



THE CENTRAL CHRONICLE

Events Calendar

School Events

Friday 1st July

- Primary Assembly 9.30am
- OCS primary Athletics Carnival
- End of Term!

Tuesday 19th July

- Students back to school
- For term 3



Secondary Zone Athletics Carnival
Lockhart



SCHOOL NEWS

PRINCIPAL'S PERSPECTIVE

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

It has been an exciting few weeks at Oaklands Central School. Recently we have had students really engaged in their learning as we have practiced and assessed progress on their learning / SMART goals. As I move around the school it is evident that students are really focussed in their learning and many are making great strides in achieving their SMART goals. It is really satisfying to hear the stories of students achieving their goals and then being ready to move on to their next challenge. A number of students also travelled to Albury last Friday to attend the Science Study Day. As usual this was an excellent day, organised by local Science teachers to support students studying Science in the HSC. From all reports, the students found the day really valuable as they prepare for the HSC.

Also, in the last few weeks, students have been active in a variety of sporting activities. We have had Harper Wolter as a member of the JeriBerriOs Netball team, which continues to

win matches and progress in the knockout competition. We also have had 4 Students competing for the Zone in the Riverina Cross Country Championships. They were Nicholas Sandral (primary), Connor Fenton (secondary), Bryce Kenny (secondary) and Liam Summons (secondary). This is a wonderful example of the sporting prowess of our students and we are all very proud of their efforts.

On behalf of the students and staff at Oaklands Central School, I would like to express our great appreciation of the support that businesses, clubs and community have shown to the school in the last 6 months. We have so many parents and community members that have stepped up to help with transporting students, supporting school activities and running programs such as Breakfast Club. Recently we received support from both Uncle Tobys and The Food Bank with donations of food for the breakfast club. On Sunday the Lions Club also presented two cheques to the school. One cheque covering two bursaries to be awarded at Presentation Night and the second to assist cover costs of the Schools Spectacular. We have also received substantial support from Days Logistics, Pentarch Industrial, Wolter

Farms and other hard working community members, to assist with the Schools Spectacular. This support is really wonderful and appreciated.

As we come to the end of Semester 1, it is worth reflecting on some of the great things that have happened in our school over the last 6 months. Learning is our key focus. To drive learning we have introduced SMART goals for every student, there are PLPs in place for each student and the super 6 Literacy strategies are explicitly taught across the school. RAP continues to support our HSC students in their studies. Students have had great opportunities through a variety of workshops held inside and outside the school. We have had athletics coaching, waste workshops, and art workshops. In partnership with the P&C and the community we are working on art projects and work readiness programs. We have had students participating, with success, in all areas of sport. There has been a significant upgrade to the school's computer technology with the rollout of eT4L recently. Additionally a new school management package has been installed and is being rolled out across the school. The school has introduced computer coding for students along with a number of other popular lunchtime clubs. The school grounds are continually being maintained and beautified, with new gardens being planted, buildings being painted and repairs being undertaken. Students have repainted the basketball court under the COLA.

We have also been fortunate to have a School Chaplain appointed to our school. And finally, we are about to introduce a canteen service into the school. This is not an exhaustive list. All this is only possible because of the work of students, parents and staff as we come together as a learning community. Everyone should be proud of these achievements.

Finally, I would like to wish everyone a safe, happy and relaxing break and look forward to seeing everyone return on Tuesday 19th July for the start of term 3.

HEAD TEACHER NEWS

Head Teachers Proud Moments

We have reached Week 10, the last week of Term 2. A big term for staff and students in the secondary.

Reports and Parent/Teacher Interviews

This week on Thursday, students will be issued with their Semester One reports. We encourage parents to take the time to reflect on the reports with their children, discussing their strengths and areas of possibly improvement. We will be holding parent-teacher interviews in the first week back at school next term, so parents have had a chance to read over reports.

