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# TIMOTHY

## CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



### Re-registration packages for September 2019 come home Tuesday!

This Tuesday we will be sending all existing TCS families a re-registration package to renew registration for September 2019. This will be due to the TCS office by **Friday, February 1<sup>st</sup>** along with a \$300 deposit to hold the placement for your child/children at TCS. New this year, there will be a checklist on the cover letter of four areas that need to be checked off to ensure registration is complete. Re-registration form filled out, deposit cheque attached, all information for the PITCH program for this year attached (unless already submitted), and PITCH form for next year (the 2019/2020 school year) attached including credit card numbers or post-dated cheques.

Being that we presently have three classes that are capped this year and a waiting list started for those classes, we want to ensure that we place all our existing TCS families/students in classes before we start to interview, approve, and place new families. Please look for the re-registration information to come home with your child **on Tuesday (January 15) and be sure to have it returned to the TCS office by February 1<sup>st</sup>**. Thank you in advance for choosing TCS! If you have any questions about enrolment, please contact Mr. Berg at the TCS office.



### SCRAPDAY! Help & Donations still needed.

The Scrapday! committee is getting excited as our successful crafting day is almost upon us. A few tickets are still available for \$50 – please contact the office if you're interested in joining us. We're also in great need of food donations to make the day a success. Please email [scrapday@timothychristianschool.ca](mailto:scrapday@timothychristianschool.ca) or the school office to let us know if you're able to help with any of the following:

- Soup (large crock-pot)
  - 1 pot of soup
  - 3 pots of chili
- Muffins/Loaves (11 dozen/mini muffins)
- Squares/Cookies (11 dozen/pans)

Scrapday! is a fun and easy way to get your volunteer hours. We still need people for the following time slots:

- 8:30-2:00pm
  - 1 person
- 11:00am-2:00pm
  - 1 person
- 2:00-8:30pm
  - 2 people

Please contact Meagan Devries at [devries.tribe@gmail.com](mailto:devries.tribe@gmail.com) or [scrapday@timothychristianschool.ca](mailto:scrapday@timothychristianschool.ca) if you can help out!

Thank you in advance for your support in making this event a success. Our homemade food & baking is always so appreciated at this event. ~ The Scrapday Committee

## JANUARY

- 15 Re-Registration Forms go home**  
Boys Basketball Practice (3:30-5:00pm)
- 16 7am – Hockey Practice at Thornton Arena**
- 17 Boys Basketball Practice (3:30-5:00pm)**
- 18 9am - Split Chapel (Gr. 7) for Grades 4/5-8 only**  
Pizza Day
- 19 Scrapday! 2019 (9:00am-8:00pm)**
- 22 Boys & Girls Basketball Practice (3:30-5:00pm)**
- 23 7am – Hockey Practice at Thornton Arena**
- 24 Parent Prayer Group (9-9:45am)**  
Boys Basketball Practice (3:30-5:00pm)
- 25 9am - Split Chapel (Gr. 3) for JK-Grade 4 only**  
Dress to Impress Wes... NEON DAY!  
Pizza Day

### Enrolment for new students/families now open for September 2019!

If you know of a potential TCS parent, please inform them that the TCS office is now receiving new student enrolment registrations! **We are taking registrations for new families now** and starting the interview/acceptance for enrolment process on February 1<sup>st</sup>!

Existing TCS families have until February 1<sup>st</sup> to hand in their re-registration packages and the process for new families starts in the first week of February.

We have had several school tours already over the past few months with another one coming later this week for potential new families in September. Very exciting!

### Board Reflections from the January 7 Meeting

1. The Board recently invited a full audit of TCS and the Auditors (Morrison CPA in Barrie) presented the results of the audit at the Board meeting. It was a positive review, they gave great feedback with some options to consider for future years. The Board would like to thank our financial administrator, Sheri Cattle, for her great work preparing for the audit and for having the finances in such good order.
2. A number of families still need to submit their PITCH forms/information for 2018. Their registration in January will not be complete until their PITCH forms, with both the form and the credit card numbers are received along with the re-registration.
3. The new strategic plan will begin being developed in April with community input evenings.
4. The Board hosted a staff lunch on January 9 to thank the TCS staff for all their good work. The Board does this on a yearly basis for the TCS staff.

## HOMEWORK HIGHLIGHTS

**Grade 4**

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|-----------------|------------------------------|
| Wed., Jan. 16   | MW: Psalm 51:10 (oral)       |
| Fri., Jan. 18   | Spelling Test: Unit 14       |
| Wed., Jan. 23   | MW: Psalm 51:11 (oral)       |
| Fri., Jan. 25   | Spelling Test: Unit 15       |
| Wed., Jan. 30   | MW: Psalm 51:10-13 (written) |
| Thurs., Jan. 31 | Math: Multiplication Test    |
| Fri., Feb. 1    | Spelling Test: Unit 16       |

**Grade 4/5**

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| Mon., Jan. 14—Sun., Jan. 20: | Work on Science Research Project!        |
| Tues., Jan. 15               | Spelling Test: Unit 16                   |
| Fri., Jan. 18                | Scholastic Book Orders due               |
| Mon., Jan. 21                | BRING ALL RESEARCH INFORMATION TO SCHOOL |
| Wed., Jan. 23                | MW: Jeremiah 17:7-8 (oral)               |
| Thurs., Jan. 24              | Light Project due                        |
| Fri., Jan. 25                | Science Test: Light & Sound              |
| Wed., Feb. 6                 | Report Cards go home                     |
| Wed., Feb. 13                | MW: Jeremiah 17:9-10 (oral)              |
| Fri., Feb. 22                | Reading Around God's World due           |

