

## Weekly Newsletter



## PARENTS: THESE ARE THE THINGS WE NEED YOU TO TEACH YOUR CHILD . . . . PART 3

*A message from our Principal*

This is the last part of this article and possibly the most important.

**Kindness** – show them how to be kind, demonstrate acts of kindness in your family circle. But modelling kindness is not enough. You need to talk to your child about being kind and what that looks like. Have conversations with them about being inclusive, thoughtful, taking turns, going last, taking the smallest piece, sitting in the back, helping others with their chores, sharing their things.

Highlight to them what gossip and meanness are and how they can cause hurt in others. Give them specific ways to help others feel valued and included. Showing kindness and being kind won't always come naturally, but it certainly is something our children can learn and at a very early age. So please start today!!!

## VERSE OF THE WEEK:

*As for God, His way is perfect; the word of the LORD is proven; He is a shield to all who trust in Him.*

*Psalms 18:30*

## PRAYER/PRAISE POINTS:

- Pray for our students, that their friendships become strong and their faith becomes stronger.
- Praise God for our school community.
- Praise God for the warmer weather! Spring is here!

## School families to pray for:

- Molendyk
- Moscicki
- Mosley
- Mott
- Mukarati

*Geneva Christian College*  
PROVERBS 3:6

# STUDENT OF THE WEEK

## KINDER:

**Haylee Rouse** - for taking her time and doing her best colouring of Oliver Ostrich

## PREP:

**Winter Newman** - for always persevering through challenges and doing it with a happy smile

## YEAR 1:

**Brooklyn Reid** - for taking initiative and helping around our classroom

**Hunter Howells** - for being a good sport on the soccer field

## YEAR 2:

**Lauren Rouse** - for being a helpful classmate

**Hudson Johnson** - for not giving up

## YEAR 3:

**Summah Hannon** - for being kind and cheerful towards her classmates

**Billy Reid** - for listening to instructions and enjoying Garden with enthusiasm

## YEAR 4:

**Charlotte Lambert** - for learning new concepts with her tricky maths

**Mason Parker** - for assisting a fellow class member and following The Golden Rule

## YEAR 5:

**Skye Hannon** - for working hard in Maths and her willingness to help out in class

**Josiah Overton** - for his joy and enthusiasm toward school

## YEAR 6:

**Elektra Malas** - for persevering in Math

**Archie George** - for working brilliantly independently

## CLASS OF THE WEEK:

**Year 4** - for the best behaved class during Assembly this week

# Congratulations!

## YEAR 7:

**Addison Sheehan** - for being a great help in cleaning the classroom

**Nathan Veridiano** - for having a great work ethic and always being respectful and friendly

## YEAR 8:

**Sophie Atkins** - for working well to achieve her goals before the end of the term

**Gabriel Direen** - for persevering to get his goals achieved with a great attitude

## YEAR 9:

**Georgie Stebbeings** - for consistently seeking help and making steady progress in all areas

**Jamie Harris** - for always being a good friend to all around her

## YEAR 10:

**Addison Carroll** - for displaying a gracious heart in her friendships at school

**Jake Lincolne** - for a great job on his abstract piece in Art

## YEAR 11/12:

**Ella Scrimgeour** - for her focused and diligent approach to her studies in Psychology and Business Studies

**Caleb Walker** - for his advancement in all aspects of Computer Graphics and Design

## EMPLOYEES OF THE WEEK

**Caroline Hewitt** - for her love and care for the students in Year 4

**Traci Acheson** - for all the work she is doing for Samaritans Purse Shoebox Appeal

# Thank You



# INFORMATION

## TERM 3 HOLIDAYS

September 30th - October 16th

School will return for Term 4 on TUESDAY, October 17th

## SPORTS UNIFORM

We would like to remind all students and parents about the sports uniform requirements to ensure that students are following the correct uniform guidelines. We have noticed that many students are consistently out of uniform.

