



Orange High School NEWSLETTER

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23rd March 2018 - Term 1 Week 8

RYDA - Road Safety Youth Driver Awareness Program



PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Principal
David Lloyd

Deputy Principals
Helene Hamilton
Kathleen Maksymczuk
Terri Johnston (Rel)

Head Teacher Admin
Kylie Winslade (Students)
Jo Beeby - Staff (Rel)

Head Teacher Welfare
Kate Rogan

Year 7 Advisor
Tammy Nash

Year 8 Advisor
Lisa Phillips

Year 9 Advisor
Monica Peasley

Year 10 Advisor
Cassie Coates

Year 11 Advisor
Tegan Dray

Year 12 Advisor
Kylie Winslade

Careers Advisor
Glen Pearson

School Counsellors
Susanna Brown
Liz Sams

Sport Co-ordinators
Ben Callaway
Tegan Dray

**Student Representative
Council Leader**
Yelena Latter

Teaching, learning and assessment are in full swing right across the school.

Assessment is an ongoing focus for us in 2018 as we lead the implementation of changed procedures and requirements in Year 11 at a state level with many faculties across the school also taking the opportunity to refine and differentiate assessment tasks and procedures across junior years.

All tasks (notification of tasks in the case of tests or exams) can be found on our Orange High School Website under the 'Assessment' tab towards the top right of the screen. Any issues locating tasks can be directed to Lucia Luccarda in the front office of our school.

It was terrific to hear that many parents with children in Years 7 and 11 availed themselves of the opportunity to meet with teachers in our first parent teacher night for the year, last Monday. **As educators, we appreciate how close educational partnerships between school and home positively affect students' learning and achievement.** A parent/teacher night for students in years 8, 9, 10 and 12 will occur early next term.

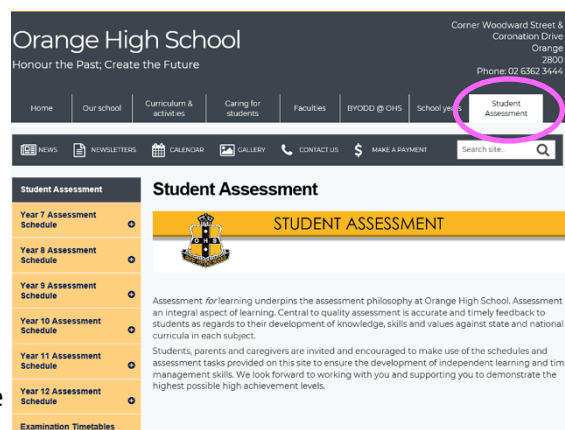
It was also terrific to hear the high level of positive feedback following our School Captain, Elijah Smyth's visit to Sydney last week to work with Senior Officers of the Department as part of a 'Student Voice' panel. Following his selection and trip to Sydney last year as part of the 'Secretary of the Department of Education for a Day' initiative, Elijah was invited to return again last week to contribute thoughts and ideas. The written feedback included that the students were *'were confident, articulate and considered. Their responses were reflective of their experiences but also mindful of the needs and expectations of others, including those in their own communities and broader, and those that might follow in their footsteps'*. Well done Elijah!



Finally, congratulations to Mr Chad Bliss, current substantive leader at Canobolas High who will begin as principal here at Orange High next term. Chad and I will work together over the next 3 weeks to plan and complete a smooth transition that supports our current school direction, priorities and levels of achievement. With a PDHPE background, I know Chad will particularly enjoy his first term at Orange High with hopeful success in our 2018 Astley Cup and Malynley Shield competitions.

David Lloyd

Principal



Cyber Bully Performace



Open Cricket - Round 1



The first round of our Boys Open Cricket was played on Tuesday this week at Max Stewart Park against Bathurst High School. Unfortunately OHS went down to Bathurst by six wickets, with the final score:
OHS 8 - 169
Bathurst 4-174.

