Term 1: Week 7 – 9th March 2016

CALANDER OF EVENTS

March
15th Assembly
30th OSSA Athletics Carnival

April
6th Bell Shakespeare
8th Last Day Term One

Sporting Success
Congratulations to Harry and Ben who have gone onto the next level in their areas of sport. Harry and the OSSA Relay Team are going to Homebush to compete in the state competition and Ben was one of five chosen from Orange to go to the next level of PSSA cricket selections in Dubbo. Well done boys!

Band
There will be no band this Friday as Mrs Mickle is away, however Kylie Gregory will be here for flute, saxophone, clarinet and xylophone tutorials starting at 8.30 with concert band flutes. Mrs Mickle will be here on the following Monday for everyone in lieu of this Friday. Please remember instruments on that day. We are seeing a lot of instruments being damaged. Please take care of these valuable items at home as repair costs are mounting up.

Kindergarten Best Start reports
Kindergarten parents will find Best Start reports attached to this newsletter. These contain the results of the Literacy and Numeracy testing that occurred in the first week of school along with some suggestions of how to help your child at home.

Year 7 2017
Year 6 students will find their Expression of Interest for High School attached to this newsletter. All students need to return this form. Please see Mrs Manson if you need to discuss it. Students have been given details about what is required on the form. They need to be returned to the office by Friday 18th March. Don’t forget GATS forms to be handed in to Orange High School before next Monday.

Canobolas Cricket
This Thursday the Canobolas cricket team will play their first match in the PSSA competition. Their game will be held at Moulder Park and will be played against Mulyan PS. Mr Hughes-Clapp will attend on the day. Many thanks to Mr Doherty who has been coaching the boys since term 4 last year. Good luck!

Black Gate
The black gate near the office is now fixed and back in use. Many thanks to Vickie and Jason Walker (Kyle’s grandparents) who fixed the gate for us. A reminder, please don’t park in the driveway at the end of the day as staff sometimes need to leave.

Planned Power Outage
Next Wednesday 15th March, Essential Energy will be cutting off the power to the school and undertaking maintenance. There will be a generator installed on the day for power, but there may be trucks on the road and traffic hazards. Please take extra care on the road that morning.

New P&C Committee
Welcome aboard to the new P&C committee for 2016! (See over) The school would like to acknowledge the hard work and dedication of the outgoing committee who have worked tirelessly on many projects. The efforts of the P&C are greatly appreciated by the school.

Soccer workshops
There will be soccer workshops for sport this Friday. We have a visitor from Football NSW who will run sessions throughout the day for K-6.

Merit Certificates
The following students received Merit Awards this week. Well done!
K: Billy, Sienna and Elise
1: Amelia, Bella and Keeden
2: Jada, Hudson and Ben H
3/4: Lucy B, Mitchell and Caitlyn
5/6: Ben A, Ethan and Charlie F
Canobolas Public School P&C News

President: Alison Ferguson  
Vice Presidents: Kate Yeo and Bianca Grayson  
Treasurer: Amanda Gleeson and Laura Primrose  
Secretary: Susan Barnes

Thursday Cake Day Roster

Thursday 10th March

Finlay  Foley  Fossilo  Gibson  Gleeson

Next Week 17th March Glenn/Gordon/Hall/Harrison/Hartley

Upcoming 24th March Herbert/Hetherington/Hopcraft/Hunt/Jones

31st March Kerrasch/King/Langford/Laws/Lynch

7th April Mages/Manson/Martelli/Mattick/McCardell

****IMPORTANT NOTICE****
The school asks parent NOT to send nut related foods due to allergies student allergies

Any Questions Contact
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NEW P AND C ELECTED

Firstly let me thank Mel Caulfield for being P and C President for the past three years. She has done a great job and I have big shoes to fill. Also to the outgoing committee Adelie Badman, Amanda Gleeson and Cassy Murphy. You have all done fabulous work and I know you will all still be around to help out. Thanks to Kyra McKay as well for organising cakes every week. The new committee is as follows:

President  Alison Ferguson  
Vice Presidents Kate Yeo and Bianca Grayson  
Treasurer/Canteen Catering  Amanda Gleeson and Laura Primrose.  
Secretary Susan Barnes

Thanks to everyone for getting involved and I’m sure we will have a great year

Upcoming Events

Mothers Day Stall Wednesday 4th May
If anyone has any gift bags they would like to donate to the stall to put the gifts in that would be great. They can be left at the office.

Fete 2016 Date TBC
Get growing, cleaning out, collecting, making craft or art to sell on the day. All donations welcome

You may have noticed Meringues are now not prohibited from cake day so feel free to make meringues or macrons to bring. They are always a hit with the children.