

The Timothy Times – Dec 19/16



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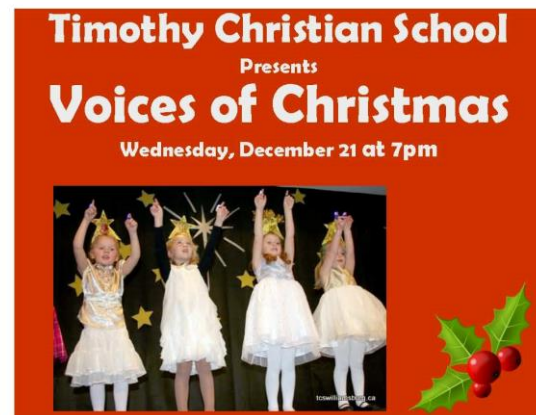
Mr. Postma's surgery is scheduled for the end of December. Please continue to lift him up in your prayers.

Christmas Program - *Voices of*

Christmas: Our Christmas program will be on Wednesday, December 21, beginning at 7pm. Students need to be at the school by 6:45pm, dressed in their Sunday best. Please remember to bring in 2 dozen goodies that will be shared with everyone after the performance. We look forward to seeing you all there!

Chocolate Bar Sales: Wow! Great job selling chocolate bars! All the chocolate bars have been sold (all 83 boxes of them!) Congratulations! The Grade 6 class is the top selling class, and they will go on the limo ride to the Skating Rink. The top selling class in the lower grades is Senior Kindergarten, and they will have a gym party with Miss Oosterhof. The Hawkins family won the Chrome book, and the DeJong family won the child's iPad. Well done, everyone!!

Skating Party: We will be going skating at the Morrisburg arena on Friday, December 23. This will be a way to build community and celebrate Christmas together. We have the rink booked from 12:30 to 2pm. Please pick up your children from the school at noon. We will have an early lunch with them. Parents, grandparents, other siblings are all invited to join us on the rink. The more the merrier.



Featuring

- Christmas carols—new and old
- A plethora of instruments
- Student written monologues
- Original carol medley

Come and Worship



Hot lunch: Pizza Day is on Friday! A hot lunch form for the new year will go out at the beginning of January.

Christmas Holidays: The school will be closed from December 24 until January 8. We will resume classes again on Monday, January 9. We wish you all a blessed Christmas, celebrating the birth of our Saviour with family and friends.

Celebration of Learning: On Wednesday, January 25 from 1:30-3:30 we are opening the doors and inviting you to come in and see what students are learning. There will be a French play, a display about the Renaissance, information about life in the rainforest, and more. Plan to come out and invite your friends and family along. Come and celebrate the learning that happens here at Timothy every day.

From the Classrooms:

Mme. Luchies 6/7/8

Spelling: Unit 14 test and unit due Thursday.

Grammar: see agenda for page numbers assigned.

Monologues and Costumes: Everyone has memorized their monologues. Great job! Remember to slow it down while practicing. All costumes fit and look great. A big THANK YOU to Pythia Luimes for helping put those together for us.

Reading: Students will be required to show that they have done some reading over the holiday break. This means they must read a minimum of 1 new book. This is the only homework being assigned during Christmas Break.

Enjoy your time with family and friends as you celebrate the birth of our Saviour.

~Mrs. Geertsema & Mrs. Luchies

FOR UNTO US
a child is born,
unto us a son is given:
and the government shall be upon his shoulder:
and his name shall be called
WONDERFUL,
COUNSELLOR,
THE MIGHTY GOD,
The everlasting Father,
THE PRINCE OF PEACE.
Isaiah 9:6

Mrs. Geertsema 6/7/8

Math: Grade 6 and 7 quizzes will be returned on Tuesday.
Grade 6 will be beginning Geometry, and Grade 7 will be beginning Decimals.
Grade 8 will be working on Angles and Algebra, and their Scratch programs.

Mr. Johnson 6/7/8

Gym: Nothing this week.

Miss DeKleine 6/7/8

History: Please remember to work on your Renaissance Fair project over the Christmas holidays!

Pastor Tripp 6/7/8

Bible: Nothing this week.

Mme. Luchies 6/7/8

French: Nothing this week.

Mr. Johnson 3/4

We continue to collect winter clothing for our friends at Eenchokay Birchstick School. We have collected enough socks for the students but are short on gloves and mittens. Thank you for all your donations so far, and we look forward to reaching our goal with the gloves/mittens!

Memory Work: No memory work this week as we get ready for the Christmas program!

Spelling: Lesson 14 List words due Friday.

Math: Grade 3s will get their Math tests back this week. Grade 4s got them back last week.

Mme. Luchies 3/4

French: Nothing this week.

Miss DeKleine 1/2

No Spelling or Memory Work this week! Remember to practice reading over the break.

Wishing you all a blessed Christmas! Enjoy the holiday season with your families!

Mme. Luchies 1/2

French: Nothing this week.

Mrs. Blokland JSK

Sounds: The students are working very hard learning their sounds. It is great to see them try to use the sounds in writing and reading words. Please take time at home to practice their sound book. This week we learn the sounds of qu, ou, and oi.

Show and Tell: Hoot the Snowy Owl continues his visits. When Hoot comes over he has a book with him where your child can write what Hoot sees at your house. I hope you have a super time with Hoot. The students with Hoot this week are Nikkolos (Monday), Evan (Wednesday), and Alie (Friday). After Christmas holidays Hoot will come to school with Jaelyn (Wednesday) and Emma (Friday).

Rainforest Unit: Inspired by Miss Oosterhof's trip to visit the Rainforest in Brazil, we are learning about the Rainforest. Last week we learned what it is like on the forest floor. This week we will learn what kind of plants and animals live in the understory.

Kindergarten Chapel: On Friday, January 20, our class will be leading Chapel. Please plan to attend. Chapel begins at 9am. We hope to see you there.