Our best players on the day were Cameron Laird 64 not out, with Caden Keed and Jarrod Seib both scoring 27 runs. Sam Murphy took 2 for 14, as our best bowler.





Thank you to Newcrest Mining's Cadia Valley Operations

Thank you to Cadia Valley Operations' Community Partnership Program,
for donating \$1,000 to Orange High School.

This donation is to go towards further garden beautification and tree planting at our school.



Year 10 Food Technology

Both Mrs Nash's and Mrs Ryan's Year 10 Food Technology Class prepared a buffet style meal during class last week.

Food prepared included curried sausages, potato bake, fried rice and fresh fruit salad.

After preparing the food, everyone sat down together to enjoy their lunch.



We Would Like Your Help to Fill Our Junior Teams

Orange City Hockey Club welcomes all players from all skill levels. We fields several Junior Teams each year.

- Joey's (Under 7's). Play on Saturday Morning at 11:30
- Burra's (Under 9's). Play on Saturday Morning at 11:30
- Open Primary is a mixed competition (up to Year 6). Play on Wednesday afternoon from 4:30
- Under 14's Boys Play on Wednesday afternoon from 5:30
- Under 14's Girls Play on Monday from 4:30
- Under 16's Girls play on Friday from 4:30 this maybe moved to a Monday

If you would like more information about playing hockey this season, please contact Rebecca Mitchell on 0418 672 115. You can use your active kids voucher for this sport.

We also have a couple of mens teams which need a few players if any of the fathers are interested.



SUNDAY 1ST APRIL GREAT HEDGE MAZE EASTER EGG HUNT!

Easter Sunday 2018

This Easter, don't miss this once in a lifetime opportunity to explore the Great Guyong Hedge Maze while hunting for Easter eggs.

Fun for all ages, this event is a fundraiser for the 2nd Orange Scout group to send their scouts to the Australian Jamboree in 2019.

Where: Gordon Rd, off the Mitchell HWY, Guyong, NSW

First session starts: 10:00 am

Last session starts: 3:30 pm

Book NOW online at <https://www.trybooking.com/UESF>



* children under 5 may be accompanied by an adult in the maze

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**Giant hedge
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Jumping Castle

Sausage Sizzle

Easter Egg Hunt

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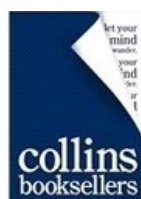
Cost \$10*

Includes:
Up to 30 mins in
the hedge maze
Sausage Sandwich
Fruit Drink
Chocolate Egg

Reminder to Parents and Students

Collins Booksellers have sent a reminder to encourage any students who received a book voucher at Presentation Night to redeem their voucher by going into the store and selecting a book.

We would also like to take this opportunity to thank Collins Booksellers for their ongoing support of our school.



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A SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE ROTARY CLUB OF ORANGE-NORTH

Are you in Year 11?

The Rotary Adventure in Citizenship program will be held from Saturday 5th May to Saturday 12 May 2018

Applications are now open and close on Friday 6th April 2018, or earlier if all places have been filled.

The cost of this special experience is \$1,200.00.

Don't let this figure deter you, talk to the youth director of the Rotary Club of Orange-North, as we may be able to help you.

Rotary Adventure in Citizenship (RAIC) is an intensive and fun filled week-long program to help prepare young adults for full participation as citizens of Australia.

Each year around 35 Year 11 students (the delegates) are sent by their local Rotary clubs to Canberra. They are taken out of their comfort zones, into new places, set amongst new faces and asked to do new things.

For a week, RAIC put the delegates "inside" Canberra

Run in in partnership with the Parliamentary Education Office, the delegates are immersed behind the scenes in Parliament House. They view Parliament in action, including the Budget speech and Question Time, meet their Federal member of Parliament and Press Gallery journalists. Through role play, delegates participate in law-making debates and explore the functions of the Parliament.

One of the highlights is having morning tea with the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Most importantly, they meet and make friends with young people from all over Australia. Delegates from previous years have said this is one of the highlights of the RAIC program.