TIMOTHY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



From the Principal...

re-Source THRIFT SHOP

Celebrating the re-Source Thrift Shop's 4th Anniversary this week!

It was four years ago this week that the re-Source Thrift Shop Barrie South first opened its doors and started raising funds for local charities in the Barrie area. Did you know:

- The re-Source Thrift Shop has donated $210,000 to TCS over the past four years (divided by 130 families at TCS this year, that is $1615 off the tuition that each family did not have to pay out of pocket… thank you volunteers!)
- Did you know that the present chair of the thrift shop Board is Randy teVelde who is a graduate of TCS himself (he graduated from TCS in 1984). Thanks Randy for your wonderful commitment and heart for TCS!
- Did you know that the re-Source Thrift Shop has also donated over $20,000 to local charities in the Barrie area?
- Did you know that there is one present TCS family (Laura McFadden) on the Board at the re-Source Thrift Shop and one former TCS parent?
- Did you know that according to the re-Source Thrift Shop bylaws, a very high percentage of the funds raised have to go to Christian Education?
- Did you know that almost half of the volunteers who help at the store are from outside the TCS community?
- Items not sold by the Thrift Shop are donated to the Kidney Foundation and Metal Recyclers - so nothing is wasted at the store!
- Each year over 80 billion items of clothing are produced worldwide with over 26 billion items sent to the landfill each year to be incinerated (The re-Source Thrift Shop is part of reclaiming and reusing these items to preserve God's good creation!)
- This week several of our TCS classes will be making thank you notes for the volunteers and they will be delivered this week to the store.

We are grateful for the four wonderful years the re-Source Thrift Shop Barrie South has been up and running and encourage our community to visit the store (28 Commerce Park Drive, Unit B) this Saturday to celebrate four years in our community and supporting Christian Education.

OCTOBER

28 Dutch Store Pre-Orders Due
29 Volleyball Practice (3:30-5pm)
31 Membership Forms Due
Volleyball Practice (3:30-5pm)

NOVEMBER

1 **9-9:45am – Split Chapel (Gr. 1)**
9:45-10:30am – Split Chapel (Gr. 8)
Picture Retake Day
Gr. 7 Health Unit Vaccinations
Pizza Day
5 Unity Day for Gr. 7 & 8 (10am-2pm)
Volleyball Practice (3:30-5pm)
6 Progress Reports go home at 3:30pm
7 Volleyball Practice (3:30-5pm)
8 Pizza Day
11 **9am - Remembrance Day Full Chapel (Gr. 3/4)**
12 Volleyball Practice (3:30-5pm)
13 Pizza Day
Parent-Teacher Interviews (4-8:45pm)
14 Bazaar Baking Day! (Gr. 2-8)
Volleyball Practice (3:30-5pm)
15 **PD DAY (No School!)**
Parent-Teacher Interviews (9am-12pm)
16 **TCS Christmas Bazaar & Auction (9am-2pm)**

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TCS Annual Christmas Bazaar - on November 16!

Are you ready for our biggest community fundraiser of the school year? Our Annual Christmas Bazaar & Auction is coming up on **Saturday, November 16** and we need your help! We will need lots of volunteer help, but also need your support by coming to buy lunch, support the vendors, and bid at the silent and live auctions! We are still looking for volunteers to help - if you can help please email Christa Kers at kers321.ck@gmail.com. Make sure to mark Saturday, November 16 from 9am-2pm on your calendar! Come support the biggest yearly fundraiser at TCS! And if you're on Facebook, make sure to share the event page with your friends!
https://www.facebook.com/events/1942919005854657/



Parent-Teacher Interview Online Sign Up



Please note that the online sign up for parent-teacher conferences will start TODAY until Monday, November 11. Please check your email for instructions to book online. Parent-Teacher Interviews will take place on November 13 from 4-8:45pm and November 15 from 9am-12pm.



Picture Retake Day - November 1 @ 9:30am (due to split chapels)

Just a friendly reminder that Picture Retake Day is this Friday, November 1. Due to the split chapels, we will try to have Gr. 5-8 retakes done around 9:30am and the primary retakes done after their chapel is over (around 9:50am). Please send your child with their proof if you still have it (no worries if it is missing, it's not mandatory for the retake!).

Gr. 7 Immunization Clinic - this Friday

Just a friendly reminder that the Health Unit will be here on Friday around 11am for the Gr. 7 immunization clinic. Consent packages have been sent home and **must** be returned so the nurses have them on clinic day. Thank you!

TCS Membership Meeting – Thursday, November 21st!

The Fall TCS Society Meeting is coming up soon! Worldview specialist, Wesley Huff, will be speaking on the topic of "Why is worldview so important at the elementary age?". You will also hear updates from various committees, our TCS Strategic Plan, the admin report and an update from our grade 6 and 7 teachers regarding their trip to India. Come join us from 7-9pm on Thursday, November 21st!



PRAYER CORNER

Prayer is a powerful part of our community at TCS. For this reason, the staff pray for a group of families each week. The TCS staff prayed for the Galaev, Geertsema, and Gordon-Tennant families during devotions this week. May you feel God's ever ready presence in your decisions and experiences.

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High School Transition Information

November 21st High School Information Evening (6-7pm)

New this year will be a High School information evening open to all TCS parents and students. This will be in our music room on November 21st from 6-7pm which is just before the TCS membership meeting. This is a general 'learn about the transition to high school' evening that will be hosted by Unity Christian School staff, but will help all parents and students better understand the transition to grade nine regardless of which high school they will be attending next year.

