

### DATES TO REMEMBER

**Lamington Drive**  
TOMORROW, March 30  
**School Sports Carnival**  
Thursday, April 5

### TERM DATES 2012

**Term 1** Feb 14 - April 5  
**Term 2** April 24 - July 6  
**Term 3** July 24 - Oct 5  
**Term 4** Oct 23 - Dec 19

### CASUAL CLOTHES DAYS

Thursday, April 5  
Dress in team colours for our sports day!

### QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"Those who hate you don't win unless you hate them – and then you destroy yourself." ~ Richard Nixon

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...

Mitchell Nelder – TODAY  
Jordan Payne – March 31

### SCHOLASTIC ORDERS

Please return all scholastic orders by Thursday, April 5. Thank you.

### PRAYER CORNER

~ Pray for students and teachers as they busily finish of all the exciting things they have to do this term.  
~ Praise God for the way the swimming carnival went and for His faithfulness in looking after all the students, teachers and parents there.  
~ Pray for everyone making lamingtons tomorrow, that they will have a lovely time of fellowship and get all the lamingtons made.

### FAMILY PRAYER LIST

~ Lavers  
~ Lodge  
~ Marks/McKercher  
~ Martin  
~ Martin

### LAMINGTON DRIVE

The lamington drive is tomorrow!!!! To all those lovely individuals who have volunteered to come along and lend a hand, thank you - we can't wait to see you! To everyone who has ordered lamingtons, small orders will be coming home on the bus however big orders will need to be picked up. You will be notified if this is the case ☺

### SCHOOL SPORTS CARNIVAL

Our annual Sports Carnival will be held next Thursday, April 5th, at school, commencing at 10am. This is our last day of Term 1. Our teams are Shadrach (yellow), Meshach (red) and Abednego (blue), three famous characters from the Bible. We compete in various races including novelty events. All points awarded on the day will go towards the "Fiery Furnace Shield". We also have staff and parent events, so encourage you to keep this day free and come and enjoy the fun and competition. A free sausage sizzle will be held on the day. Drinks, chips and ice creams will be available to purchase. If you are unsure of your child's team, please check with the class teacher. See you all there ☺ ☺ ☺

### NO CANTEEN NEXT WEEK

There will be no canteen next Tuesday owing to the fact that there are lots of different things happening and that on Thursday, we are going to be having a free sausage sizzle as part of the sports carnival. Thanks for your understanding.

### SWIMMING CARNIVAL ☺



### WINTER UNIFORM

The whole school will change into winter uniform as of Tuesday, April 24, the first day of Term 2. This actually means no change for the boys, but all girls will need full winter uniform as follows:

Primary Girls: tunic, skivvy, green tights, green cardigan  
Secondary Girls: tunic, white shirt, tie, black 70 denier tights

Please check over the weekend and if you need any of these items arrange to get them through the office NEXT WEEK. There will not be any uniform sales during the holidays.



## KINDER REPORT

We have finished our first lot of Paces for the year. Lots of special work has been done and we hope our parents have enjoyed looking at our Paces. We made some beautiful elephants and talked about camels. We enjoyed using the spinning tops with the Preps!



## PREP REPORT

This week in our Social Studies lessons we talked about spring and Tasmanian devils. We made some beautiful spring flowers and looked at a real birds nest. We have learnt two new letter sounds this week, "b" and "l". We made buzzing bees and lazy lions! Our reading is going well and we are excited each time that we go to a new page on our reading chart. We have all memorised Proverbs 3:1-6 and we say this Bible passage with enthusiasm each morning. Our last around the world lesson took us to New York. We drew the Statue of Liberty and made some tall skyscraper buildings with some blocks.



## Medal Winners

**Liam** – for being polite and having lovely manners  
**Shontay** – for working hard  
**Holly** – for listening in assembly

## GRADE 1&2 REPORT

This week has been very busy, as we are working very hard to finish our PACEs before the end of the term. We enjoyed the swimming carnival on Friday, and we have one more lesson left. We learnt about the Australian flag. In drama we had to bring props to school to help us act out a character. It was lots of fun!



## Student of the Week

**Hannah Richards** – for great work with money

## GRADE 3&4

**Miriam Matafonov** – for her lovely attitude and perseverance



## GRADE 5&6 REPORT

Busy, busy, busy... We finished last week off with the swimming carnival. It was excellent and all the students in our class put in a great effort. This week we have been working very hard to finish off all our PACEs. Everyone has been working very hard. Today Mr Joubert came in to our class and talked with us about South Africa. It was very interesting and we really enjoyed it.

## Student of the Week

**Alex Shearer** – for demonstrating excellence in student leadership  
**Joshua Bass** – Mathlete of the Week (two weeks running)



## GRADE 7&8

### Student of the Week

**Micah Colledge** – for willingness to do extra work and for taking on responsibility at the swimming carnival

## GRADE 9&10

### Student of the Week

**Ashlee Costello** – for being diligent and working hard

## THE ENTERTAINMENT BOOK

Attached to this GEN is an information flyer regarding the Entertainment Book.

## PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Parent Teacher Interviews will be held on Monday, April 30th and Tuesday, May 1st, here at Geneva, which is the second week of Term 2. We will be sending home a letter with your appointment time on it and ask that you return it once you have agreed to your day and time. Term 1 Student Reports will be discussed and given out at the interviews.

## SWIIMING CARNIVAL RESULTS

Well done to all the Geneva students who competed at the swimming carnival. You all did a great job. Listed below are all the students who came runner-up or champion in their age groups.

Name	Age group	Result	Gender
Aidan Lintern	U8	Runner-up	Boy
Madeline Payne	U8	Runner-up	Girl
Jordan Payne	U9	Champion	Boy
Daniel Rouse	U9	Runner-up	Boy
Beccy Kirwood	U9	Runner-up	Girl
Kashmir Howe	U10	Runner-up	Girl
Winston Lamont	U11	Runner-up	Boy
Shae Colledge	U11	Runner-up	Girl
Levi Colledge	U12	Champion	Boy
Micah Colledge	U14	Champion	Boy
Trent Nicholls	U14	Runner-up	Boy
Divan DuPlessis	Open	Runner-up	Boy
Sean Cute	Open	Runner-up	Boy