



Orange High School NEWSLETTER

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Quod Potero Sedulo

2nd August 2019 - Term 3, Week 2

Mayor's Cup Debating



On 31st July our Year 10 Debating team won the Mayor's Cup Debating Competition, held as part of Local Government week for the second year in a row!!

A special mention to Abigail Kittler who won the annual Kerry Parkes trophy for the best individual effort of the day for the second year in a row.



WHAT'S COMING UP AT OHS



TERM 3 - WEEK 3

Monday 5th August - Year 8 into 9 Subject Selection Night

Friday 9th August - NAIDOC Celebration

TERM 3 - WEEK 4

Monday 12th August - HSC Music performance Night

Tuesday 13th August - HSC Music performance Night

Tuesday 13th August - Wear it Purple Day

Thursday 14th August - P&C Meeting

TERM 3 - WEEK 5

Monday 19th August - Trial HSC Exams begin

ALL WEEK - Trial HSC Exams

TERM 3 - WEEK 6

ALL WEEK - Trial HSC Exams

TERM 3 - WEEK 7

TERM 3 - WEEK 8

Monday 9th September - Yr 7 2020 Parent Information evening

Wednesday 11th September - P&C Meeting

Friday 13th September - End of Preliminary Course Exams

TERM 3 - WEEK 9

Monday 16th September - End of Preliminary Course Exams

TERM 3 - WEEK 10

Monday 23rd September - End of Preliminary Course Exams

Tuesday 24th September - Year 7 Vaccinations

Friday 27th September - Year 12 Final Assembly

From the Principal



Principal

Chad Bliss

Deputy Principals

Kristie Anderson (Rel)

Pauline Frost (Rel)

Head Teacher Admin

Kylie Winslade - Students

Jo Beeby - Staff (Rel)

Head Teacher Welfare

Tammy Nash (Rel)

Year 7 Advisor

Jacqui Lyden

Year 8 Advisor

Mel Campbell

Year 9 Advisor

Lisa Phillips

Year 10 Advisor

Monica Peasley

Year 11 Advisor

Cassie Coates

Year 12 Advisor

Tegan Dray

Careers Advisor

Glen Pearson

School Counsellors

Susanna Brown

Liz Sams

Sport Co-ordinators

Ben Callaway

Amanda Livingstone

Student Representative

Council Leader

Yelena Whitfield

Dear parents and members of our school community

Welcome back to another exciting term at Orange High School. This is our Year 12 students final term at school before they take on the challenge of their Higher School Certificate. It will be an extremely busy term with trial HSC exams occurring in a few weeks time along with Year 11 students undertaking their final exams of Year 11 towards the end of this term.

Welcome Melinda Suttor

This term we welcome Mrs Melinda Suttor as relieving Deputy Principal. Melinda is the current Principal of Cullen Bullen Public School and brings a wealth of knowledge and experience to our senior leadership team. Melinda will be overseeing a range of portfolios within the school and will also lead the supervision and support for students in Years 8,10 and 12.

Thank you Rural Aid

Last Tuesday we were extremely fortunate to be gifted a range of musical instruments from the Rural Aid organisation. Robyn and Wayne Thomson run a program called Gift of Music as part of Rural Aid and spent some time with our staff and students on Tuesday morning. We are very fortunate to have received such wonderful equipment for our school and I am grateful to Robyn and Wayne for their enormous generosity.

New School Gym

Final works are underway to complete our new school gymnasium. This has been a large capital works project which has only occurred as a result of the generous support from our P&C and the Department of Education. Our new gym will have state of the art equipment for our students to access during class time and at lunchtimes. A sincere thank you to the P&C for their generous and ongoing support for programs and initiatives within our school.

Wellington Eisteddfod

Last week our dance students participated in the Wellington Eisteddfod. We had some tremendous success with our Year 10 dance elective winning first place, our Dance company gaining second place, our Year 11 elective gaining third place and our hip hop and junior ensembles gaining a highly commended. Well done to all involved.

Japanese Student Visit

Building upon the success of our exchange program between Ushiku-Eishin High School in Japan and Orange High School, our school has been approached by an organisation – International Youth Association of Japan, **KSKK (Kokusai Seishounen Kenshuu Kyokai)**, to host a group of Japanese middle and high school students from Onojo City in Fukuoka Prefecture. These 14 students are here to learn not only English but also to experience Australian culture and high school life. We are lucky to have 14 families to host these students from Monday the 12th of August to Monday the 19th of August. We are very excited to enhance our language skills, to discover more about Japanese culture and to develop a lifelong friendship. Please say “konnichiwa” when you see these brave Japanese students around at school.

