

### The GEN

Term 1 | Thursday, February 24th, 2022 | Week 3



### **FRIENDSHIPS**

A message by the school Chaplain - Mr Dance

Here at Geneva, our vision statement is – 'students on the right path' (Proverbs 3:6).
Here are two question to ask yourself in regards to your friendships:

Am I friends with people who are helping me to be on the right path? Am I being a friend to others in helping them to be on the right path?

I want to encourage everyone to be great friends to others this year. In a world that has gone into isolation and with loneliness only increasing in young people, we encourage our students to have Godly friendships like David and Jonathan did in the Bible (1 Samuel). To build friendships that are NOT based on trying to "one up" each other or that only benefit yourself for selfish reasons. Instead we encourage everyone to have friendships this year that are looking to see the other succeed. To treat others how you would like to be treated. To show sacrificial love, where you bless your friend's life, with no agenda to try and get something back. To love your friends deeply and want the best for them. Would Geneva be a school full of students this year who are seeking to help one another stay on the right path through their friendships.

### Verse of the week:

"Jesus looked at them and said, "With man this is impossible, but not with God; all things are possible with God." - Mark 10:27

### **Prayer points:**

- Pray for our Year 11/12 students while they are at Interlaken this week. Pray for meaningful and memorable moments together.
- Pray for protection and good health over our students, families and staff.
- Give our leaders and Government wisdom as they navigate this season. Let God's hope and truth guide their actions.
- Thank God for His continual love, guidance and many blessings.

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### STUDENT OF THE WEEK

### Kinder

Otto Ziesel - for always being a great listener.

### Prep

Marlena Gold - for consistently and enthusiastically reading her home reader every night.

### Year 1

Lauren Rouse - for quick listening and being a willing helper.

### Year 2

Luca Fauvette - for always being polite, kind and thoughtful.

### Year 3

Madelyn Scott - for finishing all her goals promptly.

### Year 4

Jake Mather-Norris - for giving up his time during the holidays to help the bus drivers.

### Year 5

Willow McDermott - for her positive attitude and enthusiasm, especially in drama.

### Year 6

Harrison Hughes - for his kind and helpful attitude.

### Year 7

Javiea Roberts - for showing exemplary manners and having a great work ethic.

### Year 8

Jordyn Harris - for working diligently and having a great work ethic.

### Year 9

Kaiden Cosstick - for making such an effort at staying on the right path, being respectful, completing his goals daily and following directions.

### Year 10

Shontay Padman - for her commitment to completing tasks under pressure and excellent time management skills.

### Year 11/12

Jorja Lomagno - for active participation in class discussions and diligence in completing assigned tasks in Business Studies Foundation.



### **EMPLOYEE OF**

### THE WEEK

This week we recognise and thank:

**MR DANCE** - for always greeting the students in the morning and being so kind to everyone.

MY FORWARD - for his work on the wonderful new fence and all the many things he does to get the property ready for the year.



### INFORMATION

### CASUAL CLOTHES DAY TOMORROW

All students may wear neat, non-offensive casual clothes for a gold coin donation. All proceeds raised will go to Samaritan's Purse.



### **RECLAIM THE LANE**

Reclaim returns to Devonport in 2022! The theme for Youth Week 2022 is 'Next Gen' and we are bringing together the incredible young people of Devonport to celebrate our next generation!

Reclaim is a series of free events leading up to and during Youth Week Tasmania and features: art, music and social activities for young people of all ages and their families. This event gives young people the chance to experience new things, to be involved in their community, to have fun and to use their voice.

Head to this site for more information: https://www.rantarts.com/reclaim-the-lane

### **BUS REMINDER**

For students who catch a bus each morning, we ask that they be waiting at their bus stop **at least 5 minutes** before their pickup time. This will ensure that the morning pickup runs on time and smoothly, thank you!

### SCHOLASTIC BOOK CLUB



A reminder that orders for the first issue of Book Club Orders are due TOMORROW Friday 25th.

### **UNIFORM**

**Formal Dresses:** Dresses must reach the knee when standing (bottom of the knee cap)

### **Formal Shoes:**

Girls must have black, polishable formal shoes. These can not be a lace up sneaker or ballet flat. Boys must have a lace up, polishable shoe.

### **Sports Shorts:**

Loose, all black longer length shorts.

### Boys' Hair:

Short back and sides and off the ears and eyebrows. No razor cuts less than a number 3.

### Girls' Hair:

Hair longer than shoulder length must be tied back off the face.

### Jewellery & piercings:

Girls - No jewellery except for a wrist watch, one pair of plain studs or sleepers for the earlobe, and one plain ring. No facial piercings.

boys - No jewellery is permitted, except for watches.

### **Boys Grey Shorts:**

The formal grey shorts must be loose, knee length style. Cargo style shorts are not permitted (see photo)

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

### 14th March:

**Public Holiday** 

### 28th March:

Life Choices Presentation Year 7-12

### 7th April:

Geneva Atheltics Carnival

### 8th April:

Combined Athletics Carnival

### 14th April:

Last day of Term 1

### WEEK 3 PHOTOS



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