their ability to search, apply and secure employment in the future.

It was an extremely worthwhile experience for the students and many thanks must go to Mr Ruddy and Mr Cleal for their industry expertise.

DECEMBER HOLIDAY CAMP



TO REGISTER CONTACT:

joshward812@gmail.com (E)

04225 75185 (M)

WHERE: WARATAH SPORTS GROUND

34 TELOPEA WAY, ORANGE

WHEN: 19TH & 20TH DECEMBER

TIMES: 9AM-12PM

WHAT TO BRING: FOOTBALL BOOTS,

WATER BOTTLE, SNACKS

COST: \$30 PER CHILD PER DAY

LIKE JOSH WARD FOOTBALL COACHING ON FACEBOOK



WANT TO;
- HAVE FUN?
- LEARN NEW
FOOTBALL
SKILLS?
- START YOUR
SUMMER
HOLIDAYS
PLAYING
FOOTBALL?




Orange City Council is keen to encourage nominations for Australia Day Awards – deadlines for applications

Please find link below for more info:

<http://www.orange.nsw.gov.au/site/index.cfm?display=320591>

ASSESSMENT TASKS DUE WEEK 10 Term 4 - 7th Dec to 11th Dec 2015

Year 11/12	Biology (experiment), CAFS (independent research project), Construction (cluster 4, prepare to concrete) Maths Ext 1 (in class test), Physics (first hand investigation), SLR (in class extended writing task), English Advanced (speaking/listening, English-English Studies - CEC (module 1, mandatory unit "We are Australians), English - Standard (listening/speaking)
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ORANGE CITY COUNCIL
PRESENTS
CAROLS
by Candlelight

SATURDAY THE 12TH OF DECEMBER
7PM FOR 7:30PM START - ENDS AT 8:45PM
NORTH COURT, CIVIC CENTRE

FREE ENTRY

Sing-a-long to your favourite Christmas songs featuring the Orange Symphony Orchestra and the City of Orange Brass Band.
Glowstix available for purchase, BBQ provided by Canobolas Lions Club
For more information contact the Orange City Council
Events Officer on 6393 8000
Event is subject to fine weather conditions



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SUMMER KIDS' CAMPS
THE PERFECT CHRISTMAS GIFT

- ✓ New friendships
- ✓ Fun
- ✓ Great value
- ✓ Safe

Summer is all about having FUN in the great outdoors. There is no better way for kids to jam-pack their school holidays with adventure and excitement than by attending a Sport and Recreation Kids' Camp.

Choose from day programs and residential camps to Duke of Edinburgh's Award journeys. Activities include raft building, mountain biking, flying fox, giant swing, cookouts and more. With so many programs on offer, you'll be sure to find a camp your kids will love.




Kids' day camps start from \$50. Residential camps include 24-hour supervision, accommodation, meals and activities, and many offer supervised transport to and from Central Station, Sydney.

sportandrecreation.nsw.gov.au/kidscamps | 13 13 02
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NSW Office of Sport & Recreation

ROCK THE RIM BASKETBALL

DECEMBER SCHOOL HOLIDAY BASKETBALL CAMPS

TUESDAY 22ND DECEMBER
CENTREPOINT LEISURE CENTRE BLAYNEY

WEDNESDAY 23RD DECEMBER
SIR NEVILLE HOWSE STADIUM ORANGE
9.30AM TO 3.30PM
CHILDREN 5 YEARS TO 16 YEARS OLD

\$40.00 PER CHILD

Further Information...
Grant 0428 011 820
Registration forms available at Stadium and rocktherim@hotmail.com or website www.rocktherim.com.au



Every Child gets an Opportunity

ROCK THE RIM BASKETBALL

3 on 3 Basketball Tournament

Sir Neville Howse Stadium ORANGE
Monday 21st December
Boys and Girls Divisions
8 years to 18 years of age
Cost \$20.00 per player
9.30am start time



Further Information & Registration Forms
Contact Grant 0428 011 820
Email rocktherim@hotmail.com
Web www.rocktherim.com.au