

9 June, 2011

Term 2 Week 5

DATES TO REMEMBER

Monday, June 13

Queen's Birthday Holiday

Friday, July 1

Time & Talent Auction

Friday, July 8

Cross Country

Sunday, July 10 – 17

Youth Foundations - Poatina

TERM DATES 2011

Term 2 May 10 – July 8

Term 3 July 26 – Sept 30

Term 4 October 18 – Dec 21

PRAYER CORNER

~ Pray for staff and students as the winter chill sets in, for good health and enthusiasm.

~ Praise God for His care of our school buses and pray for His continued journeying mercies.

~ Praise God for all the exciting projects happening around the school and pray for the safety of the workmen and the timely completion of each project.

~ Pray that everything done at Geneva will glorify God.

FAMILY PRAYER LIST

~ Packard

~ Payne

~ Rogers

~ Rouse

~ Russell

WHAT MUST I DO TO BE SAVED?

This was the important question we heard in chapel this week. The Philippian jailer asked it in the Bible. Another question like it with the same answer is, "How do I become a Christian?". You could answer this by saying, "You have to be saved first!". "Saved from what?". "Saved from your sins!". The jailer realised this and he wanted to be saved. Paul gave him that wonderful answer, "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and you will be saved." C.S.Lewis said, "Christianity . . . if false, is of no importance, and if true, of infinite importance. The one thing it cannot be is moderately important". I hope and pray that your salvation is of most importance to you.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Mr & Mrs Harrision on the birth of their son, Declan, a cute baby brother for Michael. May he be a blessing to your family ☺



KINDER REPORT

This week the Kinders learnt that buffalo reads “b, b, b”. They did lots of “b” activities such as making bear masks, blowing bubbles and playing with balloons. Ryan's mummy bought in one mummy guinea pig and her three babies. They were so cute. Thank you, Mrs. Wilson! We loved holding and watching them.



PREP REPORT

Our senses lesson for this week was about touch. We had to close our eyes and guess what some objects were just by touching them. In our reading lesson, we learnt the new sound “k”. We talked about kings, koalas, kangaroos, kazoos, kennels, kettles, kids and kites! For music, we enjoyed playing some percussion instruments and making a joyful noise unto the Lord!

Medal winners

Rheanna & Shontay – for listening in assembly
Noah – for trying hard with his school work

KOORONG ORDERS

The Koorong catalogue due date has been extended. So, if any one would still like to order from the catalogue, there is still time, but please return your order and money to school by next **Friday, 17th June**.

GRADE 1-3

We are working hard on making posters about the different planets. We have also written some poems.

Medal Winners

Lachlan Walker – for a cheerful attitude

GRADE 10,11,12 STUDENT FREE DAY!!

The Grade 10, 11 & 12's have a student free day on Thursday, June 23. The staff in these areas, have a professional development programme to attend.

TASMANIAN URINARY IODINE SURVEY OF SCHOOL CHILDREN 2011

All students in the grade 4/5/6 class are being invited to take part in an important survey on **Friday 17th June** that will measure how much of the essential nutrient iodine is in our diets. Iodine comes from the food we eat and in Tasmania, we traditionally don't get enough. The survey will track the success of using iodised salt in bread as a way of improving our iodine levels.

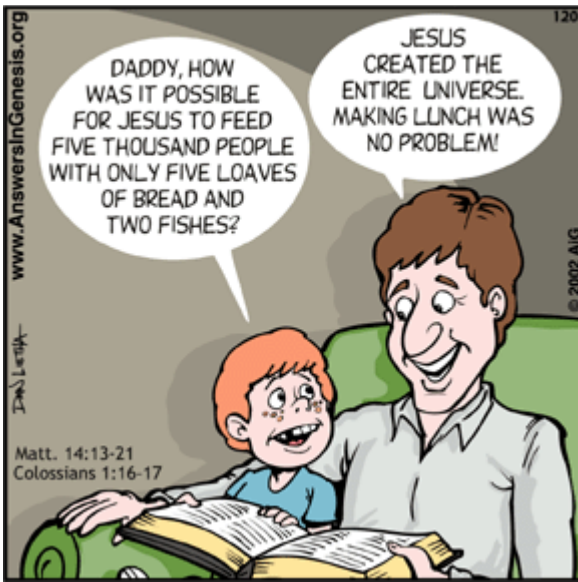
Information and a consent form will be sent home on Thursday 9th June. If you give permission for your child to take part, please sign the consent form and return it to school by Thursday 16th June.

GRADE 4-6

This week we have been practicing for the cross country and we have also been practicing our music for convention. Our class has been doing art for convention. Yesterday, Shannon who has been helping people in the Philippines came into our class and asked us to be her pen-pals. We made delicious pizzas in cooking and in science we made o-wing paper planes.

By Eli and Lewis





DRIVE SLOWLY

Just a reminder that when you come into Geneva and are driving within the grounds please GO SLOW!! Not only do we need to watch out for school children, but we also have residents living on campus with a toddler who has just started to walk. Please take care:)

TIME AND TALENT AUCTION DONATIONS - WHAT HAVE YOU DONATED??

We are just 3 weeks away from our P&F Time & Talent Auction. At the last count we had just over 60 items ready for auction. We would like to make that 100. So put your thinking caps on and come up with something that you can donate, either a talent, your time or an item. Thank you to those who have already sent in their pledges. And don't forget to keep Friday, July 1st, free. It really is a fun night out and everyone goes home with something worthwhile ☺

WHAT: Time & Talent Auction

WHERE: Geneva

WHEN: Friday, July 1, 2011 commencing 6.45pm

WHAT TO BRING: a plate of supper, some cash or you cheque book and a fun spirit.

CROSS COUNTRY

Our annual TACE Cross Country is just 4 weeks away, on Friday, July 8, our last day of term. The destination is still to be announced, but it is a fantastic day for all the family. We have already started practicing through our great cross country track in the Geneva bush.