



# Orange High School NEWSLETTER

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30th June 2017 - Term 2 Week 10

## Orange High School - School Show 2017



Throughout Week 10, Orange High School students showcased their talents and hard work to the public. The students rehearsed on both Sunday and Monday to ensure a polished show. They held six performances throughout the week, including three matinees for the primary schools of Orange and three evening shows which were open to the public. They work incredibly hard and the end result was, as always, fantastic.

Approximately 270 students worked together to make this show a reality. It was a fantastic opportunity for students, as well as all the people who came to watch. The performances that included drama, dance, music, choirs and rock bands. Each was as entertaining as the next and congratulations to all the performers and staff for another wonderful show!





# Astley Cup Second Round Orange vs Dubbo - Results

Last Thursday and Friday, Orange High School went into battle for the Astley Cup once again against Dubbo Senior College. After being defeated by Bathurst by a minuscule 4 points, Orange High went into round two against Dubbo with a vengeance. Throughout the second round of competition, Orange High School students again showed tremendous pride in their school through their demonstrations of sportsmanship and by the chorus of spectators chanting until their voices were hoarse. Out of the eight events, Orange High were victorious in five, drew two and lost one. These victories secured Orange a convincing win in round two against Dubbo, with the final point scores being 492 – 308. This was an amazing result for Orange High School and now we wait for a favourable result as Dubbo Senior College and Bathurst High School face off in the final round of the Astley Cup competition for 2017.

TENNIS	OHS WON (9-3)
ATHLETICS	OHS WON (70-30)
NETBALL	OHS (51-41)
BASKETBALL	OHS WON (58-23)
BOYS SOCCER	DRAW (1-1)
GIRLS SOCCER	DRAW (0-0)
HOCKEY	OHS WON (4-0)
LEAGUE	DSC WON (26-44)



## Year 12 Art - HSC Major Works

With their HSC major works due date looming, Year 12 students have been working hard on their artworks. They're looking fantastic and it will be very exciting to see them all finished and on exhibition later in the year. Watch this space!





# PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

## Principal

David Lloyd

## Deputy Principals

Helene Hamilton

Kathleen Maksymczuk

Kylie Winslade (Rel)

## Head Teacher Admin

Kate Rogan - Students (Rel)

Jo Beeby - Staff (Rel)

## Head Teacher Welfare

Kerrie Chopping

## Year 7 Advisor

Lisa Phillips

## Year 8 Advisor

Josh Thacker

## Year 9 Advisor

Cassie Coates

## Year 10 Advisor

Alice Bright

## Year 11 Advisor

Sophie Healey

## Year 12 Advisor

Tegan Dray

## Careers Advisor

Glen Pearson

## School Counsellors

Susanna Brown

Liz Franks

## Sport Co-ordinators

Ben Callaway

Tegan Dray

## Student Representative

### Council Leader

Kate Rogan

**Congratulations to Orange High on a very convincing Astley Cup Round 2 win against Dubbo.** We finished up with, 492-308 final score line. We now wait for a favourable outcome in the final round between Bathurst and Dubbo. If Dubbo defeats Bathurst, then we are in with a good chance, however due to our narrow loss in the first round to Bathurst, if Bathurst defeat Dubbo, then Bathurst will win in 2017. **One of the highlights of the round against Dubbo was the terrific sportsmanship demonstrated by both sides.** A particular highlight was the athletics with amazing personal bests achieved and very convincing victories.

**Congratulations to our more than 200 creative and performing artists in the 2017 'Orange High in Concert'** The cast performed in a total of six shows, three to students in our partner primary schools and three public performances concluding Thursday Night 29 June. Some of the highlights included our choirs, dancing, acting, rock bands, drama and concert and stage bands. Watching the show last night, there is no doubt we are lucky to have a huge range of incredible talent in so many areas of the Creative and Performing Arts.

**I particularly like the fact the students with developing talents are performing alongside those with amazing high level performance skills. I believe this reflects our whole school mantra where we work together for success as a whole team with a wide range of skills and abilities.**



**Congratulations to our Mulvey Cup Debating Team who defeated Dubbo High in the second round of the competition.** The topic was 'that social media has a detrimental effect on the development of social skills. We were the affirmative for the debate and comfortable victors. Pictured are our senior team comprised of James Cashen, Sanjana Sood, Courtney Crowe and Elise Sinclair.



**Our latest round of Year 6 into Year 7 2018 Transition Learners have concluded their five week Transition Learning Lab visits to our school.** Students sampled the science program at Orange High and this week experienced a special treat with Mr Routh and liquid nitrogen.



Finally, many thanks to all for another successful term of learning. Talking recently to students across the school, there is no doubt many are tired after a huge term of learning and extra-curricular activities and in need of some rest and recuperation during the next two weeks of holidays. For three weeks at the start of Term 3, I will be out of the school relieving as Director for our Network of Schools. I look forward to returning in Week 4 and resuming my regular role. In the interim, Helene Hamilton will relieve as principal.

David Lloyd  
Principal

# THE BUZZ

This week was a busy PBL week. Congratulations to the following students who earned themselves a \$10 canteen voucher.

