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## Kids' corner

### 1st AUGUST CROSS WORD

This crossword has something to do with the history of Switzerland. Hint: there are some clues in this issue of the Helvetia magazine!

#### ACROSS

- 7. One of the 3 member states
- 9. Austrian "Vogt"
- 11. Weapon used in shooting
- 13. First name of famous shooter

#### DOWN

- 1. Shooters target
- 2. Place where original treaty was signed
- 3. Surname of the famous shooter
- 4. Place where shooting took place
- 5. Place where Gessler's Castle was
- 6. One of the 3 member states
- 8. In which month was Switzerland formed?

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- 10. One of the 3 member states
- 12. Famous shooters son

## INTERVIEW WITH TOBIAS BLASER

#### When did you go to Switzerland?

On the first of October 2010 I flew off at Auckland Airport

#### How long did you stay there?

For three months, I arrived back in Auckland on the 20<sup>th</sup> of December.

#### Where did you stay?

I stayed at my grandparents' house in Hasle-Ruegsau, Bern.

#### Did you go to school?

Yes I went to school for one term. There were 12 kids in 3 different years in the same class room (Schule Ruegsau).

What was the best part of school?

Making new friends and learning proper German.

# What did you like the most in general?

Being able to see how different life is over there and seeing relatives.

#### Did you do any trips?

Yes I went to Austria for three days, there was 30 cm of snow! My other grandparents also took me up to the Chueboden, that's above Fiesch, Wallis.

#### Would you go again?

Yes of course it was an amazing experience.

#### Thanks for the interview.

Thank you for interviewing me.

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