



Orana Leaflet

Orana's fortnightly newsletter
5th April 2019

WHAT'S COMING UP IN THE NEXT FORTNIGHT:

Monday April 8	Tyke-Oh Japanese drumming Year 10, 11, 12 Drama Monologue Performances 5.45pm
Tuesday April 9	Years 5-10 Athletics Carnival
Wednesday April 10	SS ACT Combined Secondary Region Swimming Carnival
Thursday April 11	Touch Football ACT Years 5-6 Gala Day
Friday April 12	Early Childhood Easter Puppet Show LAST DAY OF TERM 1
Monday April 15	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS BEGIN

MONDAY APRIL 29 TERM 2 BEGINS



Year 10 girls rowing on Lake Burley Griffin

CELEBRATING OUR STUDENTS' ACHIEVEMENTS:

This season a 'new look' Under 14's Orana basketball team started on a new sporting adventure. Joining six original players were four players new to the game, after a couple of training sessions we set to the court. It was quickly apparent that these Steiner children had listened and retained what the coach had been teaching them, and they quickly worked to get a solid lead. With 1 game of the normal season remaining, the Orana-tangs remain second on the ladder after what can only be described as an incredible season.

Our new players have effortlessly blended with the seasoned players, and boosted our height and skill considerably.

Watching a game on the weekend is a sight to behold, as all 10 players are so full of energy and enthusiasm giving 100%.

Most importantly, they are having heaps of fun, extending their friendships and skill both on and off the court. In addition, the family members in the crowd enjoy the weekly games and catch-ups!

Well done to all the boys for committing to a solid season and giving it everything. Our team is made stronger by everyone's ability to handle the ball and share it round, (no 'hogs' here) and in most games everyone scores at least one basket.

Special thanks to Sally Hewatt and Mark Mikolajczak for assisting with coaching and team management this season.

Callum Kain – full of surprise and with some serious speed.

Samuel Wetherspoon – fast break extraordinaire, and with an impressive 3 point shot!

Tom Maconachie – a valuable player, particularly under the ring for the rebounds and follow up shots.

Joseph Varsanyi Grobber – our centre with fire and determination for some serious ball action, with a few dance moves thrown in!

Levi Scamp – all-rounder who helps his team both on and off the court, even when sidelined due to injury.

Lucas Samaras – he has good days, then he has great days - at times it seems he couldn't miss if he tried!

Owen Boswell – Drops the long swish with style and grace every game.

Jakub Mikolajczak – speedy and stealth-like, Jakub is our steel master and proficient guard.

James Plazier – Our relaxed forward who puts his shots up with the greatest of ease.

Mateusz Mikolajczak – aka 'Cupcake' - our defence guru. The smallest guy on the court, and yet the one who puts our opponents under the most pressure.

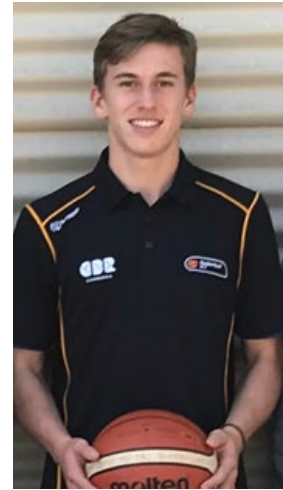
Here's to the finals series boys, GO ORANATANGS!



Last weekend, **George Harwood-Evans** entered a number of events in the ACT Little Athletics Championships. As a result of his performances, he has been selected to represent the ACT at the 2019 Coles Australian Little Athletics Championships on 27-28 April in Hobart.

Athletes are selected on the basis of their performances across a range of events. George will be competing in the triple jump (his main event), high jump, long jump and 100m.

George is also competing in the pole vault at the Australia Junior and Open Championship in Sydney. Many congratulations, George!



Sam Bates

Sam Bates has been selected to play in the State Basketball U18's team, and will be heading to Townsville in the upcoming school holidays for 10 days to represent the ACT at this National Tournament.

Fantastic work and best of luck, Sam!

AROUND THE SCHOOL THIS WEEK...



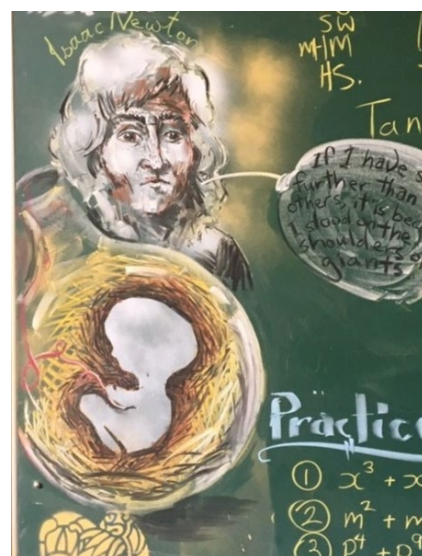
S.C. Drama students rehearse their monologues



Year 10 Broulee Surf / SUP trip



Year 6 make paper in the outdoor classroom



7MT Blackboard

ORANA HOODIES:

The Orana hoodie order is now open!

