

The Timothy Times – May 15/17



Mission – TCS is an independent elementary school that educates children through Christ-centred quality programs that combine faith and learning.

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Build God's Kingdom Here!

From the Office:

Please continue to pray for Mr. Postma and send him an email of encouragement at: gary@thepostmas.ca.

Spring Performance on Youtube: The spring performance is now on youtube. It is divided into 4 parts. Here are the links:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=f9Pe5J7YTEc&t=5s>
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fNzXMmZ4o5s&t=8s>
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7qJPH8vcFl8>
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=T4-qYhSVabl>

Chapel: JSK and Gr.1/2 will be leading chapel this Friday, May 19, at 9am. Everyone is welcome.

This coming **Monday is Victoria Day**. Enjoy the long weekend. Tuesday, May 23, is a regular Tuesday schedule.

Track and Field Day: Wednesday, May 24 is our Track and Field Day. It will begin at noon and run for the afternoon. I am still a few volunteers short, so if you are able and willing to help run an event (free training included!), please email me at chris.johnson@tcswilliamsburg.ca. If you have already emailed me, I will hopefully be sending out an email later this week with further info about Track and Field day. Thanks!



The NED Show: On Thursday, May 25, we will be having a character education assembly put on by The NED Show. They will be doing a yo-yo show that centres around three important messages: Never give up, Encourage others, and Do your best. For five days after the show, there will be NED merchandise available for purchase. For more information go to www.thenedshow.com.

Timothy's Got Talent: We will be having a Talent Show on Friday, June 16, beginning at 9am. This is an opportunity for students, staff and even families to share their talents. Please plan on attending this wonderful school community event. And if you have any talent you would like to share, please let us know by May 31st!"

Kindergarten Welcome Morning: On Thursday, June 1, we welcome our new Kindergarten students. This is a morning for families that are planning to attend TCS in the fall and for those who are considering it. Please come at 9am. New students will have a chance to experience Kindergarten. Parents are welcome to spend the morning in the classroom and see what happens in Kindergarten. We look forward to welcoming new students to our school.

Please remember to **complete and return the tuition pledge forms** to the office by June 1, 2017. All tuition forms received after June 1 are subject to a \$300 late fee penalty. Thank you!

TCS Spring Drive 2017: Our annual Spring Drive is underway as we enter our 4th week. Please prayerfully consider helping us reach our goal of \$40,000. To date we have received \$21,250. We thank you for your support!

Timmy's Place in Morrisburg is in **urgent need of volunteers**. If you can help out by volunteering a half-day, a day, or more a month, please contact Timmy's Place at 613-543-4280 or timmysplace2@gmail.com.

Happy Face Nursery School is excited to offer:



HAPPY FACE
NURSERY SCHOOL

Alternative Kindergarten Days!

This is a program that is offered to children in JSK at TCS for the Tuesday and Thursday that the students are not in classroom.

The program will run at TCS starting this fall for the new school year. Cost for the program is separate from TCS tuition.

Please call Happy Face Nursery School at 613-774-4707 to register your child. A minimum number of five children need to be signed up for this program to run.

Sign up deadline is June 23, 2017.

Happy Face Nursery School is also excited to offer **Summer Camps**. These camps are available to all families, not exclusively TCS families. A minimum of five children are needed for the camps to run. Please ask at the office for flyers or go to <http://www.tcswilliamsburg.ca/summer-camps-from-happy-face-nursery-school/> for more information.

From the Classrooms:

Mrs. Luchies 6/7/8

Spelling: Unit 31 and spelling test.

Grammar: check agenda.

Literature: We started a new unit last week - "Honouring God's Creation". Students will read short stories and learn how we **serve, stand in awe** and **change our perspective** when we honour God's creation. Check agenda for weekly assignments.

Geography: We continue learning about population, focusing on population change, trends and boom. Today we will be discussing China's child policy. Ask your child to share our learning with you.

Geography Map Challenge: Asia

Mrs. Geertsema 6/7/8

Math: We are finishing up graphing and will have a quiz on Friday for all grades.

Music: New songs to work on: Canada Day, up Canada Way (Stompin' Tom), Every Move I Make

Mr. Johnson 6/7/8

Gym: We continue to prepare for Track and Field Day.

Miss DeKleine 6/7/8

History/Art: Nothing this week.

Pastor Tripp 6/7/8

Bible: Please see agenda for details.

Mme. Luchies 6/7/8

French: Gr. 6 is working on review of -er, -ir and -re verbs in the present tense.
Gr. 7/8 is working on the Passé Composé.

Mr. Johnson 3/4

Spelling: Lesson 30 Review Words on Friday

Science Test: We have a Human Body Test on Wednesday. We did a whole class review last Thursday. Students are encouraged to review their notes and diagrams for the test.

Grammar: Grade 3 has a test on Adjectives on Thursday.
Grade 4 has a test on Adverbs on Thursday.

Literature: Both Grades continue to enjoy their novel studies. Grade 3s are working through the book *Frindle* while the Grade 4s are reading *The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe*.

Gym: We are excited to continue practicing for our Track and Field Day!

Mme. Luchies 3/4

French: Nothing this week.

Miss DeKleine 1/2

Spelling: (test on **Friday**) Lesson 31 this week. Grade One is studying the "nk" sound, and Grade Two is studying the "eigh" sound. Words can be found in student agendas.

Math: We started our unit on Time last week. Students learned how to recognize time to the hour and half hour. This week we will be working on recognizing quarter to and quarter past the hour.

Chapel: We are doing a combined chapel with JSK this **Friday, May 19th**. Please memorize lines with your child throughout the coming week. Thank you!

Field Day: As we will be practicing throughout the coming weeks for Track and Field day, please make sure all students have proper running shoes at school to practice for events.

Class Trip: Our end of year class trip will take place on Wednesday, June 14th. We will be heading to Mooney's Bay in the morning to check out Canada's largest playground built for Canada's 150th Anniversary, and then at noon, we will be going to Pirate Adventures, where we will be boarding a pirate ship and taking sail down the Rideau Canal! It promises to be a fun filled day! I am looking for 3 or 4 drivers who would be able to drive and come along with us. Thank you!

Mme. Luchies 1/2

French: Nothing this week.

Mrs. Blokland JSK

Show and Tell: We are really enjoying getting to learn about our families during this round of show and tell. Thank you for helping. The students with show and tell this week are: Elijah (Monday), Hailey (Wednesday) and Brielle (Friday). Next week it will be: Arabel(Friday).

Kindergarten and Grade 1-2 Chapel: We will be leading chapel with the Grade 1-2 class this Friday, beginning at 9am. See you all there.

Track and Field Day: Next week Wednesday, May 24, is Track and Field Day. We will be doing events with the Grade 1-2 students. The events begin in the afternoon. There will be a canteen lunch served at noon, so please send some money with your child. Come out and watch. It is a fun afternoon!

Save the Date! Senior Kindergarten Graduation is coming up on Wednesday, June 21, beginning at 2pm. It will be held in the gym. Invitations are coming home soon.

Rock poem: We have begun learning about rocks. Our new poem is:

Rocks in my pocket, rocks in my pocket.

Big and small, big and small.

Shiny little pebbles, shiny little pebbles.

Found them all, found them all.