**DATES TO REMEMBER**

- **Public Holiday - Show Day**
  - TOMORROW!!!
- **Student Free Day**
  - Dec 5th
- **Presentation Night**
  - Dec 16th
- **School Picnic/Seniors Dinner**
  - Dec 17th

**VERSE OF THE WEEK**

And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

~Colossians 3:17

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...**

- Karly Miller ~ 28th Nov
- Aidan Turner ~ 29th Nov
- Mr. David Lincolne ~ 1st Dec
- Jackson Marks ~ 3rd Dec
- Angel Green ~ 3rd Dec

**PRAYER CORNER**

~Pray for safety and health among our SPAC students as they head off for Convention THIS weekend!!!
~Pray for safety for our buses on the roads!
~Pray for renewed energy and minds as we near the end of the year and last school term!
~Pray that the office runs smoothly while Mrs Lincolne is away at South Pac!

**FAMILY PRAYER LIST**

~Milburn
~Mosley
~Neillley
~Nicholls
~Nyenhof
~Omari

**THANKSGIVING**

Today is Thanksgiving Day in the USA. I always wish that we had one. Not that I want another holiday, but I would swap Christmas for a Thanksgiving Day, any day!

Thanksgiving, or Thanksgiving Day, is a holiday celebrated in the United States on the fourth Thursday in November. It has been celebrated as a Federal holiday every year since 1863, when, during the Civil War, President Abraham Lincoln proclaimed a national day of “Thanksgiving and Praise to our beneficent Father who dwelleth in the Heavens.” The event that Americans commonly call the “First Thanksgiving” was celebrated by the Pilgrims after their first harvest in the New World in 1621. This feast lasted three days, and it was attended by 90 Native Americans and 53 Pilgrims. The New England colonists were accustomed to regularly celebrating “thanksgivings” - days of prayer thanking God for blessings such as the end of a draught.

Thanksgiving is mentioned a number of times in the Bible. Thanksgiving was a part of the lives of God’s people and should still be! Phillipians 4:6 says, “… in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be known to God.” Let’s make it a habit! DL

**HOSPITALITY EXCURSION**

Our senior hospitality class were taken on an exciting excursion visiting various venues such as: Ashgrove, Christmas Hills Raspberry Farm, Anvers and Petuna Seafood. A huge thanks to Mr Brown for organising it!! :-)
STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

KINDER

Student of the Week
Saxzen Diston - For keen participation in athletic activities and ball games.

PREP

Student of the Week
Roman Brown - For consistently having beautiful manners and being a good friend.

GRADE 1&2

Student of the Week
Gabriella Scrimgeour - For persevering with her PACE work.

GRADE 3&4

Student of the Week
Isaac Lavers - For always looking out for ways to help others.

GRADE 5&6

Student of the Week
Grade 5: Jackson Marks - For a great effort in math.
Grade 6: Xander Corbett-Smith - For cheerfully completing his work.

GRADE 7-8

Student of the Week
Grade 7: Maisie Bond - For independent work habits.
Grade 8: Joshua Bass - For improvement in completing his goals.

GRADE 9-10

Student of the Week
Cailey Milburn - For consistently being cheerful and hard working.

GRADE 11-12

Student of the Week
Brodan Turner - For helping Matthew out with our computers.

Mr. Davis Forward - Grade 1/2 Teachers Aide

Favourite Colour: Blue
Favourite Book of The Bible: Genesis
Do you eat the stems of broccoli? Yeah totes.
Favourite Food: Pizza, steak and watermelon.
Favourite Smell: New shoes.
Where do you want to travel to?
Probably Dubai to see the cool architecture.
Hobbies: 4x4WD, running, playing soccer with my little brother.
Who inspires you and why? My family and friends - because they are always there to help me through all my problems.

SOUTH PACIFIC CONVENTION 2014!!!!!!!

Would you look at this lovely lot!! On Sunday they are heading off to the South Pacific Convention held in NSW. For those of you who don’t know these students, their names are: (Back row) Dion Donohue, Nick Dacio, Lewis Lamont, Bryce Cute, Micah Colledge. (Front row) Brock Browning-Milburn, Amber Brosnan, Natalie Bozoky, Lydia West and Ashley Eyles. We would like to take this time to wish them well on their trip and encourage them to take lots of photos so we can see and hear all about it. :-)

27th November, 2014