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18th August 2016 : Term 3 Week 5

CONGRATULATIONS MRS BEEBY



I am excited to share with you that Jo Beeby will be awarded the highly prestigious Minister's Award for Excellence in Teaching in September. All of us who have seen Jo teach in the classroom, know that she is an exemplary educator who all genuinely cares for students. In addition, Jo demonstrates on a daily basis an innate ability to extract the highest possible levels of learning from the young people in her classes as evidenced by her external and internal results. It goes without saying, Jo is held in the highest possible esteem by current and former students as well as colleagues.

A well-deserved award Mrs Beeby!

PRINCIPAL'S REPOR

Congratulations to the following students who were elected by representatives from the

Parents and Citizens Association, 2016 Student Representative Council and our schools Leadership Team following the presentation of their visions to the group last Monday.

Principal David Lloyd

Deputy Principals Helene Hamilton Kathleen Maksymczuk (Rel) Narelle Small (Rel)

Head Teacher Admin Kylie Winslade (students) Aaron Routh (Rel) (staff)

> **Head Teacher Welfare Kerrie Chopping**

> > Year 7 Advisor Josh Thacker

> > Year 8 Advisor **Cassie Coates**

> > Year 9 Advisor Alice Bright

Year 10 Advisor Sophie Healey

Year 11 Advisors Sarah Townsend

Year 12 Advisor Aaron Routh

Careers Advisor Glen Pearson

School Counsellors Susanna Brown Liz Franks

Sport Co-ordinators Anthony Wharton **Tegan Dray**

Student Representative Council Leader Peita Mages



Georgie Clarke



Gabrielle Lloyd





Lucy Cooper



Tori Writer



Christian Presslaber



Isabel Harris



James Cashen



Josh Punivai



Rebecca Hooper



Hugh Duffield



Lynton Robbins

In particular I would like to acknowledge and thank ALL students in Year 11 who put themselves forward for election through a gruelling CV writing, visioning and presentation process. There is no doubt as a school we are lucky to have such a large cohort of highly talented and strongly motivated senior students willing to put themselves forward. We certainly appreciate that it can be very hard for those students who miss out on the above opportunity and look forward to identifying opportunities to include them in student leadership over the coming 12 months. The very fact that so many young people had the courage and conviction to stand, knowing they may not be successful, is an admirable quality. The next phase of the election process will be presentations to the whole school on

Monday 29 August, from those in the group that choose to stand for election as School Captains or Vice Captains.

All students in Year 7 to 12 will then vote to finalise our 2017 Captains and Vice Captains.

