

October 29, 2018

From the Principal...

Save the Date - TCS Fall Society Meeting on November 22nd

A reminder that we have our Fall TCS Membership Meeting on Thursday, November 22 at 7:00pm in the gym. A report will go to TCS members prior to the meeting.

TCS MEMBERSHIP FORMS & PAYMENT DUE THIS WEDNESDAY

This Wednesday is the deadline to update your Membership Status. If you have yet to complete your form and submit payment, this is your chance. If you would like to be a member of the TCS Society, please provide the form and payment (\$10/person) to the office so we can update your status before the October 31st deadline.

Membership privileges are as follows:

- you will have voting rights during our Fall and Spring society meetings
- you are able to chair a committee within the school society & support events and functions
- you are showing a sign of commitment and support of the TCS environment

If you have any questions at all, please contact the school. The Board will approve new memberships at their November meeting.



Progress Reports coming home at the end of the day on Wednesday, November 7

A reminder, TCS parents, that each student will be coming home with a mid-term progress report on November 7th. Please take the time to review these with your students and use them as part of your talk with the teacher during interview time on November 14 or 16.

These progress reports are 'big picture'. They are a checklist form and are intended to tag areas that should be processed at the upcoming conferences. Details can be processed with the teacher at the parent-teacher conferences that are only a couple weeks away.

November Parent-Teacher Conferences on November 14 or 16

There will be a new format for parent-teacher conferences this November. As stated in the year at a glance calendar in August, TCS parents will now have two options to sign up online to meet with your child's teacher:

1. **Wednesday, November 14** between 4-8:45pm
2. **Friday, November 16** between 9am & 12pm
⇒ There is **no school on November 16** due to interviews in the morning and set-up for the Bazaar which is on Saturday, November 17. There has always been a PD day on the Friday before the Bazaar to allow TCS volunteers to set up for this major school fundraiser.

For some of the larger classes, we encourage parents to make good use of the new Friday morning option for parent-teacher conferences to take some of the pressure off of the Wednesday after school/evening which will fill up very fast. Online sign up for conferences will start TODAY until Friday, November 9. Please check your email for instructions to book online.

OCTOBER

- 29 Dutch Store Orders Due
- JK/SK Field Trip to Hewitt's Fun Farm
- 30 Volleyball Practice (3:30-5pm)
- 31 Membership Forms Due

NOVEMBER

- 1 Volleyball Practice (3:30-5pm)
- 2 Pizza Day
- 6 Unity Day for Gr. 7/8 (10am-2pm)
- Volleyball Practice (3:30-5pm)
- 7 Progress Reports go home
- 8 Volleyball Practice (3:30-5pm)
- 9 Remembrance Day Chapel (Gr. 6)
- Gr. 7—Health Unit Vaccinations (10am)
- Pizza Day
- 13 Volleyball Practice (3:30-5pm)
- 14 Pizza Day
- Parent-Teacher Interviews (4-8:45pm)
- 15 Volleyball Practice (3:30-5pm)
- 16 **PD Day (No School!)**
- Parent-Teacher Interviews (9am-12pm)
- 17 **TCS Christmas Bazaar (9am-2pm)**

High School Information Evening (November 22)

On November 22 from 6-7pm in the TCS music room, we will be hosting a "High School Information Evening" for TCS parents of grades 7 and 8 students (optional to bring students if you wish).

We will have Evelyn Tigwell (guidance counsellor at Innisdale S.S.) speak as well as several representatives from Unity Christian High School to help guide parents through the high school transition. This will cover what to expect, how to pick courses, when the open house dates are coming up and other areas.

Parents will be able to hear the path/expectations for both those going to Unity and to other schools as well as a time for questions if you are still making up your mind which way. This is intended for parents of students in grades 7 & 8 who have questions about this next step and is intended to help them with this journey.

This is also being run to support parents and students in this journey as 'parents need support' has come up in parent surveys in years past.

Our intent is to run this parent high school information evening every year for the hour before the TCS Fall Membership meeting as a support for parents in this journey.

From the Office...

Looking for interested MARKETING COMMITTEE members for 2018/2019

Are you interested in advertising, marketing strategies & media promotions?? Do you ever wonder how you can put those skills to work and support the school? If you enjoy getting involved in our community in fun ways, we'd love to have you join our Marketing Committee this year. We only meet 4 times per year to discuss plans, ideas and new ways of Marketing TCS. Names will be approved by the Board before being placed on the committee.

Please contact Michelle Roberts for more information and see how you can become a part of this committee. We'd love to hear back from you!



Homework Highlights

Grade 4

Tues., Oct. 30 - Math Test: Addition & Subtraction

Wed., Oct. 31 - MW: Psalm 135: 15, 18 (written)

Fri., Nov. 2 - Spelling Test: Unit 7 (Unit 6 was our review last week)

Grade 4/5

Tues., Oct. 30—Spelling Test: Unit 7

Fri., Nov. 2—MW: Jeremiah 31:33 (fill in the blanks)

Mon., Nov. 5—Check for Understanding:

Gr. 4—Adding & Subtracting

Gr. 5—Multiplying & Dividing

Thurs., Nov. 8—First Nations Test

Fri., Nov. 9—Scholastic Book Order Due

Thurs., Nov. 15—Grade 5 Math Test on Unit 2: Whole Numbers

MW: Jeremiah 31:33-34 (fill in the blanks)

Grade 5

Mon., Oct. 29—Spelling Test: Unit 7

Wed., Oct. 31—Native model home project due

Fri., Nov. 2—MW: Exodus 19:5-6 (orally)

Mon., Nov. 5—Spelling Test: Unit 8



Yearbook Advertising for the 2018/2019 School Year

If you would like to sponsor the development of the yearbook this year, we would love to partner with you on this project. We are looking to gather enough sponsors to advertise to help offset the cost of the printing of the yearbook. **OUR ADVERTISING GOAL IS \$550...** we can do it with your help!

