



# Orana Heights Public School



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The Dubbo District Swimming Carnival was held last Thursday afternoon. Students that qualified from our School Carnival competed against other students from schools within our area. Dubbo Public School ended up the major winners at the end of the day, however, huge congratulations are in order for the students from Orana Heights Public School that participated and represented our school with great pride. Congratulations to Stephanie Sepping, Sophie Lockyer, Matilda Courts, Asha Lake, Max Hall, Tahlia Crowley and Tully, Willow and Ayla Pittock, and the Junior and Senior Girls Relay teams that will move on to the Western Region Swimming Carnival on the Thursday 14 March. We wish you all the best!

## Get to Know Our SRC.....

**Levi Ah-See (R)**

**Favourite subject** - Art

**Hobbies** - Playing my PlayStation and sleeping

**Likes** - Dogs

**Dislikes** - Cats

**Interesting fact about yourself** - I knew seven people from OHPS before I even started here.

**Corey Binks (L)**

**Favourite Subject** - Art

**Hobbies** - Cooking and sleeping

**Likes** - Gogglebox

**Dislikes** - People jump scaring me and getting sprayed with water.

**Interesting fact about yourself** - I look up to my older brother because... he is taller than me!



### From the Principal's desk

- OHPS is a registered **SunSmart school** with the NSW Cancer Council. All students are to wear a brimmed hat all year around as a part of their uniform and for sun safety. Please continue to ensure your child has their hat each day. Any student without a hat will use the "No hat, no play" area during the breaks.
- Please be mindful that whenever **your child is in school uniform they are representing** our school, even if it is later in the evening or very early of a morning. I received a couple of concerning issues last week due to the child being in "Orana Heights school uniform".
- There are a number of Knockout **sports teams** currently training for their up and coming competition. For their inclusion on a team- each student has to be considered a worthwhile representative of OHPS. The class teacher, sports coordinator and executive staff all monitor behaviour and positive attitude for this sign-off.
- Congratulations to all the students who competed in the **District swimming** carnival last week. A smooth night attended well by families and staff.
- Please **do not bring dogs** on the school grounds unless they are assistant dogs or an organised puppy visit for news.
- **Tonight's P&C meeting** is the AGM. We look forward to seeing many of you there. We meet at 6pm in the teacher's staffroom.

*"Building resilience in children is not about making them tough. Resilience is the ability to recover from difficulties and manage how you feel." (from easypeasykids.com.au)*

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### Parent/ teacher Interviews

Bookings are done on-line. A note has been sent home to all students today with instructions on how to book an interview.

### Year 6 Excursion

The total cost of the excursion must be finalised by: **Friday 29 March 2019 - Week 9**

### Book Club

ORDERS CLOSE FRIDAY 15 MARCH 2019

Scholastic Book Club issue two has been distributed across the school. See your child's teacher if you have not received a copy.

Please read the important information sent home about book club payments.

This issue will be the final opportunity to pay with cash. From Term 2 we will accept cheque and LOOP only.

LOOP is the Scholastic Book Club; Linked Online Ordering & Payment platform

It's easy to order and pay online for your child's Book Club order using your credit card. If you pay online using LOOP platform for parents, there's no need to return paper order forms or payment receipt details to school.

### Stewart House Donation Drive 2019

Envelopes have been sent home to the youngest student in the family today. If you would like to make a donation to Stewart House please send envelopes back your child's classroom teacher by Friday 29 March 2019.

### Sun protection myth



You do not get sunburnt on cool or cloudy days.

**FALSE:** UV radiation that causes sunburn can be just as high on cool or cloudy days as it is on sunny ones. You can't see or feel UV radiation. Be aware that skin damage can occur on these days.

### Congratulations to the following Award Winners

#### Honour Awards

Jazmyn Button  
Kiara Chatfield  
Cooper Peisley  
Hayden Peisley  
Wall  
Cejay Hummel x 5  
Panayiota Haralampopoulos

Bronte Cunningham  
Molly Caton  
Ava Harper  
Lilly Baaten

Isabella Baldwin x 2

Jasmine Blackman x 2  
Chase Kardell  
Jai Wall  
Kareel South Hill x 3

Shavawn Dyer  
Maddison-Leigh Wardman x 2

Bronte Cunningham  
Inara-Jean Dawson  
Abbey Chatfield  
Gabriel Goedhart

Tangunui Te Kanawa-Hopa

Maxwell Hall  
Kenneth Powers  
Hayden Peisley x 2  
Ella



#### Distinction Awards

Hayden Peisley  
Maddison-Leigh Wardman

Cooper Peisley

Grace Carr  
Zienna Wathen-Romans

Cejay Hummel





**IMPORTANT INFORMATION about Book Club** - Term One will be your **final opportunity to place a book club order with cash or cheque.**

From Term Two all orders placed by parents will be via the Scholastic LOOP (Linked Online Ordering and Payment platform) platform. Parents can order and pay online

for their child's Book Club purchases using a credit card via LOOP.

