Friday, October 18th 2013
Term 4, Week 2

PRINCIPAL’S REPORT

Arts Evening
Congratulations to everyone involved in our Arts Evening which took place last Tuesday evening. It was great to see the musical and artistic talent on display. These evenings take a great deal of preparation and our thanks must go to Mrs Woodall, Mrs Nerida Morrish, Mrs Vine and Julia Woodall (our Music Captain). Thank you also to the parents and community members who came along to support our students.

Year 12’s last week at school
Our Year 12 students finish formal secondary lessons next Wednesday, October 23rd. A luncheon in their honour will be held on this day. This will mark the beginning of exam preparation week with the English exam taking place on October 30th. I would like to wish our students the very best for their exam. I know how hard they have all worked and I am sure they will reap the benefits of this over the coming weeks and into the future.

Bicycle Safety Month
October is Bicycle Safety month. In recognition of this, Senior Constable Heath Comrie will visit our Primary Campus to talk to us about how to stay safe on bikes.

College Council
The October meeting of College Council will take place next Tuesday, October 22nd at 7.30pm.

Leanne Dawes
Principal

Secondary Campus
School Service
Charlie O’Connor-Byrne & Josh Petersen

Monday
◊ Free dress day
◊ Main day for jobs
◊ No student will miss English or Math classes.

Tuesday - Friday
◊ Empty bins (during afternoon Home Group time)
◊ No classes will be missed.

VCE News:
After being together for six years, our Year 12 students shared their last sports session at Ouyen P-12 College on Friday.

They will have their final day at school on Wednesday before starting their exams on November 30th.

We wish them the best of luck with their exams.

Mrs. O’Connor
Year 11/12 Coordinator
NOTES HOME THIS WEEK:
◊ Years 7 & 8 Camp Form #1 due next Friday, October 25th

CHANGE OF ADDRESS, NAME OR PHONE NUMBER:
If you have recently moved, changed your phone number, changed your name or changed employment, please advise the school. We require the correct address and contact numbers in an emergency.

STUDENT OF THE WEEK:
PREP:   Maya Scott
YEAR 1:   Ethan Coe
YEAR 2:   Elliott Binks
YEAR 3:  Chloe Latta
YEAR 4:  Blake Gaulke
YEAR 5:  Joel West

PRIMARY CAMPUS NEWS

PRIMARY CAMPUS AWARDS

HATS are COMPULSORY in Term 4.
No hat, no play.

ACTIVE AFTER SCHOOL
Active After School has started this week
* Tuesday - Cricket
* Wednesday - Lawn bowls for a couple of weeks then Basketball.
It is a great chance to run around and be active while also learning some new skills along the way.
Limited to the first twenty people signed up.
Sessions finish at 4:30 and prompt pick up would be appreciated.
To sign up, or if there are any questions please contact the Primary Office.

YEAR 6 TRANSITION:
Our Year 6 feeder school students have begun transition to secondary school.
Oscar Smith, Will Torpey, Jesse Lynch & Christopher Richardson are pictured in their Textiles class.
Also attending from our feeder schools are Greta Hayter & Jessica Down. Welcome to you all.

Ouyen Junior Tennis
This competition will run on Friday nights from October 25th until Christmas, with a draw and finals.
After Christmas there will be an informal competition.
Children should be aged between 8 -14 years.
There will be a friendly hit tonight from 4.30pm onwards to dust off the racquets, grade kids, register and discuss ideas.
Names should be put down at Gregg's Electrical.

Ouyen Junior Cricket
Cricket commences this Saturday October 19th with an 8.30am start.
Round 1:
Kiamal vs. Tigers
Blackburn Park
Galah vs. Ouyen Secondary College
Primary school cricket will also commence this Saturday starting at 8.30am.
All welcome to attend and play.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:
Laughter is sunshine in a house

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
October 20th - Abbey Latta
October 24th - Ella Hastings
October 25th - Courtney Maynard

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TIDY ROOM AWARD:
Prep
ATTENDANCE BEAR:
Year 1
Friday Bike Riding is BACK

Next Friday, October 25th Mrs Morrish will resume her Friday bike rides.

The first “pick up” point will be at the Henderson/Hughes Street corner at 8:30am. Second “pick up” point is at the Emmett/Johnson Street corner at 8:40am. Travellers should then expect to arrive at school at 8:50am.

