



# SCHOOL TALK

A WEEKLY NEWSLETTER FROM THE PRINCIPAL, FLAGSTONECREEKSTATESCHOOL

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## Outstanding 2016 NAPLAN Results

Congratulations to our Year 3 and 5 students on their fantastic NAPLAN results this year. Individual student reports have been sent to parents.

This year, our school achieved its highest result since 2010. All students in Years 3 and 5 were **ABOVE** National Minimum Benchmarks in Reading, Writing, Spelling, Grammar & Punctuation and Numeracy. The greatest improvement was in Year 3 and 5 Spelling.

Please contact David Prestridge if you would like to discuss your child's results.

## Lockyer Zone Sports Results

Congratulations to Ruby, Meg, Bella, Emi, Eliza, Mercia, Michael, Dominick and Luke who competed at the *Lockyer Zone Athletics Carnival* at Ropehill Community Centre last Friday. The following students have been chosen to represent the Lockyer Zone at the *Darling Downs South West Region Athletics Carnival* which will be held at Harristown State High School on Tuesday, 6 September.

Name	S P R I N T	H I G H	L O N G	S H O T	D I S C U S	8 0 0	2 0 0	M U L T I
Ruby Vayro						✓	✓	
Bella Gratwick			✓					
Eliza Zillmann		✓					✓	
Mercia Zillmann					✓	✓		
Luke Silver	✓					✓	✓	

## Helidon Cricket Club Super 8s Carnival – Years 4 to 6



Helidon Cricket Club has invited local schools to nominate teams for the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual *Helidon Cricket Club Super 8s Cricket Carnival* to be held on Friday, 2 September from 9.30am to 2.00pm.

Once again, representatives from Queensland Cricket and the Helidon Cricket Club will run the day and provide all the equipment. School staff and parents will assist. The aim of the day is for children to learn to play cricket and have plenty of fun along the way. Children in Years 4 to 6 are invited to attend.

The school bus will be used for transport, leaving the school at 9.00am and returning before 3.00pm. The school will meet this cost. There is no charge for students. Children need to bring a hat, sunscreen, morning tea and lunch. If you would like your child/children to participate, please complete the form below and return it to the school office by, Wednesday 31 August.

## Under 8s Day

Under 8s Day will be held at Gatton State School on Friday, 2 September. A permission form is attached for Prep to Year 2 students.

## 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 on Wednesday, 31 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	31 August	Pre-Prep Group – 9.00am
Friday	2 September	Under 8s Day - Gatton
Friday	2 September	Super 8s Cricket – Helidon
Tuesday	6 September	DDSW Region Athletics Carnival
Friday	9 September	Tuckshop Day
Tuesday	14 September	P&C Meeting – 7.00pm
Friday	16 September	End of Term 3

# Helidon Cricket Club Super 8s Cricket Carnival Permission Form

I give permission for my child/children, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_,  
\_\_\_\_\_, to travel by bus to attend the Helidon Cricket Club Super 8s Day  
on Friday, 2 September.

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\* Please return by Wednesday, 31 August \***



**Sign on night:** 12<sup>th</sup> September

**Time:** 5:45pm -7:00pm

*Gatton Swimming Club is commencing its 2016-2017 season. All swimmers who can swim at least 12.5 metres in one or more strokes are welcome.*

### **General Club Night Information.**

**Club Nights:** Every Monday night.

**Opening time:** 5:30 pm

**Finishing time:** 7:30 pm – 8:00 pm  
(Depending on events)

**First club night:** 3<sup>rd</sup> October

**Events:** *Each club night swimmers can swim up to 4 events. Points are calculated on how swimmers improve and trophies and medals are presented at the end of the season.*

**Cost:** *A one off registration fee is paid at the start of the season covering insurance and entry to Club Nights for the rest of the season.*

**Information:** *Information can be obtained at the pool on club nights, via the web at <http://www.gattonswimmingclub.net/> or email [gattonsc@bigpond.net.au](mailto:gattonsc@bigpond.net.au)*