



Casual Clothes
Day
TOMORROW!

THE GEN

Week 3, Term 4 - 2022

Verse of the Week

"I am the Light of the world; he who follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the Light of Life."

John 8:12

Prayer Points

- Continue to pray for guidance and peace as our Year 11/12 students start their exams next week
- Pray for safety for our bus drivers on the road
- Pray for our 2 groups at Interlaken this week
- Praise God for His blessings and unending favour and grace.

LIGHT IN THE DARKNESS

There is a song that many of you may know, it goes like this:

Way Maker,
Miracle Worker
Promise Keeper
Light in the Darkness
My God, that is who you are!

It brought to mind our Geneva Vision, "Students on the Right Path". Not everyone's path will be the same, but we sincerely want to see each and every one of our students on the right path specifically for them. They each have a gift, it's part of who they are and who they were created to be. If the school and home, work together, we can nurture that gift and get you child on the right path just for them. However, the path we talk about, does not end in this life. It goes further. It continues into eternity. Hence, we need help with that too and Jesus is that help! He is the Way Maker, Miracle Worker, Promise Keeper, Light in this dark world and He never changes. He is the same yesterday, today and tomorrow. We don't know what lies ahead on our path, but what we do know is that He will be our Hope, and Guide. It is through Him that our future is brighter, happier, safer, and surer. Does this sound like the path you're on? If not, approach someone about it, chat to a teacher, the girls in the office, our chaplains or me. Is your light out or dim, do you want it to shine brightly, then ask Jesus to be the Light in the darkness for you!

STUDENT OF THE WEEK



Kinder

Adilyn Walters-Simpson for being a great help and keeping our classroom tidy

Prep

Brooklyn Reid for saying his 2's, 5's and 10's times tables without looking

Year 1

Chester O'Neill for being friendly, thoughtful and attentive member of our class

Year 2

Lanika Woodhouse for being a good friend and looking out for others

Year 3

Max Gardam for being a good friend to others on the playground

Year 4

Tamsyn Harris - for always working diligently and having an excellent work ethic

Year 5

Poppi Burnie - for an improved effort and focus on her work in class

Year 6

Archer Nathan for completing his work with enthusiasm and a smile

Year 7

Brodie Stebbeings - for having a "Give it a Go" attitude, being a great participant in our Maths Pathways activities.

Year 8

Oliver Carroll for always being willing to help others

Year 9

Maeve McDowell - for for great application to math and showing maturity towards her education

Year 10

Gabriella Scrimgeour for making a delicious breakfast at camp

Year 11/12

Jorja Lomagno for effective engagement, and insightful contributions to all Business Studies class activities and discussions

DATES TO REMEMBER

November 7 - Public Holiday
November 13 - TASC Exams start
November 15 - Everybody Program Parent Session
November 21-23 Everybody Program (Y3-6)
November 24 - Swimming Carnival
November 25 - Public Holiday
November 28-30 Dance Week
November 30 - Kinder Taster Day

TERM DATES 2023

TERM 1: February 7 - April 6 (9 weeks)
TERM 2: April 26 - June 30 (10 weeks)
TERM 3: July 25 - September 29 (10 weeks)
TERM 4: October 17 - December 20 (10 weeks)

INFORMATION

REMEMBRANCE DAY



Next Friday, November 11 is Remembrance Day across Australia. This day is universally associated with the remembrance of those who had died in the First World War. This conflict had mobilised over 70 million people and left between 9 and 13 million dead and as many as one third of these with no grave. The allied nations chose this day and time for the commemoration of their war dead. On the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month a minutes' silence is observed and dedicated to those soldiers who died fighting to protect our nation.

Our Year 7, 8 & 9 students will be taking part in the Latrobe Service at the Cenotaph next week. Our school choir will also be performing the national anthem. If you would like to join in this service, you can assemble at the cenotaph at the Latrobe Post Office from 10.30am next Friday. Students are to wear full school uniform with blazers and they will be transported to and from school and all staff in these classes will be attending.

THE EVERYBODY PROGRAMME

Once again we will be delivering this programme to our Grade 3 to Grade 6 classes. Students are taught age appropriate, factual material about their bodies, respect, health and safety in a friendly and relaxed classroom setting using PowerPoint presentations, DVDs, group activities, children's story books and take home worksheets. Wendy, who delivers this programme does so from a Christian perspective, in a sensitive and honouring way. If you would like more information please go to the website or come to the parent session at school, on November 15th from 2pm-3pm.

TASC EXAMS



The 2022 TASC exam start next week.

Dates and times are as follows:

Thurs, Nov 10 - Math Methods @ 9.00am

Fri, Nov 11 - Media Production @ 9.00am

Mon, Nov 14 - Food and Nutrition @ 9.00 am

Mon, Nov 14 - Physical Science @ 1.30pm

Tues, Nov 15 - Psychology @ 9.00am

Tues, November 15 - Biology @ 1.30pm

All exams will be held at the Don College in Devonport.

BLUE MOOSE MISSION

Exciting news - Blue moose is holding a Mission here in Devonport! If you know of any youth over the age of 16 who would like to see what a mission is like - please check out the web site and register them there.

<https://www.dropbox.com/s/1af81j2ijk883n7/Emily%20Prout.mov?dl=0>

The Mission will run from 28th December to the 6th of January. The Mission Group will camp together at Pathway Church in Devonport and the Mission will run out of Pathway Shed in East Devonport.

