



# SCHOOL TALK

A WEEKLY NEWSLETTER FROM THE PRINCIPAL, FLAGSTONECREEKSTATESCHOOL

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Tuesday, 11 June, 2019

## Lockyer Zone Sports Results

Congratulations to Jaraqui, Harriet, Amelia, Charlotte, Jaxon, Ross, Eli, Caileigh, Audrey and Aiden, who competed at the *Lockyer Zone Athletics Carnival* at Ropehill Community Centre last Friday. They all gave their best effort!

Aiden was *11 Year Old Boy Age Champion*. He also won the 1500m and multi-event. Jaraqui was placed 4<sup>th</sup> in the multi-event. Jaxon was 1<sup>st</sup> in shotput. Eli was 2<sup>nd</sup> in the 800m event. Aiden, Eli, Jaxon and Jaraqui will now compete at the Darling Downs Regional Athletics Carnival next Wednesday, 17 July. Well done, everyone!



The Flagstone Creek SS members of the Lockyer Zone Team



Aiden – 11 Year Old Age Champion

## Thank you, Mrs Crust

During the morning tea break today, staff and students said 'Thank You' to Mrs Heather Crust, who is retiring after providing Religious Instruction for 42+ years. We sincerely thank Heather for her amazing dedication to the students here at Flagstone Creek and other cluster schools, and wish her health and happiness in her retirement.



## Welcome To Your First Tuckshop Day, Mrs Folkard

This year we are very fortunate to have two mums helping with Tuckshop. Tomorrow, Wednesday, 12 June, we welcome Mrs Shelley Folkard to her first Tuckshop Day.

Shelley and Stacey Silver are each providing tuckshop one day per Term. Thank you to both ladies for their willingness to take on this job. We appreciate your efforts!

## P&C Meeting Tomorrow Night

The next P&C Meeting will be held tomorrow, Wednesday, 12 June at 7.00pm. All welcome.

## 2019 Premier's Reading Challenge

Students from Prep to Year 6 are invited to participate in the Premier's Reading Challenge for 2019. Today a separate note will be sent home explaining how this challenge works with the reading record for each child. Please return your completed form to school by Friday, 23 August to enable your child to receive a Certificate from the Premier.

## 2018 School Annual Report

All state schools are required to publish an Annual Report by 30 June each year. The **Flagstone Creek State School Annual Report for 2018** is being emailed to each family today. It can also be viewed on the school website <http://flagcreess.eq.edu.au> or by using the QSchools App.

If you would like a paper copy, please contact the school office.

## Tallebudgera Camp – Term 3

The **2019 Year 5/6 Camp** will be held at the Tallebudgera Beach Outdoor Education School from Monday, 26 August to Thursday, 29 August. Our students will join with Helidon State School. A letter with information about the camp was handed to our Year 5/6 students last Thursday.

## Pre-Prep Group Starts Next Term

We look forward to welcoming the children and parents who will form our **2019 Pre-Prep Group** on Thursdays (fortnightly) from 9.00am to 11.00am beginning 18 July. The group will be led by Mrs Jenni Barkhuizen.

Please invite anyone you know to contact the school if they have children who will begin Prep at Flagstone Creek State School in 2020.

## FREE Access to eBooks Library – 1000s of Titles Available!!

Every Flagstone Creek State School student has **FREE** access to the eBooks Digital Library, which is provided on the 'OverDrive eBooks' platform. It contains over 20 500 eBooks, audiobooks and videos, including fiction and non-fiction reading material for students. These can be borrowed and read 24/7 at home, at school, on your PC, laptop or mobile device.

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Please contact the school if you have any questions or difficulties.

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Caroline McCue

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## Woolworths Earn & Learn

We have joined the **2019 Woolworths Earn & Learn** program. Please help us by sending along stickers to the school office. The program runs through until 25 June when the stickers can be redeemed for educational equipment.

## School Holidays

AT LOCKYER VALLEY LIBRARIES

**Gatton Library** Tuesday 9 July 10am - 12pm

**FAIRY TALE FINGER PUPPET THEATRE**  
Create your own fairy tale with a mix of finger puppets for you to colour in and cut out.

**Laidley Library** Wednesday 3 July 10am - 12pm

**Gatton Library** Tuesday 2 July 10am - 12pm

**FAIRY TALE CHALLENGES**  
Test out your Robin Hood skills, see if you can blow a house down and train your dragon to fly.

**Laidley Library** Monday 8 July 10am - 12pm

**Gatton Library** Wednesday 3 July 10am - 12pm

**LEGO**  
Join us for some Lego fun!  
Come create your own Lego castle.

**Laidley Library** Tuesday 9 July 10am - 12pm

**Gatton Library** Thursday 4 July and Thursday 11 July Starting 10am

**MOVIE MATINEE**  
Enjoy a relaxing morning at the library watching a film on our big screen.

**Laidley Library** Monday 1 July and Wednesday 10 July Starting 10am

**Gatton and Laidley Libraries**

**SCAVENGER HUNT**  
Come and test your sleuth skills!  
Go on a scavenger hunt and see if you can crack the code.

Every day throughout the holidays.

Come in between the times listed, no need to register.  
All activities are self-guided, therefore parental supervision is required.

**CONTACT US**

GATTON LIBRARY	5466 3434	<a href="http://library.lockyer valley.qld.gov.au">library.lockyer valley.qld.gov.au</a>
LAIDLEY LIBRARY	5462 0951	






# Creation Box Play Library

in the Library





Get ready for some fun, games and interactive stories. For little ones under 5 years and parents/carers.

**Thursday 20 June, 10am -11am**  
 Gatton Library

**Monday 24 June, 10am -11am**  
 Laidley Library

Bookings essential  
<https://lockyervalley.spydus.com/Events>

Please bring your imagination and smiles



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Gatton Library 5466 3434  
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## Same Day Absence Notification

If your child will be absent from school, please notify the school before 9.00am by phoning 46975193. If the Office is unattended, please leave a voice message.

## School Bus Contact Phone Number

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	12 June	Tuckshop Day
Wednesday	12 June	P&C Meeting 7.00pm
Tuesday	18 June	DDSW Regional Athletics Carnival
Tuesday	25 June	Return Parent/Teacher Interview Request Form
Tuesday	25 June	Woolworths Earn & Learn Program Ends
Thursday	27 June	Parent/Teacher Interviews
Friday	28 June	End of Term 2