Secondary Regional Cross Country

On Friday 17th June we had three students participate in the Secondary Regional Cross

Country that was held in Gundagai. Well done to Liam Summons, Bryce Kenny and Connor Fenton who ran in the pack and did themselves and our school proud.



Careers Expo in Leeton

On Tuesday 21st June, students in Stage 5 had the opportunity to attend a careers expo at Leeton High School. This was a great opportunity for students to explore a number of career paths and post school educational providers. Students took the time to ask questions, explore equipment and collect pamphlets and freebies.



Staff Professional Learning

On Tuesday 21st June, staff at OCS took the time after school to participate in whole school professional learning. Staff started the first module of the HOW2Learn training, worked through the use of Google Apps in the classroom and looked at one of the Super Six Reading strategies.

Staff are continually learning and working towards improving overall learning for students in our classrooms.

Sporting Schools Athletics sessions

Thursday 23rd June saw our final Athletics session for students this term. A big thank you to Mr Clive Vogel who travelled from Albury to work with our students to build their skills in the various track and field events. Student reports show that sessions were well worth it!

Science Study Day

On Friday 24th June, Mr Longmire and Year 12 science students (Clay and David) travelled to Albury to participate in the Science Study Day. It gave the students an opportunity to work towards maximising their marks in the final Higher School Certificate Examinations.

eT4L migration

On Wednesday and Thursday during Week 9 the IT team from Deniliquin spent time in our school working on rolling us over to the new department system. Students and staff will now be able to use their personalised logon across all

NSW DoE schools. Laptops will be updated over this coming week.

Secondary Zone Athletics

On Tuesday 28th June, secondary students participated in the Secondary Zone Athletics Carnival held in Lockhart. Congratulations to all students who completed and represented our school. Furthermore good luck to those who have made it onto Regional. We are looking at having further training for these students early next term.

Finally I would like to wish families a safe and well rested holiday break. We look forward to seeing students back in Term 3 ready to fly!

PRIMARY NEWS

Schools Spectacular Fundraising Activities

A HUGE thank you to everyone who has donated to this fabulous event.

Over the last fortnight we have received donations from:

- The weekly Diamond Draw
- Jelly cups fundraising
- Oaklands & Districts Lions Club Truck Show Project
- Pentarch
- The Wolter Family
- Oaklands CWA
- Some miscellaneous donations

Again I would like to say, this has been an incredible response to help fundraise for these

girls. Everyone has been very generous. Thank you!

Uniforms

PLEASE help us out. Some jackets and jumpers have found secret hiding spaces and are yet to be found. Please help us reunite long lost clothing to their rightful owners. We look so fantastic when we are all in full school uniform and with jumpers and jackets disappearing it makes it hard for children to be in uniform.

Parent and Teacher Interviews

Thank you to the families who took the time to touch base about your child's progress. If you missed out and would like to have an interview, please contact your classroom teacher to make an alternate meeting time.

Primary Assembly

Our last Primary Assembly for this term will be on Friday 1st July at 9:30am. We hope you are able to join us for some singing and to celebrate our children's successes. Some of Year 1 will be running this one.

Reports

This week student reports will be sent home with your child. Please discuss your child's progress with them and if you have any concerns or would like to discuss any areas of the reports, I would encourage you to please contact your child's classroom teacher as soon as possible and schedule in a meeting.

Stage 1 History Excursion

On Monday a group of very excited students headed off to Lockhart to experience the history of days gone by in our local area. The students enjoyed the museum, in particular the hands on area where they got to walk in the footsteps our predecessors, pretending to cook in boundary riders huts, pump water and work in the shearing shed. Our tour guide's husband was an old OCS student who lived and worked in the Oaklands area for many years!! A great real life connection for our students. The Doris Golder wool pictures were a favourite for many. The students were fascinated by the talent and creativity of this amazing artist who created such detailed pictures from only wool! The Brookong Station was a main feature in the museum and the children had a hard time getting their heads around the sheer size and scale of the large property in the 1880's. The stories that sprang from the shearing days along the Brookong creek certainly made for interesting listening. After the museum we were off to see the artistic version of the Brookong Station history as we walked the 'Shadows of Brookong' walking track. The students were intrigued by the many creative tin and metal sculptures that depicted life on a large sheep station in the 1880's. The students were a credit to our school and really enjoyed the day. A huge thank you to Sarah Moloney and Tereasa Bennett for taking the day to assist with transport and supervision. It was greatly

a p p r e c i a t e d b y a l l .