**Grade 5**

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| Mon., Jan. 14   | Spelling Test: Unit 15   |
| **Bring Science project rough drafts to school for Wednesday to work on in the computer lab** |  |
| Thurs., Jan. 17   | Grammar Quiz – review will take place in class. A review sheet has been sent home on Jan. 10 <sup>th</sup> . |
| Fri., Jan. 18   | MW: Lamentations 3:22-24 (oral)  |
| Wed., Jan. 23   | Science project due in class. Presentations to begin.  |
| Fri., Jan. 25   | Bible Test: Unit 3   |
| Wed., Jan. 30   | Science Quiz on Sound  |
| **Keep sending in the mason jars**  |  |

**TCS at Mapleview Community Church this Sunday**

If you are a parent attending Mapleview church, consider hanging around our TCS information table this Sunday before or after the church services to talk up TCS with potential Mapleview families. Word of mouth is often how new families learn about TCS!

**Friday Night Skiing at Snow Valley**

Our Friday dates for this year are: January 25; February 8, 15, and 22; and March 1.

Rentals are \$16 for skis or snowboard equipment. Lift ticket and lesson is \$18. Tubing is \$20.

To reserve a spot, you MUST email Kathryn Cryer (bodybykat@hotmail.com) no later than 12pm (noon) on the Wednesday of the week you wish to ski. \*\*\*Only use email to place your reservation!

Let us know...

- Number of lift tickets
- Number of rentals (ski or snowboard)
- Number of lessons (lesson times are at 4:30pm and 5:30pm)
- Number of tubing tickets
- Name of person picking up tickets

All tickets must be picked up no later than 5:15pm with exact change (CASH ONLY).

**'Dress to Impress Wes Day...NEON DAY'** The dark days of winter are upon us and we're in need of some light! Our latest Student Council event invites everyone to dress up in honour of 'Wes Miller', our resident neon guy, by wearing your brightest coloured clothes for the day on Friday, January 25! Ready, Set...GLOW!!!

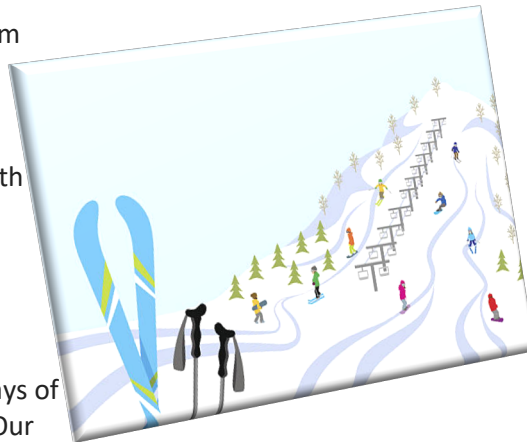
**TCS Prayer Group – to meet twice a month!**

The TCS parents prayer group (along with Mr. Berg) is up and running and met last Thursday from 9-9:45am. We thanked God for the many blessings that TCS has experienced this past year as well as a few requests—eg. health for staff, report cards, upcoming open house dates/potential new families, and re-registration for the next school year.

We also prayed for the first half of the TCS staff by name and will finish the 2nd half next time. *Consider joining us in the staffroom from 9-9:45am on January 24<sup>th</sup>!*

**Battle of the Books**

The teams have been reading their book selections and are just about ready to start our weekly book review/quizzes. **The Junior Team is looking for a few volunteers to get PITCH hours by reading a novel and writing detailed questions (along with the answers) for our team to use in our practice for the Battle.** Let Tamara Kloosterman ([tkloosterman@timothychristianschool.ca](mailto:tkloosterman@timothychristianschool.ca)) know if you would like to read and make questions for this year's team. Thanks so much!

**Cardus Survey—Another chance for TCS parents to participate!**

Last week you received a link that invited you to participate in a survey for the Cardus Institute. *This week you will see that link again and we encourage you to participate in that survey* as it gives them really good data in their research. The Cardus research is often quoted in many educational and political circles in support of independent schools.

**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](mailto:tcovert@timothychristianschool.ca)) Thanks in advance for your support!!

# Milk Program

Grade 7 Fundraiser

**From January 29<sup>th</sup> - June 20<sup>th</sup>.**

**Step 1:** Fill in each student's name, grade and teacher.

**Step 2:** Write 'W' for White Milk or 'C' for Chocolate Milk under each day of the week.

**Step 3:** Tally Milk per day then calculate Subtotals and Grand total.

**Step 4:** Attach payment to this form and return by **Wednesday, January 23**



**SAMPLE:**

Name	Gr	Teacher	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
1. Love Milk	1	Mr. Great	W	C	C	C	W
2. Me Too	4	Ms. Wonderful	W	C	C	C	W
Milk per day			2	2	2	2	2
Number of days in the term			X11	X12	X13	X12	X10
Subtotal			22	24	26	24	20
x \$0.75/carton			\$16.50	\$18.00	\$19.50	\$18.00	\$15.00
						Grand Total	\$87.00

**Fill Out and Return with Payment:**

Name	Gr	Teacher	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
1.							
2.							
3.							
4.							
Milk per day							
Number of days in the term			X16	X21	X20	X20	X14
Subtotal							
x \$0.75/carton							
						Grand Total	

**Note:**

- Please make cheques payable to TCS and do not combine with any other payment.
- Grade 8 Students attending the grad trip will have their milk delivered upon return.

**Thank you for your support! GRADE 7's**