Please go to the following link if you would like to order an Orana School Hoodie:

<https://forms.gle/KrXXHQBxJtysty6R6>

You will need to fill out a new form for each hoodie that is ordered.

Due Date: Tuesday 9th April - Orders will not be accepted past this date.

Cost: \$65 which will be billed to the child's school account.

This Google form can only be filled out online - DO NOT TRY TO PRINT THIS FORM.

Parents and Friends of Orana are welcome to order a hoodie for themselves as long as the order is connected to a student of Orana. This will be the only order of these hoodies for this year.

As these are a special order, there are no exchanges or returns for incorrect sizes. It is expected this order will be ready mid-June 2019. Please check the sizing guide supplied on the form.



ORANA IS NOW ON INSTAGRAM!

Please head over to our page and follow us if you can – and help to raise awareness of our beautiful school!

RESTOCKED IN THE SHOP – HANDMADE SOAPS AND MOISTURISING LOTION BARS!

The shop's popular range of beautiful, handmade, all natural and palm oil free soaps and moisturising lotion bars have been restocked in a super-sized range of delicious fragrance combinations made using pure essential oils and edible ingredients.

Everyone needs a nice soap in their life and, for those winter days when your skin is so dry you feel like a reptile, lotion bars are what you need. Trust us.



While you're stocking up on the good stuff, don't forget to also see our range of:

- handmade, wooden and felt toys
- wool, knitting needles, pencils, wax and crayons that the kids use in their Orana classrooms
- natural and holistic care products
- handmade candles
- gourmet chocolate and chai
- handmade jewellery, jumpers and beanies
- and much more!



CALLING ALL WHO NEED AN EASY AND FUN WAY TO DO COMMUNITY HOURS!

If you can spare an hour before or after school once per fortnight AND would like to earn community hours, please consider volunteering at the school shop. The shop can't operate without volunteers!

Shifts available in term 2 are:

Every second **Monday** afternoon (2.45 – 3.45 pm)

Every second **Tuesday** morning (8.45 – 9.45 am)

Every second **Friday** afternoon (2.45 – 3.45 pm)

Tasks are easy, fun and basic training will be provided.

Please contact Rebeka Mills at oranaschoolshop@outlook.com to find out more!

WOULD YOU LIKE AN EASY WAY TO ORDER YOUR PANTRY ITEMS AND SUPPORT THE P&F COMMUNITY?

The P&F Shop runs a wholefood buying group that orders monthly. Organic and natural pantry staples, nuts, seeds and cleaning products. Wholesale prices with 10% profit going to the P&F to raise funds to support the School community and our children.

If you are interested, please email Marnie at oranaschoolshop@outlook.com to be added as a member and receive login details.

All orders are placed and paid for online then collected from school when delivered.

LIBRARY:

