



# TIMOTHY

## CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



### From the Principal ...

#### Time to register your children for September 2023!

Parents please note the following very important dates, *that start this week*, to re-register your children for NEXT YEAR at TCS! We need to hear from you before February 1st in order to hold a spot for your child next year. We greatly appreciate our students and parents and we hope you will continue at TCS! If you have any questions about next year, please feel free to contact Mr. Berg directly ([rberg@timothychristianschool.ca](mailto:rberg@timothychristianschool.ca)). Contact Mrs. Tait in the front office if you need help with the online re-registration process.

- **THIS Wednesday: Present TCS families can re-register** online via Sycamore for 2023-2024. Instructions will be emailed. Re-registration is Jan 18 to Feb 1. Present TCS families have these two weeks to hold a spot for their children for next year. Please note that re-registration is only complete if the online application has been submitted with the PITCH form and the \$300 deposit has been received (ONE deposit per family).
- **ALSO on Wednesday, JK applications will be accepted** for next year. Please be sure to indicate in the application if you are requesting the Monday, Wednesday, Friday (part time JK program) or if you are interested in the five days a week (opting into the additional Tuesday and Thursday program which is extra tuition if you are part time). JK applications accepted Jan 18th and ongoing.
- **February 1st** - TCS office will be taking NEW family applicants, SK to grade 8, for next year.
- **February 2nd** - Potential wait lists as registration will be on a first come first register basis.

**\*\*Please note:** *After February 1st, 2023, students enrolled in classes will be on a first come first register basis until a classroom is capped then a waiting list will be started for that class. Existing families who wait until after February 1st to register will also be waitlisted if the classroom is full. A completed registration will include the Sycamore online application fully completed AND submitted with the completed PITCH form and the \$300 deposit.*

#### EQUIP Worldview Conference

Tickets are now available for the TCS EQUIP WORLDVIEW CONFERENCE on Friday, March 31st and Saturday, April 1st, 2023. Please see [our TCS website](#).

#### January

- 18 Re-registration for 2023-2024 opens  
NEW JK applications welcome  
3:30 – 4:55pm Junior Sports Program (Gr 4-6)
- 20 Pizza Day  
Wear TCS Gear/School colours: black, gold & grey
- 26 Founder's Cup Hockey Tournament (Peggy Hill Arena)
- 30 PD Day – NO SCHOOL

#### February

- 1 LAST day to re-register for current families  
NEW SK to grade 8 applications welcome
- 2 Possible WAIT LISTS for classes for 2023-24!
- 24 Grad photos

Interested in expanding your Christian worldview? Interested in growing deeper in your faith?

As part of the TCS 60th anniversary this year, TCS is hosting both a Youth Conference and a Worldview Conference called Equip! We are so very blessed to be celebrating our 60th anniversary as a school, we want to give back to our community and help others grow in their faith in God! How better to do that than host a conference that pushes us in our Christian faith and deepens our understanding of God's truths! We have world class speakers on Christian worldview lined up. Spread the word and get your tickets today!

Check out our [website](#) to see more information about the speakers and the topics, and to purchase tickets. Our hope is that our school and church communities would be **equipped** through this conference to help our students be transformed by the truth to stand strong in their faith!

There is **childcare available** on Saturday, as well as add on **lunch options!!** Coffee, tea, and baked goods will be available as well. Childcare for preschool (ages 0-4) will be offered on site at TCS. Childcare for JK-Gr.6 will be offered around the corner at Emmanuel Barrie for a day-camp format day. *Please note that childcare is available only for families attending the Saturday conference and that parents will be asked to pack snacks/lunches.*

TCS families can get their tickets for a reduced cost, but only until Feb. 28th. **Ticket prices go up March 1** and childcare spots may fill up fast, so don't delay... get your tickets today!

Here is some information about ticket sales:



Tickets for the **Friday Night Youth Event** are just **\$5!** Share this with your youth pastors and encourage them to purchase a block of tickets, or purchase tickets individually for students in Gr. 6-12.

\*See the event poster at the end of this newsletter



The Early Bird Tickets for the **Saturday Conference** are **\$25** until Feb. 28. Parents who have a child attending TCS can use the promo code "TCSFAM" to receive an extra **\$10 off this price** until February 28th!

\*See the speaker line up info at the end of this newsletter

You can add the following items onto your ticket price:

- Lunch (choice of wraps/sandwiches with chips and a drink)
- Babysitting (ages 0-4 will have limited spaces available at TCS, while JK-Gr. 6 will be hosted at Emmanuel Barrie for a day-camp format day). *Please note that babysitting is available only for families attending the Saturday conference and that parents will be asked to pack snacks/lunches.*

#### **PITCH Opportunities: EQUIP Conference**

Planning for the Equip Conference is well underway, and we have several ways you can help (and earn your PITCH hours). Many of these roles can be done in shifts, or if you really want to crush those PITCH hours, sign up for the entire day! If you see something below that you'd like to help with, then please [click here for the Google Form](#). If you have any questions that are not answered in the Google Form, then you can email our Volunteer Coordinator Brianne Currie at

[bri.sauder@gmail.com](mailto:bri.sauder@gmail.com). Note: if you would like to sign up for multiple volunteer positions, then please fill out ONE form for each position. (Example: to sign up for setup and childcare, you will need to fill out two forms).

**-Setup Crew:** Setup will take place on Friday morning (March 31st). This will mainly include tables and chairs and Signage.