We would like to sustain a low cost per book and your support is an incredible blessing to that objective. If you have or know someone who has a small business, large business or even home business... we can promote you while you support TCS.

Contact Tina Covert to place your ad in this coming yearbook! (tcovert@timothychristianschool.ca)

Thanks in advance for your support!!

From the Community...

re-Source Thrift Shop Barrie - South: Needs & News!

Shifts needing volunteers:

- Monday & Thursday 1-5pm
- Friday 1-4pm
- Saturday all day.

Sort night is this Tuesday from 6:30 - 8:30. Come out and help get things ready for our THIRD ANNIVERSARY SALE!



THIS WEEK MARKS THE THIRD ANNIVERSARY OF THE THRIFT SHOP!

We gratefully acknowledge ALL the amazing volunteers and hard work that has gone into making the store a success! God has richly blessed us, and we give thanks! Stop by the store November 1-3 for our Anniversary Progressive Sale!

Unity Day in Barrie

Calling all parents of Grade 7 and 8 students! Are you wondering about educational options for your child when they enter high school? Have you considered your child receiving the Ontario Secondary School Diploma while receiving a Christian education? Unity Day in Barrie is the perfect opportunity for your child to check out Unity Christian High School. On Tuesday, November 6, from 10:00am-2:00pm students in grades 7 and 8 are invited to the annual open house at the school (25 Burton Avenue). Students will visit classrooms, meet teachers, and be involved in interactive activities. There will be time for games, listening to music, and hearing our students talk about their experiences and opportunities in extra-curricular events. Lunch and snacks are provided. TCS will be sending our Grade 7 & 8s.

Unity Annual Pancake Breakfast

Hosted by UNITY CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL



Saturday, November 10, 2018

Breakfast is served at Timothy Christian School in the gym
(750 Essa Road, just south of Maplevue)

There will be pancakes, sausages, fruit, juice; great food, great company!
Free-will donations accepted, with proceeds going to STUDENT ACTIVITIES.
Come on down! Breakfast is served 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.



Unity Christian High School

705-792-6915

Unity Christian High School Pancake Breakfast

Pancakes, Pancakes, Pancakes! The 14th Annual Pancake Breakfast of Unity Christian High School will be offered on Saturday, November 10, 2018 in the Timothy Christian School gym. There will be pancakes, sausages, fruit, juice, great food, and great company! Proceeds will go to student activities. It all starts at 8:00am and last pancakes are served at 11am. We hope to see you there!

TCS Christmas Bazaar

It's that time of year again, the Timothy Christmas Bazaar and Auction is around the corner and we need your help! Please consider donating to the live or silent auction. What new item or unique experiences can you donate? Experiences often include: cottages, fishing trips, tickets sporting events and excursions. Please consider what opportunities you have to make an impact at TCS and let us know how you can help make a difference. Please send your donations in to Miss Van Loenen at the TCS office. We are also looking for people interested in joining the Bazaar committee to help coordinate the volunteers, vendors, auction items and general set up. If you are interested in joining our team please contact the office. Thank you!

TIMOTHY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL
INVITES YOU TO JOIN US AT OUR ANNUAL

Christmas Bazaar

Saturday, November 17, 2018

9am - 2pm



FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT THE OFFICE:

750 Essa Road, Barrie, ON L4N 9E9 | 705-726-6621
www.timothychristianschool.ca

PITCH OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE BAZAAR!

Children's Game Hall Area

I am in need of four adult volunteers. Two to help run the Prize table from 9 -11:30am. Two adults to help during the movie time from 11:45 - 1:00pm. If you have children that are in grades 6-12 that can help with any of the games or movie supervision time as well that would be so greatly appreciated!

We would also love to have donations of prizes... any unopened/unused toys, books, games, candy that you have as "extras" laying around the house, bring them in to the school office and we will gladly use them as prizes at the Bazaar for the Children's Games. Also Halloween candy is on sale and any donations you could bring us would be helpful! Thank you! Contact: Jessica VanLoenen ajvanloenen@yahoo.ca, 705-627-1000

Christmas Garden

We are looking for people to help with the Christmas garden, where we make Christmas arrangements for the Bazaar. If you like working with greens or enjoy creating, come and join us! We plan to start on Monday, November 12 and hope to create arrangements all that week. Any help would be much appreciated, no experience necessary as we train on the job. Contact: Maria Abbott (mpabbott@gmail.com or 705-730-3370)

Volunteers for Bazaar Café

The Bazaar Café is looking for volunteers. Cafe shifts are available from 9- 1, 10 - 2, or even 9 - 4. Donations of soups (chicken noodle, pea, vegetable), chili, pies, cakes, cases of water, pop, and drinking boxes are also needed. Please contact Natalie Riewe at 705- 424-9575 or nriewe1@gmail.com if you are able to help out or donate food items. Thank you!



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CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

Yearbook Advertising Opportunities

**Ads can be either horizontal or vertical based on your company.*

**NEW
PRICES**
for 2018/2019

1/2 Page Advertising
Approximate Size: 8" x 5.395"
Price: \$130.00

1/8 Page Advertising
Approximate Size: 4" x 2.25"
Price: \$40.00

"Tagline Twenty" **Price: \$20.00**

Running along the edge of a selected page:
(*"Lovingly sponsored by the _____ Family"*)