The Stage 3 students and teachers, plus Mr Mac left for Canberra this morning at the crack of dawn. A good time is going to be had by all involved. They are going to see so much in Canberra including Parliament House, Royal Australian Mint, Questacon and the Australian War Memorial. The bus is due back to school on Friday at approximately 5:30pm.

Enjoy your trip away

The Presentation Assembly will be held on Wednesday 9 December commencing at 11:40am.

We hope to see as many parents/carers as are able to attend to help the children and staff celebrate a wonderful, productive year.

Our Year 6 Farewell will be held on Thursday 10 December commencing at 5:30pm for a 6pm start. The farewell will be held in the school hall.

We wish our Year 6 students all the best as they start the next chapter of their lives.
CANTEEN CLOSED EACH WEDNESDAY

Clothing Pool is open every Friday from 8:45 – 9:30am in Sick Bay

CANTEEN

LAST DAY FOR THE CANTEEN WILL BE FRIDAY 11 DECEMBER 2015

UPCOMING EVENTS TERM 4

DECEMBER
Wednesday 2  Canberra Excursion (Stage 3)
Wednesday 9  Presentation Assembly 11:40
Thursday 10  Year 6 Farewell 5:30 for 6pm
Wednesday 16  Last day term 4
Friday 25  Christmas Day

JANUARY 2016
Thursday 28  School resumes for Term 1

FEBRUARY 2016
Monday 1  Swimming Carnival

Gotcha’s

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IF THERE ARE ANY PARENTS WHO PUT THEIR NAME DOWN FOR A COPY OF THE PRODUCTION DVD PLEASE COME INTO THE OFFICE TO PURCHASE THIS.

NOTES FROM P&C

The next P & C meeting will be on Monday 7 December starting at 2:00pm in the community room. Please come along to learn more about your child’s school and how you can contribute – all welcome.
The next autism support meeting will be advised at a later date, we apologise for any inconvenience. If you are in need of support please contact Karen Miller on 6361 9940.
CHRISTMAS CAROLS AND FESTIVAL

WHEN: Friday 11th December 6pm-8 pm
WHERE: Margaret Stevenson Oval, Orange

Free sausage sizzle
Lots of games and fun:
• Face painting
• Balloons
• Craft
• Jumping Castle
PLUS: Friday Fun Kids Club – Nativity Play and Carols

BYO chair.
(No alcohol please)
Fun for the whole family!

All Welcome

Supporting Aboriginal families of children 0-9 years with a disability. Helping out during the process of diagnosis and further assistance to make connections to services suited to your child.

We provide outreach services

Your local Indigenous Service Officer is:

Name: Merinda Rose
Visiting on: Tuesday 15th December 2015
At: Bowen CTC from 11:00am

For information call the Indigenous Call Centre on 1800 156 380

FoodCare: the smart way to shop when life is tough.

What is FoodCare?
FoodCare Orange is a community service run by volunteers that helps individuals and families access good quality food and household items in an affordable manner by providing a self serve shop with a variety of grocery and personal items.

When is FoodCare open?
FoodCare is open every Tuesday and Thursday mornings from 9:30 to 12:30.

Where do I find FoodCare?
FoodCare operates at the Gilmore Community Centre, Garnett Road, Gilmore.

How does FoodCare work?
Customers present their membership card and pay a small service fee for their selection — from pantry, personal, and fresh items on offer.

Who is eligible?
Any individual or family with a Centrelink Pension Card or Health Care Card, or in genuine need due to unforeseen circumstances, is eligible to use FoodCare.

How do I join?
To join, simply drop into the Gilmore Community Centre during opening hours with your Centrelink or Health Care card and proof of address, such as driver’s licence or a bill.

Free transport
If you need transport to access FoodCare, call Community Transport on 02 6362 6654.

For more information: Phone 0407 229 673 www.foodcarenr.org.au
### Supported Playgroup and Bush Babies

- Do you have children aged birth to 5 years?
- Are you at home wondering what activities to do with your children?
- Would you like to meet new families that have children of a similar age?
- Would you like to have a yarn and a cuppa whilst the children play?

If you answer yes the Orange Supported Playgroups and Bush Babies is for you.

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**ZONES GROUP**

**GET SET FOR SCHOOL**

**THINK SOCIAL!**

We're ready for the school holidays! SEED Therapy Services will be offering ZONES GROUP, GET SET FOR SCHOOL and THINK SOCIAL as part of our January Holiday Groups!

This is a great opportunity for our kids to learn vital skills in an environment that focuses on the positives, sees the funny side and celebrates the individual. Don't be the one to regret not joining us!


SEED Paediatric Therapy, 86 Byng Street, Orange NSW  |  02 6363 1870
Souths Cares – Oral Health Roadshow visited our school on Wednesday. Not only did they have football clinics but they were accompanied by dental staff promoting the importance of good oral hygiene.
School holiday activities

SUMMER, WATER, FUN

MERGE JANUARY 2016

Tuesday 12 January to Friday 15 of January 2016
Primary Aged Young People

Tuesday 19 January to Friday 22 of January 2016
Secondary Aged Young People

Fun activities include Swimming, Flip Out, Ten Pin and lots more

Register at the HACC Centre
203 Lords Place Orange by Monday 21 December 2015
No late enrolments will be accepted

Contact Katrina on 6393 6888 for further information

Will your infants or primary school aged child need care for the two Pupil Free Days on Thursday 17 and Friday 18 December 2015?

Out of School Hours (OOSH) Care Services will be providing care at the Orange Public School OOSH venue on both Pupil Free Days.

Bookings for the Pupil Free Days will open from Monday 9 November 2015 to Friday 20 November 2015 from 11.00am to 4.00pm only, at the Community Information and Services Centre, 79-81 Kile Street, Orange.

Bookings are limited!!

Full payment must be made at time of booking.

For more information about bookings for the Pupil Free Days, please call 63938800 or email mstanford@orange.nsw.gov.au

Orange Rainbow Cricket Club
for kids with a disability

MILO in2CRICKET program for kids of all ages with disabilities

Program runs Monday 8th February to Monday 21st March 2016

Where: Wade Park, Orange

Time: 4:30pm – 5:30pm

Cost of program: $75

For more information please contact Matthew Tabbernor on 0425297719 or matthew.tabbernor@cricketnsw.com.au
Basketball Tournaments being held during the holidays

Rock the Rim Basketball Camps

December School Holiday Basketball Camps

Tuesday 29th to Friday 1st December

Murrumbeena Primary School

660 Nepean Highway, Murrumbeena

3:30pm to 5:30pm

$40.00 Per Child

Further Information:
Grant 0428 011 820

Registration forms available at Stadium and
rocktherim@hotmail.com or website www.rocktherim.com.au

3 on 3 Basketball Tournament

Sir Neville Howse Stadium ORANGE
Monday 21st December
Boys and Girls Divisions
8 years to 18 years of age

Cost $20.00 per player
9.30am start time

Further Information & Registration Forms
Contact Grant 0428 011 820
Email rocktherim@hotmail.com
Web www.rocktherim.com.au
Some colouring in to keep you busy