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CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

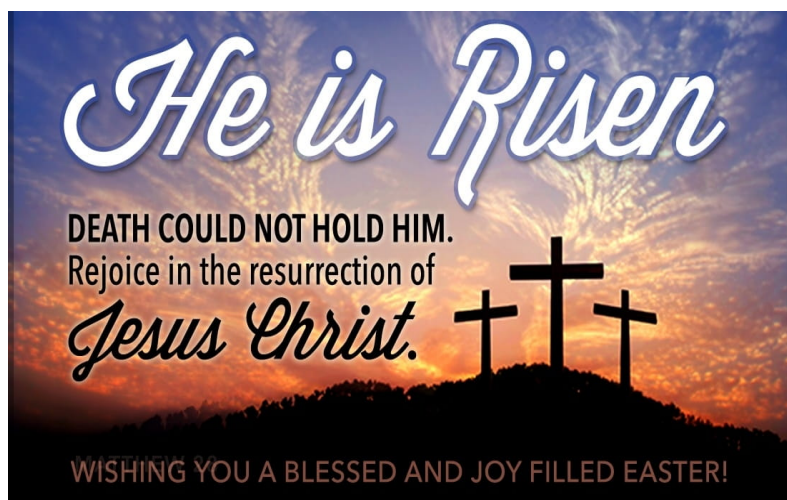
WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



From the Principal...

Reflecting Deeply on Easter

This weekend we remember Good Friday and celebrate Easter Sunday! If ever there was a time to reflect and hold on tightly to the truth that our *Heavenly Father loves us and holds us in the palm of his hand...* now it is the time! In the midst of it all...He has been faithful through all of this and will remain constant. We can be so very thankful for the incredible gift of the cross this weekend as we remember, believe and see the powerful redemptive story of our sins being forgiven. Sunday is coming!



TCS Virtual School Tour Coming Soon

We were hoping to send out the NEW TCS virtual tour at the end of last week but were slowed up by a few technical glitches and changes that had to be made. We feel we are almost there and hope to send each of our existing TCS parents the link this week (aiming for mid-week) and ask that you forward it to two families who have the potential to join TCS this September! The TCS virtual school tour will be posted both on our school website and a link will be sent to each family as a promotion tool.



Black & White Dress-Up Day on Wednesday, April 7!

Next week, **Wednesday, April 7**, the staff would like to have some fun as we celebrate Miss Van Loenen's last week with us, and her upcoming wedding (!), in a fun way with everyone wearing black and white! For our new parents, Miss Van Loenen is the wonderful lady in the front office who has served us faithfully over the past three years. As you know, Miss Van Loenen's *last day at TCS will be Friday, April 9*. After that she has a few weeks to plan her wedding and then is moving to Strathroy after her

wedding. As a school, on Wednesday April 7 we will all wear black or white. The boys can wear black as that is what a groom normally wears. The girls can wear white, to match the bride. There are so many things we can't do with all the COVID guidelines but...we can certainly have a bit of fun celebrating her upcoming wedding by wearing Black and White day on Wednesday, April 7!!



APRIL

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| 2 | Good Friday (no school) |
| 5 | Easter Monday (no school) |
| 7 | Black & White Dress-Up Day |
| 12-16 | Spring Break |

1 "...As a result, you can show others the goodness of God, for he called you out of the darkness into his wonderful light." – 1 Peter 2:9 NLT

FROM THE PITCH COMMITTEE

For families that are worried about completing the required 25 hours, please know this is an area that the TCS Board is mindful of and will be making final determinations about PITCH hour obligations very soon. It is not the Board's intention for extenuating circumstances (such as the limitations/struggles put on all of us in some areas of volunteering for this year) to negatively impact the overall TCS community and is discussing options.

The TCS Board has requested us to have an updated view of where all families stand at PITCH hours completed for this 2020/21 school year. Many families have reported some completed volunteer PITCH hours, but many of you have not reported any hours to us for this school year. We encourage you to please send your hours in to timothypitch@gmail.com, detailing the type of activity you volunteered in as well as the date. **REMINDER:** You may report 2.5 hours per family (not per person) for attending the November Fall Society Meeting. Thank you to all those families who are doing their best this year to contribute to the overall success of Timothy during this different school year!

SMDHU COVID-19 Screening Updates

The link below is from the Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit which includes the **Order from the Medical Officer of Health** (Dr. Charles Gardner) on protocol for staying home if you are in close contact with someone who has the variant: <https://www.simcoemuskokahealth.org/Topics/COVID-19>
Screening link: <https://covid-19.ontario.ca/school-screening/>



Timothy Christian School
REGISTRATION
OPEN NOW
for September 2021.

Certain classes are filling up fast. To avoid a wait list, please contact the school now for more information.

A Virtual Tour will soon be available on the TCS website!
Stay tuned for more details over the next few weeks.