Mrs Swann



PRIMARY SPORT



Nicholas Sandral finished 42nd in Gundagai at the Primary Riverina PSSA Cross Country. Well done Nicholas!

Oaklands Central School / The Oakies Kitchen

Students will be able to access a canteen service to order lunch at Oaklands Central School, starting on Friday 22nd July, with food provided through The Oakies Kitchen. The canteen service will run, on a trial basis, every Monday and Friday through Term 3.

To order lunch students must place an order in the school's Front Office before 9:30am.

The orders should be inside a brown paper bag with the student's name and class written on the outside of the bag. Money for the order should be placed securely inside the paper bag. While change can be provided by Oakies, it would be appreciated if the correct change is provided. Please be advised that Oaklands Central School takes no responsibility for the lunch order money or for the lunch orders.

Students will be able to pick up their lunch order from the Front Office at the start of the lunch break.

The Oakies Kitchen Menu is shown below:

Canteen list

The Oakies kitchen

Sandwiches & rolls- a choice of ham or chicken with salad \$4.00

Toasted sandwiches- ham, cheese & tomato \$3.50

Chicken & sweet chilli wrap \$4.00

Homemade sausage roll \$3.00

Fresh salad \$3.00

Hawaiian pizza sub \$4.50

Cheese burger \$4.00

Steamed dim sims & soy sauce 80c

Muffin- a different flavour every week \$3.00

Fruit slice \$2.00

Primas \$1.00

Water \$1.50

We can cater for children with dietary requirements & food allergies.

School Banking at OCS



We have had a wonderful response to the school banking programme at school. More information packs and application forms are available with the banking co-ordinator each week.

For Term 3, Commonwealth Bank, are operating "Prize Light Competition", simply make three or more school banking deposit during Term 3 and you will automatically be entered into the competition for a chance to win one of the Star Saver prizes, including camping kits, instant cameras and magazine packs. Plus you will have the chance to also win one of the Supernova prizes – 50 x Play Station 4 packs and bags of sports equipment for the school valued at \$200!

School banking on Thursdays from 8.30 to 9.00am in the school library.

If you have any questions about the program or how to set your child up, please contact the School Banking Co-ordinator Tarin Moar on 0427 847 208.

Thank you

Oaklands Central School P & C

Breakfast Club Roster Term 2, 2016

1st July Pancakes!

**Amber Summons
Olive Russell
Elise Nixon
Taylah Macartney
Sienna Bennett**



P & C NOTICE

The next P & C Meeting is

**Monday 15th August @
7.30pm**

**Please note the change of time*

**P and C meet on the 3rd Monday of
each month in the Staff Room**

Everyone Welcome!

FOR SALE

Primary Girls Navy Winter Tunics
for sale (in excellent condition)

Size 5 = \$20

Size 6 = \$20

Please contact the School office
on 6035 4290

OAKLANDS CENTRAL SCHOOL
ABSENCE NOTE

Name: _____

Class: _____ Teacher: _____

This student was absent from ____/____/____ to ____/____/____

Due to the following:

- ☐ Illness
- ☐ Injury
- ☐ Medical/Dental Appointment
- ☐ Family Commitments
- ☐ Other _____

Additional comments _____

Signed: _____

Date: _____

OAKLANDS CENTRAL SCHOOL
P & C AGENDA ITEM

Name: _____

Item: _____

Agenda submissions MUST be received 7 days prior to the P&C Meeting to be included as an agenda item. Late submissions will held until the following P&C Meeting.

