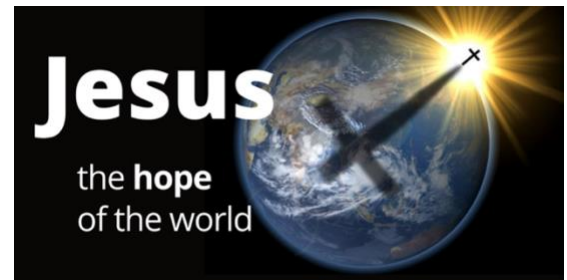




# TIMOTHY

## CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



From the Principal ...

### Preparing for Grade eight graduation on June 17!

We are working hard preparing for grade eight graduation.

- Grade seven parents** - If you have not signed up yet to help serve and decorate, we need you! We will need a full crew of both grade 7 parents and students to help with decorations and dinner (set up, serving and clean up). Please let us know how you can help by [completing this form](#). A leadership team will be meeting this week to organize this process.
- Grade eight parents**, we have already sent out the official invitations and we are expecting you by 4:45pm for the dinner at Emmanuel and then at 8:00pm for the ceremony at TCS.



### Keeping students safe after school



The TCS office has received several emails from concerned TCS parents about 'near misses' after school in the parking lot as our younger students race after a soccer ball through the parking lot dodging cars and trucks in the process. The soccer games on the lawn by Essa road have started again and it does pose a safety challenge for the parking lot and Essa road. It is extremely busy in our parking lot after school as well as Essa road being very, very busy with all the construction. We certainly appreciate parents and students having fun and suggest an idea might be to move the game to a parents' home or a local park after school where it can be done safely. Students were informed in the announcements at school this morning that we need to put an end to the after school soccer games in front of the school. It would just break our hearts if a TCS student was hit in the parking lot and we have had too many close calls this year already. Parents, please support us in this and move the game to a home or a park.

### Two day a week grade five position working with Ms. Gronfors next year

TCS is now accepting resumes for a one year term/two day a week teaching position in grade five starting this September. As parents may know, Ms. Gronfors went through cancer treatment last year and was intending to start part-time this year and move to full-time by January. Although her energy and health are coming back and she is doing very well, we feel one more year of part-time will allow her to heal and return full-time the year after.

Next year we are looking at Ms. Gronfors teaching 60%/three days a week and the new person teaching the Tuesday and Thursdays for the full year. Resumes for the two days a week grade five position will be accepted at the TCS office until 4:00pm June 9th. Interviews will be set for the following week. We are looking for an Ontario College of Teachers certified teacher with a strong Christian perspective.



## June

3	Pizza Day (moved from Friday)
10	PD Day NO SCHOOL
17	Grade 8 Graduation
20-22	Grade 8 Grad Trip
22	SK Graduation
24	Last day of school, 2pm dismissal

**New TCS families starting in September 2022**

We have been very blessed to have already processed and approved 24 new families who will be joining TCS this September. *If you know of a potential new TCS family, encourage them to apply in the next few weeks to avoid waiting lists.* At this point, we have waiting lists for two of our classes and for the full-time kindergarten program which filled up in under two weeks. If you know of a new family hoping to attend TCS this fall, remind them to start the application process soon.

**Congratulations Master Track and Field Competitors!**

We are extremely proud of our Master Track and Field athletes for their determination and positive attitude as they competed in their events last Thursday! It was a beautiful sight to see the TCS students encouraging one another in their attempts and successes. An extra special congratulations to our athletes who broke Master Track and Field records!

Elijah Kenney (10/11 Boys)	Running Long Jump	4.12m
Kale Heppleston, Isaac Kenney, Owen Tankard & Percy Wiersma	10/11 Boys 4x100m Relay	54.01 seconds

**Support for the Bailey family**

As you may have heard, after many delays, the Bailey family (Rob and Tanya with Sophia in grade 5 and Rachel in grade 7 at TCS) have been able to finally bring their grandfather to Canada from the Ukraine. God has graciously provided safety over the past few months! They have incurred a significant amount of time and expenses making this work and if you feel led to help with a Walmart gift card you can drop it off at the TCS office. This would be a huge blessing to them and appreciated.

**Grass Trimming Volunteers needed**

TCS now has a rechargeable grass trimmer for use during school hours. If you are interested in joining the Grass Cutting Team let the office know.

**Bradford Greenhouses Fundraising Program**

When you are shopping for gardening, lawn supplies, clothes or home decor, please remember our fundraising program with Bradford Greenhouses (in Barrie or in Bradford). **Before** the cashier starts to ring through your purchases please mention that you would like your purchase to support Timothy Christian School. Thanks!

**The re-Source Thrift Shop, South - Annual General Meeting Wednesday June 8th**

Join us for the AGM at the Thrift Shop at 28 Commerce Park Drive unit B on Wednesday, June 8th at 6:30pm. Learn about all the ways God has provided for us throughout the COVID year and how we have been able to bless our community. The meeting is scheduled from 6:30-7pm. Join us for a small summary presentation and learn how you can be a part of a giving community. For more information email [resource.barrie@outlook.com](mailto:resource.barrie@outlook.com).

**Pizza Days coming up:**

Fri June 3

Wed June 8

Fri June 17

Wed June 22

**Help needed assembling furniture**

We are looking for 1-2 parents to assemble two desks and stools for the office. Please let us know if you can help [tcsген@timothychristianschool.ca](mailto:tcsген@timothychristianschool.ca).

**Great Wolf Lodge Christian School Deal for October 27-30**

The annual getaway offer for Christian schools is back for the PD days in October 2022! Please [follow this link](#) for more information and the booking code.

**COVID Guidelines**

The link to the latest COVID screening tool can be found at the top of our school website homepage ([www.timothychristianschool.ca](http://www.timothychristianschool.ca)).

**More kites from grade three:**



**And grade four:**



**God's love blows us away!**