

Term 1 Week 3
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The Student Council members will be helping with the set-up and sale of the items.



Term 1	
Sat 10 Feb	LVRC By-Election – cake stall at school
Monday 12 Feb	Cluster Meeting – Mrs Eilers attending
Tues 13 Feb	2 nd Swimming Lesson
Thurs/Fri 15/16 Feb	Reading Workshop (Miss Highett attending)
Fri 16 Feb	Zone Swimming Carnival
Tues 20 Feb	3 rd Swimming Lesson
Tues 20 Feb	Lockyer Zone Basketball Trials (10-12 years) (See Mr Clair)
Thurs 22 Feb	Lockyer Zone Softball Trials (10-12 years) (See Mr Clair)
Mon 26 Feb	Visit from ARD (meeting with Mrs Eilers)
Tues 27 Feb	4 th Swimming Lesson
Tues 6 March	Final Swimming Lesson
Fri 23 March	Zone Cricket/Softball/Kanga Carnival
Fri 23 March	Barn Dance
Thurs 29 March	Last Day of Term 1

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Prep – Cynthia Parsons for coming to school with a great attitude.
 Year 1 – Charlotte for always being prepared and ready to learn.
 Year 2 – Sharlotte for being an enthusiastic and focused learner.
 Year 3 – De'Jae for always keeping his bookwork neat, especially his homework.
 Year 4 – Chloe for being persistent with spelling and working quietly during focused learning.
 Year 5 – Riley for having an enthusiastic attitude towards learning his timetables.
 Year 5/6 – Neika for her concentration, discipline and fine work ethic.
 Music – Ruby for her beautiful singing of a lullaby in Music.
 PE – Katelyn for being sensible and a good example in partner dancing.

Term 2	
Tues 17 April	Term 2 commences

TUTORING PROGRAM

Reminder notes have gone home with the students involved in tutoring.

P & C	
Tues 13 Feb	P & C Meeting
Fri 23 March	Barn Dance

LOCKYER ZONE SWIMMING CARNIVAL

Congratulations to the following students who have been selected to compete in the events indicated at the Lockyer Zone Swimming Carnival which will be held at the Gatton Aquatic Centre on Friday, 16 February.
 Our Team:
 Jorja; Lexie; Tanaya; Lucille; Zandah; Will; Jackson

To Be Returned ASAP	
Prep / Year 1 / 2 Contribution (\$25)	
Instrumental Music Hire Fee - asap	



FACEBOOK

If you haven't already done so, remember to 'like' Helidon State School on Facebook to receive information about current happenings.



EARLY YEARS GROUP

Next week we'll focus our art and craft activities on Valentine's Day, complete with pink playdough. The children will really enjoy creating something special for their parents using heart shapes and lots of scrap materials. They will also listen to some new picture stories, where love of family and friends is a central theme.

YEAR 6 STUDENT PROFILE

Jorja (Role – Jacaranda Sports' Captain)

How long have you been attending HSS?
 I started here in Year 2. This is my fifth year.
What is your favourite subject at school?
 I love Art because we do so many creative things. I like drawing.
What is your least favourite subject?
 I don't have a least favourite subject.
What's the best part of Helidon State School?
 There are so many things. I like the PBL award activities.
What do you see yourself doing in the role of Sports' Captain?
 Helping the students improve in sport and encouraging them to have a go.
What do you think is great about being in Year 6?
 I have heard that the camp is going to be really good!

Iceblocks and Pies
50c each
Iceblocks in aid of the Student Council
Pies in aid of our Chaplaincy Program

P & C Meeting
Tuesday 13 February
3:00
Library
All Welcome!

P & C NEWS

Looking forward to seeing you at the first P & C meeting for 2018. New families are more than welcome to attend.
 Kym

Please help the Student Council Stall by cooking some cakes, biscuits or slices!
 Items can be left at school tomorrow or brought to the stall on Saturday morning.

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

This has been a big week with the recommencement of many of our programs – tutoring, options and swimming. It was fantastic to have such a high number of students attending swimming.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Prep	Yr 1	Yr 2	Yr 3	Yr 4	Yr 5	Yr 5/6
96.6%	98.8%	96.6%	97.3%	99.5%	96.1%	97%

This is an incredible result from all classes. Congratulations to Year 4 for 99.5% attendance!



STUDENT COUNCIL NEWS

The Student Council Cake Stall is on Saturday (at the by-election). Donations would be much appreciated.