



### A Look Ahead...

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### Our Mission:

*TCS is an interdenominational, Christ-centred, educational environment, which provides academic, spiritual, physical and social development of children*

### Our Purpose:

*TCS provides a sound Christ-centred education, which develops the gifts of God's children and equips them to love and serve God and all of His creation.*

## From the Office...

*Mrs. Brenda Goodnough, Principal*

A Teacher's Prayer:

God grant me wisdom, creativity and love.

With wisdom, I may look to the future and see the effect I have on these children and thus adapt my methods to fit the needs of each one.

With creativity, I can prepare new and interesting projects that can challenge my students and expand their minds to set higher goals and dream loftier dreams

With love, I can praise my students for jobs well done and encourage them to get up and go on when they fail.

Lord, reveal yourself through me.

Amen

## What's Happening at TCS?

### TCS Community Barbeque a 'Big Hit'

We certainly had a good turnout for our community barbeque. The weather was wonderful and people mingled well as they patiently waited in line for their food. It was good to see all age groups represented. Thanks to the Board members for manning the barbeque and also thanks to the kitchen crew for organizing the details and handling the clean up. A special thank you to Amanda Smith for organizing all the details.

### Library Expansion—THANK YOU!!!!

Thank you SO much to all the people who contributed to the new library!! It looks amazing and we are SO grateful! So much work went into this job—packing and then unpacking boxes, cutting out and then repairing the hole in the wall between the old and new sections, installation of the new carpet, producing and assembling shelves. It looks GREAT!!! Thank you!!



### Chapel

Chapel will be on Friday, Sept 30th at 9:00 a.m. There will be a QSP kick-off and then the students will be participating in the Terry Fox Run/Walk! Parents are more than welcome to join us!

### Timothy Supports Terry

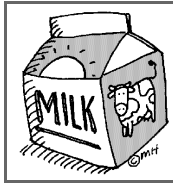
The annual Terry Fox Run for Cancer Research will happen this Friday morning, right after chapel. We would like to have everyone dress with Canadian pride for this day and don't forget your running shoes. As a school we are hoping to raise \$100 more than we did last year. If we reach our goal of \$700, Miss Duff has promised to do 'SOMETHING SPECIAL' with water balloons. So let's get shaking out those piggy banks for some toonies and loonies for this most worthy cause. Miss Duff better find her scuba mask!!!



\*\*If you would be able to volunteer to help out at this event, please let Mrs. Kloosterman or Miss Duff know as soon as possible.

### Milk Orders

Once again, the milk program is being offered this year! If you would like your kids to receive milk at lunch, please fill out the attached milk order form and return it by **Friday, September 30th**. Thank you for your support!! The Grade 7 Class



### Grade 8 Medeba Retreat

Our Grade 8 students will be away for a three-day community building retreat at Camp Medeba. We wish them safe travels and a great time of bonding, reflection and spiritual growth.

### Grade 7 Rounds Ranch Trip

Just a reminder that grade 7 is going to Rounds ranch on Tuesday, Sept. 27th. We will be leaving once the busses arrive and return in time for busses. Students need to bring a lunch and come prepared for rain or shine.

### Hot Dog Day

Since the Grade 7 and 8 classes are away this week, they will be reimbursed for their hot dog money from this Tuesday. Sorry for the inconvenience but hot dog day must go on!! 😊

### Tack Shop Orders

Just a reminder to get your orders in for Timothy clothing by **this Wednesday, September 28th**. If you need another order form, please call the school!

Telephone directory is coming soon! If you have any updates to send the school, please do so THIS WEEK!

### QSP Magazine Fundraiser

Information will be going home on Friday with students.

### Apple Pies

The Grade 7 class will be selling apple pies to raise funds for their end of year trip in June.

Orders must be in to the school by Tuesday, October 4th. Pies will be ready for pick up at the school on Friday, October 7 between 3:00 – 4:00 p.m. The cost per pie is \$8.00. There will be only 200 pies available so get your order in early to avoid disappointment. See the attached flyer for more details.



We are also in need of some **apple peelers**, if you have one that we could borrow on Thursday, October 6, please let Mrs. Huizenga know. (Or put your name on it and drop it off at the school closer to that date). Thanks!

### We Need a Mascot!

We have our new tagline, now all we have left to pick is a MASCOT!!! *Come on, everyone – students and parents alike!* Submit your names and animal (???) ideas and see if you come up with our new mascot. Submissions can be done via kiddie mail or online, or feel free to send an email to [lmiller@timothychristianschool.ca](mailto:lmiller@timothychristianschool.ca) before Friday, October 7<sup>th</sup>. Be a part of this new chapter!

### Prayers for Families

This Monday, the staff had the opportunity to pray for the following families: Mike & Jeanne Borgert, Fernando & Meloni Borges, Paul & Danielle Bierman, and Mark & Samantha Brenner.

We would also like to send our condolences to Mr. and Mrs. Dave Geertsema on the sudden loss of Dave's Uncle.