Congratulations to the Year 6 students – Liam, Ben, Nic, Hallie, Gemma and Kaitlin who represented Ouyen P-12 College at the Northern Zone primary athletic sports in Bendigo on Monday, October 14th.

In cold, windy and sometimes rainy conditions, the students competed enthusiastically with many achieving personal bests.

A big thank you to the families who supported the children on the day.
On Tuesday another very successful Arts Evening was held here at Ouyen P-12 College. Our audience is growing each year and is indicative of the growing emphasis on the Arts in our school and the support of the community. Each of the acts presented, demonstrated a great deal of preparation and confidence to perform in front of an audience. There have been many positive responses regarding the level of talent and quality of entertainment. It is also fantastic to see our visual arts works on display, as it adds to the atmosphere and showcases the exceptional talent we have at our school. Thank you to all parents for attending and bringing your children, as without this, the Arts Evening would not be possible. Also, congratulations to our students for their willingness to perform and thank you for their valuable assistance with setting up and packing up. We are now looking forward to next year and ask that our arts students start thinking ahead as it would be great to see some new faces in our line-up.

Shelley Woodall, Nerida Morrish & Raelene Vine
**APRENTICE POSITIONS**

Baker seeks a School Based Apprentice to learn all aspects of baking – particularly small goods / pastries etc.

Panel Shop looking to employ full time apprentice - Spray Painting. Great opportunity for the right applicant.

**SUNITAFE - Ouyen**

*Responsible Service of Alcohol* $80  
*Monday, October 21st, 5pm – 10pm*

**SMGT – SHORT COURSES**

*Food Handlers*, $65  
*Monday, November 11th, 9th December, 5pm – 8pm, Construction Induction Card, Students $120  
*Monday, November 25th, 8.30am – 3pm *

*Responsible Service of Alcohol* $65  
*Monday, November 11th, December 9th, 5pm – 9pm *

*Skills Passport* $150  
*8.30am – 4pm, Dates to be advised or a group booking when suits. More Details contact Tamara, SMGT Phone 50221833*

**APPRENTICESHIP OPPORTUNITY**

Certificate 3 in Automotive - Heavy Vehicle  
Certificate 3 in Automotive – Light Vehicle  
Certificate 3 in Carpentry – min 2nd year required  
Application letter & resume required. For further information please contact Breece or Fiona at AusNAC  
147 Tenth Street Mildura, VIC 3500 Ph 5023 6166

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See Mrs Sly for more details.

**SEA LIFE MELBOURNE AQUARIUM WORK EXPERIENCE FOR 2014**

Sea Life Melbourne Aquarium is now taking applications for secondary work experience in 2014.

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**SITUATION VACANT**

**Refrigeration – Air Conditioning**

**Apprenticeship**

**Euston**

More details from Sue Sly or send written application and resume to

**The Director**

**Sutton Refrigeration Pty Ltd**

**Po Box 175**

**Euston NSW 2737**

Or phone **0409 024 283 for more information.**

Applications close November 1st.

**Forms and further information can be requested by emailing Lauren Taylor, Education Supervisor at Sea Life Melbourne Aquarium.**


**YOUTH ALLOWANCE**

All Year 12 students are encouraged to visit the Centrelink office and apply for Youth Allowance as soon as possible after your last exam.

Payment Finder at www.humanservices.gov.au will assist in what benefits you may be entitled to.

**Remember no two applications will be the same;** $1.00 fortnightly payment is all that is required to qualify for the following scholarships that are distributed through Centrelink

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A team of forty nine students made Ouyen P-12 College proud last Thursday when they competed in SSV Loddon Mallee Regional Athletics at Bendigo.

The day was overcast and quite warm until the relays when the cool change came through. Well done to all of our students who participated with determination and enthusiasm, with many receiving places in their events. As a result of their efforts Ouyen P-12 were Overall Champion School for 2013.

Thank you to:
- Mrs. Morrish who has given up her lunchtimes to assist with the organisation and running of training and accompanied students to their events.
- Mr Emms who accompanied and encouraged students at their events and Mr Stewart who supervised our area and ensured that our competitors were heading to their events on time.
- To the parents who came and supported their students and the Ouyen P-12 team.

Four students have qualified to contest the SSV Athletics State Championships at the new Athletics Centre in Melbourne next Tuesday.

