



THE GEN

Week 7 - Term 3 - 2022

Verse of the Week

"I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world."

John 16:33

Prayer Points

- Pray for our Year 9 students and staff who are heading to Interlaken this weekend for the Extended Stay.
- Thank God for longer days and signs of Spring.
- Pray that we all keep our minds on things above and not be confused by the things of this world.

Is this the Golden Rule?

A message from Mrs Lincolne

Below is a photo of the rubbish found on the Port Sorell bus after 2 days of use and the others bus runs are not far behind! Sadly, students are not abiding by the rules we have in place for their health and safety.

When I was growing up, the rule in our home was that if you make a mess, then you clean it up. Why should the driver have to clean up after the students? This is not training them to be responsible and thoughtful adults. We have The Golden Rule in place for everyone at Geneva. "Treat others as you would want to be treated yourself". This is certainly not a good example of that. Parents, speak to your children. Students, listen up; travel on our buses is a privilege. So let's show our thanks by not littering and treating others, how we ourselves would like to be treated!



STUDENT OF THE WEEK

Kinder

Amelia Mitchell - for a great improvement in learning her numbers 1 through to 10

Prep

Isabelle Wheatley - for exemplifying the golden rule and being a wonderful friend

Year 1

Meika Cooper - for her amazing effort and application in writing lessons

Year 2

Eli Stephenson - for working hard to memorise his scripture and the alphabet

Year 3

Liam Hall - for being a good mate and looking out for others

Year 4

Samuel Haidau - for writing an entertaining persuasive text about the school uniform

Year 5

Charlee Hawes - for working extremely hard to catch up on her goals

Year 6

Thomas Huxtable - for focusing really well during My Place

Year 7

Will Humble - for being respectful and being diligent in finishing his work every day

Year 8

Tayla Dolega - for always having a positive and cheerful attitude in class.
Well done

Year 9

Alessio Juen - for a top effort in his oral presentation (monologue) on a character from the Boy in Striped PJ's

Year 10

Marie-Ellen Haidau - for a great effort in her oral presentation

Year 11/12

Julian Murray - for his proactive business development initiatives

EMPLOYEE OF THE WEEK

This week we recognise and thank:

Riley Lodge - for his work with Amos and being a sharp dresser.

Narelle Kolos - for her enthusiasm and care in all she does with students.

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

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.

STRING ENSEMBLE

Are you interested in being part of a string ensemble at Geneva? Mr Atkins is looking to start up a string ensemble at Geneva for anyone who plays or would like to play violin, viola, cello or double bass. Learning music is great but having a purpose for that learning is even better. A string ensemble would give us a purpose, as well as being a fun group to be part of.

WHEN: before or after school - either 7:30-8:40am or 3:15-4:30pm.

WHO: staff, students & parents

INSTRUMENT: Participants would need their own instrument, although it may be possible to hire one from the school. There would be a small cost to participate.

Initially, participants would also need to arrange their own private tuition so they can learn the parts they are given.

If you are interested in being part of this string ensemble then please email Mr Atkins - Peter.atkins@geneva.tas.edu.au.

NAPLAN RESULTS

ACARA has advised that the 2022 preliminary NAPLAN Summary Report, usually released in August each year, is not being released due to lower than normal student participation rates in some parts of Australia. This is attributed to the COVID-19 pandemic, flu and floods. ACARA needs more time to scrutinise state comparisons and Tasmanian results will instead be released later in the year with ACARA's Final Report.

BOOK ONLINE

www.thecrickethub.com.au/book-clinics

SCHOOL HOLIDAY FUN

CRICKET HUB

TASMANIA



COMING TO DEVONPORT & LAUNCESTON

Join our team for coaching, games and loads of fun. Covering all elements of the game, the program will be sure to be a great lead up to the upcoming cricket season.

LAUNCESTON 5th, OCT - 11.00am - 3.00pm @ Riverside Indoor Centre

DEVONPORT 6th, OCT - 10.30am - 2.30pm @ The Devonport Indoor

Mark Divin (ex Tasmanian Tiger) and Tawanda Mupariwa (ex Zimbabwe International) will be running a one day coaching clinic for aspiring young cricketers.

AGES - 8 to 13

COST - \$75 per day

*Sibling discounts apply

For further information or to register please contact coaching@thecrickethub.com.au or call on 6229 7863

INFORMATION

AUCTION

THANK YOU!

Thank you to everybody who donated time, a talent or an item to our Auction last Friday night. It was a great night of fun and laughter. Because of everyone's very generous bidding, we raised an incredible amount of just over \$20,200.00. Who would have thought a sponge cake would have sold for over \$100 or a jar of raspberry jam for \$28. Thank you once again. The funds will be put to very good use.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Ebonii Direen in Year 9 and Toby Wood in Year 10 who participated in the Suncorp ESSi Money Challenge as part of the their Business and Economics Class.

Both Ebonii and Toby achieved the highest score in their age category for Tasmania. As the winners, they will both receive a \$200 Eftpos card.

Congratulations Ebonii and Toby!

SAMARITAN'S PURSE

Thank you for those who have donated beanies for Samaritan's Purse.

We would also like scarves for children ages 2-14 years, thank you.



LITTLE GEMS

A reminder that our 'Little Gems' playgroup runs every Wednesday during the school terms, from 9:00am - 10:30am. 'Little Gems' is a place for parents, guardians and children aged from birth to 4 years old, to connect, play and grow.

To register your interest or to find out more information, please email littlegems@geneva.tas.edu.au

2022 TASC EXAMS

The 2022 TASC exam dates have been released and are as follows:



Thursday, Nov 10 - Math Methods @ 9.00am

Friday, Nov 11 - Media Production @ 9.00am

Monday, Nov 14 - Food and Nutrition @

9.00am

Monday, Nov 14 - Physical Science @1.30pm

Tuesday, Nov 15 - Psychology @ 9.00am

Tuesday, November 15 - Biology @ 1.30pm

SCHOOL FEES

A reminder that school fees are due by the end of each school term. To avoid getting behind please organise to have fees paid up to date as soon as possible, or via regular direct debits. Please get in touch if you require an updated fee statement.

WEEK 7 PHOTOS



SEPTEMBER

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
26 X 5 Week 7	27 X 6	28 X 7	29 X 8	30 Canteen Free Time & Talent Auction Casual Clothes Day Teacher Aide School Support Day 9 Canteen	1 3	2 4 
12 Week 8	13 Year 9 Interlaken	14 Year 9 Interlaken	15 Year 9 Interlaken	16 Canteen	17	18
19 Week 9	20 Year 9 Interlaken	21 Year 9 Interlaken	22 Year 9 Interlaken	23 Canteen Casual Clothes Day	24	25
26 Week 10	27 Year 9 Interlaken	28 Year 9 Interlaken	29 Year 9 Interlaken	30 Canteen Last Day of Term 3	1 SCHOOL HOLIDAYS	2 SCHOOL HOLIDAYS
3 SCHOOL HOLIDAYS	4 SCHOOL HOLIDAYS	5 SCHOOL HOLIDAYS	6 SCHOOL HOLIDAYS	7 SCHOOL HOLIDAYS	8 SCHOOL HOLIDAYS	9 SCHOOL HOLIDAYS