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NEWSLETTER 36 – Week end 20th Nov, 2015

NOVEMBER
Monday 23rd Library & Science
Thursday 26th Prep, 1 & 2 Sleepover Camp
Saturday 28th Vision Portraits
Monday 30th ART - Seniors

DECEMBER
Tuesday 1st Blueearth Music
Thursday 3rd School Council Dinner
Friday 4th Year 5 & 6 Bike Ride
Monday 7th Science Expo 2pm
Tuesday 8th State wide Transition Day
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Wednesday 9th Transition Wang HS
Thursday 10th Transition Wang HS
Year 5 & 6 sleepover
Monday 14th Year 6 Graduation
School Concert
Thursday 17th Last Day of Term 2 pm finish

Happy birthday this week to Charley Miller and Lucy Rockett. We hope you had/have a great day!

SCIENCE EXPO AT OPS
Mr Lawler and the students will showcase their Science skills in an expo for all the younger OPS students. Parents are welcome to come along at 2pm for an hour on Monday 7th December.

PRINCIPALS REPORT
Speeches

Happy birthday this week to Charley Miller and Lucy Rockett. We hope you had/have a great day!
they should hold a vice captain or captain position in 2016. The values of respect, honesty, care, responsibility and excellence shone through in all of the speeches and as Bruce Uebergang said, as a staff we will be kept on our toes in 2016 trying to help the future captains achieve all of their pre-election promises.

It is really important for all of these students to be extremely proud of what they have already achieved and not treat the outcome of getting a captaincy role as the be all and end all. To stand up and deliver the 8 speeches in the manner that they did shows incredible bravery and leadership already. They must also remember by the mere fact that they are year 6 students that they will be leaders already in 2016. Well done Alannah, Eli, Andrea, Dylan, Laura, Julia, Lily and Lucy on your efforts last week.

Mud Run
What a fantastic event the Milawa and Oxley Mud Run turned out to be.

I can really see this event growing to be something that engages families to be active and to share a few laughs together throughout the course as they slide, jump and run through the many obstacles that were put in place.

I had the pleasure of being on the slippery slide for the day to make sure there were no injuries and it was great to watch mothers, fathers, uncles, aunts and grandparents slide their way down to the bottom with their children/grandchildren either beside, behind, in front of or even in some cases on their lap as they completed the course.

I would like to say a huge thank you to all the sponsors below for supporting this event and a special thank you to Marty and Sam at Sam Miranda’s who have allowed us to run two very successful fundraisers throughout the year.

I would also like to take the time to thank the volunteers and the organising committee who put many hours into making sure that the event was a huge success.

If you missed the event this year make sure that you put it in your diary for next year as it was truly one of the best family events that I have been a part of.

The Mud Run in
total made a profit of $7,500 for Oxley and Milawa to share.

**Mud Run Sponsors**
I have these as our sponsors / thank you's / special mentions:

- Sam Miranda: KAZV Website Consulting & Design
- Brown Brothers Winery: Wangaratta Little Athletics
- Snow Rd Produce: Henshall & Preston Painting Services
- Gehrigs Wine: Cross Fit Moyhu Mens
- Wine: Wangaratta

**Prep, 1 and 2 Camp**
The excitement is building for the prep, 1 and 2 sleepover next Thursday 26th and Friday 27th November. Thank you to all those who have returned medical forms as well as paid the cost of the camp which is $10 per head.

To help with the catering on the Thursday night we are asking parents to bring a salad or desert to share on the night. BBQ meat and bread will be supplied for everyone by the school. Students are required to take their recess snack and lunch for Day 1 of the camp and a drink bottle for filling with water.

**School Concert**
The School Concert will be held on Thursday 17th December and start at 7.00pm. There are some wonderful acts being rehearsed around the school with plenty of student input into what they are doing on the night. Please remember that you need to bring supper to share on the night as well as a chair.

**School Council**
A reminder that School Council is next Thursday 26th November at 7.30 pm.

**Graduation Dinner**
My second favourite event at the school is the graduation dinner that we hold at the King River Café. This year the graduation for our year 6 students will be held on Monday 14th December, 6:30 pm onwards. A separate letter will be sent out by Mr Shaw for this so keep an eye out for it.

**Jeremy Campbell - Principal**
Oxley Primary School is committed to Nurturing confident, lifelong learners, in a friendly rural community.

**THEY’RE BACK! – Lots of Canberra details next week.**

**THERMOMIX & BAREL RAFFLE**
We are again running our annual Thermomix Raffle and have this year added a fantastic second and third prize to the draw.

- First Prize – THERMOMIX T5 valued at $2,089
- Second Prize – 10 Litre GEHRIG Wines Filled FORTIFIED Barrel valued at $395
- Third Prize – KING RIVER Café Voucher to the value of $100.

Tickets are $10 each and there are only 500 tickets to be sold!
If you are interested in purchasing a ticket in the Thermomix raffle or can take some along to your workplace to sell please see Jaye or Helen. Tickets are available from the Office. Winners will be drawn on Thursday 17th December at the school concert.
How to make a Hairy Harry

The grade 2/3/4s made Hairy Harry plant people! We can't wait for them to grow. Here is how we did it.

1. We put the 1 1/2 teaspoons of grass seeds into the stocking in a cup.

2. We put the potting mix on top of the grass seeds up to the top of the cup.

3. Then we tied our stocking in a knot and dunked them in water.

4. Finally we decorated and showed some of our Hairy Harrys. They were awesome. Then they were ready to go!

By Sienna
And Maddie!
KIDZ BIZZ (OOSH) CHRISTMAS WEEK

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Xmas Activities - Arts/Crafts, Activity sheets, Cooking, Games, Movies

General Activities- Indoor/Outdoor Games, Arts/Crafts, Board/Card Games

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Holiday program for January 2016 holidays will be emailed by 10th Dec 2015