



Orange High School
NEWSLETTER

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Quod Potero Sedulo

3rd September, 2015 : Term 3 Week 8

Our new School Captains and Vice Captains for 2016



Captains: Chloe Barrett & Tom Milson
Vice Captains: Ashleigh Littlewood & Cooper White

Honour the past ... create the future

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
Daniels Wait

Careers Adviser
Glen Pearson

School Counsellors
Robyn Flood
Gai Torshavin

Sport Co-ordinators
Anthony Wharton
Tegan Dray

**Student Representative
Council Leader**
Peita Mages

Congratulations to Chloe Barrett and Tom Milson who have been elected 2016 School Captains and Ashley Littlewood and Cooper White as 2016 Vice Captains. The four student leaders were announced at a special assembly last Monday following speeches and subsequent elections by all students Years 7 – 12. The speeches delivered by the candidates for captain were passionate, moving and proactive. The high level of confidence, belief and passion for our school during the speeches brought a number of small tears to my eyes and I am more confident than ever that our future will continue to go from strength to strength.



Chloe Barrett



Tom Milson



Ashleigh Littlewood



Cooper White

It was wonderful last week to share in a presentation at Electrolux where **Georgie Clarke in Year 10 was presented with an Ipad to complement her already presented Iphone 6 due to her win in the 'People's Choice Award along with her previous win in the Artist Choice Section.** Our school is also grateful to receive 2 new fridges as a result of the awards. Well done Georgie!

Congratulations to our Orange High Chess team who following wins against all of the local government and non-government schools defeated St Stanilaus College in the next round of the NSW State Junior Chess League.

It was terrific to see the amazingly high standard and number of parents viewing the Major Projects for the Higher School Certificate in Industrial Technology, Visual Arts and Extension 2 English last Friday. The standard of work is the highest I have seen and exemplifies the efforts of students and teachers.



Thank you for the many parents and community members who attended and made the night the night such a success.

Congratulations to our Senior Girls Hockey Team who have made it into the top 8 of the State. An inspiring achievement and we look forward to following the progress in the coming weeks as they seek to crack the top 4, always a challenge as they come up against the Sports High Schools on the east coast.

Finally, congratulations to our incredibly talented Year 9 Inquistive Minds Team who took out the Schools Division and then the teams division last week in Bathurst. Eliza Owens, Liesel Haberecht, Jacob McMullen & Cosette Craig were simply outstanding. We look forward to hosting next years Inquistive Minds competition here at Orange High.

David Lloyd
Principal

Chess News



Hello everyone,

What a busy and rewarding Term Three!

Last week on Friday 28 August, four elite chess players accompanied me to St Stanilaus College, Bathurst for the fifth round of the NSW Junior Chess League 2015 second division competition. We were received with warmth and graciousness by the Principal, Dr Anne Wenham into the chess room. The match was intense and full of exciting moments with Marly Hevers at table one, Zac Giger on table two, David Clare at table three and Caleb Giger at table four. We won the overall match by winning on three tables out of four. This qualifies us for the next round against La Salle Academy, Lithgow. Mr Gordon Weber, the Chess Coordinator was impressed by the manners and the neat uniforms of our students.

It's a pleasure to watch the kids grow and evolve in their area of interest at Orange High School. Chess club is one of those exciting learning times to pursue interest in this wonderful game.

As one of the international grand masters Mr Viswanathan Anand says, "Chess is like a language, the top players are very fluent at it. Talent can be developed scientifically but you have to find first what you are good at."

Please encourage your family to enjoy this game more often. The Chess Titans in the school laptops and websites like www.chess.here.com are worth checking out.

Regards,

Mrs M Sood, Chess Co-ordinator,

Well done team Orange High on your fundraising efforts for Daffodil Day this year!!! WOW **\$859.40!!!**

Congratulations team!!!



Industrial Arts

an exhibition of the major practical works of this years HSC students





HSIE News

The HSIE Faculty is fortunate to offer a large range of subjects to the students of Orange High School. Year 11 and 12 students can study Ancient History, Business Studies, Modern History, Legal Studies, Society and Culture, Information Processing, Japanese, and Work Studies.

As many year 12 students studying these subjects get ready for their HSC Examination, Year 11 students are completing their Preliminary course, and Year 10 students are hopefully looking forward to begin the study of some of these exciting and interesting courses. The following is a small 'taster' of just a few things the Year 11 and 12 HSIE students get up to.

Business Studies students have recently created a business plan for their very own T-shirt producing company. Students designed their own T-shirt and then determined how they would produce, market and distribute their product. Some students had some creative designs and innovative ideas.

Year 11 Society and Culture students recently made an attempt to put themselves in a position where they might experience a cross cultural exchange. Some students, whilst still in a relatively familiar environment, experienced more culture shock than they initially anticipated. Eleanor Delaney and Freya Hawke took the social experiment to the extreme, dressing quite differently to their usual attire, wearing all black and using dark makeup and hair spray.

The students conducted this social observation in the main street of Orange, observing people's reactions from both their own and from a secondary observer's point of view.

