TERM CALENDAR

| Monday 13th - 16th September | Book Week
| Friday 16th September | Dress Up day for Book Week
| Friday 16th September | Last day of term 3
| Monday 3rd October | Public Holiday
| Tuesday 4th October | First day of term 4 |

**Year 2 Australia**

Our year 2 students had a wonderful day at Australia Zoo last Friday. Everyone enjoyed seeing all the animals and learning about how to look after them.

**Book Week Activities**

- **Tuesday – Friday** – Guess the Teachers’ Favourite Book
- **Wednesday** – Craft under big shed at 1st Break/Teacher book readings
- **Thursday** – Door displays judged/Teacher book readings
- **Friday** – Dress up day/ Teacher book readings

It’s now the time to start thinking about your costume for the last day of term. Prizes will be awarded for the best dressed keeping in mind the theme; ‘Australia, this is story country.’ Dress up day is Friday 16th September.

**Guess the Teachers Favourite Book**

As part of book week celebrations this week there is a competition running in the library to match class teachers to their favourite children’s book. Students will have the opportunity to participate in this competition during library lessons this week or by picking up an entry form from the library. Completed entries can then be put in the competition box in the library. The winner will be announced on parade this Friday.

**SWIMMING begins next term for Year 1 students**

Swimming commences Friday 14th October and runs for eight weeks. Paperwork was sent home last week with students. Please ensure that this paperwork and payment are returned to the office by Friday 7th October.

**St Helens Cultural Evening**

Please come and join us as we showcase our St Helens Choir and Budding Artist program.

Thursday 6th August
5 – 6:30pm
In the hall
Holiday Borrowing

If your child is in Prep or Year 1, their library books are now due back. There will be no borrowing for these classes over the holidays. If your child is in one of the older classes they may borrow over the holidays. Any overdue books from all students are now due back.

Little Teachers

Even though it is the last week of school, that doesn’t mean that our Prep students slow down! This week each Prep student is presenting a report on different countries from around the world! Great job Preps!!

Dinner Table Topics

Prep Possums & Wombats – We will be having a visit from Her Majesty the Queen tomorrow! Girls can bring along their tiara if they have one and boys may bring a necktie if they wish.

Year 1A – The students of 1A have had a great term and made amazing improvement. Have a wonderful and safe holiday.

Year 1B – I would like to take this opportunity to thank the parents of 1B for their support and assistance with their child this year. It has been an amazing year so far and all of the students have progressed along their learning journey. Which is very pleasing to see. It is with mixed emotions I say goodbye to St Helens for the time being as I begin my newest adventure of becoming a mum to twin girls very soon. Take care and have an enjoyable term four. I will be thinking of you all!

Year 2B & 2C - Students have been working extremely hard all term and deserve a well-earned holiday. Also a very big thank you to those volunteers who have helped out in D Block this term. We look forward to seeing you all when we return after the holidays.

Year 2/3R – We will be having our term homework party this Thursday afternoon with ice cream sundaes! I am beyond excited to congratulate your child’s hard work and commitment to their schooling. Have a wonderful and safe break, see you for Term 4!

Year 3F – The children have been very busy this week with assessment. Please congratulate them on their hard work. I wish you all a very happy holiday with your family.

Year 3N – It has been a busy end of term for Year 3N; with assessments being finished, energy levels draining, and excitement arising for the holidays. Have a safe and enjoyable break, students and parents!

Year 4M – It has been a productive Term in class. I wish all families a safe and relaxing holiday.

Year 4S – It is clear and pleasing to observe most of the students grow and excel at their writing tasks over this Term. They should be proud of their efforts. Wishing all families a safe and happy holiday.

Year 5H – Have a happy and safe holiday. Remember to keep reading over the break.

Year 6P – Students are almost finished their assessments. Have a safe and happy holiday.
COMMUNITY NEWS

Creative Co Op
HANDMADE MARKET
Saturday 24th September
8am – 1pm
STALLS SELLING QUALITY HANDMADE AND
BOUTIQUE ITEMS.
ALL LOCAL.
Refreshments available.
free entry.
St Stephens Church Hall, Sussex St,
Maryborough

Aztec Softball Club In: Sign on day Tuesday the 13th
September 2016 at the Granville School Oval from 3.30 PM to
5PM. Diamond Ball 3 to 5 years, T-Ball 6 to 9 years, U12, U14,
U16, and Seniors male and female.
Everyone is welcome to come and try
our fun sport. Please contact Melissa
0419 025 029
Bev 41221215 or 0417 703 077
Leanne 41231817.
# Star of the Week

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<th>Class</th>
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<td>Prep Possums</td>
<td>Zoe Gourley</td>
<td>For a big improvement in her letters, phonemes and sight words! Wow!</td>
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<td>Prep Wombats</td>
<td>Chloee Gossip</td>
<td>For her commitment to her writing this week!</td>
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<td>Year 1A</td>
<td>Charlie Lane</td>
<td>For a fantastic improvement with his reading and vocabulary. Well done!</td>
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<td>Year 1B</td>
<td>Finnley Hill</td>
<td>For always making positive choices, keep up the great work, Finnley.</td>
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<td>Year 2/3R</td>
<td>Charlie Byrne</td>
<td>For displaying commitment towards Maths, the results are in and you are a star! Well done!</td>
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<td>Year 3F</td>
<td>Rosie Straker</td>
<td>For staying committed to her project work even when feeling unwell. Great commitment!</td>
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<td>Year 3N</td>
<td>Ellea Lane</td>
<td>For your improved effort in all classroom tasks this week. Keep up the great work!</td>
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<td>Year 4M</td>
<td>Eden Anderson</td>
<td>For your innovative and creative display during our English/Technology task this week.</td>
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<td>Year 4S</td>
<td>Olivia Boswyk</td>
<td>For your outstanding effort each and every week towards homework.</td>
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<td>Year 5H</td>
<td>Lachlan Keyworth</td>
<td>For your committed effort towards completing your narrative.</td>
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<td>Year 6P</td>
<td>Renee Rogers</td>
<td>For putting in 100% towards her assessments this week.</td>
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<td>Library</td>
<td>Manning Harris (1B)</td>
<td>For his enthusiasm and snail spotting skills while reading this weeks story, “The Legend of the Golden Snail”.</td>
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