

Geneva Christian College

PROVERBS 3:6

The GEN



DATES TO REMEMBER

Athletics Day Nov 30
Public Holiday Dec 1
Student Free Day Dec 4
50th Celebrations Dec 15
Presentation Night Dec 18
Seniors Dinner Dec 19
School Picnic Dec 20

TERM DATES 2017

Term 4 Oct 17th - Dec 20th

TERM DATES 2018

Term 1 Feb 6th - April 13th
Easter March 30, 31 & April 1, 2, 3
Term 2 May 1 - June 29
Term 3 July 24- Sept 28
Term 4 Oct 16 - Dec 19

VERSE OF THE WEEK

The one who guards his mouth protects his life; the one who opens his lips invites his own ruin.
Proverbs 13:3 (CSB)

FAMILY PRAYER CORNER

- Hinds
- Hoffler
- Howells
- Hyland
- Jeffery

PRAYER CORNER

- Pray for fiery hearts, that our hearts would burn for Jesus and the purpose He has on our lives.
- Praise God for planting a 'seed' within us, that through Him we know that we have purpose and value.

Remembrance Day

At 11.00am, on the 11th day, of the 11th month, in 1918, the guns on the western front of Europe stopped after 4 years of a long and dreadful of war. This was known as the Great War, and the world thought it would never happen again!

Worn by people on Remembrance Day each year, the red poppies were among the first to flower in the devastated battlefields of northern France and Belgium. They have become a symbol, of not only remembrance, but also of hope.

This Saturday is Remembrance Day, Australia wide. Why not find the nearest cenotaph near to you and take your children, let them be part of one of our Nations most important days? Explain to them the significance of being free and living freely in our country right now. We owe that to the men and women who sacrificed everything for us!



The Kinders thoroughly enjoyed their tour around the Don River Railway precinct, and then ride on the train along the Don River and back again. After that, we went to the Bluff Playground to have our lunch and enjoy the equipment there.



DONATION WANTED

If you have any cardboard rolls from the inside of paper towel, plastic wrap or foil etc, please drop them off at the office :)

STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Kindergarten

Ryan Downham
for his thoughtfulness to other classmates

Prep

Sasha Matveev
for her big efforts with her writing and constant cheerful manner

Grade 1/2

Nathan Veridiano
for having an inquisitive mind

Grade 3/4

Hananya Meijer
for her enthusiasm in the classroom

Ricky Carrasco

for his dedication to his schoolwork!

Grade 5/6

Jenna King
for working quietly and persistently
Oliver Cohen
for being kind and considerate

Grade 7

Daniel Atkins
for being diligent and hard working as well as having a great smile

Grade 8

Jordan Payne
for a great effort in writing and using punctuation correctly

Grade 9

Xander Corbett-Smith
for an improved work ethic this term

Grade 10-12

Jacqueline Rouse
for always approaching her work with a smile whilst
demonstrating a consistent application to her studies



On Tuesday, we had "Off This Planet" visit our school where we got to go inside the "Space Dome", see an astronaut's outfit, learn about the stars and have lots of fun exploring the different items they brought along. Here are our Kinder & Preps enjoying the visit.



IMPORTANT

WE NEED TO REMIND YOU
AGAIN ABOUT THIS GAME!

Parents need to know *Five Nights at Freddy's* is a horror game that uses tension and jump scares in place of blood and guts -- and, as a result, is a lot scarier than many other titles. The sense of being trapped and defenceless in a small office quickly becomes real and when the animatronic characters jump out at you, you'll jump (and maybe scream). This makes the game much too intense for younger kids. It is not just an app, children can simply go onto a web browser, type in the name and start playing. If your child is playing this game, then you need to stop them.

Birds and Bees

Keeping our children safe in an increasingly sexualized society is not easy. We all need to talk with our children about sex and the increasingly difficult issues raised in our society. But, where do we start? How do we begin those conversations? A new set of books by Patricia Weerakoon, a Christian woman who has become one of Australia's leading authorities on sexual health, has been designed to help parents with this task. The books are designed to be read to children 7 to 10 yrs old by parents or trusted carers. They cover all the issues sensitively, with accurate and proper names in a sensitive and respectful text. If you would like to see the books to check if they would work for you, a set is available for inspection at the Geneva Office.

The books can be ordered online from
growingfaith.com.au