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Welcome to 2026!

We hope each of our families had a wonderful Christmas Break! We look forward to an exciting 2026!



Welcome

A very special welcome to our new family - Paul & Jennie Nadeau, Zaria (7) and Elias (4R).

Heads up... Re-Registration for September 2026 starts on February 1st!

Normally, re-registration for the new school year starts on January 15. However, due to all the changes and the amalgamation of Unity and TCS this summer, **registration for September 2026 will begin on February 1st.**

- *Current TCS and Unity families will have between February 1st and February 15th to re-register for the next school year.*
- On February 15th we will start the process of interviewing *new families* and offer any classroom spots to new students joining our new JK - 12 school.

Applications being accepted for Vice Principal of High School - starting August of 2026

The Unity community was informed before the Christmas break that Mr. Schenk would not be returning next year. We thank Mr. Schenk for his nine years of service at Unity and blessings as he finishes this school year with Unity.



We have begun the search for Mr. Schenk's replacement. There is a job posting on the Edvance Christian School website and we are now accepting resumes ([Job posting here](#)).

If you know someone who is interested, please refer them to the Edvance Christian School job posting. We hope to shortlist candidates and start the interview process by the March Break. Any interested candidates can email their resume to tcsgeen@timothychristianschool.ca or call Mr. Berg directly with questions (705-726-6621).

Taking Quotes until January 31 for TCS cleaning contract

We have been very grateful for the good work that Mike and Bernice Huitema have done as our TCS Custodians over the past many years. The Huitemas have informed us they will retire from cleaning the school at the end of this school year. TCS is accepting quotes for a new cleaning team until the end of January. Please call Mr. Berg (or email: rberg@timothychristianschool.ca) if you are interested.

January dates:

7 7am Hockey Team Tryout
9 PIZZA DAY
12 HOT DOG DAY

14 7am Hockey Practice
16 9am Worship Chapel
PIZZA DAY

NOTE:

Jan 26 PD DAY - NO SCHOOL
Feb 1 - 15 Re-Registration SK - 12

Yearbook Sponsorship Opportunities - Last Timothy Christian School Yearbook!

Looking for: Yearbook Sponsors

As we put together our 2025-2026 yearbook, we are looking for page sponsors! **The student cost to purchase a yearbook will decrease based on the number of sponsors we have.**

Your sponsorship ad will run along the bottom edge of a yearbook page stating "*This page is sponsored by the _____ family / business name.*" If you'd like to be a part of this opportunity, please complete [THIS GOOGLE FORM](#). Special requests to sponsor specific pages will be accommodated as much as possible on a first come, first served basis. This is the last Timothy Christian School Yearbook before we become Trinity Christian School in the future, so this is a great opportunity to be part of!

Please make cheques payable to Timothy Christian School, *indicating it is a yearbook page sponsor*. Alternatively, we can send you the information for e-transfers after we confirm your sponsorship. The price per page for sponsorship is \$35. If you would like to make a donation toward the yearbook production (without a page sponsorship), gifts of \$25 or more may be eligible as a charitable donation. *The deadline for sponsorships is Friday, February 27*. The more sponsorships and donations received means a lower cost per book! Thanks for your continued generosity. We can't wait to share our 2025-2026 Yearbook in June with the TCS community!

TCS Knights Hockey Team FINAL TRYOUT this Wednesday, 7am - 7:50am



This is the final tryout for the team.

The Team members will be posted on Google Classroom. Those students who make the team will need to pay an additional **\$80.00** for the remainder of the season (to be paid by Tuesday, January 13th - etransfer / cash). Practices will be **50 minutes in length and take place on Wednesday mornings from 7-7:50am.**

Practices: January 7, 14, 28, and February 4th, 2026. NOTE: No practice Jan 21

Please arrive on time to change and be on the ice on time. Students are required to be at school by 8:45am following practice/tryouts.

Tournaments: Stouffville - Jan 19th, AND our TCS Founders' Cup here in Barrie - Feb 10th. We are registered for two tournaments this year, one of which we are hosting.

PITCH Opportunity: Be Part of the Equip Conference – Volunteers Needed!

This May, TCS is excited to host the *Equip Conference*, a two-day event designed to empower parents to equip their children to live for Christ. From welcoming guests and supporting youth night to helping with childcare, food service, parking, and behind-the-scenes logistics, there are many ways to get involved.



Volunteering at the Equip Conference is a meaningful way to serve our school community, support families, and be part of something impactful. Whether you can help for a few hours or throughout the weekend, your time and willingness to serve will make a difference.

[Click THIS link to sign up](#), and be part of what God is doing through Equip!

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SNOW VALLEY DISCOUNT TICKETS

SKI/SNOWBOARDING & TUBING TICKETS

THURSDAYS: JANUARY 8 TO MARCH 12

Here is the info you need to participate in the Discounted Snow Valley Tickets for THURSDAYS, Jan 8 - March 12:

- Email Aleasha Kapteyn, aleashakapteyn@hotmail.com 2 weeks in advance of the date you want to participate
- Costs: Lift Tickets: \$33, Rentals: \$23, Tubing 2 hours \$25 (limited tickets available)
Ski Lessons: \$39 (Group Lesson 75 mins)
- Payment: etransfer payment to aleashakapteyn@hotmail.com by 3pm the day of
- Waivers: Liability waivers must be signed electronically prior to first visit
- Lessons: May be available at an additional cost, stay tuned.
- Questions: Any questions please email aleashakapteyn@hotmail.com.

PLEASE NOTE: If you would like to join us on Thursday Jan 8th or Thursday Jan 15th, please email by Friday, December 19th. Later requests may not be able to be accommodated.

[CLICK HERE TO EMAIL ALEASHA KAPTEYN](#)

~ See poster at the end of this Newsletter ~

Bus Transportation Reminders:

1. **Please be sure your child is at the bust stop 10 minutes early.**
2. **How to contact Landmark Bus Lines Barrie on days when they are late**

TCS parents, please note you can call **Landmark Bus Lines Barrie** (our bus company) anytime the buses are on the road to check in with dispatch on an ETA. **Landmark's contact: 705-722-6666.**



Logging your PITCH hours

Please be aware that it is each family's responsibility to track and log their own PITCH hours. Hours logged are pending until they have been reviewed by the PITCH Committee. To enter your hours, please follow these instructions:

- Log onto Sycamore with your family specific login (TCS School Id: 3982)
- On the left side of the School Homepage: Click "My School"
- Click "My Service Logs"
- Click "NEW" button on the right side
- Complete the form *choosing the appropriate heading*

Logging PITCH hours is each family's responsibility! Hours not completed OR logged will be billed at the end of the year

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- Click **"Save"**... entered hours are pending until approved by the PITCH committee
- *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).*

Remember, each family is permitted to enter 2.5 hours for attending Society meetings (even if you aren't a member!).

Instructions for logging PITCH hours can be found on the Sycamore Homepage **"How To Submit PITCH Hours"**.

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!

re-Source Thrift Shop Barrie South, Please Donate & Volunteer!

We are extremely grateful to the re-Source Thrift Shops (North and South) for their ongoing support of Timothy Christian School! When you are shopping please let them know you are from Timothy and pass on a word of thanks/encouragement to them!

Consider Volunteering:

If you have some time to spare each week / once a month, please consider volunteering at the re-Source Thrift Shop Barrie South, as the shop supports TCS financially each month, which reduces tuition for all families! Consider being part of the team! They have fun! It is a great way to get to know other TCS parents / grandparents while supporting the school and other great local organizations!

Take some time to Shop:

Take some time to drop by the shop and look around, there is always a treasure waiting to be found!

As you clean up after Christmas, please Donate:

Please consider donating any gently used items (please no furniture as space is limited) as that is what keeps the store generating funds! Every little bit makes a difference to TCS and other valuable organizations in the Barrie area.



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