

TERM 3, WEEK 8, 2024

Verse of the week:

We have this **hope** as an anchor for the soul, firm and secure.

Hebrews 6:19

Prayer/praise points:

- Thank God for the longer days and the signs of Spring.
- Pray for peace and comfort for those feeling troubled.
- Thank God for His many blessings and provision.

School families to pray for:

- Schelbach
- Scott
- Scrimgeour
- Shabi
- Sheean

PARENTS - BE THERE FOR YOUR KIDS

Friends play an important part in a child's life, but it's parents that meet their deepest emotional needs. Children need parents as much as they need air and water. Our acceptance and approval are critical to their sense of self-worth. That's why it's essential to look for opportunities to connect with our children and build into their future. Use mornings as a time of encouragement. Experts say that the first five minutes you spend with your child are the most important, so don't take that time lightly. Give them a big hug and a warm smile, and let that set the tone for the entire day. After school, ask them how their day went. Talk to them about whatever is on their mind, whether it's sports or friends or anything else. And listen. This is how you get to know what's going on in their world. Always put them to bed with a hug, and more words of encouragement.

- from Focus on the Family

STUDENT OF THE WEEK

KINDER:

Kara Browne - for being willing to have a go at anything and doing it with joy

PREP:

Spencer Davis - for being a kind friend in the playground

YEAR 2:

Mia James - for working consistently and steadily each day

Marcel Howie - for working consistently and steadily each day

YEAR 3:

Sophia Lambert - for adding her good sense of humour to the class (Proverbs 16:20)

Hudson Johnson - for playing well with others and being a joy to teach (Philippians 4:4)

YEAR 4:

Chloe Metcalf - for looking after others in her classroom

Luca Fauvette - for working hard to complete what is expected of him

YEAR 5:

Dunay Van Der Schyff - for reciting both of her verses and working diligently in My Place **Maysen Leslie** - for settling in well at Geneva and making lots of new friends

YEAR 6:

Chiara Finoia - for being a focused and diligent learner

Franklin Mansson - for being a focused and diligent learner



YEAR 7:

Sophie Sully - for a great effort to catch up in her PACEs and also having a bright and bubbly attitude

Riley Smith - for his consistency in getting PACE work done and a strong work ethic in Maths Pathway

YEAR 8:

Sybella Murphy - for completing her PACES for the term ahead of time

Trafalgar Von Rock - for her creative and imaginative stories in English

YEAR 9:

Darcia Banks - for excellent preparation & presentation of her museum artefact in HASS Corey Hyland - for focus and willingness to help his classmate in HASS

YEAR 10:

Annabelle Sully - for great time management with her musical commitments and ILP requirements

YEAR 11/12:

Amber King – for managing her school work and school-based traineeship requirements Kiana Ford – for her commitment to her Pretertiary studies at school and VET Nursing course

Thank You

EMPLOYEE OF THE WEEK

Mr Jack Dance - for his help and organisatioin with activities at Book Fair

Miss Maddy Payne - for being a real blessing and her care of the younger people in our school

WEEK 8 INFORMATION

TEDDIES NEEDED

Thank you to the donations we have received so far. We are still in need of 62 more soft filled teddies for our shoeboxes. They must be brand new and be less than 20cm in size.

THE WIZARD OF OZ

Tickets are now on sale for the production of The Wizard of Oz. They can be purchased using the link on our Facebook page or through Eventbrite.

TERM 4 SUMMER UNIFORM

In Term 4, we change to our Summer Formal Uniform. Now is a great time to check what you need and make uniform purchases at the front office.

Primary Girls: summer dress, green cardigan, bottle green socks with black polishable shoes.

Secondary Girls: summer dress, blazer, bottle green socks with black polishable shoes. Green jumper optional.

All Primary students must have a Geneva school hat. The wearing of school hats is encouraged for Secondary students. We have 3 different styles available for \$15 each.

Please see the Front Office staff to purchase uniform.







WEEK 8 INFORMATION







HEY, YOUNG PEOPLE!

In 2025 we are looking for school leavers, current year 11 & 12 students or University students who would like to start a school-based apprenticeship or Internship!



What your day might look like...

- Arriving at recess and chatting to students
- Working with a small group of Year 7/8's and practising a Math or English concept with them
- Walking with students to grab a hot lunch
- Setting up for an afternoon option class
- · Accompanying students at the gym
- · Mediating a student issue
- Running a club after schoo



Will I get paid?... Yes!

Selection criteria...

Aged 17 - 22

Love teenagers

Be adaptable and flexible

Have an innovative and pioneering spirit

Want to gain a qualification

Work well in a team

Have a personal faith with the Lord.

What will I get out of it?...

We would love to support students who would like to get a Cert 3 in School-Based Education

We are looking for students who are interested in studying part-time and working part-time

We are also looking for students studying teaching or other degress at University.

Please contact Tabitha Kohler before Friday 23rd August at Devonport Christian School kohlert@dcs.tas.edu.au 6423 1373

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School Holiday Tennis Camp



Learn new skills and have fun for ages 5-18

When: Tues 1st and Wed 2nd October 2024

New players (Red ball) 3-5pm

Orange, green and yellow ball 9-3pm

\$45 per person (Sibling discount available

Where: Devonport Tennis Club

For more information please contact Pip on 0438 687 542 or devonporttennis@yahoo.com

To register go to coachpip.com



INTERESTED IN TRYING OUT FOR A LAWN BOWLS SCHOLARSHIP?

The Hon Mike Gaffney (MLC) together with the Latrobe Bowls Club are offering a two-year lawn bowls scholarship (worth \$600 each year) for one student from grade 7-10 from Latrobe High School, Geneva Christian College or St Brendan-Shaw College.

Practice days for interested students will be held at the Latrobe Bowls Club on Tuesday 8 October at 3.30pm and Thursday 10 October at 3.30pm.

The tryouts for selection will be held at the Latrobe Bowls Club on Tuesday 15 October at 3.30pm and Tuesday 22 October at 3.30pm.

Please see the school office for a handout containing further information on the scholarship or phone Mike's Electorate Office on 6422 3000.

WEEK 8 PHOTOS