### Sport girls:

- Mid length black sport short (**not bike shorts**)
- Black track pants (**not tights**)
- Striped rugby jumper
- Sport polo shirt (yellow for Primary/green for Secondary)
- Short plain **black** socks

### Sport boys:

- Mid length black sport short
- Black track pants
- Striped rugby jumper
- Sport polo shirt (yellow for Primary/green for Secondary)
- Short plain **black** socks

## LONG WEEKEND & STUDENT FREE DAY

MONDAY 6TH NOVEMBER - PUBLIC HOLIDAY

TUESDAY 7TH NOVEMBER - STUDENT FREE DAY  
(DUE TO STAFF PLANNING DAY)



## WORK READINESS EXCURSION

A wonderful time was had this week when one of the Work Readiness groups played Bingo and had afternoon tea with residents of Strathdevon Aged Care.



## A STRING ENSEMBLE AT GENEVA

### Calling all violin, viola and cello players

We have started a new string ensemble at Geneva and we would love you to join us. Open to players at all levels of experience. Come and make some music with us.

**When:** Tuesdays 7:30am-8:30am

**Where:** Assembly Hall

**Who:** Students, Staff and Parents of Geneva

For more information contact Peter Atkins (Music Teacher) -  
[Peter.atkins@geneva.tas.edu.au](mailto:Peter.atkins@geneva.tas.edu.au)



## TERM 4 SUMMER UNIFORM

In Term 4 we change to our Summer Formal Uniform. Now is a great time to check what you need and make uniform purchases at the front office.

**Primary Girls:** summer dress, green cardigan, bottle green socks with black polishable shoes.

**Secondary Girls:** summer dress, blazer, bottle green socks with black polishable shoes. Green Jumper optional.

All Primary students must have a Geneva school hat. The wearing of school hats is encouraged for Secondary students. We have 3 different styles available for \$12 each.

Please see the Front Office to purchase uniform.





# WEEK 7 PHOTOS





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This week in the Primary Kitchen, our students made Rocky Road and cards. The students could then give them away to people that are a positive influence in their lives. This was a big challenge but also a special opportunity to give to others without receiving anything in return -

*It is more blessed to give than to receive - Act 20:35*





Hosted  
by the  
Kentish Scouts

A close-up photograph of a hand holding a large, spherical disco ball. The ball is covered in many small, square, reflective tiles that catch the light, creating a shimmering effect. The hand is visible at the bottom, with fingers wrapped around the base of the ball. The background is a soft, out-of-focus pink or light red color.

29th  
Friday,  
September

Scouts Hall  
52 Crocker  
Street Railton

Entry fee  
\$5

Snacks available at extra cost!

**When: Tues 3rd and Wed 4th October 2023**

**New players (Red ball) 3-5pm**





Orange, green and yellow ball 9-3pm

**Where: Devonport Tennis Club**

**For more information please contact Pip on 0438 687 542  
or [devonporttennis@yahoo.com](mailto:devonporttennis@yahoo.com)**

To register go to  
coachpip.com

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ACADEMY

SEPTEMBER 2023						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	28	29	30	31	1 Canteen Casual Clothes	2 Happy FATHER'S Day
3	4 Week 8	5	6 	7	8 Canteen	9
10	11 Week 8	12	13 	14	15 Canteen	16
17	18 Week 9	19	20 	21	22 Canteen Casual Clothes	23
24	25 Week 10	26	27 	28	29 Last day of Term 3	30

★ OUTDOOR THEATRE EVENT ★

# THE COMEDY OF ERRORS

by William Shakespeare



**SATURDAY**  
**December 9th**

AT  
4.30 pm

## The Berry Patch

4 Blackburn Dr, Turners Beach TAS 7315



••• Tickets Available @ •••

[thecomedyoferrors.eventbrite.com.au](http://thecomedyoferrors.eventbrite.com.au)