**-Youth Conference:** The Youth Conference will take place on the evening of March 31st. We will need some volunteers to help supervise this event. This role will also include collecting tickets, and serving food or snacks.

**-Welcome/ Registration Team:** We are looking for some friendly individuals for this team. This role includes greeting everyone at the door, taking care of registration, directing people through the halls, and also helping out wherever we need an extra hand. **-Childcare:** During the conference, we are providing childcare for all of those who are attending. We are going to need lots of extra hands to love on these children. We are also looking for some volunteers to take on roles such as Snack and Craft Organizers and Team Leaders.

**-Food Service:** We need a team of volunteers who are able to prep, serve and clean up during the lunch break. We will also need some people who are able to manage the bake sale.

**-Baking:** If you are not able to volunteer on the day of the event, we are also in need of some baked goods donations. These baked goods will need to be NUT-FREE and individually wrapped.

**-Parking Crew:** This role involves directing traffic in the parking lot, and also keeping the sidewalks clean.

**-Tech Team- Sound/Media:** We are in need of some tech savvy individuals, mainly we are looking for those with AV experience, and those who are able to run programs such as PowerPoint, Prezi or Keynote. If you do not have technical experience, but are still good with computers, our Tech Team may be able to train you on the basics. The Tech Team also needs to be available to set up equipment the day before and takedown afterwards.

**-Takedown Crew:** The takedown crew will be responsible for cleaning up tables, chairs and sweeping the floor.

### Junior Sports Program Dates

Grades 4,5 & 6 - Please mark your calendars. The program kicks off THIS Wednesday, Jan 18th, then Feb 1st, Feb 15th, March 1st and March 29th.

### Grade 7 & 8 Basketball

Boys' and girls' basketball teams will practice after school on Tuesdays and Thursdays, 3:30-5pm. Please be sure to organize a ride home PRIOR to the day of practice! The basketball tournament will be on February 23.



### TCS Family Skiing / Tubing / Snowboarding at Snow Valley... Reserve tonight by 7pm for NEXT Thursday, Jan 26!

We will be skiing / tubing / snowboarding on Thursday nights this year: January 26, February: 2, 9, 23, March 2 and 9.

Costs:

- Lift ticket and lesson is \$21.
- Rentals are for skis or snowboard equipment and will be \$19.
- Tubing is \$19. (taxes included)



To reserve your tickets:

You MUST email Kathryn Cryer ([bodybykat@hotmail.com](mailto:bodybykat@hotmail.com)) no later than 7pm on the Monday, **TEN DAYS** before you ski. Only email reservations will be accepted.

Please be sure to include the following info in your reservation email:

- 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 the tickets

All tickets must be picked up on the date of your reservation ***no later than 5:15pm with exact change (CASH ONLY)***. You will need to pick up your tickets from Kathryn in the chalet at the top of the stairs (look for the TCS sign).

#### **PIZZA Days**

Please mark your calendars for these Pizza Days: Friday Jan 20, 27, Feb 3, 10, 17, 24, March 8, 24 and 29.

Check out this link to order TCS Gear:

**<https://timothychristian.entripyshops.com/>**

#### **PITCH Opportunities: Scrapday Event & Golf Tournament**

If you are interested in joining the team to plan and coordinate the TCS Scrapday (scrapbooking event) and / or the TCS Golf Tournament (May 26), please contact the office: [tcsge@timothychristianschool.ca](mailto:tcsge@timothychristianschool.ca). These are annual fundraising events at TCS and we want to continue to offer these if possible.



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## RE-REGISTRATION FOR 2023/24

STARTS  
JANUARY 18

[www.timothychristianschool.ca](http://www.timothychristianschool.ca)



#### January 18

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- TCS office will be taking new family JK applications



#### January 18 – 31

- Present TCS families have the opportunity to register for next year. Present TCS families have these two weeks to hold a spot for their children for next year.



#### February 1

- TCS office will be taking new family applicants for next year for SK to grade 8

Contact For More Info  
705-726-6621







Stay Connected

**FOLLOW US ON  
SOCIAL MEDIA**

**See what's happening at TCS by following us on social media:**

- **Facebook:** facebook.com/tcsbarrie
- **Website:** <https://timothychristianschool.ca/>
- **Instagram:** @tcs\_barrie
- **Youtube:** TCS Barrie

# EQUIP

*Youth Worldview Conference*

**Equipping the next generation to stand firm for Christ!**

**TIM BARNETT**

**BRETT KUNKLE**

**Inviting grade 6-12  
students & Youth  
Groups!**

**LIVE WORSHIP BAND!**

**31 March 2023**  
Doors open 6pm

Timothy Christian  
School - Barrie, ON

**REGISTER JAN 2023 @ [WWW.TIMOTHYCHRISTIANSCHOOL.CA](http://WWW.TIMOTHYCHRISTIANSCHOOL.CA)**

# EQUIP

worldview conference



*Tim Barnett*  
Stand to Reason



*Elizabeth Urbanowicz*  
Founder of Foundation  
Worldview Curriculum



*Alan Shlemmer*  
Stand to Reason



*Wes Huff*  
Power to Change



*Brett Kunkle*  
Founder of Maven Ministries

**SATURDAY  
APRIL 1ST, 2023  
9:00AM-4:00PM**

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SCHOOL  
750 ESSA RD, BARRIE  
ON, L4N9E9

**REGISTRATION:**

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