OFFICE USE ONLY

DATE RECEIVED: ____/____/____



OAKLANDS CENTRAL SCHOOL
SCHOOL CONTRIBUTIONS
AND
NEWSLETTER SUBSCRIPTION

**School Contributions
for 2016:**

Primary Student: **\$30.00**

Secondary Student: **\$30.00**

Maximum per Family:
\$50.00

**Now payable to the
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Remember these contributions
benefit *YOUR* children and
YOUR community.

NEWSLETTER SUBSCRIPTION:

Paper copy **\$13.00** (incl. GST)
(email free)

P & C SUBSCRIPTION:

\$5.00

(This covers parents when working for the
P & C— e.g. working bees, catering etc.).

NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING FEES:

Whole Year: \$49.50 (inc GST)

Single Ad: Half Column \$3.30 (inc GST)

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Bring: Healthy snacks, drink bottle, sunscreen and a hat
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**SUNDAY 31st JULY 2016
9.30am**

**Registration: 9 a Side Football - \$60.00 per team
Netball - \$50.00 per team**

Nominations Close Tuesday 19th July 2016

CARNIVAL COORDINATOR/NOMINATION FORMS

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**MEN'S BOWLS AGM
SUNDAY 17TH JULY
2016
5PM AT THE CLUB
ALL INTERESTED
BOWLERS
PLEASE ATTEND**



Oaklands CWA Branch June News.

Members were happy to make a donation towards the costs of the School Choir attending the Schools Spectacular in Sydney later in the year.

Plans are well under way for the Women's Dinner Wed 18th August, 2016.

Annual donations were made to State Office towards the Association Fund, NRMA Care flight, Rural Doctor's Bush Bursary, Lyme Disease Research, & the Jopling Education Scholarship which is available to local students through our branch.

Study of Mongolia is on track with plans for our International Day.

Congratulations to Mrs Evelyn Burke on being recently awarded a Life Membership of CWA of NSW by Albury Branch.

On a sad note we are missing at our meetings a regular attendee who now sends an apology as she is **driving a school bus** instead. Well done Mandy. Our loss is Oaklands Central School's gain!

See how CWA increases confidence?

Next meeting: 2.00pm. Thurs 21st July.
All Welcome.

Heather Kerr Secretary: 0260 33 1300

The Country Women are sending parcels to Papua New Guinea to help them to sew and make clothing for their villages. Please drop off at the school office by the 27 July.

We are in desperate need of all of the following items:

- Needles - both for sewing and sewing machines
- Elastic
- Pins
- Buttons - if they are used buttons, could you ensure that the cotton has been removed
- Cottons - not from little sewing kits. We need cotton spools that go on sewing machines.
- Tape measures
- Scissors - all sizes
- Sewing machine bobbins
- Safety pins - all sizes preferably stainless steel (others rust)
- Sewing un-pickers
- Thimbles
- Zippers - nylon ones - not ones with metal teeth as these rust.
- Materials - preferably cotton or cotton mix.
- Any haberdashery items you may feel we need!!!



The CWA is Australia's largest women's organisation. Join us in helping to improve conditions for country women and children, lobby for change, and become a part of a network dedicated to supporting local communities.



OAKLANDS WOMEN'S DINNER

Wednesday 17th August 2016

Guest Speaker: Ros Vodusek From Rich Glen Olives,
Yarrawonga

Oaklands RSL Bowling Club Dining Room, Buller Street,
Oaklands

7pm for 7.30pm meal
\$45 per ticket

Tickets MUST be purchased by 8pm, Wednesday 10th August.

No tickets will be available at the door.
Please book early to avoid disappointment.

Tickets available from

Elizabeth Kerr ph: 02 6035 4406

Tereasa Bennett ph: 02 6035 4326

Tickets may also be purchased by sending payment to:
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Kids Menu

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for the Information of Members and Guests

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(7:00pm to 9:00pm)

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SUNDAY NIGHT MEMBERS DRAW

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