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2 April, 2009

Term 1, Week 8

DATES TO REMEMBER

High School Camp

Monday, April 6 – Wednesday, April 8

End of Term 1

Thursday, April 9

Term 2 Dates

Tuesday, April 28 – Friday, July 10

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

“A sense of humour is a sense of proportion.”

- Kahlil Gibran

WINTER UNIFORM

All students will be in full winter uniform next term. If you require any winter uniform please see Mrs. Lincolne in the school office before the end of this term, as there will be no uniform sales during the holidays.

SCARVES & BEANIES

As winter approaches, it's great to have a warm scarf or beanie to keep the cold weather at bay. We have some beautiful bottle-green ones that you can order from the office. It costs \$10 for a scarf and beanie.

SCHOLASTIC BOOK CLUB

Please remember that orders are due back next Tuesday, April 7th. The school has registered for further benefits with Scholastic that will gain us extra bonus points, which will enable us to receive not only cheaper products, but also free books. So the more you order the more the school will benefit.

PRAYER CORNER

~ Pray for the High School Camp next week, that it will be a great time of fun and fellowship.

~ Pray for staff and students in the last week of term 1 with all the busy things that go on.



STANDING IN THE FACE OF BATTLE

John G. Ridley was born in Sydney in 1896 and became a Christian when he was 18 years old. Though still only a teenager when World War I broke out, John served in the French battlefields. At Fromelles, he was shot through his neck and tongue. Grave doubts were held for his very survival, and no one believed he would ever speak again. But God had other plans for this brave soldier.

John lived, returned from the war, and was awarded the Military Cross. He felt challenged to fight the spiritual battle of rescuing souls from Satan. After pastoring for 18 months, John suffered a nervous breakdown. God restored him and he started doing mission work in the bush, using a horse-drawn wagon to get around, and covering 1000 miles in 3 months.

He held open-air meetings, stayed at lonely outback homesteads, handed out gospel tracts, and saw many new believers come to Christ. He had a great passion for Christ, and used his gift of preaching to bring many to Jesus Christ, from all walks of life.

When World War II broke out, he served as chaplain. His passion for souls never ceased. He longed to see people saved, and never took any of the glory for himself. He continued to preach Jesus for over 60 years.

John G. Ridley kept standing up for God, even after repeated tragedies and some major health issues that tried to knock him out of the battle. Now, years down the track, we can find encouragement from John's story for our own lives. We can find encouragement to keep standing for God, and to refuse to stay down when life tries to knock us over. When the battles come, we can stand firm on the solid rock of Jesus Christ. He will see us through.

- Margot Ogilvie

BUS RUNS NEXT WEEK

As the whole high school will be away on a camp next week, the bus runs & drivers for Ulverstone/Devonport/Port Sorell on Monday afternoon, Tuesday morning and Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday morning will be slightly different from normal.

These times are approximate:

MR BUTLER

Griffiths	7.45	4.05
Eyles	7.55	3.55
Lamont	8.10	3.40
Colledge	8.10	3.40
Trall	8.20	3.30
Anderson	8.25	3.25
Bullock	8.30	3.20
Jordan/Jago	8.40	3.15

MRS SHEEHAN

Russell	8.25	3.30
Saltmarsh	8.35	3.20
Wachmers	8.40	3.15

Deloraine & Sheffield Bus as normal.

PREP REPORT

"Our Favourite Season"

Caleb

Summer - You can go swimming and play at the beach.

Jordan

Winter - You can play in the snow and make a snowman.

Daniel

Spring - I like baby lambs and they run around. Baby birds are born and learn to fly.

Bayden

Winter - You can play in the snow and make a snowman.

Joel

Autumn - You get to play in all the leaves. All the leaves fall down and change colours.



Medals

Jordan – for hands/fingernails, shoes, teeth, hankie, and hair

Caleb – for reading well

Bayden – for listening in assembly

GRADE 1&2

Medals

Sabrina – for a tidy desk

Chloe – for a tidy desk

Winston – for a tidy desk

Kalan – for working hard

Becky – for listening well in assembly

GRADE 3-6

Student of the Week

Ashley – for persisting with her math

GRADE 7-10

Two new students have come to reside in the Grade 7-10 classroom and are fitting in marvelously! Welcome Sarah and Daniel Hardy ☺

Student of the week

Linten – for working hard and doing the right thing

FOCUS

FOCUS is a youth group based in Ulverstone and run by the Ulverstone Presbyterian Church. It is for grade 7 to grade 12 students. The first night back will be this Friday, April 3. It will be Ten Pin Bowling in Devonport from 7-9pm. Cost will be \$5 per person. For more information or to get a permission slip for the bowling come and talk to Rebecca in the office.

BIKE FOR BIBLES

When: Saturday, April 18 from 9am-4pm

BBQ lunch provided

For more info see Beck in the office.

STEPPING STONES CHILDREN'S SERVICES

Dear Families, Stepping Stones Children's Services will be running a fantastic Vacation Care program over the Easter break at both Latrobe Primary and Shearwater Children's Centre with care commencing Tuesday 14th April and finishing on Friday 17th April. If you wish to book your children in for Vacation Care please contact Stepping Stones on 1300 665 699 for booking details. The programs for the Easter Break will be able to be collected from your services from Wednesday 25th March. We look forward to sharing this holiday break with your wonderful families.

GUINEA PIG SHOW

When: Sunday 5th April at 10.00am

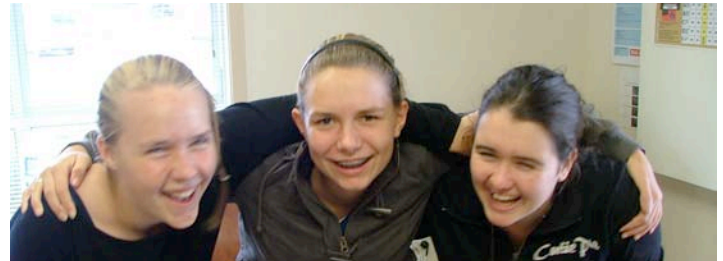
Where: Latrobe High School Gymnasium

Cost: Entry \$5.00

Pet classes will include Cutest Face, Fancy dress, Pet Condition, Fastest Eater and long Hair.

Further information phone Merilyn 64232414

PERSON PROFILE



Erika Eyles, Paige Jordan & Sarah Hardy

What are your nic-names?

- Ek, Paigey, Sear-Bear

Who inspires you?

- my friends because they're awesomely inspiring, my friends and family because I love them, my friends and family because they can always cheer me up when I'm down

What foods do you like the least?

- sultanas, pickles, tomatoes

Where would you like to go on holiday and why?

- Greece because its pretty, Italy because it would be fun, Paris, France because... well actually I don't know why!

What were your favourite toys when you were little?

- Lello Teddy, my teddy bear who never had a name, my teddy named Rosie

What do you want to be when you leave school?

- an artist, a lawyer and a car mechanic

What are your favourite books?

- 'THR3E', 'Twilight', 'Sisters Grim'



Some sneaky little April Fool Fairies got busy with some toilet paper in the school car park yesterday.

Their identities are known and they'll keep. ☺