

# Geneva Christian College

PROVERBS 3:6

## The GEN



### DATES TO REMEMBER

**P&F Pie Drive** 18 August  
**School Photos** 23 August  
**Book Fair Day** 30 August  
**Convention** 25 - 29 September

### TERM DATES 2017

**Term 3** July 25th - Sept 29th  
**Convention** Sep 25th-28th  
**Term 4** Oct 17th - Dec 20th

### VERSE OF THE WEEK

Teach me to do your will, for you are my God; may your good Spirit lead me on level ground.  
 Psalm 143:10 (NIV)

### FAMILY PRAYER CORNER

- Ambery
- Armstrong
- Atkins
- Badcock
- Baldock

### PRAYER CORNER

- Praise God for the unconditional love He gives us each and every day
- Praise God for the resources our school has to teach our students
- Pray for our Outdoor Education class who have braved the weather and gone on an overnight camp

### KIDSMATTER CORNER

For parents to watch

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TRsSHxI3\\_Z4](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TRsSHxI3_Z4)

### DO YOU SHOP AT WOOLWORTHS?

Woolworths are promoting the Earn & Learn Stickers available when you spend \$10 or more. Geneva is collecting stickers so if you have any at home, please send them in with your child as we will put them with our collection!



### GRATITUDE MAKES US HAPPIER

Scientists have found that grateful people are happier people! God actually has been saying that for a long, long time. Research says that happier people enjoy higher levels of positive emotions, have greater satisfaction in life, more vitality and more optimism. They experience lower levels of depression and stress and are often more generous and helpful. So here are a few tips to help you on your way:

- Make a gratitude list, write it down and stick in on your fridge.
- Count your blessings, actually look around you and see what you do have already, not what you don't have.
- Tell your friends you are thankful for them. Do it today, phone someone up, make them a meal or send them a note.
- See adversity as an opportunity to learn and grow. When times of trial and trouble strike, yes they will, then don't dwell, see these as opportunities to learn something new.
- Change your negative thoughts to positive ones. When negative thoughts creep in, tell them to get lost and replace them with positive and uplifting ones instead.

*It is not how much we have, but how much we enjoy, that makes happiness.*  
 Charles Spurgeon



# STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

## Kinder

Cass Von Rock  
for good attentiveness during memory verse learning.

## Prep

Hanna Hoffer  
for fantastic improvement in her handwriting

## Grade 1/2

Aidan Gray  
for remembering what a quadrilateral is.  
Hannah Scrimgeour  
for dedication to completing her work

## Grade 3/4

Joshua Woodberry  
for working hard in class

## Grade 5/6

Shana Rouse  
for applying herself to all she does with an enthusiastic attitude  
Taj Williams  
for great work in the garden

## Grade 7

Daniel Atkins  
for settling in well as well as having a great attitude

## Grade 8

Brayden Frith  
for a great start to Term 3 and great writing for his English studies

## Grade 10/11/12

Jacqueline Rouse  
for diligence and commitment to her schooling



On Tuesday, our hospitality students prepared a staff lunch where they set up tables, waited the tables, prepared and cooked all the food and made hot drinks. This was a great learning experience for the students where they got to experience what a restaurant is really like. The food was very delicious!



## Parent Information Sessions

HOBART • LAUNCESTON • ULVERSTONE



## Musical Theatre Interlaken Camp

Autism Tasmania will be offering a series of information sessions for parents and family members of children on the autism spectrum aged over 7 years. These sessions provide an opportunity to learn about and discuss a variety of autism specific issues in a friendly and supportive environment.

Registration is free of charge.

	Ulverstone Montgomery Room, Ulverstone Civic Centre	Launceston Northern Children's Network 59D Amy Road, Newstead	Hobart Buckingham Rowing Club Marine Esplanade, New Town
<b>Understanding autism:</b> characteristics, research and personal stories	10am - 12pm <b>Wed, 30 Aug 2017</b>	10am - 12pm <b>Wed, 23 Aug 2017</b>	10am - 12pm <b>Thu, 24 Aug 2017</b>
<b>Puberty and autism:</b> hygiene, sexuality and social safety	10am - 12pm <b>Wed, 20 Sep 2017</b>	10am - 12pm <b>Wed, 13 Sep 2017</b>	10am - 12pm <b>Thu, 14 Sep 2017</b>
<b>Siblings:</b> supporting the wellbeing of your children who don't have autism	10am - 12pm <b>Wed, 25 Oct 2017</b>	10am - 12pm <b>Wed, 1 Nov 2017</b>	10am - 12pm <b>Thu, 2 Nov 2017</b>

Please contact Autism Tasmania for more information and registration.

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