

Geneva Christian College

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10 December, 2010 Term 4, Week 8

DATES TO REMEMBER

TONIGHT!!

School Presentation Night
Wednesday, December 15
School Picnic
December 12 - 22
South Pacific Convention

TERM DATES

Term 4 October 19 – Dec 15

TERM DATES 2011

Term 1 February 15 – April 21
Term 2 May 10 – July 8
Term 3 July 26 – Sept 30
Term 4 October 18 – Dec 21

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

Every time you smile at someone, it is an action of love, a gift to that person, a beautiful thing.

- Mother Teresa

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO...

Everyone who is having a birthday during the holidays!



PRAYER CORNER

~ Pray for Presentation Night this evening – that it will bring God honour and glory and that we will all enjoy a time of fellowship & thanksgiving.

~ Pray for students heading to South Pac this weekend. Pray that they will be good representatives of their God and their school and that they will have a safe and enjoyable time.

~ Praise God for the holidays and the time of refreshment ahead.

2010 PRESENTATION & THANKSGIVING EVENING – TONIGHT!

Tonight, December 10th, is our annual Presentation and Thanksgiving Night at the Latrobe Memorial Hall commencing 7.00pm. ALL students must be assembled by 6.45pm in full school uniform, seniors that means blazers, no jumpers!!

The programme will include items from the students and awards. We are planning to finish around 9:00pm. We would love to see you all there – parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles. You are all most welcome.

SOUTH PACIFIC STUDENT CONVENTION

As you would all be aware by now, this weekend 9 of our students and a couple of very brave teachers ☺ will be heading to Philip Island to participate in the 2010 South Pacific Student Convention. Please pray for them and remember them over the next two weeks of excitement and exhaustion. They return on Wednesday, December 22! Just in time for Christmas!!!

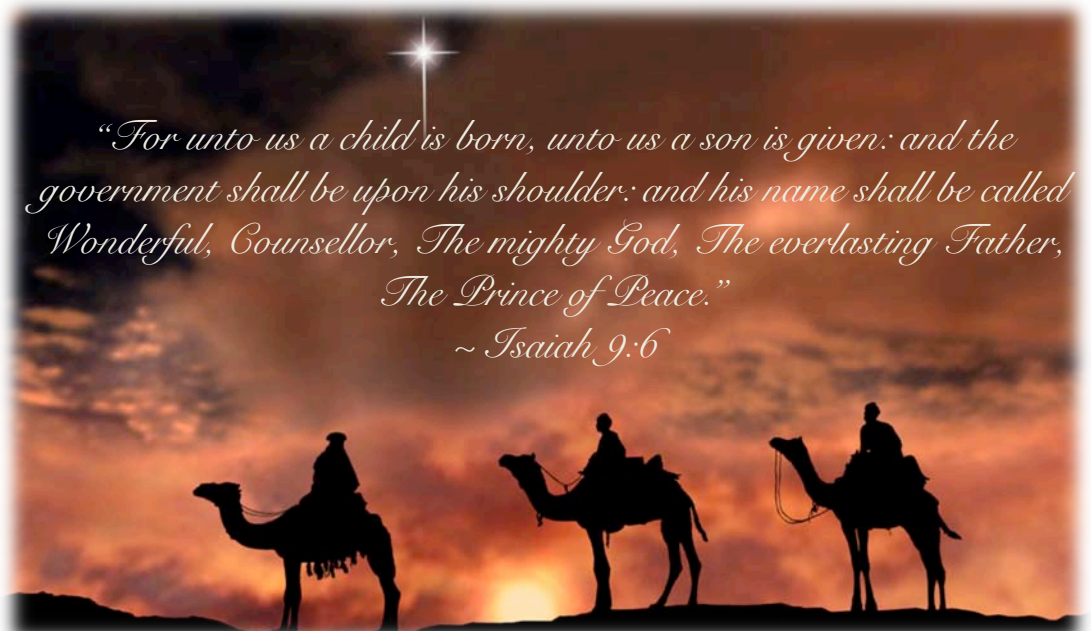
SCHOLASTIC BOOKS - THANK YOU

Firstly we want to thank all families for their support throughout this year with their orders from Scholastic Books. We have been able, through your orders, coupons and free picks to receive a grand total of \$671 worth of free books and resources for the school, so thank you everyone.

Secondly, we would like to thank Mrs Ruth Butler for her support and efforts in co-ordinating the Scholastic Programme. She spends hours doing up catalogues, making phone calls and sorting orders, and not forgetting our annual book fair stall, that she oversees. So thank you Ruth, we really appreciate it.

COLES SPORTS FOR SCHOOLS VOUCHERS!

WELL DONE EVERYONE! Our final points tally has arrived. Our vouchers equaled a grand total of 6,865 points!! Congratulations! During the holidays the sports gear will be selected and ordered and should be here by the start of the new school year! We will put an inventory of our exciting purchases in the first GEN next year.



A very busy last week of school...



PREP REPORT

We have had a busy week finishing off workbooks and just enjoying our last week in the Prep classroom. On Monday we made and ate "ants on a log" and finished off our ant journals. We have all become good readers and we are looking forward to starting Grade 1 Pace work. Each day this year we have talked about God and we have learnt many important truths from the Bible. We know He cares for us and has a special plan for our lives. Trusting, obeying and following Him will help us through the journey of life!

KINDER REPORT

We have finished our Kinder Paces for 2010 and we are looking forward to being the big Prep children next year! Our community helpers lesson this week was about dentists. We made a special tooth book to help us remember to look after the teeth that God gave us. It has been a fun year and we have learnt so many exciting and important lessons.

THANK YOU

Thank you to everyone for their support of the Operation Christmas Child Shoebox appeal through our casual clothes days. Over the year, we have raised \$906. A great effort and this has helped to put a smile on 133 children's faces.

GRADE 4-6

This week all the students have been working very hard in order to complete their last PACEs for the year. Today the students completed all of their tests. They all should be congratulated for their efforts. This week in the afternoons the students have been: making paper chains to decorate our classroom; creating erupting volcanos; making beautiful jewellery and they cooked delicious Christmas treats. On Thursday morning the grade six girls provided a tasty morning tea for the staff. All of the staff really enjoyed the tasty Christmas treats.

Student of the week (boy):

Lewis Lamont – for a great attitude towards his PACE work

Student of the week (girl)

Mackenzie Jago – for working really hard

Achievement Trophy

Corey Costello – for doing all his work with ALL his might ALL the time ☺

