

THE GEN



VERSE OF THE WEEK:

"Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously."
2 Corinthians 9:6

PRAYER POINTS:

- Thank God for the amazing day we had for our Swimming Carnival last week.
- Pray for the Year 11 & 12 students currently at Interlaken, that they will return safely and enjoy their final weeks as a class.
- Thank God for the successful Kinder taster day and new student orientation days we have had this week. That this insight into Geneva excites and encourages all ready for 2022.

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A GOOD LAUGH

A message from the Principal

I received a little video clip in an email today and it really made me laugh. It dawned on me that I had not laughed properly for some time and realised how good it felt. Science has revealed that laughter really is good for us. The Bible states that 'laughter is good like a medicine'. It releases endorphins, which actually make us feel good. Laughter is contagious, it has a similar effect to antidepressants and improves overall mental health. Even more recently research has indicated that laughter seems to have an anti-inflammatory effect that protects the blood vessels and heart muscles from cardiovascular disease and is way cheaper than surgery! So here is some advice. Spend time with people who make you laugh, practise being grateful, get active, take a break from your screen, don't see the negative first, look for the positive and give thanks to God for where you are right now. We live in the best country in the world, the best state in the country and I believe in a pretty good part of that state. So start today to look up, give thanks and laugh!!

STUDENT OF THE WEEK:

Kinder

Samuel Roberts - for speaking kindly, and working extra hard at being helpful in the classroom.

Prep

Arthur Huxtable - for always being a passionate and positive learner.

Year 1

Lanika Woodhouse - for being a great listener and a caring classmate.

Year 2

Lincoln Hawes - for always being polite and kind to others.

Year 3

Keith Skinner - for working hard with a great attitude to finish to term well.

Year 4

Seth Konetschnik - for completing all his PACE work for the year.

Year 5

Aidan Gray - for his joyful disposition which brightens up our day.

Year 6

Gabriel Direen - for making an effort to complete his PACE work this week.

Year 7

Delta Williams-Jeffery - for her excellent effort and behaviour at the swimming carnival.

Year 8

Ike Lehman - for improved work ethic and behaviour.

Year 9

Elijah Zwerver - for a great attitude in completing all her work with a positive attitude and smile.

Year 10

Ben Young - for his industrious attitude to work and respectful interaction with the wider community.

Year 11/12

The Triathlon Helpers - for their willingness to give their own time to help the community - Ned, Harry, Jasper, Taliah, Georgie, Maddy, Courtney, Bekky, Sophie and Jessica.

SWIMMING CARNIVAL CHAMPIONS & RUNNERS-UP

U8 Runner Up Boy - Jeremiah Stott (HS)
U8 Champion Boy - Gideon Overton

U8 Runner Up Girl - Millicent O'Neill
U8 Champion Girl - Cassandra Stott (HS)

U10 Runner Up Boy - Max Murphy
U10 Champion Boy - Ezra Jones-Macuacua (HS)

U10 Champion Girls - Laura Cunha (ACCL) and Maddison Stebbings

U12 Runner Up Boy - Jeriah Lockhart (ACCL)
U12 Champion Boy - Jude Hutchinson

U12 Runner Up Girl - Cailin Walters-Simpson
U12 Champion Girl - Hannah Scrimgeour

U14 Runner Up Boys - Blaide Cunningham and Javiea Roberts
U14 Champion Boy - Luka Jackson

U14 Runner Up Girl - Maddie Behrens (NWCS)
U14 Champion Girl - Delta Williams-Jeffrey

U16 Champion Boys - Liam Overton and Kirk Jackson

U16 Runner Up Girl - Amber King
U16 Champion Girl - Charlotte McCulloch

OPEN Runner Up Girl - Maddy Payne
OPEN Champion Girl - Shana Rouse

OPEN Runner Up Boy - Zane McKercher
OPEN Champion Boy - Jordan Payne



DANCE WEEK FINAL

On Friday, December 10th we invite family and friends to watch our Dance Week Final. All students will demonstrate the dances they have learnt throughout the week. This will be held in our Stadium from 1:30-2:45pm. Please check in via the COVID App and our school register.

EMPLOYEE OF THE WEEK

This week we recognise and thank:

Mrs Kim Broomhall for being generous, kind and always helpful.

Miss Heidi Kirwood for being friendly helpful and kind.