**What is LOOP?** - LOOP is Scholastic Book Clubs **L**inked **O**nline **O**rdering & **P**ayment platform for parents.

Scholastic has introduced LOOP to make it easier for you.

LOOP eliminates paper forms plus your online order is submitted to the school safe and sound.

An App is also available to download on the app Store or you can get it on Google play.

## How to Place an Order

- ◆ Sign in or register an account at: [scholastic.com.au/loop](http://scholastic.com.au/loop)
- ◆ Click on ORDER and select school and child's class
- ◆ Add child's first name and last initial (so the school knows who the book is for)
- ◆ Enter the product item number from the Book Club catalogue
- ◆ Make payment via credit card
- ◆ All orders are attached to the school account until ready to be submitted to Scholastic by the school so there's no need to return orders or receipts to school

If you need help call our Scholastic Customer Service **1800 021 233** between 8am - 5pm.

## The **EASIEST** way for parents to order and pay for **Book Club!**

**L**inked **O**nline **O**rdering & **P**ayment platform


It's easy to order and pay online for your child's **Book Club** order using your credit card. Your order will electronically be linked to your school when you order and pay by **LOOP**.

Also available as an app:



## PBL Focus For Week: 6

Please have a chat to your child about our focus areas in the playground this week.

<b>Area B</b> <b>(Basketball/Netball courts and Down Under)</b>	<b>No Hat Area</b>	<b>COLA area is Kindergarten ONLY.</b>
<b>Respect:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Share the space</li> </ul> <b>Responsibility:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Food free area</li> <li>◆ Play games by the rules</li> <li>◆ Pack up equipment</li> </ul> <b>Safety:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Hats on</li> <li>◆ Walk on cement</li> <li>◆ Sitting on silver seats</li> </ul>	<p>Students without hats must <b>SIT</b> on the silver seats in the <b>COLA</b> area in front of C Block.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ You may bring a book to read.</li> <li>◆ Follow Instructions</li> <li>◆ Share the space</li> <li>◆ Keep hands, feet and mouth to yourself.</li> <li>◆ Remain on the silver seat.</li> <li>◆ Wait responsibly and speak respectfully</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Quiet games</li> <li>◆ Pack up equipment</li> <li>◆ Put rubbish in the bin</li> <li>◆ No running</li> </ul> 

# School Dance

**Venue:** Orana Heights Public School Auditorium  
**Date:** Thursday 4th April 2019

Kindergarten, Year 1 and Year 2 - 4:00pm – 5:15pm  
 Year 3 and Year 4 - 5:30pm – 6:45pm  
 Year 5 and Year 6 - 7:00pm – 8:15pm

**Cost - \$5.00 -** (Entry to dance, a drink, and a treat)

**Dress – Fluro/Neon**

**Glow Products will be available \$1each or 3 for \$2.00**



## 2019 CHARITY GOLF DAY DUBBO GOLF CLUB

**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> March**  
**St Patricks Day**  
**4 Man Ambrose**  
**12pm Shotgun Start.**

\$50 per person  
BBQ Lunch &  
Afternoon Tea included.  
Registrations & Entry fee  
Dubbo Golf Pro Shop  
68 82 2201

**Prizes & Competitions**  
Including Nearest the pin,  
straightest drive, putting  
competition & **best dressed**  
**St Patricks Day team.**

More Information Contact  
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## Golf For Kids'Sake



*'Hear our Heart' is a project of local charity, Dubbo Deaf Club. The project provides ear health education, targeted hearing screening, diagnostic hearing testing and FREE Ear Specialist Clinics for all public and private schools/childcare in Dubbo and District. Hear Our Heart Ear Bus Project is a not for profit organisation.*

*Please help us in continuing our vital service.*

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## Term 1 - 2019 Planner

Week	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
<b>6</b>	4	5 Student Banking	6	7	8 9-10.30 Playgroup
<b>7</b>	11	12	13	14 Western Swimming Carnival Selective High School Yr 7 Test	15 9-10.30 Playgroup 12.30-1.25pm K-2 Assembly 2.10-2.45pm Yrs 3-6 Assembly
<b>8</b>	18	19 Student Banking	20	21	22
<b>9</b>	25	26 Stage 2 Gruffalo Excursion	27	28	29
<b>10 April</b>	1	2 School Photos	3	4	5 9am-3pm Science & Engineering Challenge 12.30-1.25pm K-2 Assembly 2.10-2.45pm Yrs 3-6 Assembly
<b>11</b>	8	9 Student Banking	10 School Photo Catch-up Day Year 6 Sydney Excursion	11 Year 6 Sydney Excursion	12 Year 6 Sydney Excursion



Orana Heights Public School students will be participating in Harmony Day lessons on Thursday 21 March 2019. Students to wear Orange (or Yellow) with a \$2.00 donation.

All money raised will go towards OXFAM

(Oxfam is a confederation of 20 independent charitable organisations focusing on the alleviation of global poverty, founded in 1942 and led by Oxfam International. It is a major non-profit group with an extensive collection of operations.)

