Principal’s Message

Dear Parents/Carers and Friends,

Quote of the Week:
“To the mind that is still, the whole universe surrenders” Lao Tzu

PSSA Friday Sport
In Terms 2 and 4 students in Years 3 to 6 participate in PSSA sport. The aim of this fantastic sporting event is to allow students to experience team sports playing against other schools in our local area. The organisation of this is complex yet smooth. Students who use a bus for transport are to pay $3.50 per week and we ask this be kept up to date. If a student’s behaviour is deemed as unsuitable they may not be able to attend sport that is outside the school. Please contact your child’s class teacher if you have further questions.

Fete
Our annual school fete is coming up on Friday 31st October. We realise you may not be able to donate your time due to work commitments however we ask you please support your child’s class activity or other school activities by making donations as listed in this newsletter. The P&C team are working hard to make this the biggest and best fete ever! We look forward to seeing you all there.

Kindergarten 2015
Our Kindergarten staff are preparing for the Kindystart program which will commence on the 4th November. Orana Heights already has a good number of enrolments however if you have not yet enrolled your child for Kindergarten 2015, or you know of someone else that needs to, we ask you please do this very soon so all students have the benefit of being involved in the Kindystart program. This is a valuable transition time that develops confidence and lessens anxiety for the start of 2015. Enrolment packages are available at the front office.

K-2 Sports day
Thank you to all parents and friends who came and watched and participated in the K-2 sports day last Friday. It was great to see so many supporters. Also thanks to those who supported the cake stall with either a donation or a purchase.

Annie Munro
Principal (R)

KINDYSTART (Weeks 1—4)

Term 4 is here again and so is ‘Kindystart’. We will run this orientation program for 2015 Kindergarten students over three weeks.

1. Tuesday 4th November, 1.40—2.40pm
2. Tuesday 11th November, 1.40—2.40pm
3. Tuesday 18th November, 1.40—2.40pm

Each session will be held in the school library, where parents/carers will hear about Orana Heights Public School and the enrolment process.

We hope to see you and your 2015 Kindergarten child on these three dates. Please let any other prospective parents know that enrolment packages are at the school office.
### Term 4 - 2014 Planner

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### Sport News
Good luck to the following students who will be competing at State Athletics in Sydney on Wednesday and Thursday.
Matthew Bridges, Braith Carroll, Jacob Clarke, Paycee Cubby, Patrick Gibson, Bailey Lacrosse, Liam Mitchell, George Munro, Emily O’Dea, Aeddan Todhunter.

We are very proud of your achievement.
GO ORANA!

### Honour Awards
- Brianna Sayers
- Madeleine Mann
- Casey-Anne Palenski
- Leaum Walford
- Zachariah Starr
- Kasey Walford
- Montanna McNair
- Corey Binks
- Mackenzi Roworth
- Chase Cubby
- Kye Toll
- Jack Byrne
- Broc Brimley
- Kaia Honfi
- Nisarg Amin
- Simone Dudgeon
- Bayley Binks
- Bella Henry
- Angus Keller
- Kambell Ross
- Liam Mitchell
- Bailey Nott

### Distinction Awards
- Joseph Flyger
- Brianna Sayers
- Talisha Hedger
- Nisarg Amin
- Chloe Smith

### Canteen Volunteers

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### Canteen Meal Deals for Term 4 (Cost $5)
- Monday—Wedges
- Tuesday—Salad box
- Wednesday—Hot Dog
- Thursday—Chicken, lettuce and mayo wrap
- Friday—Bacon and cheese savoury bun

Plus Popper and a choice of fruit ice block and cookie.
Any of the following donations would be greatly appreciated.

Coloured Hairspray, Nail Polish and Nail Art Stickers, Tattoos, Corn Flour, Food Colouring, Wrapped Chocolates, Lollies, Fizzy Drink, Jaffa’s, Brown Paper Bags. Small items that can be used for prizes (small loot bag toys). Items for our Trash & Treasure stall.

Milk Arrow Biscuits, Ready Made Icing & Lollies to decorate the biscuits - (please send to 5L)

If you are able to help on a stall please phone Tracey Anderson on 0410 488 639.

MONEY TAG ORDER FORM

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Money Tag: _______ @ $5.00 Tag _______ @ $10.00 Tag Total enclosed $ ____________

Money and order form due back by Wednesday 27 October 2014
K-2 Sports Day

Students enjoyed a highly successful Sports Day last Friday. Plenty of ribbons were won in a great display of racing and sportsmanship. Thank you to the parents and friends who attended on the day and also to those parents who brought food for the cake stall. The races in each year group were very hotly contested, but none more so than the finals. The finals saw a boy and girl running champion crowned from Kindergarten, Year 1 and Year 2. Kindergarten champions were Chloe Richards and Kareel South Hill; Year 1 champions were Keely Howard and Bailey Stonestreet; and Year 2 champions were Zac Miller and Shoniquah Pope. Congratulations to the winners and all participants in the Sports Day. As points were being counted throughout the morning, it became apparent early on that it was going to be very close! As the total points were counted and double checked, the totals for each house were incredibly close. Laver came in 4th place, Spears 3rd place, Bradman 2nd place and 1st place went to Cuthbert.

Touch Football Gala Day
Team Oakey Dokey participated in the local Touch Gala Day on Saturday 11th October. The team consisted of teachers from Orana Heights and their partners or relatives and of course, Oakey Dokey himself! Although, we only won one game, we had a lot of fun! It was great to see our school participating in this community event.

Stage Two Child Protection Lessons
All Stage Two students are participating in Child Protection lessons this term. The lessons are a mandatory part of the PDHPE syllabus. If you have any questions please see your child's teacher.

CHEEKY CHOOSE-DAYS
This is a fun interactive group with games and activities for children to enjoy with their families in an after school setting.

When: Tuesdays during school terms
Time: 3.30—4.45pm
Where: Dubbo Uniting Church, Wesley Hall, Church Street
Who: Children 4-12 years and their families/carers

JDRF WALK TO CURE DIABETES
Dubbo Walk at 10am
Sunday 19th October 2014
Roden Cutler Park (Down the hill from Club Dubbo)
BBQ, Face Painting, Hoopla, Displays, FREE Jumping castle and more
To register please go to www.jdrf.org.au/walk or call 1300 363 126

Kindergarten Enrolment forms are available from the front office.