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**Verse of the Week**

Oh, how great are God's riches and wisdom and knowledge! How impossible it is for us to understand his decisions and his ways!

Romans 11:33

**Prayer Corner**

~ Praise God that He lives in us and His love is made complete in us (1 John 4:12)
~ Pray for our students as they prepare for convention.
~ Pray for our athletes who are competing in the olympics.

**Family Prayer Corner**

~ Wilson
~ Woodberry
~ Young
~ Armstrong
~ Badcock

**KidsMatter Corner**

**Food & Mood**

In past decades there has been a change in our food supply with an increasing number of processed foods. Packaged foods are often an inclusion in children's school. Many of these foods contain artificial colours and preservatives, which are found to cause many behavioural problems.

For lunch box ideas follow Super Healthy Kids on Facebook.

[www.superhealthykids.com](http://www.superhealthykids.com)

[www.kidsmatter.com](http://www.kidsmatter.com)

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**Go to the ant, you sluggard!** *(Proverbs 6:6)*

We have been lately talking to our senior students about their work ethic. We shared some insight about the kind of work ethic that they will need to create the life they deserve. So many people are missing this most basic of steps. You cannot watch TV everyday and expect that things are just going to magically change. There has to be some major hustle to create the reality that you want. We need to be impacted by the importance of the hustle & the grind and of turning up every day and working your tail off.

We are effected by what some call "The Talent Myth". It's the idea that some people are just born with way more ability and that we are stuck where we are. So much research is making it really clear that through persistence, effort and hard work, you can accomplish so much more than you currently think is possible. I like to say to our students, “You have no idea what you’re capable of!”

David Lincolne.

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The Salvation Army ran a Film Competition this year called: The Hidden Others. This competition’s focus was aimed at bringing people’s awareness to Youth Homelessness here in Australia and trying to break the typical stereotype that homelessness is living on the street.

Did you know that 1 in 200 people are homeless per night in Australia?
Or that couch surfing has risen by 26% in the last year?
Well our students didn’t either until they researched and completed a editing course course down in Hobart at Utas.
There were 19 films in total and Geneva Christian College came first with their film: We All Have Dreams. Congratulations Media Arts students.
Geneva Christian College also came second with their film, “The Cards We’re Dealt.” Congratulations Media Production Students.
God is sure using our gifts at this school to help touch the lives of those in our Community. Praise God for His wonderful gifts.

If you would like to watch these film please follow the link or look their names up on Youtube.

**We All Have Dreams Link:**
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tRovgAZyLEA](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tRovgAZyLEA)
**The Cards We’re Dealt**
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eJxVFeasR4](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eJxVFeasR4)
Students of the week

Kinder
Abigail Roberts
for showing kindness to a classmate
Prep
Ellie Matveev
for always encouraging her classmates!
Grade 1/2
Saxzen Diston
Tom Butcher
Grade 3/4
Liam Overton
for being the first grade 3 boy to recite the book of Jonah
William Watts
for hardwork in the classroom
Grade 5/6
Jenna King
for beautiful handwriting
Jacob Sachman
Completing additional Maths every night
Grade 7
Jai Kirwood
for great responsibility in his scoring and taking extra

care in ensuring that his work is neat
Grade 8
Josh Briggs
for getting goals done every day. Well done!
Grade 9
Zakery Walker
for an excellent work ethic so far this term
Grade 10
Nicole Bozoky
for peer tutoring in math and a high level of organisation.

Just a friendly reminder to only use the drop off area near the office when there are no buses coming in.

Students in grades 3 & 4 planted 18 trees to help form a shelter belt in their school grounds. They planted 2 eucalyptus leucoxylon rosea (pink flowering gum), 3 grevillea rosmarinifolia (red grevillea), 4 melaleuca (tea tree) and 9 acacia melanoxylon (Blackwood). As well as providing a shelter belt at the western end of the school oval the trees will provide new habitat for some of the many birds that live around the school.

#nationaltreeday 31st July 2016

Molly brought her little lamb to school!

This week Kinder had a Teddy Bear’s Picnic!

Mr. Lincolne and Josh Bass playing chess.

Prep in their casual clothes!

Here are the Prep boys reading to each other

Josh is holding up a black radish.

Congratulations to Rebecca & Joel Walker on the safe arrival of their Son. Benjamin Michael Walker.

Born Monday 1st of August.

Weighing 8 pound 1 and 55cm long!