Congratulations and Good Luck to

- Luke Coates B 17 Years 1500m, Javelin, High Jump
- Demi Elliott G 12-13 Years 1500m
- Thomas Elliott B 18-20 Years Shot Put
- Stephanie Boyd G 18-20 Years Hurdles

A full report with placings and photos will be presented in next week’s newsletter.

Thank you and Good Luck to the VCE Class of 2013

We would like to take this opportunity to thank our Year 12 students for their contribution to the Sports Program while they have been attending Secondary College. They have been a very active and successful group in the Sports Program, setting a positive example to their peers.

Many of these students have represented our school at State Level in Swimming, Cross Country, Athletics and Cricket.

We wish them luck with their exams and hope they continue to succeed in their sporting and life endeavours in the future.

Well done and Thank you.
PARENTS ASSOCIATION

Meeting: Our next meeting, on October 28th, will be our last one at the Primary Campus. It would be wonderful to see more than a few parents/carers there, whether you’ve been before, or not. Should PA do anything special for the farewell to the Primary campus buildings/site? Let us know.

Congratulations: to all students whose Art works were displayed at the Arts Evening this week – a lot of discussion was generated as people checked it all out. There was a great variety of eye-catching and thought-provoking creations. Congratulations, too, to those who braved their nerves and performed musical items – both instrumental and vocal - for the audience – an entertaining show with some dedicated talent on show, along with pure enjoyment of music. Best wishes for Saturday’s performance at Patchewollock by Years 5 & 6.

Catering:

Year 12 Luncheon – will be on October 23rd. Could Year 11 families please see the attached list and contact Raelene Vine on 0407 849174 or 50921598 with your offer? There’s still a fair bit to be covered – including people to prepare, serve and clean up.

Best wishes to our year 12 students and staff with only two more days of classes left before starting swotvac and exams. Thank you for your contributions to our school’s life over your time – we look forward to recognising you with the dinner on Wednesday, and on presentation evening.

Street Stall – We are finalising a date at the moment for the PA street stall to raise funds to supplement our contribution towards the new pool blanket. Details soon.

Sheep Sale – we are nearly to the end of Sheep Sale season. Thanks to all who have taken their turn and worked in the kiosk, baked, or made sandwiches for sale from the kiosk throughout the year. Your efforts are appreciated by those attending sales, workers, PA, and the students and staff who benefit from the funds raised. We especially thank Kate Pohlner for her role as Kiosk supervisor, and Michelle Morrish for the time put in to ensuring rosters are done, and each sale’s team is prepared for their turn, the cash tin is ready, and all is in order. These tasks involve regular time commitment which Kate and Michelle give willingly.

What’s your child’s learning/study space like? – Natural or indirect lighting such as a desk lamp is best. Try not to study under fluorescent lighting as it may raise cortisol levels in the blood stream and suppress the immune system.

[Help your child succeed at school – a guide for parents: Andrew Fuller]

Justine Cresp – President, Raelene Vine – Secretary

Catering – Year 12 luncheon for about 40 diners – 12:15p.m., October 23rd in Secondary Campus staffroom

Year 11 families to cater - Contact Raelene Vine – 50921598 or 0407 849174

2 or 3 Workers: 10.00a.m. – 1.30p.m.-ish. Could items please be delivered to the Secondary campus office or staffroom by 10a.m.

Items in bold are covered.

Food items:
2 cooked chickens
1 punnet cherry tomatoes
125g block tasty cheese
18 slices ham
4 dozen homemade sausage rolls
3 doz party pies
1 mini loaf pkt mixed sandwiches
6 bags corn chips
2 x 300ml sour cream
2 x large pkt mixed soft lollies
1/4 watermelon
1/2 pineapple
2 pears
3 punnets strawberries
2 oranges
1 x 4L icecream
1 small tray celery
200g lettuce mix
6 carrots
1 doz boiled & peeled eggs
2 doz party pasties or similar
2 trays pizza
2 jars salsa
2 x 500g bag grated cheese
250ml tomato sauce
4 x 2L fruit juice
1/2 canteloupe
4 kiwi fruit
4 apples
4 bananas
300g grapes

$20 donation - chickens

Thanks – the Catering Team: Loronda, Bec, and Raelene

SHEEP SALE ROSTER:

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