

The Timothy Times – Apr 24/17



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Build God's Kingdom Here!

From the Office:

Christian Education Week: Next week we celebrate Christian Education Week. There has been a flurry of activity around the school to get ready. The week kicks off next Sunday (April 30) with a special service at the Christian Reformed Church in Cornwall. We would like all the students and families to attend. Thursday, May 4, beginning at 7pm we will perform ***Follow and Fish***. It is a performance of music, song and drama all about Jesus' call for us to follow him and fish for people. If you can't make it on Thursday evening consider coming to our dress rehearsal - Wednesday, May 3, beginning at 2pm. And we close the week on Friday, May 5, when all our Grandfriends are invited to come and visit the school, have a morning tea and watch our final performance of ***Follow and Fish***.

Help Spread the Word!: We would love to have a full house for our spring performance of ***Follow and Fish***. Invitations and posters are available in the office. Please come and take a few to distribute.

Student dress for Spring Performance: All the students will be required to wear black tops and dark bottoms for the Spring Performance. For students in **Gr. 1-4**, please send in their clothes by this Wednesday. Students in **other grades** will need them by Monday, May 1st.

The students of Timothy Christian School
present:



Please join us for our Spring Performance:
An evening of music and drama.

Goodies for Spring Performance: We are asking that each family provide 2 dozen goodies to share after the spring performance on Thursday evening next week. Please drop them off in the staff room before the performance. Thank you.

Grandfriends Day RSVP: Invitations to Grandfriends Day went home last week. More invitations are available in the office. Please make sure your Grandfriends RVSP to the school by Monday, May 1st.

Kindergarten Camp finishes this week: This year we welcomed 5 wonderful children to our Kindergarten Readiness program. We had an amazing time learning and growing and getting ready for Kindergarten together. Take a moment to read our blog post: <http://www.tcswilliamsburg.ca/getting-ready-for-kindergarten/>

TCS Spring Drive 2017: Our annual Spring Drive is underway as we enter our 1st week. A copy of the Spring Drive letter was sent home with your oldest child today. Please prayerfully consider helping us reach our goal of \$40,000. We thank you for your support!

Fundraisers for Quebec Trip

Design & Create Pottery Mug: Thursday, May 11 @ 6:30pm at TCS, \$30/person or \$50/parent and child.

Come on your own or make it a parent/child evening. Build and design your own mug. Many tools available and guidance to help you make something special.

Space is limited. Sign up early to guarantee your spot. Contact Mrs. Luchies via school email or sign up in the school office.

Cookies in a Jar Fundraiser: The students in Grade 7/8 are making and selling cookie mixes in jars to raise money for their Quebec trip. These delicious mixes will be available for purchase after the Follow and Fish performance.



From the Classrooms:

Mrs. Luchies 6/7/8

Spelling: Unit 28.

Grammar: see agenda.

Writing: 3 paragraph write-up on Maniac Magee due Friday.

Geography: Biomes in a cake pan are due Wednesday to share with our little Buddies.

Geography Challenge Quiz: Southern countries in Africa on Friday. Next week - northern countries.

Agenda reminder: Students pack their work at the end of each day while writing assignments in their agendas. Agendas are generally checked weekly for neatness and recording assignments correctly.

Mrs. Geertsema 6/7/8

Math: We are beginning a combined unit on graphing and data management tomorrow.

Music: Students should be practicing their parts for the Follow and Fish performance and their songs for Sunday morning.

For our cookie mix fundraiser, we are in need of more mason jars, especially the 1 L ones. If you have extras at home that you don't need, could you send them in with the Grade 7/8's?
Thanks!

Mr. Johnson 6/7/8

Gym: We continue to learn about baseball and prepare for Track and Field.

Miss DeKleine 6/7/8

History/Art: Nothing this week.

Pastor Tripp 6/7/8

Bible: Nothing this week.

Mme. Luchies 6/7/8

French: See agenda.

Mr. Johnson 3/4

Please remember to bring in your black clothes as we prepare for our Spring performance. Thanks!

Spelling: Lesson 27 List Words due on Friday.

Grammar: Gr. 3 Test on Nouns on Thursday.

Literature: Both grades are starting new novel studies. Grade 3's are going to be reading *Frindle*, and the Grade 4's will be reading *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe*.

Mme. Luchies 3/4

French: We did a welcome circle in French last week. In the circle, we answered a white board question, read a message and discussed its components, participated in an activity, and then wrote our message in our journals. All this was done in French.

Miss DeKleine 1/2

Spelling: (test on Friday) Lesson 28 this week. Grade One is studying the "oy" sound, and Grade Two is studying the "ear" sound. Words can be found in student agendas.

Black Clothes: Students need their black clothes at school **by Wednesday**. If you can please bring them in a plastic bag, students can leave them here at school for our practices. The shirts/pants have to be plain with no logos or stripes. Let me know if you are having problems finding dark shirts, we may have a few extra at school you can borrow. Thank you!

Mme. Luchies 1/2

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Mrs. Blokland JSK

Show and Tell: We are beginning a new round of Show and Tell. The students need to bring in a family artifact - something that teaches us about your family. It could be a favourite toy or game, a souvenir from a family holiday, a recipe for a favourite food, a book your family loves to read, anything that tells us a little bit about your family. There is a book that will go home and there are a few questions the students need to answer. We look forward to learning more about our families. The students with show and tell this week are: Evan (Monday), Mackenzie (Wednesday) and Alie (Friday). Next week it will be: Jaelyn (Monday), Allison (Wednesday) and Nikkolas (Friday).