E Goransson – Year 9  
A Trail – Year 9  
T Maclean – Year 7  
R McCarthy – Year 7  
N Maclean – Year 9  
G Weckert – Year 7  
C Quinn – Year 7

E Hitchen – Year 10  
E Rose-Smith - Year 12  
A Milan – Year 9  
C McKay – Year 7  
E Kearney – Year 7  
S Zoubov – Year 10  
C Larrett – Year 10

J Webster – Year 7  
O Swords – Year 7  
J Brakenridge – Year 8  
A Bishop – Year 7  
M Milson – Year 9  
A Chislett – Year 9

Congratulations also to the following 'Students of the Week'!

Toby Smyth, nominated by Miss Wilcock for his 'Amazing Drama Performance'.

Gabby Lloyd, nominated by Mrs Ryan for her 'Excellent draft assessment work'.

Thomas Anderson, nominated by Mrs Greenslade for his 'Outstanding effort in Science'.

Kathryn Cox, nominated by Mr Routh for her 'Excellent exam result'.

Finally congratulations to Bourke House. They are the winners of the PBL Term BBQ. It was a close contest this term with only 25 points separating all four houses. Bourke House will enjoy a free BBQ lunch and raffle prize draw on Friday. What a great way to end the term.

Have a safe and relaxing holiday.

Kerrie Chopping

Head Teacher Wellbeing



## Year 11 Excursion to Borenore Caves



On Wednesday, Year 11 Earth and Environmental Science students went on a field study excursion to Borenore Caves. This dramatic landscape has been sculpted by acidic water seeping through the rocks and gradually dissolving the limestone. Students investigated evidence of physical and chemical weathering. They were also introduced to field study techniques such as using a transect to collect data on vegetation. The aim of the excursion was for students to engage in exploring the relationships between geology, landscape, vegetation and organisms. Thank you to Mr Kennard for accompanying us on this excursion.

# NAIDOC GALA DAY

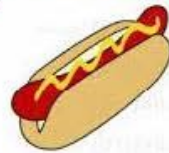
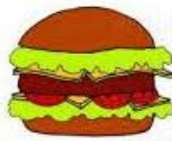
1.00 pm - 3.30pm

Tuesday 25th July 2017

on the oval at ORANGE HIGH SCHOOL



Food



Sport

Singing



Games

B-B-Q



Dancing



Awards





all abilities all together

# Luminosity

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Artwork by  
Jaime MacDougal

## Firebird

THE LEGEND  
OF THE  
PHOENIX

FRIDAY DECEMBER 01 2017  
North Court, Orange Civic Centre

Orange Luminosity  
is an inclusive Arts and  
Education project aimed at  
bringing people of all abilities  
together through creative arts.

Opportunities to share and develop  
skills, make new friends and  
work creatively will be provided  
through workshops in art,  
music and dance.

For more information please email  
luminosityorangensw@gmail.com  
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## ORANGE HIGH SCHOOL



### *An Invitation to Parents and Students*

**Year 8 into Year 9, 2018  
Subject Selection Information Evening  
Monday 7th August, 2017  
6.00pm in the Performing Arts Centre**

*This evening is designed to help both students (and parents)  
make the most of the opportunities available to them  
for their Record of School Achievement.*

**Topics to be covered will include:**

1. ROSA (Record of School Achievement) requirements and what it means to your child.
2. How to choose your subjects for years 9 & 10 to have a successful pattern of study.
3. How to use the on-line system to choose your electives — Web Choice .

*We strongly encourage all students  
and their carers to attend this evening.  
Hope to see you there.*



## ORANGE HIGH SCHOOL



### *An Invitation to Parents and Students*

**Year 10 into Year 11, 2018  
Subject Selection Information Evening  
Monday 24th July  
6.00pm in the Performing Arts Centre**

*This evening is designed to assist students and parents with  
their decision making process and to explain courses and the  
requirements of the Higher School Certificate.*

**Topics to be covered will include:**

1. HSC requirements
2. ATAR/Ranks
3. How to use the on-line system to choose your electives

*We strongly encourage all students  
and their carers to attend this evening to ensure an informed  
and accurate subject selection process.  
Hope to see you there.*





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## Orange High School

*Honour the past, create the future*

Dear Parents and Carers

Orange High School will transition to the new NSW Public Schools' finance system and a new bank account on **4 September 2017**.

To ensure a smooth transition, there will be changes to the way we accept payments from parents and carers.

- 1. Direct deposits:** As of **25 August 2017**, we will no longer accept direct deposits into our current school bank account as we prepare to close this account and transition to the new one. Any payments made using direct deposit after this date cannot be properly allocated to a student's account in a timely manner. Please ensure you have made any outstanding direct deposits before **25 August 2017**.
- 2. EFTPOS payments:** We will not be able to accept EFTPOS payments between **29 August and 4 September 2017**. Please ensure that you have made any outstanding EFTPOS payments before **29 August, 2017**. From **4 September 2017**, EFTPOS payments will be accepted as before.
- 3. Cash and cheque payments:** Between **29 August 2017** and **4 September 2017**, we will also not be able to accept payments by cash or cheque as we prepare to close our current bank account and transition to the new one. Please ensure that you have made any outstanding cash or cheque payments before **29 August 2017**. From **4 September 2017**, cash and cheque payments will be accepted as before.
- 4. Online payments (POP):** As of **25 August 2017**, payments to our current online payment facility will cease. You will not be able to use the Department of Education's Parent Online Payment (POP) system until **Wednesday 6 September**.

Thank you for your patience and understanding as we transition to our new finance system. If you have any questions, please contact our school office on 6362 3444 between 8.30am and 3.30pm.

David Lloyd  
Principal