



Autism awareness month

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

On Thursday 1st of April, Oran Park High School's TRAK and Wellbeing student leadership team have organised a fundraiser to promote and support Autism Awareness month. Autism is a condition that affects how a person thinks, feels, interacts with others, and experiences their environment. Awareness improves understanding about the condition and promotes inclusiveness, respect and a sense of belonging for students in the Autism Spectrum.

On Thursday, students are permitted to attend school wearing a blue jumper/shirt on top of their uniform, blue wig or hair accessory (ribbon, scrunchie, hair tie) in their hair as long as they agree to provide a gold coin donation.

The following guidelines apply to Autism Awareness Month:


- The theme of the day is **Blue: shirt/jumper/jacket or blue wig/ hair accessory (ribbon/scrunchie hair tie)** to support Autism awareness month.
- Students must agree to provide a gold coin donation to support the cause. All proceeds will be donated to Autism Spectrum Australia
- Despite the extended TRAK lesson on Wednesday and blue clothing on Thursday, both days will be normal school days. The same expectation applies in regards to work, effort and behaviour.
- **Students must wear their school uniform shirt under their shirt/jumper/jacket, and their shirt must be appropriate (no offensive slogans etc.)**
- Students must bring sport uniform to school if they have sport on this day.

Please do not hesitate to call the school if you have any further questions. Thank you for your support.

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