### TCS is Out of this World!

Our Scholastic Book Fair was an **astronomical** hit thanks to all of the families who came out on the BBQ night. We all had a **blast** buying new books, counting candies and checking out the expanded library! We **eclipsed** all the previous Book Fair sales and were able to purchase almost 100 new books for our TCS shelves. The remaining earnings will be used to purchase new books from Christian suppliers. Congratulations to Matthew Kiss and the Grade 5 class for winning the special family draw! The normal library schedule will be up and running this week, so don't forget to check for those new books. Thanks again to our volunteers and our whole school community for making our Book Fair a **stellar success!**

### Forms to be Returned

Please make sure you have returned the forms that apply to you:

- Student Code of Conduct
- Volunteer Form
- Volunteer Driver Form
- Criminal Record Checks or sign-off Form
- Tack Shop Order Form
- Media Consent Form
- VIP Registration Form
- Student Internet Agreement: Just to clarify any concerns or misunderstandings, the students **will not** receive email accounts or be able to log onto facebook accounts while in the computer lab, internet use is supervised by the teachers at all times and is used for classroom research purposes and/or reinforcement of classroom learning only, no personal WiFi accessible devices allowed. Scheduled classroom computer time occurs approximately 1-2 times a week.

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**Our Theme:** *"Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable - if anything is excellent or praiseworthy - think about such things." ~ Philippians 4:8*

## PITCH OPPORTUNITIES

### Gym Balls

The balls in the gym are getting flat. If anyone is interested in taking a couple of hours to pump them up that would be a great help!! We have an electric pump! Please call the office if you are interested! Thanks!

### The Gala Is Back

...and a committee is in the process of being formed. Do you have a gift of planning? Have a streak for decorating? Have a passion for raising money and helping your school flourish? Then this is the event for you! Dynamic and fun, challenging yet rewarding, contact Lisa Miller at [lmiller@timothychristianschool.ca](mailto:lmiller@timothychristianschool.ca) to get the details and consider joining our team!

### Christmas Bazaar and Auction

The bazaar committee is planning another exciting day for Saturday, November 19! Our annual bazaar and auction will take place on this day from 9am till 2pm-ish. By God's grace the community's attendance for this day has increased immensely as each year went by! We are so thankful for this because it provides a wonderful day out for the entire family and gives our school not only great exposure but a chance to practice the gift of hospitality! We always have a PD day the day before the bazaar (the 18th) for the committee to have lots of time to set up their areas.

For those of you who are new to our community we have a list of areas in which you can be involved in order to fill your PITCH hours or just to join in the fun! There's something for everyone!

**Auction—Julie Eisses (705) 739-3550** is in need of people to ask for donations, collect items, organize the items on tables the day before, monitoring the silent auction tables and distributing items to the bid winners. We look for donations such as tools, toys, furniture, house wares, home decor, linens, etc. to services rendered such as massages, personal training, house painting, electrical or plumbing or any trades work, haircutting, baking, rental of cottages, window washing, ski lessons, music lessons etc. If you are not able to donate perhaps you know someone who can? (family, friends, colleagues)? A professional live auctioneer from Ritchie Brothers Auctions will be on site from 11-12 for the live auction.

**Children's Game Room—Dorothy Armstrong (705) 424-1626** is in need of people to help monitor the games for the kids, sell tickets, paint faces etc. this will be in the west wing of the school. We need donations of small prizes - toys or little candy items and some medium sized prizes. Dorothy has quite a few amazing games already (Mini-putt, Bean bag toss, Kerplunk, Fish Barrel, Ice Pennies etc.) but would certainly welcome any new ideas. We are also looking for someone to take over this area for next year as Dorothy will be retiring, so this would be a good 'training' year if anyone is interested!

**Cafeteria—Sandra Cochrane (705) 424-2700** is in need of people to help serve food at the buffet table, sell meal tickets, bus and clean tables, keep the kitchen organized, deep- fry croquettes. If you are not able to help during the day perhaps you could consider making a donation of homemade pies, soup (vegetable, chicken or split pea), cans of pop or bottles of water. Sandra will also need some help organizing the kitchen the day before. Tables and chairs have to be rolled out into the gym the day before.

**Christmas Garden—Lisa Miller (705) 812-1109** is looking for people who are talented in making **fresh** Christmas floral arrangements - wreaths, center pieces, garlands, outdoor decorative urns and hanging baskets, ornaments or perhaps even some small apartment sized trees. We also need people to help set up the day before and to sell on the day of the bazaar.

**Dutch Store—Christina Fairchild (705) 733-1056** will need help organizing and packaging the pre-orders for cheese, croquettes, sausages and almond cakes the day before so people can pick them up on the day of the bazaar. She will also need help setting the store up in the front foyer the day before and selling product and restocking shelves on the day of the bazaar.

**Bakery—Monica Wohlgemuth (705) 436-9843** for those of you who love to bake, Monica and her team would welcome donations of homemade cookies, squares, pies, cakes, loaves, Christmas treat baskets or chocolate/ candy kits for gift giving, homemade jams and preserves, muffins. This area will be set up in the library and will need help doing so the day before and selling on the day of the bazaar.

**Walter's Amazing Vegetable Stand (705) 458-2997** will need help in the front foyer setting up (the day before) and selling carrots, potatoes, onions, kale, peppers, yams, tulip bulbs and fresh floral bouquets on the day of the bazaar.

**Vendors—Randy & Christina Demmings (705) 735-4371** are organizing the vendor tables. They will be accepting phone calls for any artisan or craftsperson interested in renting a table. Gym - \$45 8 ft. table provided or Hallway - \$30 bring your own 8 ft. table. If you or someone you know is interested please give Randy and Christina a call. As usual, we will accept only vendors that sell homemade cottage industry products (some exceptions for food)

- **absolutely no** mass produced items such as Tupperware, Mary Kay, Pampered Chef, Discovery Toys, Party Lite Candles, etc.

