

### DATES TO REMEMBER

#### Presentation Night

Tuesday, December 18

#### School Picnic

Wednesday, December 19

#### Senior's Dinner

Wednesday, December 19

### TERM DATES 2012

**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

### CASUAL CLOTHES DAYS

Tuesday, December 18

### PROVERB OF THE WEEK

These six things the Lord hates, yes, seven are an abomination to Him: a proud look, a lying tongue, hands that shed innocent blood, a heart that devises wicked plans, feet that are swift in running to evil, a false witness who speaks lies, and one who sows discord among brethren.

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...

Jacob Adams – Dec 10

Mariah Rogers – Dec 10

Mrs Atkinson – Dec 11

Davis Forward – Dec 12

Monique Turner – Dec 13

### PRAYER CORNER

~ Pray for each of the senior students who will be leaving this year, that God would direct and guide them on the way He would have them go.  
~ Pray for each student and teacher at this hectic time of year – that they will get everything finished ☺

### FAMILY PRAYER LIST

~ Winter

~ Young

~ Anderson

### RESPECT

During my second term of senior high school our teacher gave us a random quiz. I was a conscientious student and had breezed through the questions, until I read the last one: "What is the first name of the woman who cleans the classrooms?" Surely this was some kind of joke. I had seen the cleaning lady several times. She was tall, dark haired and very pleasant, but how would I know her name? I handed in my paper, leaving the last question blank. Just before class ended, one student asked if the last question would count towards our grade. "Absolutely," said the teacher. "In your school life and future career path, you will meet many people, all are significant and deserve your attention, care and respect, even if you simply smile and say 'hello!'" I've never forgotten that lesson. I also learned the cleaning lady's name. To gain respect, you must show respect yourself. - Anon.

### PRE-KINDER OPEN DAY

Today, the Kinder & Prep classroom was even busier than usual! There were lots of new little faces smiling happily as they found out all about how exciting Kinder will be next year. Miss Martin, Mrs McConnell, Miss Lincolne and Miss Acheson all had a very exciting time and were kept very busy talking to the little visitors and their mums and dads.



### OUR OLD - NEW ASSEMBLY HALL

Finally we have been able to move back into our Assembly Hall after the flooding in February. We held assembly there on Wednesday this week and it was great to be back.



### NORTHDOWN CAROLS

There will be carol singing at the Anglican church at Northdown (829 Port Sorell Road) this Sunday, December 9. The service will start at 6:00pm. All welcome.

### PLEASE LEND A HAND

If any one has spare egg cartons, washed milk bottle lids or big buttons (2cm or larger) that you would like to donate the Grade 1&2 class would very much appreciate it ☺ Thanks.

### SALE

Latrobe Christian Bookshop - 65 Gilbert Street Latrobe - 1/2 price sale on all current stock of Bibles, Bible study resources and all greeting cards. Sale finishes on December 22.



### KINDER REPORT

We are very excited to finish our last lot of PACE's for the year and we are looking forward to doing lots of other special activities. We made some colourful cockatoos and stuck some pretty feathers onto them.

### Student of the Week

**Cooper** – for working hard on his PACE work

### PREP REPORT

We have really enjoyed learning about frogs and tadpoles this term and have excitedly watched our tadpoles in the classroom change each week. Three of our tadpoles have front and back legs and we know that we have to release them soon or we will have frogs jumping around the classroom! We finished our frog books and we think they are great!



### Student of the Week

**Ethan** – for showing love and care to others

### GRADE 3&4

#### Student of the Week

**Rebecca Lavers** – for a consistent and positive approach to her PACE work ☺

### GRADE 7&8

#### Student of the Week

**Ryleigh Forward** – for a great attitude and consistent hard work

### DRAMA AWARDS

**Erin Thomas** – for an amazing accent during drama

**Riley Lodge** – for writing an amazing puppet script

### BIKE FOR BIBLES - 2013

2013 is almost upon us, and we have another great bunch of Bike For Bibles for you to all be involved in.

- 11<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> January

#### The Best of Tasmania Ride through the North West

For details please contact [nigelcoates@xalt.co.uk](mailto:nigelcoates@xalt.co.uk)

- 13<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> January

**The Snowy Mountains Summer Ride** – a fantastic holiday ride for all ages and all levels of cyclists

Please contact [jim.blaxland@biblesociety.com.au](mailto:jim.blaxland@biblesociety.com.au)

or 0414 532 250

### ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE OF CHURCHES - LATROBE

New Year's Eve – commencing at 5pm

1. Latrobe Baptist Church: hymn, reading and prayer followed by sandwiches
2. St Luke's Anglican: hymn, reading and prayer followed by sweets
3. The Crowded House (former AOG building), hymn, reading and prayer followed by fruit platters
4. St Patrick's: hymn, reading and prayer followed by coffee, tea and nibbles

### RIVERBEND SUMMER CAMPS – 2013

Riverbend Summer Camps are a great time of fun and fellowship during the summer holidays and range in age groups from Grade 3 – Grade 8. Over the course of a week, the campers engage in Bible studies and discussions along with all kinds of fun activities under the care and supervision of dedicated and loving leaders. For further information phone 6452 1635 or for registration forms, just ask Beck in the office ☺

### HIPPY – Early Childhood Program

HIPPY is dedicated to :

- Empowering parents to understand their crucial role in developing their child's readiness to learn.
- Providing children with stimulating and varied learning opportunities
- Enhancing interaction between parents and their children
- Engaging parents and children in the joy of learning

HIPPY Sheffield has funding to work with families in the Kentish, Latrobe and East Devonport Municipalities. There are 30 places for enrolment in the program.

Please feel free to contact Lou Carter on 6491 1552