Term 1 Week 7
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To Be Returned ASAP
Instrumental Music Hire Fee $20
Swimming money each Tuesday

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE
Our target is 94% attendance. Below shows the percentage for each class up until today. This is not a weekly attendance rate, but a progressive rate over the weeks.

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Remember that ‘Everyday Counts!’

SWIMMING
Our final swimming lesson is on Tuesday (17 March). It has been pleasing to see the progress that the children have made in this 5 week program.

BOOK CLUB
Book Club catalogues were sent home last week. Orders need to be in by Monday 15 March. The books should arrive at school before the end of the term.

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK
Prep – Kate for always trying her best and for her lovely neat bookwork.
Year 1 – Brendan for an outstanding effort in spelling.
Year 2 – Emalia for always being a friendly class member who tries her best in all of the class activities.
Year 2/3 – Seth for being a focused learner.
Year 4 – Johannah for always contributing valuable information during class discussions.
Year 5 – Sam Wiseman for his enthusiastic attitude and focused work ethic during the Economics and Business unit.
Year 6 – Kayleigh for making responsible choices inside and outside the classroom.
Music – Chiara for excellent participation in all music class activities.

PBAs (POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR AWARD)
Our PBA winners this week were Annie (Jacaranda) and Dante (Wattle). Congratulations!
Our winning team this week was Wattle!

STUDENT ATTENTIVE AWARD
During parade, the teachers choose a student from each class who has sat and listened attentively during parade. The winner gets to sit on stage next week, in the ‘best seats in the house’.

Prep – Blade
Year 1 – Faith
Year 2 – Kody-Lee
Year 2/3 – Danieka
Year 4 – Logan
Year 5 – Aaliyah
Year 6 – Jay

SPORTS’ REPORT
Friday Sport Report
Last Friday Gatton came here for sport. The kanga team had a much improved performance, nearly doubling their score. They made 44 runs. The best batting pair were Ky and Jay who scored 14 runs between them. Domini and Rose were next best with 10 runs. Gatton won the match by scoring 13 runs more.

In Softball, Helidon failed to repeat their winning performance from the week before. Gatton won 17 runs to 8. Ari, Lilli, Noah all pitched well while Billy scored two runs.

The T-Ballers fought had another close battle failing by 5 runs to score an upset win. The final score was 19 to 14 much closer than the week before. Alesha was the best player and caught two Gatton players out.

The cricketers were the only Helidon team to taste success on Friday. They batted this week and needed only 31 runs for victory. The batsmen put in a super effort. Jude, Alex and Aaron all batted well and retired not out. Aaron also hit a huge 6 in his innings. Well done Helidon for winning by 61 runs. (Lilli and Aaron)

SCHOOL CAPTAINS’ AWARD
Congratulations to Ollie for receiving the School Captains’ Award.

Early Years Group
Wednesdays 9:00 – 11:00
No Cost
Lots of Fun
YEAR 5 CUPCAKE STALL
Thankyou everyone for supporting our Cupcake Stall. Sorry to those who missed out........it was far more successful than we anticipated. Our profit was $160.54 which we gave to the Student Council.

FOR TENDER - ROLLER DOORS
We have the two roller doors from the refurbishment of the Playgroup Shed for tender. These doors are green and in good condition. They are for sale ‘as is’. The roller doors can be viewed prior to tender (phone the school to arrange a time). They are for ‘pick up’ only. There is a reserve.
Tenders close on Friday 13th March, 2015. Please place the tender in a sealed envelopment and state clearly whether the tender is for one roller door or two roller doors.

LOCKYER VALLEY LIBRARY VAN VISITS
Next visit is 21 April.

P & C NEWS
Thankyou for coming along to the P & C Meeting. Our 2015 executive are:
President – Angela Maizey; Treasurer – Heather Jones; Secretary – Donna Johnson; Vice President – Kemara Duffey.

Pies and Iceblocks
50c
Fridays

COMMUNITY NEWS