David Lloyd Principal

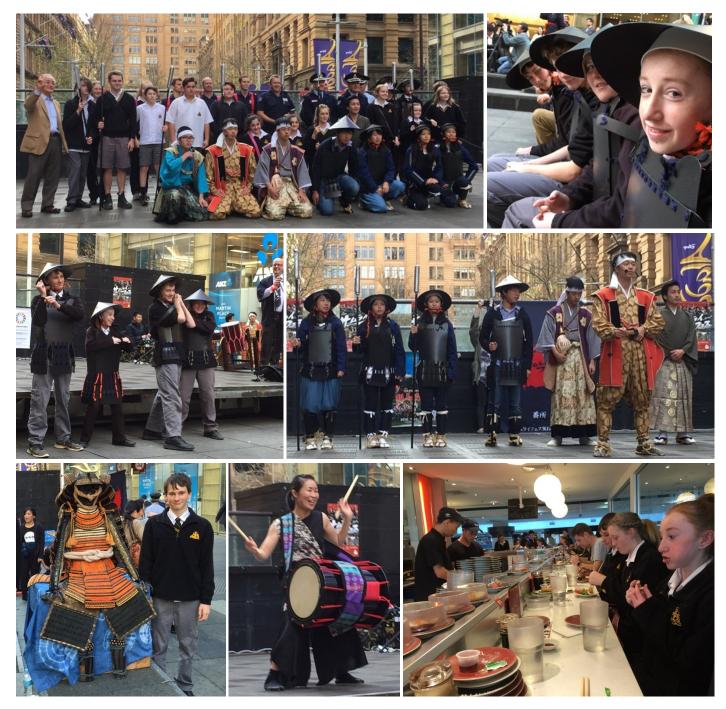


JAPANESE EXCURSION

OHS Year 8 students attended a presentation in Martin Place, Sydney on Tuesday 9 August, which included the Yu Ni On Drumming group, a graceful Japanese Fan Dance, martial arts and weapons routines. We also heard from the Deputy Commissioner of Fire and Rescue, about how 75 fire and rescue men and women went to the Fukushima area to assist with international search and rescue after the magnitude 9.0 Tohoku Earthquake and Tsunami of 11 March 2011. The Japan Club of Sydney hosted a group of young students from the city of Minamisoma and these student's shared a variety of dances and performances for our enjoyment. Paul from JCS told the audience that these, and many other students, have not been able to return to their homes. Many of them are from rural and farming lifestyles, and are now forced to live in small urban flats. We were lucky and were able to have photos taken with the visitors.

We then went on to enjoy a sushi train lunch, a first for quite a few students, and visit a Japanese shop before returning home.

Mrs Pirie



YEAR 12 STUDENTS BEGAN THEIR HSC TRIALS ON MONDA





Orange Eisteddfod - Dance Year 9 and Under Section:

1st: Year 8 (choreographed by Hannah Spencer year 12)

Highly Commended: Junior Company Highly Commended: Year 7 (choreographed by Georgia Sippel, Paige Nielson and Bella Fisher)

Year 12 and Under Section:

2nd: Year 11 Highly Commended: Senior Company Highly Commended: Tap Ensemble

Well done OHS! (CWD Photo)



You are invited to . .

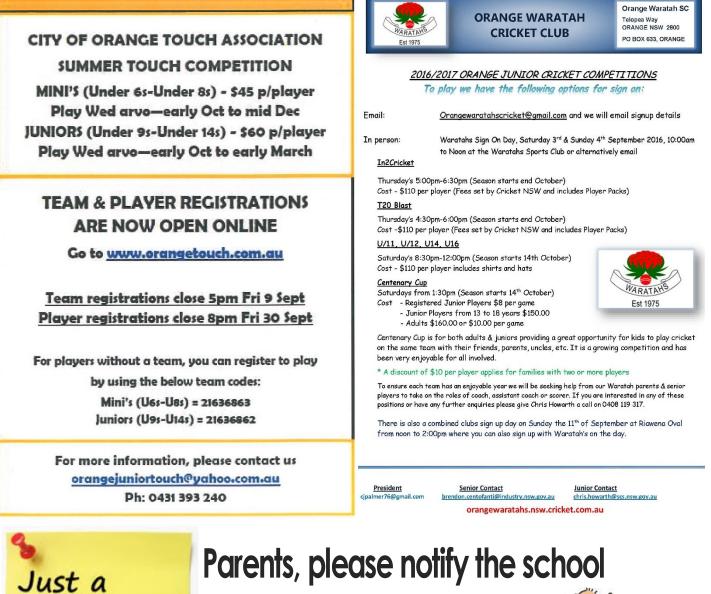
ORANGE HIGH SCHOOL TAS DEPARTMENT GALA EVENING

Tuesday 30th August 2016 3.30pm-6pm Performing Arts Centre

Come along & join members of the TAS faculty to celebrate student achievement!

The evening will feature a range of projects on display, including the HSC Industrial Technology Major Works. Agriculture, Food Technology, Hospitality and Textiles will also be showcased throughout the evening.

Light finger food prepared by our students will be available throughout the evening with a gold coin donation at the door.



arents, please notify the school about your child's health



We welcome information from parents about your child's health, even if you are not requesting specific support from our school. Our school asks for medical information when you enrol your child. It is also important that you let us know if your child's health care needs change or if a new health condition develops.

Information about allergies, medical conditions such as asthma and diabetes and other health care related issues (including prior conditions such as medical procedures in the last 12 months) should be provided to the school by parents. Please provide this information in writing to the principal. This will greatly assist our school in planning to support your child's health and wellbeing.

Please also remember to notify staff in the school office of any changes to your contact details or to the contact details of other people nominated as emergency contacts.

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We appreciate your assistance in this regard and assure you that any information you provide the school will be stored securely and will only be used or disclosed in order to support your son or daughter's health needs or as otherwise required by law.