Ancient History students have been given a new perspective on the ancient sites they are studying following Mrs Paine's recent trip to many historically significant sites throughout Europe. We're sure her first hand experience will help her continue to inspire students' interest in the ancient past.

Work Studies students recently went on an excursion to a local job agency, hearing from industry professionals about the methods involved in applying for and getting a job. This activity builds on the students study of how employment and different workplaces operate.

Any students thinking about the subjects they'd like to study in the future should feel free to talk to their History or Geography Teacher.

Adam Gray

History and Geography Teacher

ASSESSMENT TASKS DUE WEEK 9 Term 3 - 7th to 11th September 2015

Year 7	HSIE World Geography (research task), PDHPE (meal plan assessment)
Year 8	HSIE World Geography (research task)
Year 9	English (Shakespearean portfolio of work), Marine Studies (Navigation theory exam), Mathematics (end of term test), Music (performance), Photo & Digital Media (photographic artist study)
Year 10	English (drama task), Marine Studies (tides & currents theory), Mathematics (end or term test), Music (performance), PHDPE - mandatory (research task) Photo & digital media (film unit), Science (processing & analysing data)
Year 11	End of course examinations
Year 12	-----



Scholarship Information for Year 12 student to kick start a career as a teacher.

Successful students will get paid while they study and be guaranteed a permanent teaching position in a NSW public school.

Up to 300 scholarships (including 80 for Aboriginal students), 50 teach.*Rural* scholarships and 25 cadetships are available to HSC students.

Scholarship programs offer generous financial benefits, with teach.*Rural* scholars eligible for up to \$35,000 while completing a five year teacher education program. The cadetship program provides students with a part-time job as a paraprofessional in a NSW public school where they will gain valuable knowledge and skills under the guidance and supervision of experienced teachers.

The closing date for the receipt of applications and supporting documentation for the 2016 Teacher Education Scholarship Program, teach.*Rural* Scholarship Program, GTIL Cadetship Program and GTIL Internship Program is the **18th September 2015**.

For further information go to teach.nsw.edu.au, contact the Scholarships Team on telephone 1300 301 435 or by email at scholarships@det.nsw.edu.au.

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander applicants for a Teacher Education Scholarship may wish to contact the Department's Aboriginal Employment and Career Development Team on telephone 02 9836 9103 or by email at Aboriginal.Employment@det.nsw.edu.au to obtain further information and assistance.

Free Career resources for students and their families from the National Disability Coordination Officer Programme.

Get Ready for Study and Work <http://www.uws.edu.au/ndco/getreadytooptips>

Choosing Your Path: Disclosure a personal Decision <http://www.uws.edu.au/ndco/disclosure>

Get Ready for Uni <http://www.uws.edu.au/ndco/getready>

Job Access www.jobaccess.gov.au

New lift now in operation



Our long awaited new lift is now in operation. This lift incorporates the latest technology and is large enough to take wheelchair bound students.

We do ask that if your student does have a pass due to an injury, could they please use the lift sensibly and ensure that they do not take additional student in the lift. One designated support person is allowed if they need assistance with carrying bags and so on.

If at any stage your child cannot negotiate the stairs safely due to injury of disability, please contact the school office for a lift pass.



P & C Reminder

Your last chance to win \$1 000 Gift Card!!

The \$1 000 Coles Myer Gift Card raffle is to be extended by one week.

Take advantage of this to get your tickets back in to school. Sell to family and friends.

The new courts will be a fantastic sports facility and **all students** will benefit!

Please support this by returning your tickets and have your chance to win a \$1 000! This is a fabulous prize to win, especially with Christmas just around the corner!!

Tickets are only \$2 each or 3 for \$5.

Return tickets by Thursday 10th September.

Prizes drawn Friday 11th September.

Remember – you've got to be in it to win it!



2nd September 2015

Dear Principal and Year 12 Coordinator,

The 2016 C.A.S. Hawker Scholarships open on **Monday 7th December** and will close on **Friday 8th January 2016**.

The C.A.S. Hawker Scholarship is one of the most generous privately funded scholarships available to undergraduate and post-graduate students in Australia. Each residential scholarship is valued at up to \$45,000 over 5 years.

Information about the C.A.S. Hawker Scholarship and an application form are available at www.hawkerscholarship.org or by contacting the secretary to the Trustees in Adelaide on 08 8127 1654.

The Charles Hawker Scholarship perpetuates the memory of scholar, soldier, politician and pastoralist **Charles Allan Seymour Hawker**. The Scholarship commemorates the achievements of one of Australia's most respected statesmen.

"C.A.S. Hawker was a truly remarkable man and a great Australian. Our challenge as Trustees is to encourage young Australian students to apply. We are always interested to hear from students in regional Australia. Many are reluctant to participate in what is a simple process," Mr Andrew Hawker, Scholarship Trustee and Hawker family member said.

C.A.S. Scholarships are available to all Australian students. The majority have been awarded to students entering their first year of university study. Since 1980, the Trustees have awarded 109 C.A.S. Hawker Scholarships.

