

# **VERSE OF THE WEEK:**

'But I trust in Your unfailing love; my heart rejoices in Your salvation. I will sing the Lord's praise, for He has been good to me.' Psalm 13: 5-6

# **PRAYER POINTS:**

- Thank God for wonderful memories and weather at the Year 11/12 Interlaken camp last week.
- Praise God for a wonderful start to Dance week and enthusiasm from all.
- Pray for the last few days of school for 2021. That students & staff would finish positively and memorably.
- Thank God for a wonderful 2021 year!

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# **JOURNEY OF FAITH**

A message from the Principal - this is particularly for our senior students

Faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen. Hebrews Chapter 11 is known as the 'faith chapter'. It describes many characters of the Bible who did incredible things in their life 'by faith' with amazing results:

- · Abel brought God the best offering
- Enoch was taken by God and did not experience death
- Noah built an Ark
- Abraham left his home and went into a strange land
- Sarah bore a son, even at an old age
- Jacob, nearing death worshipped God
- Moses passed through the Red Sea
- Joshua marched around Jericho and the walls fell down
- Rahab welcomed spies into her home

And what more can I say? What about Gideon, Barak, Samson, Jephthah, David, Samuel and more. Those who conquered kingdoms, administered justice, shut the mouths of lions, quenched the fiery flames, escaped the edge of the sword, who were weak but become strong, were powerful in battle, were brought back form the dead and who faced jeering, flogging, chains and imprisonment. Who were persecuted, destitute, mistreated and even killed. They all did this through faith in our God! So, what should we do? Well the Bible is very clear. Since we have this historical account of these faithful witnesses, then we should get rid of anything that is hindering us, and turn away from the sin that easily entangles us and let us run with perseverance the path set out for us, keeping our eyes fixed on Jesus. For it is He who is the author and perfecter of our faith. Take His example and continue on, not growing weary or losing heart! Your life story with Jesus absolutely does have a great finish!

# STUDENT OF THE WEEK:

## Kinder

Chloe Malas - for a fantastic effort in dance this week.

# Prep

Jamieson Wicks-Hughes - for always using his manners!

# Year 1

Eli Stephenson - for a great effort in dance and being a fabulous part of Year 1's "Confidence Circle".

# Year 2

Mia Saltmarsh - for always striving to do her best in most subject areas.

# Year 3

Dexter Miles - for having a great attitude at Dance this week and giving his best.

# Year 4

All of Year 4 - for a great effort and participation in dancing.

# Year 5

Cailin Walters-Sipmson - for an all round effort and finish to the Term.

# Year 6

Ryley Lincolne - for a happy smile and a cheerful disposition.

# Year 7

Oliver Carroll - for getting stuck into Dance Week.

# Year 8

The Girls Netball Team - for their awesome participation in Netball and for winning the finals! Frieda, Ebonii, Matilda & Tahlia.

# Year 9

Jackson Bass - for being a willing leader and example in dance this week.

# Year 10

Macy Hoare - for her dedication to the completion of work, and her positive contribution to classroom culture.

# Year 11/12

Isaac Lavers - for demonstrating perseverance and a positive attitude whilst attaining his driving licence.

# **WEEK 10 INFORMATION**

# **MONDAY, December 13th**

- Casual Clothes All Students
- Presentation Evening

# **TUESDAY, December 14th**

- Primary School Sports Uniform
- High School Casual Clothes
- Primary School Pedal Buggies Day
- Seniors Dinner

# WEDNESDAY, December 15th

- Casual Clothes All Students
- School Picnic

# PRESENTATION EVENING

**WHEN:** Monday, December 13th commencing at 6:45pm sharp.

**WHO:** All students, family and friends.

WHERE: Geneva Stadium

More information over page.

# **EMPLOYEE OF THE WEEK**

This week we recognise and thank:

**Mrs Teana Lavers** for loving and helping her Year 4's.

**Mr Mark King** for his effort with Agriculture and Outdoor Education.



# INFORMATION

# DANCE PRESENTATION

**TOMORROW** Friday, December 10th we invite family and friends to watch our Dance Week Presentation. 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.

# PRESENTATION EVENING

This coming Monday, December 13th is our annual Presentation and Thanksgiving evening. Please ensure all students are wearing full formal uniform and have arrived at the stadium prior to 6:30pm to sit with their class. We kindly ask to allow adequate time to find a park, we will have our paddock available for staff and those with larger cars.

# SENIORS DINNER

Next Tuesday, December 14th is our Seniors Dinner. Our Year 10, 11 & 12 students will be dressing up and heading to a surprise location for a night of celebration and fun before they finish the school year.

# **Key Information:**

- Students, if you are arriving to school in a special vehicle please plan to arrive between 5:15pm - 5:45pm.
- Family & friends are welcome at school to get photos, but please wait at the top of the school turning circle to avoid congestion.
- Group Photos 5:45pm-5:55pm
- Bus departs for secret location at 6pm sharp.

# CASUAL CLOTHES DAY

All students may wear neat, nonoffensive casual clothes tomorrow for a gold coin donation. All funds raised will be donated to Samaritan's Purse.

# FEE SCHEDULE 2022

Prior to initial enrolment commencing, the first 4 weeks of total fees is required as a deposit. Keeping your fees up to date, indicates continued enrolment for your child. Fees for the current year must be paid in full for enrolment to continue into the next calendar year.

