



DATES TO REMEMBER

Convention Registration
TOMORROW!! August 15
Book Fair!
Wed, September 3
CONVENTION!
Sept 22 – Sept 25

TERM DATES 2014

Term 3 July 22 – Sep 25
Term 4 Oct 14 – Dec 17

VERSE OF THE WEEK

"For we are God's handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do."
~ Ephesians 2:10

CASUAL CLOTHES DATES

Thursday, September 18

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...

Kosta Le Lievre – 15th
Jimmy Johns – 16th
Corey Hyland – 17th
Mrs Colledge – 18th
Stephanie Le Lievre – 21st

PRAYER CORNER

~ Pray for teachers and students as they plan, prepare and practice for Convention – it's only 5 weeks away and there is still much to do!
~ Pray for safety for our buses on the roads.
~ Praise God for His amazing and beautiful creation and for the changing seasons ☺
~ Pray for the all the builders working on our new building – for enthusiasm and safety.

FAMILY PRAYER LIST

~ Walker
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BOOK FAIR!!

Our annual Book Fair & Dress Up Day is to be held on Wednesday, September 3. The theme for this year is "the garden", so come dressed as your favourite plant or flower, insect, tree or garden animal. There will be prizes for the best costume in relation to this theme. It is less than 3 weeks away, so start making plans ☺

TERM DATES FOR 2015

TERM 1	Tuesday February 10 - Thursday, April 2	8 weeks
TERM 2	Tuesday April 21 - Friday, July 3	11 weeks
TERM 3	Tuesday July 21 - Friday, September 25 (Convention Sept 21 - 25)	10 weeks
TERM 4	Tuesday October 13 - Wednesday, December 16	10 weeks

GREAT OUTBACK BBQ!

Over the last 12 months schools and community groups have done amazing things to help our Australian farmers struggling with drought. Drought is tough and at the moment, in the middle of winter, it is crushing the spirit of many families. The Great Outback BBQ is a way we can raise awareness and funds for those struggling.

And so, on **Friday, September 19th**, we are going to have a Great Outback BBQ here at school! All students will need to bring \$2 for the sausage sizzle and wear jeans and a checked shirt ☺ Let's help encourage and support our Aussie farmers!!



Year 7&8 built a sandbag retaining wall today. Great effort by all involved.



On a lovely, sunny Wednesday we did some weeding and we planted some cauliflower & mustard seedlings.





Happy birthday to Jimmy and Eden! Mrs Johns made yummy cupcakes!

GRADE 1&2

Student of the Week

Caleb Walker – for always being polite and helpful

GRADE 3&4

We have been busy this week completing our letters, handwriting and poetry entries for Convention. The grossest part of the week was when we strained fermented tamarillo seeds which we will attempt to germinate in Gardening. The mould was disgusting! The best thing about the week has been the joy our new student Acacia Walker has brought to us. It's lovely to have you in our class Acacia!



Maddy and Sarah straining fermented tamarillo seeds

Ana and Acacia with a special lunch time visitor

GRADE 7&8

Students of the Week

Kayla Viktor – for her friendly and hard working nature

Trent Nicholls – for being cheerful and hardworking



GRADE 9&10

Student of the Week

Georgia Burgess – for great participation and enthusiasm in volleyball

SAMARITAN'S PURSE FUDRAISING TRIVIA NIGHT

WHEN: Friday, August 22nd @ 6:45pm

WHERE: Ulverstone Baptist Church

WHAT: A great night of fun and fellowship to raise funds for Samaritan's Purse ☺

COST: \$10

RSVP: August 20th to Ruth Cannon 0438 253 123

FOR SALE

Mike Spencer is an Australian author and has just published a great book "One People, One Destiny: a Christian history of Australia. It is very well written and is available to purchase at the front office for \$40.



CONGRATULATIONS ☺

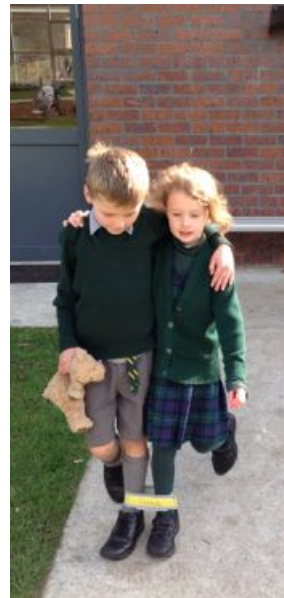
Congratulations to Miss Beck, who became engaged on Sunday, to her now-fiancé, Joel Walker. Miss Beck's face hurts from smiling so much ☺

GENEVA'S FILM CLASS NEEDS YOUR VOTE

Geneva's film class has made a film. We were blessed to film our dear friend Phil who has a disability; our aim was to draw people's attention to Phil's amazing ability. Please could you follow the link below and vote for our film. Our film is under the category of **SCHOOL ENTRANTS: SHORT FILM**. Our film is on the **left hand side, four films down**. It is called, "**OPEN YOUR EYES**", By **Geneva Christian College**. Please press **VOTE, enter your details and then check your email to conform your vote**. Everyone can only vote once, so EVERY vote is VERY important.

Please help us spread the word of focusing on people's abilities. We hope you enjoy our film. Thanks so much for your support and please feel free to pass it on, so that other family and friends can vote too. We hope you enjoy our film.

<http://www.focusonability.com.au/FOA/Films.html>



SCHOLASTIC REWARDS!

The Kinders have been so excited to receive some new things for their classroom, purchased with Scholastic Points earned for the school from your purchase of Scholastic Books! They say thank you very much ☺

They received:

- A 'tracks' mat
- a 'classroom cruiser'
- a magnetic whiteboard
- a bright new pillow
- a timer
- some musical teaching aids