



Orange High School NEWSLETTER

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Board of Studies, Teaching and Education Standards (BOSTES) external validation demonstrates high standards at OHS



Honour the past ... create the future

Principal's Report

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David Lloyd

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Council Leader

Peita Mages

The focus for the last couple of weeks has been the collation of evidence for our Board of Studies, Teaching and Educational Standards (BOSTES) quality assurance process. The photo on the front page is a physical illustration of the evidence collected for the Inspectors. **At the conclusion of the comprehensive process, we received very positive feedback and affirmation that the systems and processes in our school are operating at a very high level.** I would like to recognise the efforts of our teaching and support staff teams that ensures this compliance occurs. **While the audit has benchmarked our systems at an excellent level, it is wonderful to be able to refocus on what really matters at Orange High, that is student learning and achievement.**

Year 12 Mid-Course reports will be distributed next Monday to students. I am currently working my way through a final read and am very impressed with many I have read so far. It is clear that most students have focussed and begun the final run to the finish with strong study and revision systems in place.

Many junior students will have Mid-Course assessment tests over the next couple of weeks as outlined in their assessment booklets. **I would like to wish all students the very best as they seek to demonstrate high levels of learning and achievement**

David Lloyd
Principal



The Buzz



Celebration of PBL

Students are enjoying the celebrations that PBL offer. This week at assembly Bourke House were awarded with green wristbands, as a follow up from their win at the end of last term. Each House will have the opportunity to win one of these House Bands.

Congratulations to the following winners, earning themselves a \$10 canteen voucher.

- A Kropp – Year 12
- J Jensen – Year 10
- J Seib – Year 7
- H Goldsmith – Year 10
- C Johnson – Year 7
- R Madden – Year 8
- K White - Year 7
- M Collins – Year 7
- F Ferguson – Year 8
- M Whitton – Year 7

Also congratulations to 'Student of the Week' winners. Maddi Caughlan and Taylah Fanning nominated by me for supporting the Senior Exams as a reader. There were many, many nominations this week. Congratulations to all students for their hard work and commitment to their learning.



2016 Festival of Films

Interrelate is offering students an opportunity to create and submit a 2-3 minute film on the theme 'Cyberbullying'. I have advertised in the daily notices and a few students have already picked up entry forms. If your child is interested, please ask them to see me, to pick up information/entry forms.

That is all for this week.....Go the Mighty Dragons!!

Kerrie Chopping
HT Wellbeing



Orange High School Anti-Bullying Plan has been updated.
It can be found on the Orange High School Website (Our School, Rules and Policies).

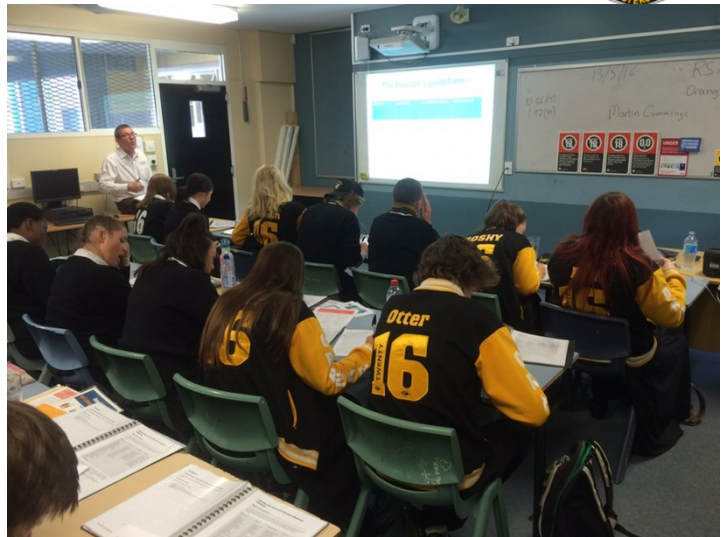
RESPONSIBLE SERVICE OF ALCOHOL (RSA) & RESPONSIBLE CONDUCT OF GAMBLING (RCG) COURSES

Eighteen Year 12 students participated in the RSA and RCG courses held at Orange HS.

Martin Cummings from the Central West Coffee School, presented the two courses over two days.

These qualifications are beneficial to our VET Hospitality students, in particular, as they join the Food & Beverage industry in the future. The information presented also educates the students on the importance of being responsible consumers post-school.

Many thanks to Martin Cummings for his entertaining delivery of the courses.



