

17 March 2011

Term 1 Week 5

DATES TO REMEMBER

Friday, March 18

Swimming Carnival

TERM DATES 2011

Term 1 Feb 15 – April 21

Term 2 May 10 – July 8

Term 3 July 26 – Sept 30

Term 4 October 18 – Dec 21

CASUAL CLOTHES DAYS

Thursday, March 24

Thursday, April 14

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...

Matthew Peck – March 22

PRAYER CORNER

~ Pray for the Swimming Carnival tomorrow, that everyone will be safe and that it will be a great time of fun and fellowship as Geneva meets up with other ACE schools from around Tasmania.

~ Pray that God will bless Geneva and that He will help teachers to show patience, love and wisdom. Pray that students will work hard and show respect for teachers and each other.

~ Pray for our State & Federal Governments, that God will raise up Christian leaders who honour His name and do His will.

MEEKNESS

In Chapel on Wednesdays I have been sharing with our children incidents from the lives of Bible heroes. This week we looked at that mighty leader of the Israelites, Moses. He had a brother and sister, Aaron and Miriam. They criticized Moses for something he had done and made out that they deserved more status as he had. God heard and dealt with them, but there is a very interesting note about how Moses reacted to their criticism. Apparently, he didn't say anything! The Bible credits him as being the meekest ie. most humble of men alive.

How quickly do we rise up when chipped? How easily are we offended? I especially notice it amongst our children. We as parents need to help our young ones by example and instruction, give soft answers. Parents, do not allow your child to answer back! Provide them with alternatives like, "I'm sorry," "I shouldn't have done that," or "Forgive me." Don't continue with your railing, restore them, don't provoke them. God expects us to train our children, and He will help us, especially if we ask Him.

LAMINGTONS!

There will be a lamington drive run by the P&F coming up soon. Watch out for the order forms being sent home sometime next week.

COMMUNITY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY VISIT

Some high school students from CCA in Launceston visited Geneva yesterday. They had lots of fun by all accounts. Amongst the many activities they participated in were an "Egg & Spoon Race", a "Sack Race", orienteering and a BBQ. The Geneva high school students enjoyed their company and everyone had a lovely day.



Swimming Carnival - 2011

When: TOMORROW, March 18, 2011

Where: Launceston Aquatic Centre - Wind Mill Hill Launceston

Time: 10.00am for a 10.30am sharp start !! Our buses will leave Geneva around 9.00am for Launceston and return in time for normal bus runs in the afternoon.

Fees: \$2 per student, whether competing or not. Parents and others are free!! Please send money with your child to class teacher tomorrow.

Dress: All students must be in full sports uniform, **with modest swim wear**. No bikinis or tight fitting bathers, this includes Speedo style briefs. Please ensure that all clothing/personal items are named. Hats and sunscreen are essential. No zinc cream face paint or tshirts are allowed in the pool.

Kiosk: The kiosk at the pool will be operating throughout the day.

Programme: A programme will be available on the day.

Parents and relatives are most welcome !!!



AMELIA'S FUNDRAISING

A big thank you to everyone who supported Amelia with her fundraising. However, the payment date arrived and the required funds had not been raised. Amelia is no longer going to International Convention. All fundraisers advertised are now canceled. Thank you for your understanding.

KINDER & PREP REPORT

We are busily learning lots of new things each day. The most important thing we know is that God loves us and He made each one of us special. We enjoyed making some "I see" glasses. Don't you think they look great!

MEDAL WINNERS

Ella - for listening in assembly
Rheanna - for being cheerful
Samuel - for neat writing
Noah - for working well

GRADE 1-3 REPORT

This week in grade 1-3 we have been learning about family trees. We made a family tree of our families. Today was our last swimming day. We have had lots of fun and are excited about the Swimming Carnival tomorrow!

Student of the Week

For last week...

Madeline Payne – for being a cheerful worker

This week...

Peter Packard – for excellent work on his tests and for working hard

GRADE 4-6

Our class has very busy over the past few weeks and as a result we have been getting through our first round of PACE tests for the term. The new students are all settling in well and we are all enjoying getting to know them. We are also enjoying Mathletics and many of us have received bronze certificates for our efforts. We have displayed our certificates in the Mathletics Hall of Fame that is located in the walkway outside our class.

Merit Award

Laura Rogers - for working very hard in all areas

Student of the week

Levi College - for always working hard and quietly

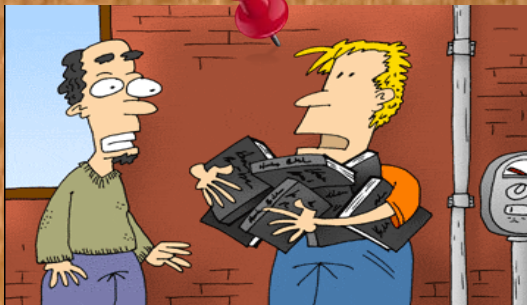
Mackenzie Jago - for completing all her goals



Health tip #2

Exercise

- more important than what you eat
- regulates appetite
- increases circulation
- clears the mind
- strengthens the heart
- replaces fat with muscle
- *You need a combination of cardiovascular (e.g. walking or running) and weight bearing exercise.*
- *Aim for 40 minutes per day.*



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GOOD THING I FOUND YOU GIDEON ... IT SEEMS SOMEONE HAS BEEN HIDING ALL YOUR BIBLES IN HOTEL ROOMS

Bike For Bibles

Saturday, April 2 – 9am-4pm

Simmons Plains Raceway

For more information or to register contact the school office.

Thursday March 24th

Dessert Cooking with Nigel Squibb

The Zone, Stewart Street,
Devonport

2:30pm – 4:30pm (free
childcare provided)

Book with The Zone 6423
4099

Would you like to learn how to make less 'run of the mill' deserts to inspire your friends and family? Come and join Nigel for some sweet fun at The Zone. Don't worry if you don't have a babysitter – they will be catered for while you hone your skills in the kitchen.

Booking essential very limited numbers.

SKATE PARK TOUR

APRIL 2nd



FREE EVENT!



DEPARTS SHEFFIELD
YOUTH CENTRE 9AM
RETURNS 5PM

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AVAILABLE

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LAUNCESTON AND
WESTBURY SKATE PARKS



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