From the Principal

Subject Selection Evening

Thank you to the students and parents who attended the Year 10 into 11 subject selection evening last Tuesday. It was a very informative evening with students given some information regarding the expectations which will be placed upon them in the senior school in 2020. Students were also provided with links to complete their subject selections for 2020. These are due no later than Friday 2nd August.

Parent Teacher Evening

Another thank you to the families who attended parent teacher evening on Monday this week. It was fantastic to see so many parents engaged in conversation with their child's teachers about their progress. If you were not able to attend on Monday and wish to speak to your child's teacher(s), please make contact with the school so appointments can be arranged individually with teachers.

Education Week

Next week is Education Week. The theme for 2019 Education Week is **Every student, every voice**. It is a celebration of student empowerment and how the NSW public education system gives students the skills they need in order to have and express a voice during their own educational journey and as engaged global citizens.

As part of Education Week, we will be involved in the game changer challenge as one of 16 finalists across NSW. We live in an era of accelerated innovation and increasing uncertainty where the limits of technology lie in the imagination. The great challenges of the future will be solved by today's students. To flourish in this world, they will need to be deep thinkers, critical and reflective, empathetic and creative.

The Game Changer Challenge is an initiative of the department to develop and promote these skills among students and teachers. Sixteen teams from schools across NSW will be flown to Game Changer HQ in Sydney during Education Week to compete in a three-day design thinking program where, working alongside leading industry professionals, teams will go head-to-head to consider this year's question, **How might we humanise technology?**

Game Changer Challenge team:

Alex Honeyman, Benjamin Parker, Declan Lummis, Angela Weckert, Fletcher Carlton and Lilly Mitchell

We wish our team the very best of luck.

P&C Meeting

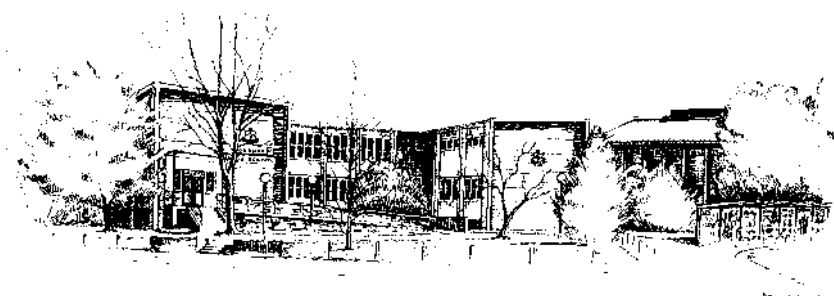
The first P&C meeting will be held on Wednesday 14th August commencing at 6.30pm in the school music centre. All parents are welcome and encouraged to attend.

I hope you have a wonderful fortnight and I look forward to speaking with you in week 4.