These fees do not include excursions or camps. You will be notified of these costs as they arise. There may also be fees associated with specialist subjects. You will be notified if this applies to your child.

In the past we have always helped support parents who required financial assistance. If you wish to discuss this, please do not hesitate to contact the school office and you will be issued with the associated paperwork for financial assistance approval.

Fee invoices will be issued at the beginning of the year, for the whole year and each term must be fully paid by the end of that term. Fees are payable either in full at the commencement of the year (a 5% discount applies), at the beginning of each term or fortnightly, by either cash, credit card, cheque, Centrepay or direct debit. Fee monies paid will not be refunded, should the child's enrolment cease during the school year.

Fees will be indexed each calendar year.

1st Child	Per Term	\$880
2nd Child	Per Term	\$380
3rd Child	Per Term	\$280
4 + children	Per Term	\$180
5 + children	Per Term	FREE
Kinder Child	Per Term	\$680 (only child)

# INFORMATION



Membership, literature for course, lunches during course.

To register, simply go on the Devonport Aero Club Website www.devonportaeroclub.com.au Go to the Toggle Menu and click on OIN CLUB. Select JUNIOR MEMBER and continue following instructions. Payment for JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP will automatically register students for the course.

Course Participants will need to purchase a fluro yellow Hi Vis Vest available from most Discount stores, Hardware Chains and Workwear Outlets, night reflective NOT necessary. Other than that there is no need to bring anything other than a desire to learn.

More information phone 0400 503 959. Register online, Purchase a vest, Texter your name below, course starts 8:00am Saturday 8th January Devonport Airport. Follow the signs to the Devonport Aero Club.

# SCHOOL OFFICE CLOSURE

Our school office will be closed from Wednesday, December 22nd and re-opening on Tuesday, January 4th.

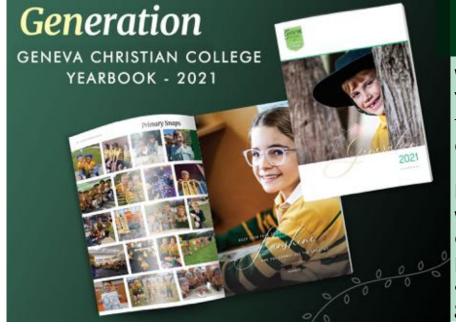
All families will expect to receive 2022 Fee invoices and Start Up email in the first two weeks of the new year.

We have scheduled the Uniform Shop to be open on Monday, January 24th & Tuesday, January 25th from 10am-3pm both days.

# SEMESTER 2 REPORTS

Our staff are busy preparing your child's Semester 2 Report which will be sent out next week. If you have changed postal address please notify the front office as soon as possible.





# **GENEVA YEARBOOK 2021**

We are excited to announce our Year Book for 2021! Each school family will be issued with one free copy that can be collected at the Presentation Evening. If you would like to purchase further copies, they will be available from the front office or at Presentation Evening for \$20 per copy. They are a great keepsake and also make fantastic presents for grandparents and family members.

# WEEK 9 PHOTOS



# YEAR 11/12 INTERLAKEN





### **ROYAL ICING MIX NUMBER 1**

25g egg white powder 150ml water

1kg pure icing sugar

- 1. Mix egg white powder with the pure icing sugar.
- Add liquid and beat on high speed with stand mixer for 4-5 minutes until stiff peaks form.
- Store in an airtight container, out of the fridge for 3-4 days.

# Gingerbread

### INGREDIENTS:

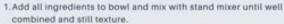
- · 250g unsalted butter (softened at room temperature)
- · 815g plain flour
- · 1 tsp baking soda
- 1/2 tsp salt
- · 1 1/2 tbsp ground ginger
- · 2 tsp cinnamon
- · 1/2 tsp allspice
- 1/4 tsp ground cloves
- 85g caster sugar
- · 55g brown sugar
- · 280g treacle
- 1 egg

### METHOD:

- 1. Turn on oven to 170oC (conventional setting)
- Mix flour, baking soda, salt, ginger, cinnamon, allspice and cloves together in a bowl and set aside.
- In a stand mixer bowl, cream together butter and both sugars until light and fluffy.
- 4. Add to the mixer bowl the treacle and egg then beat together well.
- 5. Add the flour mixture and mix on low speed only until well combined. If it feels too sticky add a little more flour at this point and then mix on low until right consistency has been achieved.
- Roll out mixture between two pieces of baking paper and cut into shapes desired for biscuits or for house.
- Bake in oven on a tray with baking paper for around 12 minutes. Set timer if needed so don't overbake.

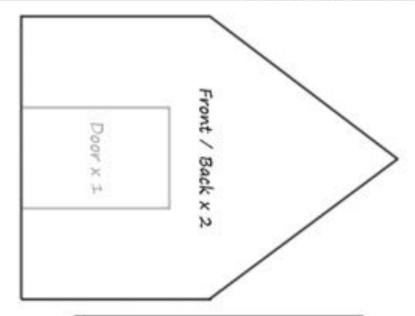
### **ROYAL ICING MIX NUMBER 2**

- 2 cups of pure icing sugar
- 4-5 teaspoons of water
- 4 teaspoons of corn syrup
- 1 teaspoon lemon



Fill pipping bag and ready to use straight away.





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This term some of our Primary students made fantastic gingerbread houses! Here is the recipe and template for holiday fun. Simply print and enlarge this page for your house template. You can also request a copy from the Front Office.



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