

# THE GEN

Week 2 - Term 3 - 2022

# Verse of the Week

"God is our Refuge and Strength, an ever-present help in trouble" Psalm 46:1

# **Prayer Points**

- Thank God for a wonderful start to Term 3.
- Thank God for the wonderful rain we have had over the last week.
- Continue to pray for our students, staff and families who are unwell.
- Thank God for His unconditional love and favour towards us.



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# I'M BACK

A message from Mrs Lincolne

I am sure your child will have told you that "Mrs. Lincolne is back". Whether it's said with joy is another matter :) I was diagnosed with long COVID and this affected me both physically and mentally. It has been a tough four months, but I am mending and I am so glad to be back and honestly, it's the kids I have missed the most.

I have noticed that some students have taken an opportunity in my absence to push some boundaries, especially in regards to uniform and hair styles. I spoke with all the high school students this morning and reminded them of their enrolment at Geneva, your commitment as parents to assist us in helping them wear correct uniform, follow procedures and obey school rules. So, I have set Monday as the deadline for any area that requires sorting out. So, if your child needs a haircut, or correct shoes or their uniform needs upgrading or mending, then please can you see to this over the weekend.

We want to take this opportunity to recognise and thank those students who do all of the above things, well. We see many smart and well-groomed young people and it makes us proud. The Bible tells us that when we know what is right and do it, we will be blessed. We want this for all our students at Geneva!

# **STUDENT OF THE WEEK**

# Kinder

Isabel Blackberry - being enthusiastic in our preparation and rehearsals for primary assembly

# Prep

Chloè Malas for always being a wonderful friend and making people feel welcome.

# Year 1

Carlos Pitos - for being considerate and putting others first.

# Year 2

Ava Konetschnik for always being cheerful and having a helpful, positive attitude.

# Year 3

Celeste Meijer for her kindness to others and applying herself during class time.

### Year 4

Rosie Broomhall for showing respect to her peers and her teachers.

# Year 5

Esther Krushka for how wonderfully she has settled in at Geneva and given everything a go with a smile!

# Year 6

William Harker for settling into his first week nicely.

# Year 7

Hannah Scrimgeour for a noticeable improvement in her work as well as attitude.

# Year 8

Kate Digney for working really well in English and getting your set tasks completed. Well done!

# Year 9

Thomas Cohen for starting term 3 with a fantastic work ethic!

## Year 10

Charlotte McCulloch for a strong start to Term 3 and showing dedication to her work.

# Year 11/12

Noah Saltmarsh for starting Term 3 with a renewed commitment towards his studies. Well done!

# **EMPLOYEE OF THE WEEK**

This week we recognise and thank:

**Melissa McGrath** - for all the work she did to raise money for charity with the Work Ready students.

**Rosemary Lincolne** - for being an inspiration, motivator and an example of Christ to us all.



# THANK YOU

A Thankyou from Work Readiness:

I would like to thank staff, parents and students who assisted in the success of the wonderful charity driven projects that were undertaken at the end of last term in Work Readiness. The students did wonderfully in bringing it all together, but of course this does not happen without the assistance of others. It is appreciated and I am sure a lot was learnt by the four student work groups involved. We were able to donate over \$700 and 2 trailer loads of goods to worthy charities. I am sure the Work Readiness students have been blessed to be a blessing to others. Thank you again for all those who supported these social enterprises.

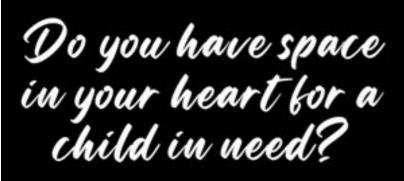
# INFORMATION

# SCHOOL PHOTOS NEXT WEEK

All students have been supplied their individual School Photos order form by MSP Photography. These envelopes contain your child's individual SHOOT KEY and information for placing an order. Our School Photo Day is this coming **Wednesday, August 10th.** 

### Important Information

- Order & Payment Options: Cash orders are to be placed in the envelope, sealed and returned to the class teacher prior to school photo day. Alternatively, orders can be placed online via the information provided on the envelope, online orders are open until Wednesday, August 11th.
- If you have ordered online or are choosing not to place an order the envelopes do not need to be returned.
- A discount may be available if ordering online!
- If you have lost your child's online SHOOT KEY please contact the front office on 6426 1053 or via email to frontoffice@geneva.tas.edu.au. Due to privacy reasons SHOOT KEYS can only be provided to parents/guardians.
- Sibling Photos: If you would like to have sibling photos taken you may request an order form from the front office.
- Please DO NOT place envelopes inside one another.
- Photos will not be printed for late orders, or orders without payment.



Glenhaven Family Care is looking for short term and long term Foster Carers willing to make a difference in the life of a local child.