Grade 7 and 8 parents - a memo to parents about upcoming high school dates was sent directly to parents via email last week from the TCS office to help prepare for the transition to high school.

Unity Day for Grades 7 and 8 students on November 5... all of our grade 7 and 8 students will be attending Unity Day at Unity Christian High School on November 5th from 10am-2pm. This is a great way for our senior students to learn about high school and to start to think about this upcoming transition to high school.

RVH Community Lecture Series - "Concussions: An Evening with Experts"

Below we are including a link with information about the RVH Community Lecture Series "Concussions: An Evening with Experts" for Tuesday, November 26 from 6:00-7:30pm. With so many people experiencing concussions and the new protocol involved, some TCS staff will also be attending this free event. Note: you do have to register even though it is a free event at Georgian Theatre.

https://barriefht.ca/wp-content/uploads/2019/10/11-Nov-26-Concussions.pdf

PITCH OPPORTUNITIES!

Bazaar – Children's Game Hall Help Needed!

I am in need of 4 adult volunteers. 2 to help run the prize table from 9-11:30am. 2 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! High school students can get us to sign off for some of their required volunteer hours by helping out at the Bazaar as well!

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! Jessica VanLoenen 705-627-1000 or ajvanloenen@yahoo.ca

Christmas Garden Request

Birch branches make a beautiful addition to Christmas centrepieces and planters. If you have a birch tree at home and would be willing to share a small branch to be used in the Christmas Garden arrangements in November, please contact Erin Mensinga (ownin@hotmail.com). Thank you!

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From the Community…

Calling all parents of Grade 7 and 8 students! Are you wondering about educational options for your child when they enter high school? UNITY DAY IN BARRIE is the perfect opportunity for your child to check out Unity Christian High School. On **Tuesday, November 5th**, from 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m., students in grades 7 and 8 are invited to the annual open house at the school (25 Burton Ave., Barrie). 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. We look forward to seeing your children!





PANCAKES! PANCAKES! PANCAKES!: The 14th ANNUAL PANCAKE BREAKFAST of UNITY CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL will be offered on Saturday morning, **November 9, 2019** in the Timothy Christian School gym (750 Essa Road). There will be pancakes, sausages, fruit, juice; great food, great company! Proceeds will go to STUDENT ACTIVITIES. Come on down! It all starts at 8:00 a.m. Last pancakes are served at 11 a.m.

Volunteer Opportunities Always Available at the re-Source Thrift Shop Barrie South:
If you find yourself available during the hours listed below, The re-Source Thrift Shop Barrie South would love to have you drop by. While we love to have scheduled volunteers, we also appreciate "drop-ins". If you are in the neighbourhood and have a couple of hours, stop by the shop and see what we are all about. There are many tasks that you can help out with... from displays to pricing, cash to sorting, cleaning to organizing... every task is appreciated. We have coffee & tea available... it is just a quick brew away. Bring a friend… or meet a new one. Loads of fun to be had... you are always welcomed... and your help is always appreciated!!

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New Hours
Monday -Thursday
10am - 5pm
Friday 10am -4pm
Saturday 10am-5pm



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TCS MEMBERSHIP FORM 2019/2020

Timothy Christian School - Barrie

MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS:

I, the undersigned, declare as follows:

- I am over 18 years of age
- Agreement with the basis, principal guidelines, and purpose of the Corporation, as expressed in Articles II and III, in by-law No. 1, of the Constitution ***(contact the school if you would like a copy of these)***
- I am a Christian and an active member or participant in good standing of a Church
- Agreement to comply with the requirements pertaining to members set forth in the Bylaws of the Corporation and in the approved policies of the society

Member #1:

Member #1 First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Member #1 (Signature): _____ Date: _____

Please check a box below to indicate your Membership Status for this year, thank you.

***RENEWAL MEMBERSHIP** ☐ ***NEW MEMBERSHIP** ☐

Member #2:

Member #2 First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Member #2 (Signature): _____ Date: _____

Please check a box below to indicate your Membership Status for this year, thank you.

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The annual membership fee for 2019/2020 is only $10.00 per person.

Please enclose cash or a cheque for this amount per person when you return the completed form to the school. Cheques are payable to "Timothy Christian School, Barrie" with "membership fee" written in the memo line. Thank you for your consideration, we hope to hear from you soon.

All forms must be received by October 31, 2019 to be considered for Membership for this year. If your application arrives past this deadline date, you will be required to reapply for membership the following school year.

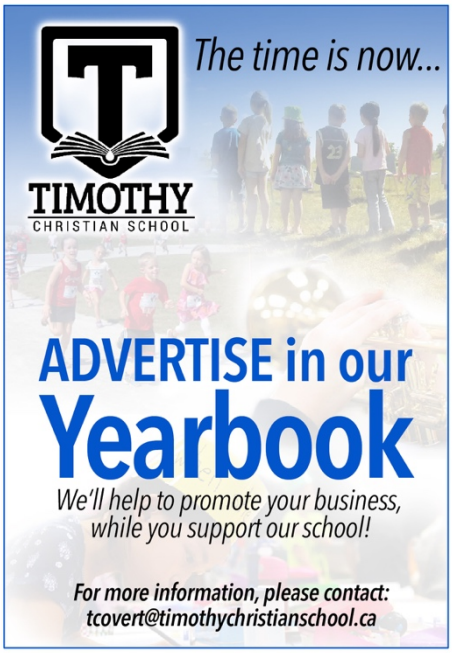
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Full Page Advertising
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1/8 Page Advertising
Size: 3.5” x 2”
Price: $45.00



1/2 Page Advertising
Size: 8”x 5”
Price: $135.00

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