

# Gen

1 April, 2010

Term 1, Week 8

## DATES TO REMEMBER

**Friday, April 2**

First Day of Easter Holidays!

## TERM DATES

**Term 2** April 20 – July 2

**Term 3** July 20 – October 1

**Term 4** October 19 – Dec 15

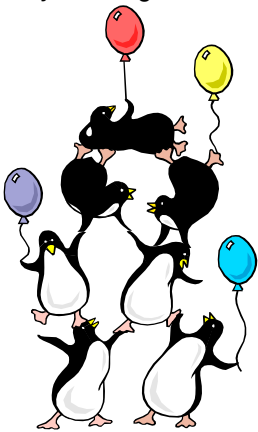
## QUOTE OF THE WEEK

The invention of the teenager was a mistake. Once you identify a period of life in which people get to stay out late, but don't have to pay taxes – naturally, nobody wants to live any other way.

- Judith Martin

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...

Everybody who is going to have a birthday over the holidays! Congratulations☺



## PRAYER CORNER

~ Pray for students, teachers & staff during the holidays. Pray that each one will have a refreshing, restful and safe time and that they will all come back invigorated and enthusiastic for Term 2!

~ Praise God for the exciting things that have happened this term – the School Fair, the Swimming Carnival and all the wonderful new students that have enrolled☺

## SALVATION BY GRACE

For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.(Romans 3:23) But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.(Romans 5:8)

If you confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus and believe in your heart that God has raised Him from the dead, you will be saved.(Romans 10:8-10)

There is therefore now no condemnation to those who are in Christ Jesus, who do not walk according to the flesh, but according to the Spirit.(Romans 8:1)

Therefore... let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares us, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us.(Hebrews 12:1)

Chocolate bunnies are all well and good... but compared with the saving work of Jesus Christ and His love and mercy towards us they are a pathetic nothing. Keep your eyes on Jesus this Easter. He is what matters now and for eternity.

## REPORT CARDS

Report cards will not be sent home this term. They will be available in Week 2 of Term 2 at parent/teacher interviews, which all parents are encouraged to attend.

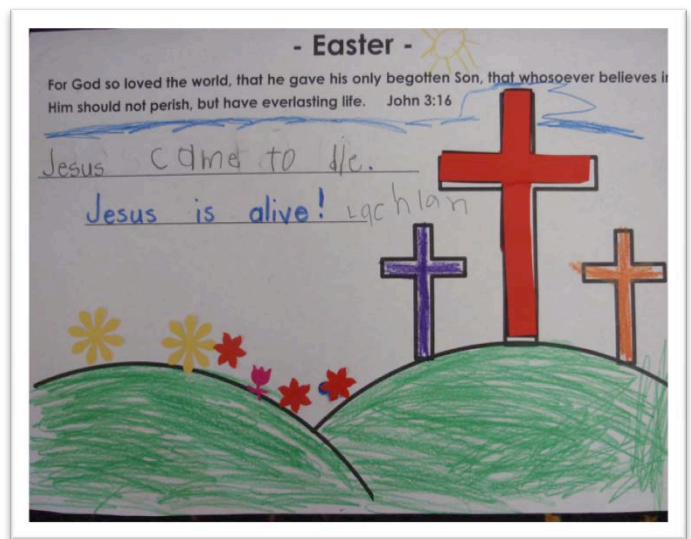
## WINTER UNIFORM

Please note that we change to winter uniform at the commencement of Term 2 which is Tuesday April 20. This means no change for the boys but the senior girls will be in tunics, blouses and tights and the junior girls will be in tunics, skivvies and tights. See Mrs Lincoln if you have any queries.

## CANTEEN

Just a reminder that canteen will be starting again next term. If you are interested in helping out on the canteen, contact the school office and we will add you to our roster. Thanks.

Geneva P&F



Some of the beautiful Easter Art created by the primaries.





### PREP REPORT

Our mornings are busily filled with learning to read and many math and literacy activities. We finished our study about the four seasons this week and wrote stories and drew pictures about our favourite season. Hearing about the true meaning of Easter was a special part of the week and we enjoyed singing a song about Jesus dying on the cross, laying in a tomb and rising again! He is a living Saviour! This song and our Easter pictures that we created will help us to remember this wonderful and true story written for us in the Bible.



### MEDAL WINNERS

**Isaac** - for clean teeth, shoes, hands & fingernails, hair and hankie

**Aidan** - for neat writing

### OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Thank you for your support of the Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Appeal. So far we have raised just over \$200! We will be continuing to have casual clothes days in Term 2 & 3. Thank you again!

### GRADE 4-6

This week has been a flurry of activity. Grade 4/5/6 have worked diligently and have finished all their work for the term. Along with this, we have built a bridge that spanned a meter between two chairs. Our bridges all supported the weight of a toy car and the car could travel from one end of the bridge to the other without falling off. We also took time to consider Easter. We remembered Jesus's death on the Cross and His resurrection. As a reminder we made 'transparent' pictures that are now allowing coloured light into our classroom. Some of us designed our own picture, others used a template.



The 4-6 Class working on their stained glass windows!

### GRADE 10-12 INTERLAKEN TRIP

