

DATES TO REMEMBER

Student Convention
October 1 – October 4

TERM DATES 2012

Term 3 July 24 - Oct 5
Term 4 Oct 23 - Dec 19

TERM DATES 2013

Term 1 Feb 12 - Apr 19
Term 2 May 7 - July 5
Term 3 July 23 - Sep 27
Term 4 Oct 15 - Dec 18

PROVERB OF THE WEEK

“Do not devise evil against your neighbor, for he dwells by you for safety’s sake. Do not strive with a man without cause, if he has done you no harm.”

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

“When holidaying, always get there yesterday. That’s when the fish are biting.” - W.G.P.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...

Elisheva Matafonov – Sep 30
Mrs Lincolne – Oct 2
Mr Butler – Oct 11
Ryan Wilson – Oct 11
Beccy & Jai Kirwood – Oct 14
Daniel Matafonov – Oct 14
Mr Parker – Oct 16

PRAYER CORNER

~ Pray for students and teachers as they finalise, sort and pack everything for Convention which starts on Monday!
~ Pray that Convention would be a time of blessing and fellowship for all involved.
~ Praise God for His continued goodness and faithfulness to Geneva Christian College this term.

FAMILY PRAYER LIST

~ Turner/Buttery
~ Turner
~ Turvey

STUDENT CONVENTION!

The 2012 Tasmanian Student Convention is THIS coming week! If you have not yet returned your bus details form please do so tomorrow so that we can organize buses and let you know pick up times. Also, we would like everyone to have paid their Convention fees BEFORE Convention - Primary - \$20, Secondary Non-Campers - \$40, Secondary Campers - \$150.

Thank you for your cooperation in these matters 😊

WANTED: GRAIN MILL

Geneva’s “Growing our Bread” project is progressing. Some students have learnt to make naturally fermented bread (sourdough bread). We have planted areas of spelt and rye. Soon we will need a grain mill so we can mill our own flour to make bread. If you have a grain mill you don’t use or don’t need please contact our chaplain – Chris Stafferton on 0437 966 987



BURNIE SHOW

Fusion Australia will be running open crowd festivals at the Burnie Show on Friday, October 5 and Saturday, October 6. If there are any secondary students who would like to give them a hand and have parental permission call Andy on 0406 990121 for further information.

SUMMER UNIFORM

And it is summer uniform time again! Please make sure that your girls and boys have all the summer uniform they need before the start of Term 4. Girls will need a knee length summer dress and green socks. Boys may need some short sleeve shirts – if they’re not already wearing them 😊

KINDER & PREP REPORT

It was lots of fun packing shoeboxes this week. We are praying that the shoeboxes will go to the right little children who need what is in the box and will smile at the things we have chosen for them. We loved going with Mr. Stafferton down to the orchard and garden. We threw some spelt seed onto the soil and we are looking forward to watching it grow! It was also fun to have a nibble of some of the vegies growing in the garden!



Kinder Student of the Week

Oliver – for being happy and obedient

Prep Student of the Week

Bella-Grace – for completing some excellent and creative craftwork for Convention

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD – Shoebox Appeal

We packed 104 shoeboxes!! Thank you to everyone who knitted beanies & scarves, donated items, wore casual clothes to raise money, helped prepare and pack the shoeboxes and held other fundraising days to support this worthy cause. You are all appreciated and you have helped to put a smile on 104 children who may have never received a gift before. It is certainly more blessed to give than to receive!



GRADE 1&2

This week has been very busy, as we have been finishing off Convention work, and finishing all our PACEs. Still, we have found time to watch our snow peas finally growing, and yesterday Mr Stafferton took us down to the orchard so we could sow some spelt, which is a type of grain. We talked about the parable of the sower, which Jesus told to his disciples. It was fun!

Student of the Week

Isaac Lavers – for trying hard with his cursive

GRADE 7&8

Student of the Week

Lewis Lamont – for trying really hard to complete all his PACEs

GRADE 9-12

Students of the Week

Johnny – for a great attitude and a great effort towards finishing his PACE work

Elise & Bridgett – for being responsible and helpful towards Convention preparation

DRAMA

Students of the Week

Eli Derham – for amazing effort in his group poem

Georgia Jewell – for memorizing her poem (without prompts)

WANTED

1 size 8-10 school rugby jumper. Please call 6491 1119 if you have one you don't need or would like to hand in. Thanks.

DEVONPORT LITTLE ATHLETICS

Devonport Little Athletics season commences on Saturday 6th October at Girdlestone Park, East Devonport. 8:15am start. Little Athletics is for children of all abilities aged 5-15 years. For more information visit littleathletics.com.au or email: devonport@taslittleathletics.com.au

IRON & CLAY

WHAT – an inspirational Christian band

WHERE – Latrobe Baptist Church

WHEN – October 7, 2012

TIME – 5pm

COST – \$2

Move Well Eat Well

Every day aim for:

**2 serves of fruit AND
5 serves of vegetables**

What's in a serve?

1 SERVE FRUIT

- 1 piece medium sized fruit
- 2 pieces smaller fruit
- 1 cup tinned fruit
- 4 pieces dried fruit

1 SERVE VEGETABLES

- 1 medium potato
- 1/2 cup cooked vegetables
- 1 cup salad vegetables
- 1/2 cup legumes

For more information and for family ideas on healthy eating and physical activity visit: www.movewelleteatwell.tas.gov.au