With my warmest regards

Chad Bliss

Principal

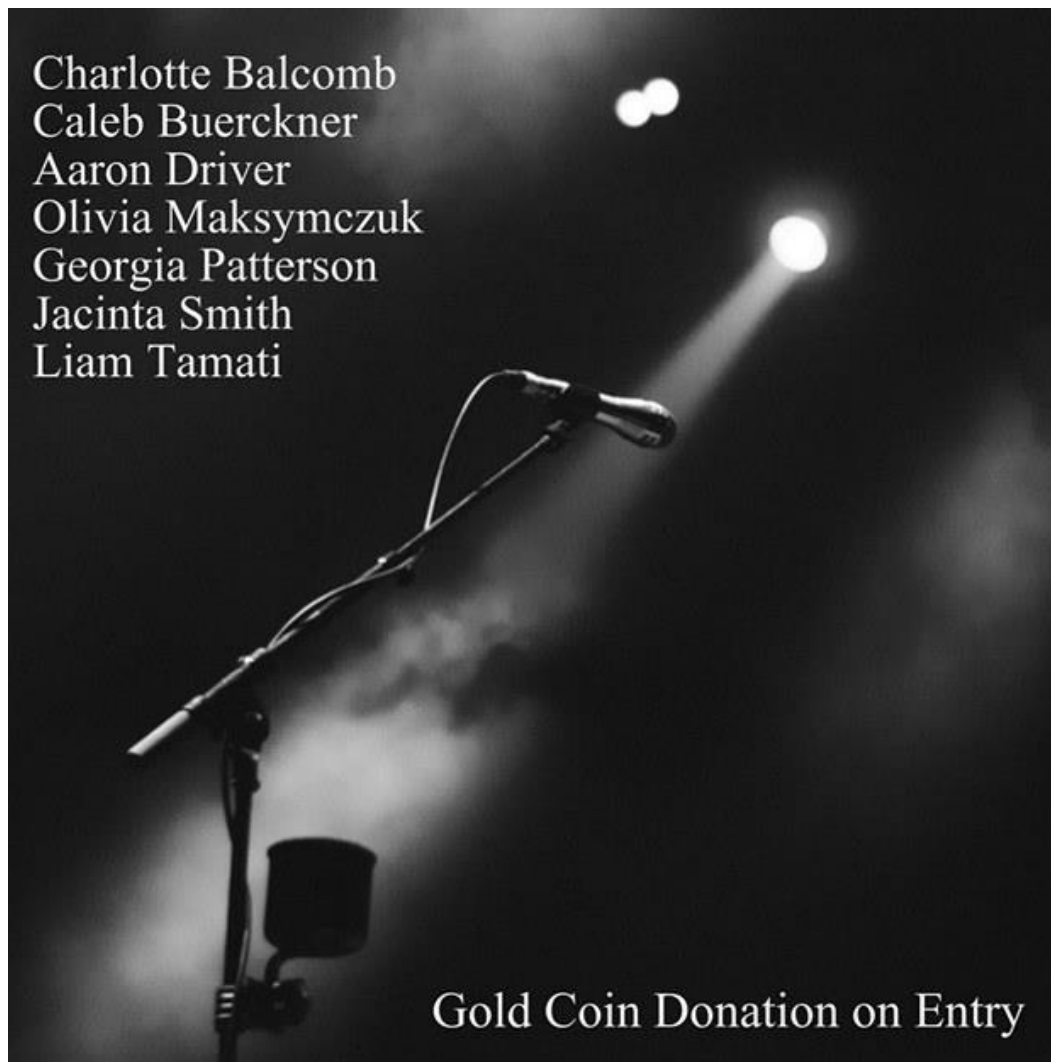




HSC Music Performance Night

Split over two nights, Monday the 12th and Tuesday the 13th of August, we have our HSC Music class of 2019 performing their full HSC Music Examination Performances. Playing a wide range of musical styles and instruments, the class has worked tirelessly to put together a set that showcases each of their individual brilliances. It is a night to celebrate the student's hard work whilst giving parents, friends and community members a chance to see the performances.

Entry is a gold coin donation with tea and coffee available on the night.



HSC Music Showcase Night

Monday the 12th of Aug 6:30 - 8:00

Tuesday the 13th of Aug 5:30 - 7:00

Orange High School Recital Room

Maddison Tink Wins the Jackpot

At the Poll Hereford Heifer Show in Parkes on the 12th-14th July Maddison Tink won 1st prize in her heifer class and later went on to win the Reserve Junior Herdsman award.

Maddison was the winner of the hotly contested \$1000 heifer jackpot, that had over 50 entries.

Maddison said "When I won with Kilkee L23 MS Motion P18 I was mind blown."

This is just the beginning for Maddison who said her next stop is Melbourne.



Marianne Murphy Netball Competition



Congratulations to our U/14 netball girls who took out the final of the Marianne Murphy netball competition against Sheahan.

It was an epic match, going right down to the last minute, with OHS winning by ONE goal!!!

Our opens girls also took on Sheahan, however a 3rd quarter blitz put us into a catch up position. Our AWESOME crowd did their best to help us pull back their lead, however, despite turning momentum, we lost by 6.

Congratulations to James Sheahan for retaining the shield and we look forward to 2020 when we hope to reclaim it!

English Report

The English students of OHS have displayed an outstanding level of talent in their Critical and Close Study Representations this term. Some highlights were the busts of King Lear produced by Charlotte Bopping, the composite artwork by Breanna Webb and the rotting apple of corruption produced by Lila Maddox - Derrez.

Well done to all students who have smashed their term 2 Assessment Tasks.



Thank you to Rural Aid



We were very fortunate to receive djembes (African drums), guitars, a saxophone and percussion instruments from Rural Aid. They also gave the school several boxes of Lego, which will be used for different projects in various faculties. Thank you Robyn and Wayne Thomson from Rural Aid Gift of Music, your generosity is greatly appreciated.



Orange Regional Gallery

Recently two Orange High School Year 11 Visual Arts students Breanna Webb and Lucas Morrish had their works displayed at the "Here and Now" exhibition and the Orange Regional Gallery.

The exhibition featured many prolific artists from across the Central West.

Congratulations to these students for being recognised for their talent and dedication to Visual Arts.