Selection is largely based on personal qualities and demonstrated leadership as well as academic ability. Undergraduate and post-graduate Hawker Scholars are able to attend a range of Australian educational institutions. Post-graduate Charles Hawker Scholars are also able to follow in Charles Hawker's footsteps by enrolling at Trinity College and studying at Cambridge UK.

I'd respectfully request that you inform your year 12 students about the opening date of the 2016 Scholarships and direct them to the website.

Yours sincerely,

Ian Doyle B Ec. Dip Ed
School Coordinator

www.hawkerscholarship.org

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NSW Transport for NSW
12th-20th Sept 2015 including... BIKE FEST 13th Sept Moulder Park Velodrome
www.cycleorange.com.au
Proudly supported by Transport for NSW

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SAT SEPT 12
1:30PM – 4:30PM ORANGE CYCLE & TRIATHLON CLUB / ORANGE CYCLE CLUB INDIVIDUAL TIME TRIAL (ITT)
Open Road Race - Bike Week Huntley Road ITT - Sign-on will commence at 1:30pm for a 2pm start
For more information www.occ.org.au

SUN SEPT 13 BIKE FEST
10AM – 2PM BIKE FEST – MOULDER PARK VELODROME
ACTIVITIES INCLUDE:
A 'mass ride' on the Velodrome – gather at 10am for 10.30am start
Bike skill activities, bike maintenance and safety
Vintage and Classic bike displays
Live music
Police Bicycle Soccer Game – 1pm
Celebrity Time Trial – 1.30pm
Skateboard Festival, BMX and freestyle activities at the Skate Park
...and much, much more! For information visit www.cycleorange.com.au

SUN SEPT 20
10:30AM – 1PM BIKE WEEK SPRING RIDE TO PHILIP SHAW WINERY
100 SHIRALEE ROAD, 3.5KM SOUTH OF ORANGE
The Orange Vln-Velo Ride is a mid-length (20 to 35 km loop) social ride around Orange which links with the great food and wine venues of the region. Starting at the Moulder Park Velodrome, C/ Sale St and Warrendine St at 10.30am, finishing approx 1pm at Philip Shaw Winery for wine tasting and a light lunch is available for purchase. Riders can ride home or car pool. RSVP by Friday 18 September to orangevinerides@gmail.com. Any questions call Carolynne 0439 294 771.

1PM ORANGE MOUNTAIN BIKE CLUB RACE
LAKE CANOBOLAS MOUNTAIN BIKE PARK
For more information <http://www.occ.org.au/node/50998>

BMX ACTIVITIES To be advised, check the Cycle Orange Facebook page.

aspect practice
autism practice that works
Aspect Recipe for Success®
This autism-specific Positive Behaviour Support Workshop uses contemporary evidence based strategies, based on our many years of direct work with families, organisations and people living with autism.

Our presenters



Jodi Woodward (BEA/Ed)

Jodi joined Aspect in 2007 and co-ordinates and presents the Recipe for Success workshop around Australia. She also provides behaviour intervention for adults and children. Jodi is passionate about Positive Behaviour Support and supporting people to achieve the best quality of life possible.



Jen Hurdis

(Registered Psychologist - BA/Psych-Hons), BEd)
Jen joined Aspect in 2012 and works for the Adolescent Support service. Providing combined service coordination and Positive Behaviour Support to adolescents on the spectrum with high support needs and their families. She has experience working with children and young people with developmental disabilities, learning difficulties and mental health difficulties.

Who should attend:

Families and professionals supporting or working with people on the autism spectrum, including carers, direct support staff, managers, educators, respite staff, supported employment and Allied Health professionals.

Each participant receives:

- step by step, easy to complete forms to help you write your own autism-specific Positive Behaviour Support plan on the day
- specially designed forms and other tools to use at home or work
- access to a broad range of resources including fact sheets, videos, recommended readings, published research documents and more, provided on a DVD at the end of the workshop* (or through a link to access a locked section of the Aspect website)
- help to support the implementation of your PBS Plan, using our Implementation Checklist

You will leave the workshop with greatly increased confidence in your ability to make a difference in environments and situations where there is challenging behaviour.

When: 20, 21 and 22 October 2015

Where: Bathurst RSL
114 Rankin St
Bathurst NSW 2795

Time: 9:30am to 2:30pm

Cost: Free for family members and professionals who attend with a family

All other professionals \$600.00

Register at www.autismspectrum.org.au

Contact: Jodi Woodward
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Completing the Recipe for Success workshop will contribute 15 hours of QTC registered PD addressing 1.12, 1.2, 1.3, 1.4, 1.5, 1.6, 2.1, 2.2, 3.2, 3.4, 3.5, 3.7, 4.1, 4.2, 4.3, 4.4, 4.5, and 4.5.2 from the Australian Professional Standards for Teachers towards maintaining Proficient Teacher Accreditation in NSW.



12th-20th September 2015

For more information visit bicycleinfo.nsw.gov.au

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