

Geneva Christian College

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3 May, 2012

Term 2, Week 2

DATES TO REMEMBER

Student Free Day

Friday, June 1

Long Weekend

Monday, June 11

P&F Time & Talent Auction

Friday, June 15

Cross Country

Friday, June 29

TERM DATES 2012

Term 2 April 24 - July 6

Term 3 July 24 - Oct 5

Term 4 Oct 23 - Dec 19

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"Our favorite season is usually the one which has just gone."

- P.K. Shaw



Bailey Buttery – May 8

Joel Saltmarsh – May 10

PRAYER CORNER

~ Praise God for the lovely, refreshing holidays we have enjoyed and for His goodness and faithfulness in bringing us all back to school for Term 2!

~ Pray for students and teachers as they settle back in, that they will learn and grow and become more like Jesus.

~ Praise God for the rain that makes everything fresh and helps the plants to grow.

~ Pray that He will keep our school buses safe on the roads.

FAMILY PRAYER LIST

~ Nyenhof

~ Overton

~ Payne

~ Perry

~ Redman

NO ONE KNOWS THE DAY OR THE HOUR!

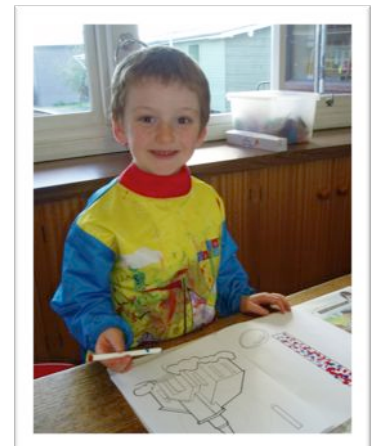
Day or hour for what? The coming of Jesus. He said Himself He would return, but of the hour or day no one would know, not even Him. Only God his Father knows. What Jesus does tell us though is that we have to be ready. And not just ready but ALWAYS ready. This doesn't mean we sit at the door, waiting, we still have to get on with our earthly lives. It means that how we live, what we say, how we act, what we watch and listen to, and how we treat others should reflect our readiness for Jesus. Are you ready, for He will come quickly and when you least expect it! Read Matthew Chapter 23 & 24.

SCHOOL FEES

Term 2 school fees were sent home this week. If you have outstanding fees from Term 1, we asked that you would settle these along with this term's fees as soon as possible. Thank you ☺

UNIFORM

Now that we are into full winter uniform, please check each day that your child is dressed correctly. If unsure please check with the school office. Those students who are out of uniform for any reason should bring a note from their parent. Repeat offenders will be required to sit lunch-time detentions ☹



P&F TIME & TALENT AUCTION

The P&F Time & Talent Auction is on again! It will be held on Friday, June 15 at school, and will commence at 6:30pm. Time & Talent pledge forms have been sent home. We have already received some fantastic donations and are looking forward to many more! So get your thinking caps on and come up with something fun and creative to sell at the Auction! And make sure you keep this evening free, its lots of fun!!!

P&F MEETING AND NORWEX DEMONSTRATION

The next P&F meeting will be held on Monday, May 28 at 9:30am at Geneva, followed by a NORWEX demonstration at 10:15am. NORWEX is a fantastic range of cleaning cloths suited to every area in your home, that use only water – none of those nasty chemicals! This will be held in the school kitchen. It will be a fundraiser as well as a chance for the school to re-stock our kitchen cleaning products. All parents and friends of the school warmly welcomed.

ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS

An Entertainment Book has been sent home to each family. This is a great fundraiser and is well worth a look. Each book contains a great selection of vouchers for places all over Tasmania and can even be a source of inspiration for new places and things to see and do! If you DO NOT wish to purchase your book, simply return to school as soon as possible.



PREP REPORT

Our reading is zooming along and we are about to start on the second reading chart. It is always exciting when we learn a new sound or word and are able to see the new page on our reading chart. This week, we started addition and are now able to do simple plus sums. For our science lessons this term, we are learning about our five senses. The “seeing” lesson was lots of fun and we especially enjoyed having a blindfold on and trying to draw a face without looking. We are thankful to God that we have eyes to see all the beautiful things He created for us to enjoy.



KINDER REPORT

We welcomed Dante' into our Kinder class last week and it has been exciting to have him work and play with us. Our letter sound for this week was “f” and we made some fantastic foxes! We are doing some extra work on our numbers and we love to listen to lots of stories every day.

Medal Winners

- Ethan – for being helpful
- Ryan – for lovely writing
- Shontay – for listening in assembly
- Dante' – for good behaviour on the bus and in assembly

GRADE 1&2

Student of the Week

Liam Rowe – for improved attitude in all areas

YOUTH FOUNDATIONS

Grade 10 -12 students will be attending a week's course held at Poatina by FUSION, from July 8 - 15. The course is about living with God, living with others and living with ourselves. Each time a student completes a Foundations Course they receive credit towards their Graduation Certificate. A letter will be sent home in the next couple of weeks highlighting what is required.

SOUTH PACIFIC STUDENT CONVENTION - FIJI

This year the bi-annual South Pacific Student Convention will be held in Fiji from December 9th. A letter has been sent home to all high school families to find out who would be interested in going. All the details are in that letter, so if you have not seen one yet, then ask your child for a copy ☺



RURAL BIBLE NETWORK

The Rural Bible Network provides opportunities for the rural community to enjoy opening God's Word with faithful Bible teachers from around Australia. The next one will be held on Saturday, May 19 at the Latrobe Memorial Hall. Registration commences at 10:30. Cost per person - \$15 for early bookings, \$20 for late bookings. Register online – www.RuralBible.net or via phone – 0437 966 987.

Join us as David Jones opens the book of Jude to help us understand our times and how we can live safe and secure in volatile and uncertain times.

DELORAINE BUS

To all families on the Deloraine bus run we ask that you be on time at your stop so to allow for our bus to arrive on time at school. The Deloraine run covers 240km a day, so punctuality is appreciated. Times are below to remind each family.



	Morning	Afternoon
Donohue x 1	7.50	3.55
Turner x 4	7.50	3.55
Russo x 1	7.50	3.55
Nelder x 2	8.00	3.40
Wilson x 2	8.00	3.40
Rouse x 3	8.00	3.40
Howe x 3	8.00	3.40
Bass x 3	8.00	3.40
Wilson x 1	8.00	3.40
Clarke x 2	8.05	3.40
Jordan x 1	8.05	3.40
Costello x 2	8.10	3.40
How x 1	8.10	3.40
Rowe x 2	8.10	3.40
Saltmarsh x 2	8.25	3.30
Perry x 3	8.35	3.20