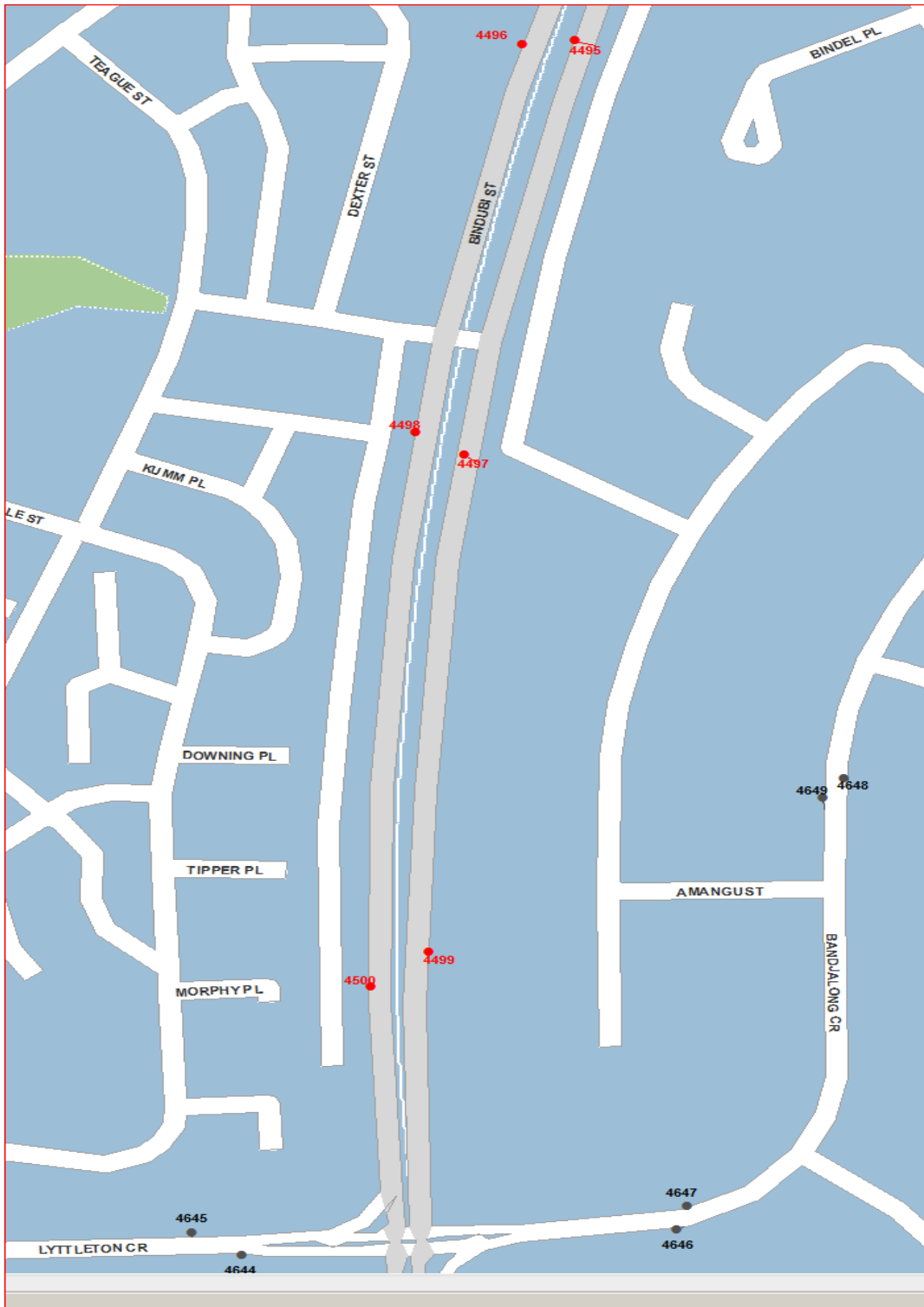
We would like to extend an invitation to parents to browse our re-vamped parent library, which is located within the main library. We have taken steps to make it a little more user friendly and relevant to meet your needs.

Please feel free to come in and browse any morning from 8.30 to 9.15 (unless there is a class using the space).

FURTHER INFORMATION ON BUSES FROM TRANSPORT CANBERRA:

We have been sent the following information from the School and Community Liaison Manager at Transport Canberra:

Please be advised that the bus stops on Bindubi Street between Redfern Street and Lyttlton Crescent (see below) will be retained for the introduction of the new network. These stops will be monitored moving forward and if found to be low use may be removed at a later date.



ADS:

Parents within our school community are able to advertise in our newsletter. The cost of advertising is \$5 for 5 or 6 lines of text. If you would like to use this opportunity please email your text through to info@oranaschool.com and pay for the ad at the Finance Office.

For sale: Frog terrarium \$85; Glass case with sliding glass door 99cm(H)X 132cm(W)X48cm(D), no cracks or nicks, mesh top. Has bowl, plastic plants and climbing items, carpet, background and light.

AMEB Cello Preliminary Grade, Series 2 book, \$10, no piano accompaniment music, some marks on pages
Makita jigsaw \$70, 4329K, 3.9Amp, variable speed, top handle, 2 yrs old, hardly used,
Makita planer, \$120, KPO800K, 620w, 82mm width, box and accessories, 2 yrs old
Phone Tracey 62889704



WORLD DANCE CLASSES FOR YOUNG PEOPLE



World dance classes give children a taste of cultural traditions through the joy of dancing together. Classes improve fitness and co-ordination in a relaxed way without competitions or dress-code.

WHEN (during school term):

2 to 4 years (with parent or carer), Thursdays 10 – 10:45am

4 to 7 years, Fridays 4:15 - 5:00pm

8 years +, Fridays 5:30 - 6:15pm

COST: \$8 per class (discount for siblings, carers free)

WHERE: Folk Dance Canberra

114 Maitland Street

Hackett ACT 2602

Enquiries: 0420 524 412 (Rebecca)

Email: folkdancecanberra@gmail.com

www.folkdancecanberra.org.au



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SPECIALISED WORKSHOPS
IN SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

REDUCED RATE AT
OUR ORANA SITE

SWISH will be operating again in the April holidays from Monday 15 April - Friday 26 April - closed public holidays. Full details of our workshops can be found on our website as well as a comprehensive FAQ section for any questions you might have.

www.swisheducation.edu.au