

# Geneva Christian College

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PROVERBS 3:6

16 June, 2011

Term 2 Week 6

## DATES TO REMEMBER

**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

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...

**Jamie Rouse** for June 21

## PRAYER CORNER

~ Pray for staff and students as we are now more than half way through Term 2, that they will remain enthusiastic.

~ 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 their timely completion.

## FAMILY PRAYER LIST

~ Russo

~ Saltmarsh

~ Scrimgeour

~ South

~ Sparkes

## TELLING THE TRUTH . . . ALWAYS!!

Telling the truth should be easy, but sometimes it is not. Telling the truth is a very good habit to form when you are young, it can save you from lots of trouble. In the Bible we read of lots of people who were truthful and also those who lied. This is one of those stories:

Ananias and Saphira were not truthful and they were struck dead for what most people would view as a little matter. They told a lie. They didn't think it was a lie that would hurt or disadvantaged anybody.

Ananias and Saphira wanted to gain a reputation for being generous, but they didn't tell the whole truth and made themselves out to be more generous than they really were. They actually made a trap for themselves and then they were caught in it. (Acts 5)

Why do people lie? Sometimes they lie to avoid punishment, to protect their reputation, to impress others or to get something they want. The Bible clearly tells us "be sure your sin will find you out". This means your lies will eventually catch up with you, like Ananias & Saphira. We can be certain of this, that even though others may not know we have lied, God always knows and always sees. In John 8:32 we read that "the truth will set you free", so tell the truth...always !

## CROSS COUNTRY

Our annual TACE Cross Country is just 3 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.



## KINDER REPORT

We are enjoying our Pace work time and there is always lots of fun activities to do every Kinder day! Our pet dogs and cats we made out of empty toilet rolls look great! We are learning about Moses during our Bible story time. God helped Moses to lead His people out of Egypt.

## PREP REPORT

We tried to have our first cross country practice run on Friday, but there was so much water on the track that we couldn't get through to the next part! Instead, we enjoyed a walk to the dam and through a different bush track. Yesterday, we talked about our Australian flag and looked at flags of other countries too. It was fun to try and design our own flag. We are also learning to tell the time and we made some paper clocks to help us understand more about time and o'clock.



## GRADE 4-6

This week we walked the cross country track in an hour. We did science and cooking. In science we made robocopters and used a hair drier to make them float through the air. In cooking we made lasagna. We have a new girl in our class and her name is Sahara. She is in grade 5. It has been a fun week. We have done lots of PACE work.  
By Monique Turner & Aiden Kissick

## Student of the week

**Monique Turner** - for outstanding persistence in Mathematics

## GRADE 10,11,12 STUDENT FREE DAY!!

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

## YOUTH FOUNDATIONS FORMS

Just a reminder to the Grade 10-12's that we need all Youth Foundations Forms and money back as soon as possible. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.





**“What fits your busy schedule better, exercising one hour a day or being dead 24 hours a day?”**

## **FOR SALE**

Pine Bunk Bed, can be separated into two single beds - \$100

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## **GENEVA TIME & TALENT AUCTION**

We are just 2 weeks away from our P&F Time & Talent Auction. There is still time to make a donation of your time or talents. 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.

**SEE YOU THERE 😊**