### FIND OUT MORE



www.glenhaven.org.au/foster/







# DEVONPORT TENNIS CLUB



# COME & TRY DAY!

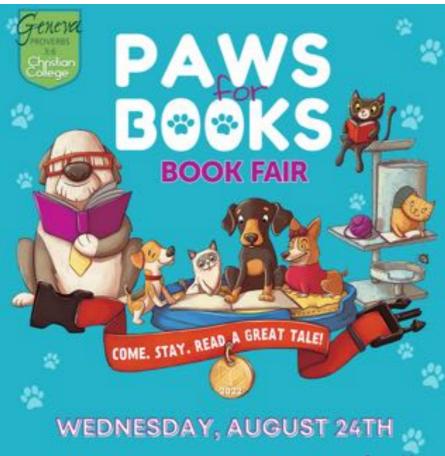
Professional Tennis Coaching All ages and abilities welcome. To find out more contact Coach Pip 0438 687 542 When: 13th August (THIS SATURDAY) When: 11.30am - 12.30noon Where: Devonport Tennis Club Cost: 55 whole family or \$3 per person To register, please scon the GR Code 4 \*Pre-registration required:



For more information, please visit www.coachpip.com



# **BOOK FAIR INFORMATION**



Have you got your costume organised?

# **BOOK FAIR**

We will be holding our Book Fair Day on Wednesday, August 24th. The whole school takes part! Students and staff can dress up, either as their favourite book character and bring the book along or dress up relative to this years theme, 'Paws for Books'. During the afternoon we have plenty of activities for everyone to enjoy. Face painting, biscuit decorating, train rides and lots more. We will also have our book display in the assembly hall of our main building. Students will have the opportunity to go through the book display and make a wish list early in week 5. This does not mean you have to purchase these items, it simply means that your child has made a list of items they like. You can discuss the list with them and they can make their purchases on the Book Fair Day. This year we have books from Scholastic and christian outlet, Koorong.

# **COLOURING IN COMPETITION**

You will find on the back of this GEN a colouring-in page of Noahs Ark! Colour it in and submit it to the office before Book Fair Day and a secret judge will choose some winners to present with a prize at the Book Fair.

# **PET PICTURES**

To build excitement for our upcoming Book Fair we would love to see pictures of your favourite pet! We have started a display in the office lobby to feature all of your furry, or not so furry friends. If you would like to have your pet included in the display, please email your picture to frontoffice@geneva.tas.edu.au or text it to the school text number 0490 455 617. We will print it out and add to the display!

# BOOK FAIR CAKE STALL DONATIONS

### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24TH

On our Book Fair Day we are holding a cake stall! We are asking our Geneva community to donate baking, fresh fruit and treats to be sold on the day.

Here are some suggestions:

- Muffins or Cupcakes
- · Cake slices
- · Slices
- Biscuits
- Garden produce
  Jams & Preserves
- Fresh fruit

Each donation needs to have a list of ingredients attached. Please bring donations to the front office before school commences the day of the Book Fair.

Don't forget to send your child with cash to make cake stall purchases with all funds raised being donated to the local branch of the RSPCA.

# WEEK 2 PHOTOS



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# SEPTEMBER

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# Geneva P&F Time & Talent Auction

Friday, September 2, 2022 - 6.15pm viewing for a 6.45pm start

at Geneva

# Keep this evening free !!!

The Time & Talent Auction, for those who don't know, is an evening fundraiser where donated goods and services are listed and auctioned. It's loads of fun! Below is a form asking for you as a family to donate some items, time or special talent you have. Following are some ideas for you to look over. You can donate something that you are good at or enjoy doing. This is a great night out, so we invite and encourage parents, relatives, friends and neighbours to come together for the auction and supper. There is something for everyone and you always get more than you bargain for! The proceeds go to the Parents & Friends which in turn come back into our school. In 2019, we raised just over \$10,000,00 for our school. This year we hope to raise over \$12,000 to assist with the new adventure playground that is under construction.

Some examples of previous auctions:

- babysitting 4 hours
- crafts
- baked goods
- cut lunch for a week
- child's hair cut
- picture framing
- food basket
- lawn mowing

- load of wood
- car cleaning
- labouring
- baskets of ironing
- gardening
- paintings
- homemade fumiture
- new electrical goods

- sewing a garment
- cook specially dessert
- knitted clothes
- window cleaning
- dinner for 2
- vouchers
- accommodation
- lessons

Please complete the form below and return to school office by Friday, August 26 and keep

Friday, September 2 free. More information will follow in the GEN.	
Thank you.	
Geneva Parents & Friends	
TIME & TALENT AUCTION 2022	
Family Name:	
We wish to donate	

Signed ..... 



# **Book Fair Colouring-in Competition**

Name:\_\_\_\_\_

Year Level: