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Thank you to our Grandparents' Day Team!

Thank you to the many, many volunteers who worked to ensure our Grandparents felt appreciated! From the many hours of baking, set up and tear down, food preparation, and shopping, we are very appreciative! It was a record breaking attendance! Many Grandparents mentioned enjoying the program and the lunch.

A big THANK YOU to our students and teachers for putting together a lovely program for our Grandparents to enjoy! This is always a day of much excitement, and this year kept that tradition going!

Thank you to our parents who supported their students by listening to their choir songs and instrument practice, and helping with projects! It truly was an amazing day of celebrating God's gifts! Thank you!



Celebration of Learning and International Food Festival

A HUGE thank you to Bri Currie, who was instrumental in organizing the International Food Festival! It was another packed house with an amazing diversity of food and culture represented. This day is a highlight of the year for many of our students. Thank you to all of our booth leaders and volunteers- without you, this cherished community event would not be possible. It is such a special time to meet together as a community to celebrate our diversity and the accomplishments of our students.

The student projects were rich and the reflections were drenched in the good news of the gospel! With high expectations, comes the opportunity to celebrate when our students reach the goals that were set out from the beginning. Thank you to everyone who contributed to making this special celebration day happen! We are truly blessed with an amazing community at this school!



Thank you!

From the Board to Our Community

We would like to extend our sincere congratulations to Erin and Daniel on a job well done with the Equip26 Conference. This was a monumental event for our school, and we are deeply grateful for the tremendous effort, leadership, and dedication that went into making it a sold-out success.

We also warmly invite our community to join us for the upcoming **Spring Market on Friday, May 30, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.** It promises to be a wonderful opportunity to connect, support our school, and celebrate together.

Finally, please mark your calendars for our next Society Meeting on **Thursday, May 28, at 7:00 p.m.** Your presence and participation are valued as we continue moving forward together as a school community. A reminder, families may claim 2.5 PITCH hours for attending the meeting, whether you are a member or not (one claim per family).

Community News

A belated WELCOME to baby Charlotte Donath! The Donath family, James and Sasha, with Logan (SK) and Mateo (pre-K), welcomed Charlotte in April. Everyone is doing well and enjoying having a little girl in the house!



Christian Worldview Contest for students gr 4-12 - DUE TODAY to the Office!

If you are a student at TCS (grades 4 - 8) or Unity (9 - 12) who attended either the EQUIP Youth Event or the full-day EQUIP Conference, you are eligible to enter the Worldview contest and possibly win a season pass to Wonderland this summer!

Contest Details:

STUDENT: Type a two-page reflection paper on what you learned from the conference.

PARENT: One of your parents will also provide a typed one-page response to the student's paper.

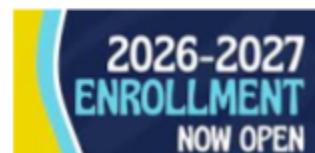


DUE: Submit both the parent AND the student papers to the Unity or TCS Office by Monday, May 11.

Winners will be announced the week of May 19.

Enrollment for September 2026: Spots available, JK through grade 12!

*Please spread the word that we have spaces in JK through to grade 12.
Spaces are filled on a first come first enroll basis.*



May dates:

11 Hot Dog Day

12 Battle of the Books - Go Knights!

13 Pizza Day - Wednesday

7pm Unity High Celebration of Learning

15 Gr 3-8 Track & Field

18 NO SCHOOL - HOLIDAY

19 9-10:30am, Gr 1&2 Track & Field

22 Pizza Day

Gr 7 Immunization Clinic

Sat, May 23 - Unity Car Wash

**Spring Society Meeting
Thursday, May 28, 7pm**

NOTE: Pizza Day is Wednesday this week due to grades 3-8 Track and Field on Friday!

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CELEBRATION OF LEARNING

Join us as we celebrate the work, growth, and achievements of our students.

MAY 13 7-9PM

UNITY CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL
25 Burton Avenue, Barrie

- Explore student displays, presentations, and musical performances – and experience learning in action.
- For prospective families, this evening also serves as an interactive Open House – a chance to explore Unity, meet staff, and experience our community.
- This event is for:
 - » Current Unity families
 - » Newly enrolled families (2026-2027)
 - » Prospective families exploring Unity
- Whether you're celebrating your student or discovering Unity for the first time, come connect with our community.

Track & Field Gr 3-8 Event Schedule

TRACK & FIELD
MAY 15

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TCS TRACK AND FIELD DAY - FRIDAY, MAY 15, 2026

	3-B	3-G	4-B	4-G	5-B	5-G	6-B	6-G	7-B	7-G	8-B	8-G	
8:45am	OPENING CEREMONIES IN THE GYMNASIUM												8:45am
9:00am							Parachute	Parachute					9:00am
9:15am			GYM	GYM	400	400					RLJ		9:15am
9:30am	SLJ					400			GYM	GYM			9:30am
9:45am		SLJ		SNACK	BT		400	400	SNACK	SNACK	GYM	RLJ	9:45am
10:00am			SLJ								SNACK		10:00am
10:15am			SNACK			BT			400	400		GYM	10:15am
10:30am	RLJ	RLJ		SLJ			BT	BT					10:30am
10:45am	Parachute				TJ		SNACK				400	400	10:45am
11:00am			RLJ		Parachute				BT	BT			11:00am
11:15am	400	400		RLJ	SNACK	TJ	GYM	LUNCH		BT			11:15am
11:30am						SNACK	TJ				BT		11:30am
11:45am	LUNCH	LUNCH	400	400	RLJ		TJ	GYM	LUNCH	LUNCH		BT	11:45am
12:00pm			LUNCH		LUNCH						LUNCH		12:00pm
12:15pm		Parachute				RLJ		TJ	100	100		LUNCH	12:15pm
12:30pm	BT		Parachute	LUNCH									12:30pm
12:45pm		BT		Parachute			RLJ		TJ	TJ	100	100	12:45pm
1:00pm						Parachute	LUNCH	RLJ		TJ			1:00pm
1:15pm	GYM	GYM	BT		100			SNACK				SNACK	1:15pm
1:30pm	SNACK	SNACK		BT		100			RLJ	RLJ	TJ		1:30pm
1:45pm							100						1:45pm
2:00pm					GYM	GYM		100	100	FREEZIE	RLJ	FREEZIE	2:00pm
2:15pm			50	50						FREEZIE			2:15pm
2:30pm	50	50	FREEZIE BREAK	FREEZIE BREAK	FREEZIE BREAK	FREEZIE BREAK					GYM	FREEZIE	2:30pm
2:45pm	FREEZIE BREAK				1500	1500							2:45pm
3:00pm	1500												3:00pm
3:15pm	CLOSING CEREMONIES IN THE GYMNASIUM												3:15pm
3:30pm													3:30pm

TCS Track & Field May 15 (grades 3-8) - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - PITCH

Thanks to all those who have already signed up to volunteer for our Track & Field day this Friday! We are still in need of a few volunteers, specifically, Field Event Leaders, Score Table Team and Group Leaders. If you are interested in either of these roles, [Please click here to complete the Track & Field Volunteer Sign Up](#)

* Please note that ALL Track and Field volunteers are required to have a current (within 3 years) police check on file in the front office. If you would like to volunteer but do not have a police check on file, but would like to volunteer for the day, please contact the front office for more information.

Below is a brief description of roles to be filled:

- Group Leaders: Supervise and manage a small group of students, ensuring that they arrive at each scheduled event on time.
- Field Event Leaders: Run a field event, record scores of competitors, assign placements and distribute ribbons.
- Track Assistant: Assist Track Starter by looking for false starts; Assist Track Event Leaders with timing races.
- Score Table: Receive score sheets, compile a list of placed (1st - 6th) competitors, reconcile ties, etc.
- Freezies: prepare and distribute freezies for each group of students.
- Front Door Supervision: Supervise the entry and exit of visitors through the front doors. Ensure all visitors sign in and sign out.
- See below - Concession Help is also needed

PITCH VOLUNTEERS NEEDED – Track & Field Day (May 15)

We're looking for volunteers to help run the Concession Stand at our gr 3-8 Track & Field Day on **Friday, May 15 from 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM**. We'll be selling snacks and drinks all day, as well as hot dogs at lunch and need help with setup, serving, and clean-up throughout the day.

If you're available to take a shift, please email **Deanna at deannafaris7@gmail.com**. Your help makes these events possible—thank you for serving our school community!



UNITY CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL
GRADE 12 GRAD TRIP

**CAR WASH
FUNDRAISER**

SATURDAY, MAY 23

9 AM - 2 PM

25 BURTON AVENUE, BARRIE



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Calling all Junior Entrepreneurs!

The Spring Market at Timothy Christian School is a great place to showcase your talents and skills at our Junior Maker Market. This is a place within our Spring Market for you.

The Junior Maker Market is an opportunity for student entrepreneurs to sell their products at our Spring Market.

There are limited spots available. Apply today! The application remains open until May 22, 2026!

[To register for a Vendor Booth, click here.](#)



**Saturday
MAY 30
9am-1pm**

**Open to all students
ages 5 – 17 ONLY (JK – 12)**

NOTE: All other vendors (non-student) can also join the community market via a different link.

Vendor Applications Now Open for the Spring Market!

We are thrilled to announce that applications for the 2026 Spring Market are officially open. Our vendor market is the heart of this event, showcasing the incredible talent and craftsmanship within our community. If you are a maker, artist or local entrepreneur, we invite you to apply and share your work with our visitors.

Spaces are limited to ensure a diverse and balanced shopping experience for all. Please submit your application to be considered for this year's curated lineup. We can't wait to see what you've been creating!

[CLICK HERE for the APPLICATION LINK](#)

[CLICK here for the VENDOR PACKAGE link.](#)



We Need You!
PITCH OPPORTUNITY!!!!

The Spring Market is one of the biggest events of the year for our school community, and we're looking for volunteers to help make it a success!

We need help both Friday, May 29 (setup) and Saturday, May 30 (event day)

[Please CLICK HERE](#)

[for the Spring Market](#)

[Volunteer sign up](#)

[LINK](#)

 WELCOME TABLE welcoming guests, assist with directions, some day-of sales	 ACTIVITIES + WORKSHOPS help setup workshops or host fun sports games!	 EVENT SETUP + CLEANUP put up & take down signage, setup furniture	 PANCAKE BREAKFAST simple cooking, wash dishes, servers, friendly faces
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There are a variety of short shifts available throughout the day or sign up for multiple jobs if you would like more hours! We've made it easy to find something that fits your schedule. Please see all available jobs and time slots here:

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Spring Market Workshops - May 30

See the sign up posters at the end of this newsletter to register for the great workshops!

- Floral Design Workshop ~ Take home a beautiful fresh flower arrangement!
- Ultimate Smoker BBQ Workshop ~ Delicious, mouth watering food!
- Beginner Sourdough Workshop ~ Take home sourdough starter & ready to bake dough
- Kids Workshops:
 - ◆ Ages 5+: Lego Building
 - ◆ Ages 8+: Pipe Cleaner Flowers
 - ◆ Ages 12+: Greeting Cards

Secure your spot in a Workshop, register TODAY!

Looking for a Stop Saw for Unity High School

We are looking for a donation or a discounted **Stop Saw** for our High School Shop Program. It is an industry-leading table saw equipped with advanced safety technology that automatically stops the blade upon contact with skin, helping to prevent serious injury. This added layer of protection would significantly enhance our students' safety and confidence as they work with the equipment and develop shop skills. If you can donate the saw OR make a donation towards the saw OR provide this saw at a discounted price, please contact the TCS or Unity office. Thank you!



Check out this link to buy TCS Gear: <https://timothychristian.entripyshops.com/>

You have a few months left to order Timothy Christian School Knights Gear! These will soon become vintage. August 1st we will become the Trinity Christian School LIONS!

Hard Plastic Kiddie Pools needed for the last day of school

In anticipation of the end of year Water Fun Day, we are looking for a donation of 4 hard plastic kiddie pools (not blow-up pools). They don't have to be new, just no cracks or holes. If you have one to donate, please let Mrs. Covert know (tcovert@timothychristianschool.ca). Thank you!

Bradford Greenhouses Fundraising Program 🌸🌳

Our Bradford Greenhouse Fundraising Program is now on! A portion of sales for your gardening and lawn supplies, and even home decor, at Bradford Greenhouses (in Barrie or Bradford), can support TCS! Please mention to the cashier that you wish your purchase to support TCS. Thank you in advance! 🌸🌳

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Bus Transportation:

- Please be sure your child is at the bus stop 10 minutes early.
- Feel free to contact Landmark Bus Lines Barrie directly for ETA on days when they are late: 705-722-6666.



UPDATED Instructions for logging your PITCH hours

- 1. Log in to Sycamore with your username and password.
- 2. Click My School (left menu)
- 3. Click on [Service Hours](#) (left menu)
- 4. Click on the square/rectangles under the House icon
- 5. In the new menu, click on Service Hours.
- 6. Click on FAMILY Logs (all hours are to be logged under Family).
- 7. Click on NEW to log your hours by date and opportunity.
- 8. Click SAVE.

***Logging PITCH hours is up to each Family!
Be sure to log and complete your hours!***

Families that are required to complete ONLY 15 hours, please be sure to log the SPECIAL PITCH AUTHORIZATION of 10 hours (these are the hours granted to you so you only need to complete 15 hours in total).

If you have questions or need further assistance, please contact pitch@timothychristianschool.ca

Thank you for adding to the life of the school through your PITCH hours!



Please make note:

**The Spring Society Meetings for
Timothy Christian School & Unity Christian High School
will meet on Thursday, May 28 in the TCS gym at 7pm**

***Families can claim 2.5 PITCH hours for attending the meeting,
whether you are a member or not**

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Floral Design Workshop

Discover eco-friendly floristry techniques as you design your very own floral masterpiece, featuring roses, seasonal blooms, and lush greenery.

Kathrin Veenstra, owner of Peony & Posy, has been creating thoughtfully arranged floral designs for every occasion since 2022. Guided by a love of flowers and sustainable practices, her designs reflect care and intention

peonyandposy.ca

[@peonyandposybarriefloral](https://www.instagram.com/peonyandposybarriefloral)



1.5 HOURS
ALL LEVELS | AGES 8+
\$60

WHAT'S INCLUDED:

All materials including:
aprons, scissors, wire,
flowers and vessels.
You can simply relax
and create!

YOU TAKE HOME:

A beautiful
arrangement of fresh
flowers!

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Beginner Sourdough Workshop

During this hands-on workshop, you will be guided through each step of the sourdough process, from understanding and feeding a starter to mixing, shaping, and preparing dough for baking. You will receive a thoughtfully prepared starter kit to help you continue your sourdough journey at home.

Don't miss this chance to join our most popular workshop at the Spring Market! Get your ticket today by scanning below.



2 HOURS
ALL LEVELS | AGES 12+
\$100

YOU WILL LEARN:

- maintaining a starter
- a basic bread recipe
- mixing and shaping techniques

YOU TAKE HOME:

- complete baking kit
- a jar of starter
- ready-to-bake dough

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The Ultimate Smoker BBQ Workshop

From live fire management to brisket trimming, smoking, wrapping, and finishing - you'll walk away with the skills (and flavour) of a true pitmaster.

Back due to popular demand! Join BBQ pro Ryan Smith, owner of Smoke & Timber, for a hands-on BBQ and Smoker Class where you'll learn the real-deal techniques behind incredible smoked meats.



2 HOURS
ALL LEVELS | AGES 12+
\$70

YOU WILL LEARN:

Live fire management
Trimming Technique
Smoking fundamentals
& flavor building
Wrapping & finishing
meats like a pro

YOU TAKE HOME:

A full belly!
(maybe leftovers)

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KIDS WORKSHOPS

SATURDAY, MAY 30 2026



MAKE YOUR OWN
GREETING CARD

1 HOUR AGES 12+

\$25



LEGO BUILDING
TECHNIQUES

1 HOUR AGES 5+

\$25



PIPE CLEANER
FLOWERS

1 HOUR AGES 8+

\$12

For more details and to book
your spot today SCAN HERE



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