



Orange High School NEWSLETTER

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5th July 2019 - Term 2, Week 10

SCHOOL SHOW ~ 2019



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Yelena Whitfield

Dear parents and members of our school community.

Welcome to the final newsletter of term 2. Half the year is over and at the leadership level, we are starting to prepare for the next school year. Its business as normal for our students and teachers in term 3 and a very busy term for our senior students as Year 12 begin their final term at school and Year 11 begin their final term as Year 11 students.

2019/2020 School Captains Announced

It is with great pleasure that I announce to you our 2019/2020 school captains and vice captains. These four fine young men and women will represent our school as student leaders from the beginning of term 3 2019. They will be involved in a 10 week shadowing program with our current captains. They will officially take over their roles from the beginning of term 4 2019.

School Captains: Mitchell Cooper and Tabua Tuinakauvadra

Vice Captains: Tom Lloyd and Maddie Owens

I am sure you will join with me in congratulating our new captains on their election.

Astley Cup

Unfortunately not the result we were looking for, however, we could not be more proud of the sportsmanship our OHS athletes and spectators showed in every sport last week. We might play eight sports, but we are ONE team

RESULTS:

Hockey 1-1 (50-50)

Boys soccer 1-0 (67-33)

Girls soccer 0-3 (20-80)

League 50-12 (19-81)

FINAL SCORE 305-395

We are looking forward to the tie with Dubbo on Wednesday and Thursday this week. We will provide an update to you via social media as I write this to you prior to our tie being completed.

21st June: Royal Australian College of Surgeons library lunch sessions

Dr Damian Fry - Rural Coach with the Royal Australasian College of Surgeons.

Damian is an ex-Orange High School student who spoke about his experiences post-school.

From an HSC TER (now ATAR) of only 33, Dr Fry joined the Army then became a Registered Nurse before finally becoming a Surgeon. He was an inspirational guest speaker at the library lunch session.

**21st June: Open Boys Hockey**

OHS vs Lithgow

Congratulations to our boys who fought hard throughout the game,. The teams ended up equal after full time, finally going down 1-0 during the third set of penalty strikes.

25th June: Hockey Bathurst

OHS won against Bathurst High 10-0. OHS now progress through to the top 20 in the State.

From the Principal

25th June: Western Region Dance Festival

44 Orange High School students participated in the annual dance festival held in Bathurst. We performed exceptionally well in all of our dances and we have since had five of our students selected in the NSW State Dance Ensemble. Congratulations to Eloise Middleton, Courtney Rapley, Paris Robinson, Ellie Spencer and Rose Thoms. These girls will undertake a rigorous program of dance over the coming months with a culmination of their skills to be showcased at the NSW Schools Spectacular in Sydney in November.

School Show

The school show has been a huge success so far and I am continually blown away by the exceptional talent of our creative and performing arts students. A huge thankyou to the organising team and the students for making the end of term 2 another special one for so many members of our school and wider community. I thought last year's display of talent was amazing, and I was overwhelmed with just how great our students are and how passionate and committed our staff are.

Buckley Shield Rugby League

Congratulations to our Buckley Shield league team who were narrowly defeated 30-20 by Narrabri High School in the final 16 in the state. Our boys played brilliantly but gave the opposition a 26 nil lead and we just didn't have enough time to narrow the score. We are all proud of our team.

Year 10 into 11 Subject Selection Evening

On Tuesday 23rd July we will be holding our Year 10 into 11 Subject Selection evening from 5.45pm in the Performing Arts Centre. All Year 10 students and their parents are expected to attend. For further information, please speak with Mrs Winslade.

Year 7-10 Parent Teacher Evening

On Monday 29th July we will be holding our Parent Teacher evening for families with students in Years 7-10. Bookings are available through the parent portal and I look forward to seeing as many parents as possible engaging with our staff on this evening. This is your chance to speak with your child's teachers about their progress so far this year.

Year 8 into 9 Subject Selection Evening

A forward reminder that subject selection evening for students moving from Years 8 into 9 will be held on Monday 5th August at 5.45pm in the Performing Arts Centre. All students in Year 8 and their families are expected to attend. I wish you an enjoyable and relaxing holiday break and look forward to speaking with you early next term.

With my warmest regards

Chad Bliss

Principal



ASTLEY CUP ~ 2019







CONGRATULATIONS ~ 2020 SCHOOL CAPTAINS AND VICE CAPTAINS



School Captains
Mitchell Cooper
Tabua Tuinakauvadra



School Vice Captains
Tom Lloyd
Maddie Owens

Digital Technology

In Digital Technology students have been working on developing creative projects including an Arduino Microcontroller. The students have developed some very interesting and most importantly functional coding projects using, LED's, electronic components and a whole lot of creativity!



Teddy Bear



Infinity Mirror



Disco Lights



Flower Vases



Dolls House



Skittle Sorter

YES Program Week 8 (Beauty Therapy)



YES Program Week 9 (Hospitality)



Open Boys Soccer vs The Ponds

Round 16 Score: 1 – 0 loss (Monday 1st July)

In front of the majority of the school today, our boys put on an incredible display of teamwork, skill and courage against a strong champion team from Western Sydney. Our boys played a great game but The Ponds scored the only goal four minutes before the end of the second half.



Open Boys Hockey vs Lithgow

After a very hard fought game, the two teams ended up equal after fulltime. In a sudden death drop off, we completed five minutes extra time with no result and 9 players. A further 2 players were dropped and a further 5 minutes was completed without a goal from either side. Penalty strokes were undertaken, and after 2 sets of these with no results, a third set of penalty strokes was begun - Lithgow securing a win and a heart breaking loss for us.

The team can hold their heads up in pride - we played brilliantly and in good sportsmanship. Liam Wilson, Mitch Watts and Brad Pengilly were consistently exceptional and the rest of the boys were unbelievable in both attack and defence.



Premiers Debating Challenge vs CRTHS

We debated Canobalas High Year 7/8 team and the topic was "that the government should fund all high school students to participate in overseas exchanges". We were the affirmative team. Our team consisted of Hannah Johnson as first speaker, Ava Peterson as second speaker, Amelia Caulfield as our third speaker and the team adviser was Clare McMillan. Our chairperson was Makenzie Rodwell.

This group of dedicated debaters make up our Year 7 Debating Squad and we will be rotating roles throughout the competition. They all demonstrated enthusiasm leading up to and in the debate. The feedback was positive and we look forward to our next debate.



Amelia
Caulfield



Clare
McMillan



Ava
Peterson



Makenzie
Rodwell

Are you having trouble paying the bills?
Do you need help finding a job, or just a place to stay for you or a friend?

Friday 2nd August

10 AM - 3PM

Orange Function Centre

FREE COMMUNITY EVENT



Community transport is available from Cowra, Dubbo, Parkes and Bathurst.
Limited places are available, call 1300 01 1973 to book your free ticket.





MISSION AUSTRALIA

The Mission Australia Youth Survey is Australia's largest online youth survey, providing a platform for young people aged 15 to 19 to 'speak up' about the issues that really concern them.

Each year, the Youth Survey gives valuable insights into the lives of young Australians and an understanding of their aspirations, values, concerns and ambitions. The survey provides a snapshot of how young people feel about their own lives and broader national issues.

<https://www.surveygizmo.com/s3/4832770/Youth-Survey-2019>

The code the students will need to enter once they follow the link to the survey is: 25504



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