



SCHOOL TALK

A WEEKLY NEWSLETTER FROM THE PRINCIPAL, FLAGSTONECREEKSTATESCHOOL

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Tuesday, 2 August, 2016

Caffey Sports Day



The 52nd annual **Caffey Sports Day** will be held at the Ropehill Community Centre on Thursday, 11 August. All children will travel to Ropehill to take part in a full sports program. The day has been planned to ensure that all children participate in as many events as possible.

A program will be forwarded to you next Tuesday. Please remember to bring it with you on Thursday. The following is a guide to the order of events. Times are approximate.

- 8:30 am Muster at Ropehill
- 8:45 am Welcome and Opening
- 9:00 am 1. 200m finals Boys/Girls
2. Sprints Boys/Girls (Heats)
3. Sprints Boys/Girls (Finals)
- 10:45am 4.** Boys High Jump (9,10,11,12 years)
Girls Long Jump (9,10,11,12 years)
5.** Boys Long Jump (9,10,11,12 years)
Girls High Jump (9, 10, 11, 12 years)
** At this time, Prep – Year 3 will participate in the *Caffey Junior Games*. **
- 1:00 pm Lunch
- 1:30 pm Relays Junior 60m / Intermediate 80m / Senior 100m
- 2:30 pm Presentation

TRANSPORT ARRANGEMENTS– Arrangements for transport to and from the Caffey Sports will remain the same as previous years.

The school bus will depart 40 minutes earlier than usual on Thursday, 11 August.

Students and staff will meet at the school at 7.55am and then travel by bus to Ropehill Community Centre. Please complete and return the *Permission Form* below by this Friday, 5 August.

Tuesday Sports Events – 9 August

If you have children aged 9 – 12 years involved in 200m heats, 800m, Discus or Shot Put events at Ropehill Community Centre next Tuesday, 9 August, you should have received a separate letter last week. Please complete and return the *Permission Form*, which was attached to the Newsletter last week, as soon as possible. We would greatly appreciate parent assistance with transport on this day.

2016 NAPLAN Reports

2016 NAPLAN Reports are being sent home with Year 3 and 5 students today. Congratulations to these students for their great results.

Tuckshop – Friday, 12 August

If you wish to place a Tuckshop order for **Friday, 12 August**, please write your child's *name, Year level and order* on the paper bag (supplied), place the correct money in the bag and return it to the school by 3.00pm this **Friday, 5 August**. Any orders received after this time will have to be returned to you.

Spaghetti Bolognese	\$2.50
Fish Fingers (each)	\$0.50
Ham & Salad Wrap	\$3.00
Chicken & Avocado Wrap	\$3.00
Strawberry Milk	\$1.80
Chocolate Milk	\$1.80
Pine Mango Popper	\$1.00
Packet of Chips	\$1.00
M&M Brownie Slice	\$1.00

No Jazz/Hip Hop Dance This Friday

There will be no Dance this Friday morning, 5 August, for our Prep to Year 3 students, as Shandell has other dance commitments this week. If this means your child will now be catching the bus this Friday but usually doesn't, could you please contact the school bus operators – preferably by text message – 0428 845 417 - to advise of the change.

Athletics will continue at the usual time this Friday.

Ma Ma Creek Exhibition

Thank you to everyone who attended the Ma Ma Creek Exhibition on Saturday, 23 July. It was a great day and our display looked fabulous. Thank you to all children who participated in the sections of the Ma Ma Creek Exhibition.

The following students received prizes as follows:

Pre-prep Drawing: 2nd Skye Henning
Junior Photography-Flowers & Garden: 1st Bella Gratwick
Junior Photography-Flowers & Garden: 2nd Bella Gratwick
Junior Photography-Scene: 1st Bella Gratwick

Gatton Show Holiday Next Monday

Please note that next Monday, 8 August, is a public holiday for the Gatton Show.

CELEBRATING BOOK WEEK

Book Fair

To celebrate Book Week, the school is holding a Book Fair this week. There will be a range of quality books for sale in the school library. The fair will be open each morning from 8.30am until 9.00am and each afternoon after school until 3.30pm.



Please note that payment can be made by credit card - online or by phone (until this Friday) or the school will accept cash payments (until this Thursday).

Dress-up Day - Just for Fun

Tomorrow, Wednesday, 3 August, as part of our Book Week celebrations, students are invited to dress up as a swaggie, if they wish to do so.

Open Day – Thursday, 4 August

Please invite family and friends who may be considering Flagstone Creek State School for their child/children to attend an *Open Day* at the school from 9.00am to 3.00pm this Thursday, 4 August. Enrolment packages will be available.

Pre-Prep Group

We are running a **Pre-Prep Group** for children (and their parents) who will begin Prep at Flagstone Creek State School in 2017.

The group will meet next tomorrow, Wednesday, 3 August, at 9.00am.

School Bus Contact Details

If your child is not going to use the school bus any morning, please contact the school bus operators – preferably by text message - **0428 845 417 - before 7.30am.**

DATES TO REMEMBER



Wednesday	3 August	Pre-Prep Group - 9.00am
Thursday	4 August	Open Day – 9.00am to 3.00pm
Friday	5 August	Tuckshop Orders Due
Friday	5 August	Book Fair Ends
Monday	8 August	Gatton Show Holiday
Tuesday	9 August	Caffey 200m heats, 800m, shot put, discus
Wednesday	10 August	P&C Meeting – 7.00pm
Thursday	11 August	Caffey Small Schools Sports Day
Friday	12 August	Tuckshop Day
Friday	9 September	Tuckshop Day
Tuesday	14 September	P&C Meeting – 7.00pm
Friday	16 September	End of Term 3

Caffey Sports Day – Permission / Transport Arrangements

I give permission for my child/children _____, _____, _____, _____ to take part in the **Caffey Sports Day** on Thursday, 11 August. Following the Caffey Sports, my child/children will travel home –

with parents

with _____ (Name)

Parent Name: _____

Signature: _____

****Please return by Friday, 5 August***