SKILLSET WORKFORCE– Year 10 Careers Lesson Presentations

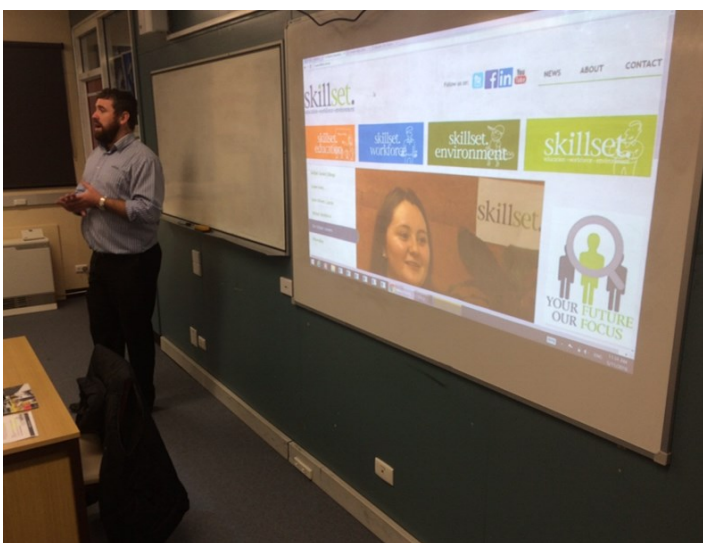
During Week 3, representatives from Skillset Workforce – Orange, spoke to our Year 10 students during their Careers lessons.

Topics covered included information on Apprenticeships & Traineeships, resumé writing and interview hints, tips and techniques.

Year 10 students really appreciated gaining an understanding, from an industry perspective, the importance of giving a positive first impression to potential employers by having a winning resumé and confidently presenting themselves in interviews.

Many thanks to Amanda Ferguson and Ben Ruddy for sharing their experience with our students.

Mr Pearson



LET'S COOK

Miss Hope's Year 7 Food Tech class began filming today for their cooking segment to educate teenagers about basic cookery skills and basic nutrition facts! The students had to plan what they were going to cook, write a script and then film & edit their videos with an opening title and closing credits to present in class!





Open Boys Soccer

Well done to our OHS Open Boys Soccer Team although they were unfortunately defeated by Kelso High School 3-2 in extra time! Both teams played extremely well!



CHS Rugby League

Both our 14's & 16's CHS Rugby League teams were extremely successful in their games today!

OHS 14's Boys - won 60-0 against Blayney High School

OHS 16's Boys - won 36-14 against Canobolas High School Well done boys!



Tennis

Congratulations to the OHS Boys and Girls tennis team for their win against Cowra High School in the second round of CHS. Rory, Jarryd, Aleks and Nathan had a 7 sets to 1 win and Tara, Tabua, Mil and Gabby had a 5 sets to 3 win. Everyone played hard and hustled for every ball.

Mrs. Mages





Want to know more?

For more information call **131 500** or visit transportnsw.info/school-students.

For help in your language, call the Translating and Interpreting Service (TIS) on **131 450**.

يمكنك الاتصال بخدمة الترجمة الشفوية والخطية (TIS) على الرقم 131 450 للحصول على المساعدة بلغتك.

如果您需要中文帮助，您可以拨打笔译和传译服务 Translating and Interpreting Services (TIS) 的电话 131 450。

Appelez le Service de traduction et d'interprétation ou TIS (Translating & Interpreting Services) au 131 450 pour demander de l'assistance dans votre langue.

Um Hilfe in Ihrer Sprache zu erhalten, rufen Sie den Übersetzer- und Dolmetscherdienst unter 131 450 an.

Για βοήθεια στα ελληνικά, καλέστε τις υπηρεσίες μετάφρασης και διερμηνείας (TIS) στο 131 450.

Per ricevere assistenza in italiano, chiamate il Servizio Traduttori e Interpreti (TIS) al numero 131 450.

あなたの母国語での補助は、電話131 450の翻訳通訳サービスにおかけ下さい。

한국어로 도움을 원하시면, 통번역 서비스 (TIS) 131 450 번으로 전화하십시오.

Para obtener más información en español, llame al Servicio de traducción e interpretación (Translating and Interpreting Services), al 131 450.

Muốn được giúp đỡ bằng tiếng Việt, quý vị gọi cho Dịch vụ Thông Phiên dịch (TIS) qua số 131 450.

Information correct as of April 2016.

