



THE GEN

Week 7, Term 4 - 2022

Verse of the Week

"Seek the Lord and His strength;
seek His face evermore!"

Psalms 105:4

Prayer Points

- Pray for our staff as they head into our annual planning day, that they can plan for your child's education in 2023 with guidance from God
- Pray for peace for the families that may find this time of year hard
- Praise God for summer!
- Praise God for a great week of Dance!!

REAL LIFE

In the last 3 weeks, there have been five people die within our circle of family and friends. It really makes you realise that death is an inevitable part life, but also something that we shy away from talking about. Consequently, I have been to three funerals in a short space of time. At these funerals there were eulogies, photographic memories, laughter and tears. One, in particular, focussed on life after death – eternity, while the other two dodged around the idea. I sensed that the people wanted the security of there being something beyond the grave, but really were not confident. I was reminded of a story I had listened to recently of a man who described his 'death experience'. I have attached the link below. It is really worth listening to. We have been created by the Creator, so it stands to reason, whether we believe in God or not, that when we face death, we are looking for answers and definitely assurance. Don't leave life decisions for when you are dead. By then it will be too late. Jesus offers real and everlasting life now to any 'who come to Him'.

YOUTUBE: *Jim Woodford Died and Spent 11 Hours in Heaven! Find Out What He Saw!*

STUDENT OF THE WEEK



Kinder

Ariana Skinner for using beautiful manners with her teachers and with her friends.

Prep

Kate Fairley for doing a wonderful job with her addition and subtraction in her math pace!

Year 1

Jamieson Wicks-Hughes for his leadership in the playground; including the younger children and helping them.

Year 2

Ava Konetschnik for being a kind and caring classmate .

Year 3

Dom Carrasco for being enthusiastic during Dance week.

Year 4

Jaxon Allen for very responsible behaviour during the swimming carnival.

Year 5

Oliver Robertson for demonstrating fantastic maturity and listening in the Everybody Program.

Year 6

Estela Young for persevering with tricky math concepts

Year 7

Saxzen Diston for having an improved attitude and being willing to work with those that are available to help him do his work.

Year 8

Georgie Stebbings for trying really hard in English and as a result showing great improvement. Well done!

Year 9

Jesse Davenport for showing his groove in Dance. Well done!

Year 10

Charlotte McCulloch for doing a great job at the swimming carnival.

Year 11/12

Autumn George and Sarah Marks for all the time and effort in preparing and performing in the, 'A Hint of Summer' musical showcase.

EMPLOYEE OF THE WEEK

Mr Jack Dance for being an amazing support to students and for living up to his name during 'Dance' week.

INFORMATION

BOOK CLUB - ISSUE #8

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Due back December 7th.

REMINDER



There is **NO SCHOOL TOMORROW, Friday the 2nd December** due to a Student Free Day - 2023 Staff Planning 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)

2022

LATROBE LIONS

Christmas Character Party and Carols

BELLS PARADE, LATROBE

SATURDAY, 17 DECEMBER

5:30PM - 8:00PM

Come and make some Christmas craft, sing some Carols, eat some fairy floss, have your face painted and indulge in food and refreshments

Prize for Best Family Christmas Costume

Includes a special visit by Santa

No entry fee but bring a non-perishable food item or new toy to donate

An alcohol and smoke free event

No dogs permitted

Enquiries to 0419 883 110 or 0437 123 890

SWIMMING CARNIVAL 2022

Congratulations to everyone who participated in the Swimming Carnival! What a fun day we had together!

As you know, we compete as three house teams, **Shadrach**, **Meshach** and **Abednego** throughout the year.

We can announce that the winner of the 2022 Swimming Carnival was.....

Abednego
with 568 points

2nd place - **Meshach** with 532 points
3rd place - **Shadrach** with 403 points

INFORMATION

SWIMMING AWARDS

U8 Runner-Up Boy – Daniel Pienaar

U8 Champion Boy – Jeremiah Stott

U8 Runner-Up Girl – Kelly Fairley

U8 Champion Girl – Anais Jones-Macuacua

U10 Runner-Up Boy – Max Murphy

U10 Champion Boy – Ezra Jones-Macuacua

U10 Runner-Up Girl – Cassandra Stott

U10 Champion Girl – Delilah Fisher

U12 Runner-Up Boy – Liam Baldock

U12 Champion Boy – Nathanael Marshall

U12 Runner-Up Girl – Madison Stebbeings

U12 Champion Girl – Ella Overton

U14 Runner-Up Boy – Nathanael Haidau

U14 Champion Boy – Jeriah Lockhart

U14 Runner-Up Girl – Lily Shelbach and Zinnia Mitchell

U14 Champion Girl – Kezara Sparks

U16 Runner-Up Boy – Liam Overton

U16 Champion Boy – Luka Jackson

U16 Runner-Up Girl – Delta Williams-Jeffery

U16 Champion Girl – Amber King

OPEN Runner-Up Boy – Ethan Martin

OPEN Champion Boy – Xavier Murray

OPEN Runner-Up Girl – Jenna King

OPEN Champion Girl – Charlotte McCulloch



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



DANCE WEEK



SWIMMING CARNIVAL