INFORMATION

REPORTS

Our staff are busy preparing your child's Semester 2 Report which will be sent out at the end of the school year. If you have changed postal address please notify the front office as soon as possible. This will ensure your reports will arrive at the correct destinations!

WELL DONE - NETBALL

Congratulations to our high school girls Netball team who made the final of their division. Last night they competed and WON 42-5 against Reece High.

Year 8 student and player Ebonii Direen also received an award for the Most Valuable Player and was provided with her qualifications in Netball umpiring.



POPUP CAROLS ON THE LAWN

SATURDAY 4 DECEMBER, FROM 7.00PM

Ulverstone Christian Reformed Church
36 John Street, Ulverstone

Bring the whole family along to this FREE Christmas Celebration!

BYO: camp chair/picnic blanket, torch or candle (no open flames) and picnic food.

For further info please contact us via our facebook page.



Numbers capped in line with government restrictions



COVID-safe event

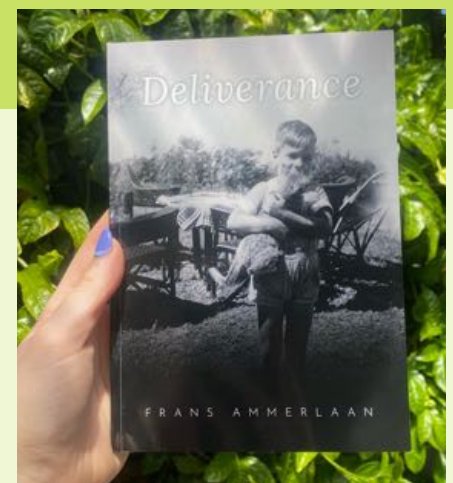


Drug and alcohol free event

DELIVERANCE

My 86 year old grandfather has re-written this book and it has just been published. His story is confronting and beautiful as he relives the captivity he faced when the Japanese invaded his homeland, Indonesia during WW2. His deliverance from captivity and from the mental warfare is the inspiration for this book. It is being sold for \$30. I know he would be so appreciative not only for the financial blessing, but also to share his story with you. - Shae Colledge

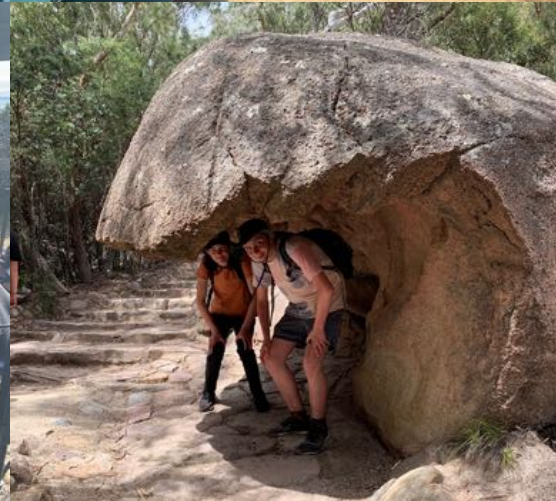
Contact Frans on 0419 805 288 to buy yourself a copy.



SWIMMING CARNIVAL



YEAR 9 FREYCINET CAMP



TERM 4 - DECEMBER

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
5	6 WEEK 9 Year 6 Celebration Afternoon Tea	7 Year 6 Students Running Dance Week	8 Dance Week	9 Year 1 & 2 Interclass Year 1 & 2 Boys Year 1 & 2 Girls Year 1 & 2 Interclass	10 Year 1 & 2 Interclass Year 1 & 2 Boys Year 1 & 2 Girls Year 1 & 2 Interclass	11
12	13 WEEK 10 Presentation Evening	14 Primary School Field Budget Day Seniors Dinner	15 LAST DAY OF TERM 4 School Picnic	16 HOLIDAYS	17 HOLIDAYS	18 HOLIDAYS
19 HOLIDAYS	20 HOLIDAYS	21 HOLIDAYS	22 HOLIDAYS	23 HOLIDAYS	24 HOLIDAYS	25 HOLIDAYS Christmas Day
26 HOLIDAYS	27 HOLIDAYS	28 HOLIDAYS	29 HOLIDAYS	30 HOLIDAYS	31 HOLIDAYS	
BOXING DAY	CHRISTMAS DAY HOLIDAY	BOXING DAY HOLIDAY			NEW YEARS EVE	