DATE TO REMEMBER
Flash Mob
Saturday, May 25
Long Weekend
Monday, June 10
Time & Talent Auction
Friday, June 21
Cross Country
Friday, June 28

TERM DATES 2013
Term 2 May 7 - July 5
Term 3 July 23 - Sep 27
Term 4 Oct 15 - Dec 18

QUOTE OF THE WEEK
‘Find a need and fill it.’
- Ruth Stafford Peale

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...
Jacob Gatti – May 25
Sarah Marks – May 27
Denver Watson – May 28
Bradley Herrmann – May 29

PRAYER CORNER
~ Praise God for the beautiful rain and that it helps things grow and makes everything fresh.
~ Pray that students will demonstrate love and kindness to each other and that each student will do their very best!
~ Pray for strength & enthusiasm for our teachers.

FAMILY PRAYER LIST
~ Martin
~ May/Winter
~ Mayes
~ Mosley
~ Nicholls

The town of Latrobe recently received the Highly Commended Award in Environmental Innovation and Protection. Geneva was an instrumental part of this with our solar panel!

FLASH MOB MAJOR PERFORMANCE
This Saturday, May 25th, our Flash Mob group will be giving their one and only public performance. It will be held at CMAX Cinemas in Devonport. We would love there to be a large group of audience to enhance the crowd appeal. If you would like to be part of this special day, please be at the cinema in the foyer by 12.10pm on Saturday. Mrs Marks will be there to give directions for what’s required. The whole process will only be 1/2 hour, so please make every effort to come and support our Flash Mob performance.

PARENTS & FRIENDS AUCTION
As you know the P&F are holding their Time and Talent Auction on Friday, June 21 at Geneva. Just recently each family received a notice with all the information on it. You were asked to donate your time or a talent and complete the slip at the bottom of the form and return to class teacher. If you have not done this, please could you do so ASAP. It is a great fundraiser and has raised large amounts of money in the past. Some of the resources that we are now enjoying at school from past auctions include: playgrounds, skate car track, outdoor seating, cameras and media equipment. So your support is needed and very much appreciated.

COLLECTING CHILDREN FROM SCHOOL
We are now finding that at the end of each day there are many more vehicles in our car park. We have left the center of the car park for parents who are picking their children up, however we ask that you actually get out of your car and come to the front annex to collect them. We do not want children passing in front of or behind buses to go to vehicles. Please can you talk to your children about this and please remember to collect them from under the annex. Their safety is our foremost concern.

DELORAINE BUS
We are still having some issues in regards to behaviour on the Deloraine bus. We have spoken to the children on several occasions this year and we ask that you also speak to your own children in regards to their behaviour. If we find that individuals do not improve, they will not be able to travel on this bus. A disturbance from passengers is all it takes for the driver to be distracted. We know ourselves how easy that is in our own vehicles, just think how this is magnified with 30 more people sitting behind you! Once again their safety is our foremost concern.
GRADE 1&2
We have made some beautiful crayon & paint drawings of fish underwater. They look great! We are also using a seed sprouter to sprout some seeds.

Student of the Week
Nathan Eyles – for an improved attitude

GRADE 5&6
Student of the Week
Alej Abboud – for working really hard in every area

GRADE 7&8
Student of the Week
Ashley Eyles – for quietly working hard to complete all her goals

GRADE 9&10
Student of the Week
Amber Brosnan – for an enthusiastic attitude towards achieving

TRY A SKILL
Grade 9 students attended ‘Try A Skill’ on Tuesday. This is a program put together to give students the opportunity to see and participate in a selection of vocations. A good day was had by everyone.

DRIVER AWARENESS
Some Grade 10, 11 & 12 students attended the Driver Awareness Course on Monday at Camp Clayton. Natalie reports, “It was very helpful, not just seeing the distance of a car suddenly stopping at 80km/hour, but actually being inside the car. Being inside the car made us realise why we have speed limits.”

ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS
There are still a few families that need to return or pay for their entertainment books. Please do so as soon as possible. Thanks.

OUR NEW TILLER
On Tuesday morning Mr Du Plessis from MowerPower, Devonport, delivered the tiller bought by the Geneva Parents and Friends. The tiller will extend the range of equipment our horticulture students learn to use. It will be used by the students to prepare ground for grain and vegetable crops.