National Art School Scholarship

Earlier this year, Year 11 Visual Arts students Breanna Webb, Paris Robinson and Tiffany Dillery were fortunate enough to receive a Regional scholarship opportunity to the National Art School (NAS) Dobell Drawing Course. The 3 students were put up in a motel in Sydney and had a week's drawing tuition with NAS Art lecturers. They participated in Still Life and Life drawing workshops and gained many invaluable techniques on the course.



CONGRATULATIONS

Ava & Jack Cole



Congratulations to siblings Ava and Jack Cole who have been selected in their respective age NSW Touch Football merit teams, following the 2019 Junior Regionals. Ava and Jack have both been selected as links in their teams.



Congratulations Liam Wilson

Congratulations Liam and the NSWCHS Hockey team, NSW All School Hockey Champions.

The team won both games:

4 - 1 against NSW CIS

8 - 4 against NSWCCC



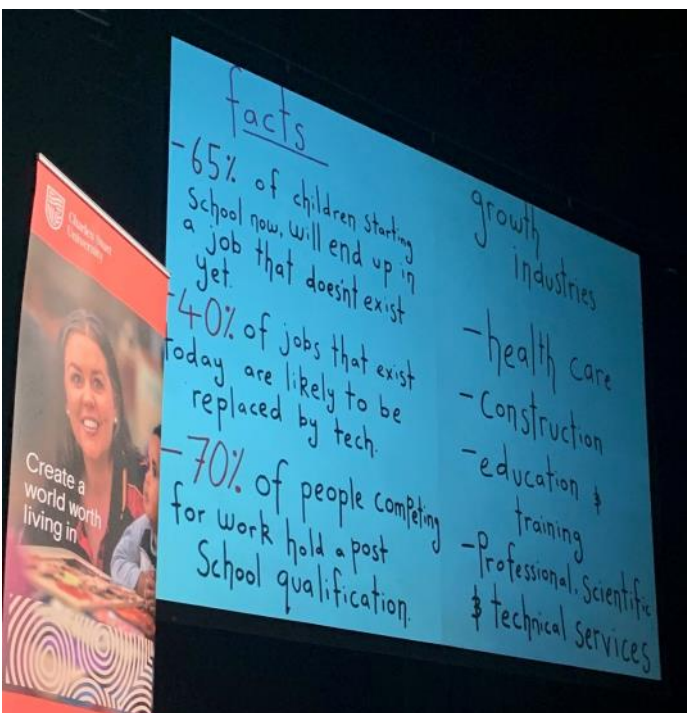
Bathurst Jobs Expo



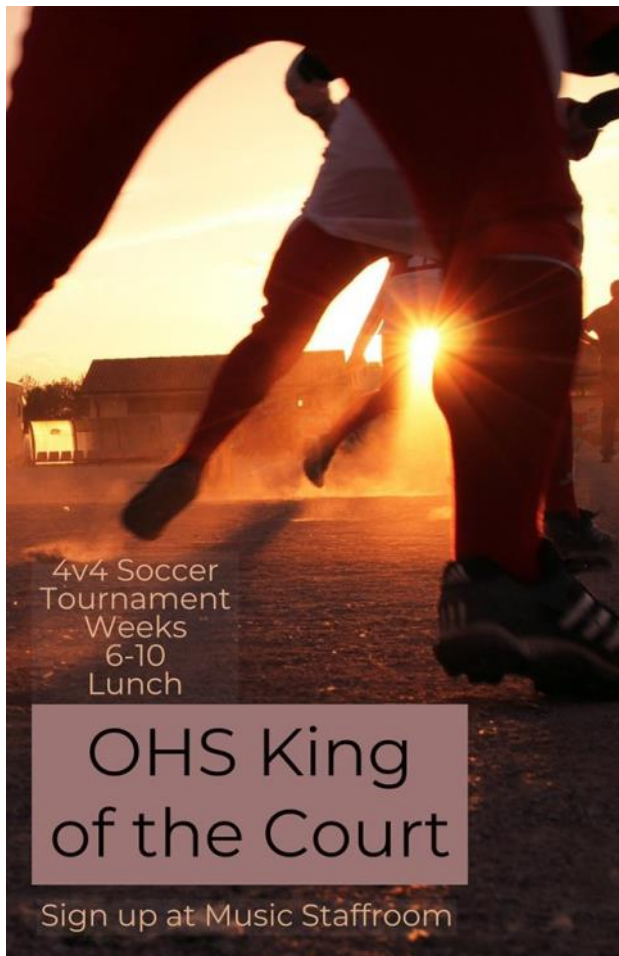
On Tuesday 30th July, fifty-seven Year 10 students participated in the Bathurst Jobs Expo.