INFORMATION



PCYC

MOBILE ACTIVITY CENTRE



FREE

Calling youth aged 10-14 years!

Join PCYC crew for fun activities, including frisbee, vortex, totem tennis, mini tennis, basketball, soccer, Talko Drumming and much more!

KINGS HALL
10 LATROBE ROAD, RAILTON
4.00PM - 5.30PM

Term 3 dates
13 September 27 September
25 October 8 November
22 November

For more information and pre registration contact
Mark on 6344 2411 or Leigh on 6491 0200



DSLSC NIPPERS 2022/23

BEACH FUN - SURF AWARENESS - CARNIVALS

TRAINING SESSIONS

Thursdays 5:30-6:30pm
Sundays 10:00am-12:00pm
Board training for competitors:
Tuesdays 5:30-6:30pm
Flippers (5-6 year olds):
Sundays 10:00am-12:00pm
Check our FB page for session updates



JUNIOR ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE

Coordinator: Steve Farrow - 0438 799 698
Assistant Coordinator: Allana Bugge - 0423 427 864
Secretary: Lea Farrow - 0402 247 883
Registrations and BBQ: Lesa McConnon - 0438 383 642

DSLSC NIPPER UNIFORMS

Nippers must wear a club cap and neon singlet for all training sessions and carnivals. Check our FB group for uniform shop days, times, and special order options.
Or contact Shelley: shelly.tyson@education.tas.gov.au



NIPPER KIT

- Bathers/rashie
- Wetsuit (if needed)
- Club cap
- Neon club singlet
- Sunscreen
- Water/drink bottle

USEFUL LINKS

Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/DevonportSurfClub>
Facebook members group: Devonport Surf Life Saving Club | Members
DSLSC website: www.devonportsurfclub.asn.au
Surf Life Saving Tasmania: www.slst.asn.au
SLST Members App: App Store and Google Play

JUNIOR CARNIVAL DATES

- #1 - Saturday 10 December 2022 (Bridport)
- #2 - Sunday 8 January 2023 (Burnie)
- #3 - Sunday 29 January 2023 (Port Sorell)
- #4 - Saturday 11 February 2023 (Clifton Beach)

State Championships:
Saturday 25 - Sunday 26 February 2023 (Penguin)

ROLL CALL

This week we started rolling out our new bus programme 'Roll Call'. Your child will have received a bus tag with their student number on it which attaches to their bag. This is used to tap on and off the buses. Please make sure these cards are well looked after as there is a cost to replace them. In the coming weeks you will receive a welcome email on how to access the parent portal to track your child as they travel and how to book your child on and off buses using the app. More information and the RollCall privacy policy can be found on the company website - rollcall.com.au Please be patient with us as we roll into this new system!



SUPPORT SERVICES

Finding Space offers support for children, teenagers, young adults and married couples. If you would like more information please go to <https://www.findingspace.com.au/unrepeated>

'Unrepeated' by Finding Space is all about supporting teenagers and young adults in mental and emotional health. Whether it's their popular merchandise that opens up important conversations and shares a powerful message of embracing uniqueness, or resources & programs, they are passionate about providing support in creative ways. Increasingly, research is uncovering the importance of being equipped in these areas of self-care and to know the truth of our identity.

LOCK DOWN & EMERGENCY EVACUATION PRACTICES

Each term we hold a lock down or emergency evacuation practise, so that staff and students are fully aware of the school's process around these events. This term we will be holding a practice lockdown and for those with younger children we ask that you chat with them about this. Staff will certainly be chatting with the younger children to prepare them for this practise, which will take place in the next week.

WANTED: Donations for the 2023 school musical of The Lion King Jr.

- Raffia or straw in neutral colours
- Raffia or straw items
- Raffia or straw placemats
- Raffia or straw mats (any condition)
- Raffia or straw baskets
- African fabrics in earthy colours
- African beads/necklaces in yellows, oranges, reds, browns

Please note these items are wanted for donations and are unable to be returned



SCIENCE INCURSION

Next Wednesday, the Year 9 and Year 10's will be involved in a forensic science incursion at Geneva. They will investigate and solve a suspicious death of a teenager, around the topic of cyber safety and social behaviours. Teachers and aides will be in attendance.

ABSENCES


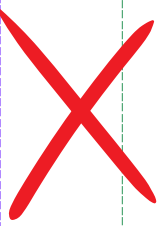

REMINDER: If your child is going to be absent for any reason, please message the school mobile on 0490 455 617. Alternatively, you can contact the office on 6426 1053 or by email frontoffice@geneva.tas.edu.au

WEEK 3 PHOTOS



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NOVEMBER 2022

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
30	31 Year 10 Interlaken  Year 3-6 Table Tennis	1 	2 Year 6 PAT testing Outdoor Education Camp Year 8 Interlaken 	3 	4 →	5
6	7 PUBLIC HOLIDAY	8	9 Year 6 PAT testing	10 Just Flare Year 6-Year 12	11 Remembrance Day	12
13	14	15 Year 6 production of Aladdin	16	17 →	18	19
20	21 Physical Science Exam Food and Nutrition Exam	22 Art Production Exam Psychology Exam Biology Exam	23	24 Swimming Carnival	25 PUBLIC HOLIDAY	26
27	28 Dance Week	29 →	30 →	1	2 STUDENT FREE DAY - STAFF PLANNING 2023	3

31 school days left!