

# The Timothy Times – Oct 31/16



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## From the Office:

**Teachers' Convention:** The teachers had a wonderful time at the conference. We were inspired to create a space of love and learning for our students. We learned new ideas and had a chance to connect and be challenged by other teachers. We are very thankful for our time at the convention.

**Before School Recess:** We will no longer be having a before school recess. When students come to school they will go to their classrooms. They will have a chance to organize their supplies and get ready for the day. Teachers will have some quiet activities that the students can do. In eliminating this recess time students and teachers will be ready to begin the school day at 8:50. If you have any questions or concerns, please ask.

This is a friendly reminder to submit a copy of your **police check** to the office by **November 14**. To help in the classroom or on field trips, you are required to have a Police Vulnerable Sector Check done. Thank you.

**This Friday is Fab Friday.** The grade 3/4's would like to invite everyone to **Superhero Day!** Come dressed up as your favorite superhero or create your own! Students who ordered pizza on their hot lunch order form will be served pizza.



## From the Classrooms:

*Mme. Luchies 6/7/8*

**Spelling:** Unit 7 due Thursday and Test on Friday.

**Science:** Cell Projects due Wednesday, Nov 2.

**RCHS** Grade 8 day on Wednesday. A pizza lunch will be provided.

**Check agendas** for Literature, Grammar, and Writing.

*Mrs. Geertsema 6/7/8*

**Math:** Grade 6: We are learning about factors and multiples, prime and composite numbers.

Grade 7: We are learning about GCF's and LCM's and square numbers.

Grade 8: We are learning about logic and working on a scale diagram of the school, to be used in fire route planning.

**Music:** Please bring in your completed ukulele log.

*Mr. Johnson 6/7/8*

**Gym:** We continue our unit on Volleyball as we prepare for our tournament in Bowmanville next week Friday and Saturday. Please contact Mr. Johnson if you are interested in driving.

*Miss DeKleine 6/7/8*

**History:** Nothing this week.

*Pastor Tripp 6/7/8*

**Bible:** Due Monday: Worksheets completed. Timelines corrected (if needed). Memory Work Romans 8:6,7.

*Mme. Luchies 6/7/8*

Nothing this week.

*Mr. Johnson 3/4*

**Memory Work:** Mark 4:31-32a due on Friday.

**Spelling Test:** Lesson 7 List Words on Friday.

**Math:** Half-unit test on Number Sense on Thursday.

**Bible:** We continue our unit learning about Jesus' Parables.

*Mme. Luchies 3/4*

Nothing this week.

*Miss DeKleine 1/2*

**Memory Work:** (for Friday) "The Kingdom of God is like a mustard seed, which is the smallest seed you plant in the ground. Yet when planted, it grows and becomes the largest of all garden plants." Mark 4:31-32a

**Spelling:** (test on Friday) Grade One is studying "Short Vowel Sounds" this week, and Grade Two is studying the "soft g for j" sound. Words can be found in student agendas.

*Mme. Luchies 1/2*

Nothing this week.

*Mrs. Blokland JSK*

**Sounds:** We continue to learn a new sound each school day. Please take time at home to practice their sound book. This week we learn the sound of: b and long a.

**Show and Tell:** For show and tell we are now using the Can You Guess Bag. Students will take the bag home the school day before they have show and tell. They will put something in it and write 3 clues about their item. (You can help them write). At school they will read their clues, and we will try and guess what they brought. This week it will be Hailey (Monday), Ben (Wednesday) and Mackenzie (Friday). Next week it will be: Jackson (Monday), Evan (Wednesday), and Nikkolas (Friday).

**Poem:** We will begin our new unit about owls this week. Our poem is:

*I see an owl  
He sits in a tree  
He opens one eye  
He winks at me*

**Questions:** If you have any questions or concerns about *anything*, please don't hesitate to talk to me.