2016/17

Rural and regional school travel



- Your child may be eligible for free travel between home and school
- After 12 May 2016 you need to apply online

Visit transportnsw.info/school-students Transport

What's new

From 12 May 2016, applications for free school travel in rural and regional NSW will need to be completed online instead of using paper forms.

This change makes it easier to apply, as you only need to complete one form that covers all situations, including journeys that involve multiple transport operators.

It's also easier for schools and bus operators, as Transport for NSW will now handle the applications.

This change only affects the application process; no changes to any public transport services are planned.

Who can apply

To be eligible for free school travel, students may need to live a minimum distance from their school:

Years K-2 (Infants)

There's no minimum distance.

Years 3-6 (Primary)

1.6km straight line distance or 2.3km walking.

Years 7-12 (Secondary)

2.0km straight line distance or 2.9km walking.

Who needs to apply

A new application is only required if the student has never been approved for free school travel before.

However, you need to update student details online if the student:

- Is moving from Year 2 to Year 3
- Is moving from Year 6 to Year 7
- Is changing schools or campuses
- Is changing address

How to update your details

If the student has already been approved for school travel and their address, school or name changes, or the student is entering Years 3 or 7, you will need to update your details at

apps.transport.nsw.gov.au/ssts/updatedetails.

How to apply for free travel for the first time

Applications for 2017 open from the start of Term 4, 2016.

Step 1

Once you have confirmed your 2017 school enrolment, complete the online application form at transportnsw.info/school-students, nominating your home address and which bus company or transport operator the student needs to travel between home and school.

Step 2

Print, sign and date the completed application, then return it to the student's school for endorsement.

Step 3

The school then sends the endorsed application to Transport for NSW. You will receive an email confirming the outcome of your application. If the application is approved, Transport for NSW will inform your local bus or transport operator who may send a school travel pass (where applicable) to the student's school, or in some cases will contact you directly about travel arrangements.

A parent or guardian must apply for students 15 years and under. Students 16 years and over must apply for themselves.

Frequently asked questions

Can I still apply using a paper form?

Carbon copy forms are no longer being accepted after Term 2, 2016. To download a paper form visit apps.transport.nsw.gov.au/ssts.

How can I apply if I don't have internet access?

Call **131 500** for assistance with your application.

Does the approved free travel include travel outside school hours?

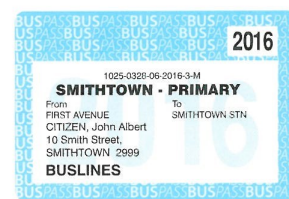
Approved free school travel is only for travel to and from school. So for travel after hours, on weekends or during school holidays, students will need to purchase a ticket.

What if there's no public transport in my area?

In areas where there is no public transport, eligible NSW residents may receive a subsidy for transporting the student to school by private vehicle. For details visit transportnsw.info/school-students.

How do I apply if the student is in a shared parenting situation and needs to travel from two addresses?

Each parent (or the student if aged 16 or over) needs to make a separate application for each address. The same eligibility criteria apply.

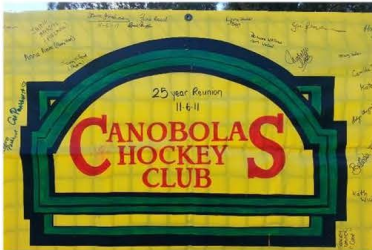


PLAYERS WANTED

Orange Canobolas Hockey Club are looking for new players, girls or boys aged between 13–15 year's old.

When: Wednesday Nights at Orange Hockey Complex, 20 Moad St, Glenroi NSW 2800

If interested contact Tammy Wilson on 0409 783 559 or Email at wilson@bigpond.com



Year 11 student, Joe rocking the new OHS Anorak Jacket now available at Orange Clothing Co & Kingfisher School Gear! Perfect for this cooler weather!



Be a local champion. Join the
RED SHIELD DOORKNOCK!

MAY 28-29, 2016

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School Holiday Fun! WINTER MERGE 2016

Tuesday 5 and Wednesday 6 July 2016
Primary Aged Young People

Wednesday 6 July 2016
Infants Aged Young People

Thursday 7 and Friday 8 July 2016
Secondary Aged Young People

Fun activities include Movies, Flip Out and Ten Pin Bowling

Register at the HACC Centre
286 Lords Place Orange by **FRIDAY 17 June**
Limited numbers
No late enrolments will be accepted

Contact Katrina on 6393 8966 for further information