The day consisted of hearing from Tommy Griffiths, Future Moves Facilitator with Charles Sturt University, about the nature of careers as well as his experiences transitioning from school and into the workforce. The students then had time to visit the Jobs Expo, collecting pens, pamphlets and lollies from the 64 exhibitors in attendance. A great day learning about potential job opportunities in the Central West. Thanks to Miss Peasley and Mr Wharton for accompanying the students to Bathurst.

Mr Pearson



OHS King of the Court



Do you and your friends think you have what it takes to be crowned the lords of the court?

Are you the best Soccer player or team in your stage group?

This term students at Orange High School have the opportunity to show their skills in a four a side soccer tournament on the top basketball courts. Competitions will be spit between gender and go across stage groups.

There is a maximum of five people per team with no goalies.

Positions are also available for any students from Year 9-12 to referee if they wish.

Please sign up at the Music staffroom or see Mr Bell if you have any queries.



Wear Red Day

We are pleased to announce that we raised another \$487.50 during Wear red Day for Ronald McDonald House



WEAR RED DAY

This Friday 5TH July is Wear Red Day, to fundraise for Ronald McDonald House.

Gold coin donation and students are encouraged to wear red clothing.

RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE CHARITIES

Hundreds of families from across regional NSW rely heavily on the support they receive from Ronald McDonald House Orange. It is their home away from home for sick kids and their families.

The annual mufti day will help raise some vital funds which will be directed to our very own Ronald McDonald House in Orange who would love to keep their doors open. There are very few facilities like Ronald McDonald House which are accessible for regional families.

Congratulations Mr Walton Winner of the Ugliest Jumper Competition



During the last week of Term 2 Staff held an “Ugliest Jumper” competition. Students were amazed to see their teachers in these jumpers (because we didn’t tell them it was a competition) and there were quite a few strange looks. The stars on Mrs Blowes’ jumper even lit up. The 80’s and 90’s have a lot to answer for. What a bunch of hoarders!

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You're invited to...

Get Active with Scouts!

3rd Orange Scout Group

Invites the Youth of Orange to experience Scouting at our

"2019 Open Day and new Youth Program Celebration"

Sunday, 11th August 2019, 11am to 2pm

Memory Park and Scout Hall – 3 Icely Road, Orange

Activities include Rock Climbing Wall, Obstacle Course, Damper Cooking, Bottle Rockets, Pioneering (rope & timber construction), equipment display, ski races, balance ball and craft table. A BBQ Sausage Sizzle and Drinks will be available for purchase.

FREE Registration for Activities on the Day

MEDIA FOR MILLENNIALS

COURSE BREAKDOWN

MODULE 1 - PRINT JOURNALISM

MODULE 2: BROADCAST JOURNALISM

MODULE 3: BUILD YOUR OWN BRAND/NETWORK


MODULE 4: PROFESSIONAL SKILLS


MODULE 5: SHOWREEL

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 4. LEARN THE NEWS STORY STRUCTURE FOR PRINT / ONLINE
 5. LEARN THE NEWS STORY STRUCTURE FOR RADIO/ TV AND WRITE A 60 SECOND NEWS UPDATE FOR BROADCAST
 6. HOW TO NETWORK, PITCH YOUR WORK TO PUBLICATIONS, CONNECT WITH NEWS EDITORS AND APPLY FOR WORK EXPERIENCE
 7. BUILD RESILIENCE, DEVELOP TECHNIQUES TO COPE WITH STRESS, DEADLINES & REJECTION
 8. DEVELOP NEWS READING AND PRESENTATION SKILLS
 9. RECORD A 60 SECOND RADIO UPDATE
 10. RECORD A 60 SECOND TV NEWS UPDATE
- BOTH UPDATES ARE SHOWREELS THAT CAN BE USED FOR AIR-CHECKS WHEN APPLYING FOR JOBS, INTERNSHIPS AND WORK EXPERIENCE.
- STUDENTS WILL RECEIVE THEIR SHOWREELS ON A USB AND A CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION.

MAFIA EVENTS PRESENTS ALL SCHOOLS U18 DANCE PARTY

SEPTEMBER 14, 2019 | 6:30PM - 10:00PM

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REGISTRATION & FAMILY FUN DAY

Want to try a new sport? No experience or equipment needed!

Saturday 7th September 2019

At the Diamonds, **Jack Brabham Park**

1pm to 5pm



- Learn basic rules
- Training Drills for all divisions
- Fun games
- Free Sausage Sizzle for participants
- Come & meet Representative Players

TeeBall, ~~Modball~~, Under 12's, Under 16's, Mixed B, Opens
Ages from 5 years and up

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