



BULLETIN

TRENTON CHRISTIAN SCHOOL
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THEME:

"So then, brothers and sisters, stand firm
and hold fast to the teachings we passed

June 12, 2017

From the Principal's Desk

From the PrincipAL's Office:

"I will instruct and teach you in the way you should go;

I will counsel you and watch over you" (Psalm 32:8)

These words from King David are a wonderful reminder to our parents, staff, and community. They give us the reassurance that God has surrounded His children with a *Community of Brothers and Sisters in Christ*, who take very seriously the promise of raising children to grow in their knowledge and love for the Lord.

As the school year is winding down, the staff and students may reflect back on some exciting and interesting experiences they shared in the classroom, on the playground, on the sports field or away on class trips. There are so many ways for our children/students to grow academically, spiritually, socially, physically, and emotionally.

This is an exciting week for our grade 8 students as they wrap up their elementary education journey with the TCS community. All of our current staff have been instrumental in shaping and molding a platform of skills and ideas for these young women and men. Our hope and prayer is that we have modeled and prepared them to flourish during their high school years, as well.

Congratulations to you all, and may God continue to grant you His peace and strength in the years to come.

TCS Baseball Tournament:: On Saturday, June 10th Trenton Christian School hosted their annual Slow-Pitch/Lob Ball Tournament at the Carrying Place diamonds. The results for the tournament are as follows:

	2017	2016
Home Run Contest:	Blake Scheerhoorn Wyatt Vreugdenhil	Justin Kuipers Janice Brooks
Competitive Division	"Boo Jays"	"Young Guns"
Recreational Division	"Emmanuel Baptist"	"Gongshow"

Thanks so much to the many volunteers who helped with the canteen services, umpiring games, and setting up the tournament. See you in 2018.

BOARD NEWS: Retiring board members are John Bontius, David Hutchison and Tim deWal-Vice Chair. New Board executive positions are Andre deVries for Treasurer, Jamie Vanberkel for Vice-All, Nic Robinson for Secretary. Joe Kuipers will continue as Chair.

PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Trenton Christian School invites qualified individuals, with a heart for Christian education, for the position of Secretary. The position is for the Mondays & Fridays beginning, September 2017 for the 2017/2018 school year. The individual will serve as receptionist, perform word processing duties, filing and have knowledge of applicable computer programs and use, and how to maintain office machines.

If you are interested in this position, please apply by emailing Al Bron at principal@trentonchristianschool.com before June 15, 2017. Your application must include a cover letter, resume, and references.

TREASURE CHEST STORE: Hi everyone, we now have a Cashier for June 27th (thank you, Cathy) but are in need of a Cashier and Helper on Thursday, June 29th from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. We also need a Volunteer on Friday, June 16th from 2-5 p.m. If you can help out in either of these shifts, please let me know at index@bellnet.ca or 613-475-3436.

UPCOMING EVENTS: Please note the most up-to-date calendar is available on our website. But here are a few for June:

June 19—Graduation Ceremony @ Trenton Wesleyan Church 274 2nd Dug Hill Rd. at 7:30 pm
June 23—LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

MASTERPIECE PERFORMING ARTS CAMP

Ahoy, mateys! If ye yearnin' for some learnin' about the arts, Masterpiece Performing Arts day camp is for ye! Explore the fun of drama, music, and dance and learn about Jesus Christ! For kids grades 3-8, \$130/child per week, meals/snacks are provided. Come aboard our ship July 24-28 at Bethel Pentecostal Church in Quinte West. To register on our crew and/or for more information, www.qyfc.com/masterpiece

TCS GRADUATION CEREMONY—Monday,

June 19 @ 7:30 pm— Everyone is invited to join us in celebrating the graduation of the Grade 8's. The ceremony will take place on June 19 at Trenton Wesleyan Church at 7:30 pm. The full school choir will be participating in the graduation ceremony. Please plan to join us at 274 2nd Dug Hill Rd., as we send them off with God's blessings.

COMMUNITY NEWS:

RETIREMENT TEA OPEN HOUSE FOR EVITA BOTTING:

Please come and join us to celebrate Evita for 34 years of teaching and instilling the love of learning and the love of God into our students. No need to RSVP. Monday, June 19 from 3:30-5:30 at Belleville Christian School - 18 Christian School Road.

QCHS GRADUATION CEREMONY: We invite you to join us for an evening of celebrating the graduates of Quinte Christian High School on Wednesday, June 21 starting at 7:30PM. The ceremony will give you a glimpse of what God is doing in the lives of our students, and how He is preparing them to flourish as disciples of Christ in an ever changing world. The ceremony will take place at Calvary Community Church, 679 Dundas St. W in Belleville.

The **ANNUAL QUINTE WEST IDOL CONTEST** will be held once again on Canada Day in Centennial Park. To help in the celebration, entrants are being encouraged to select Canadian artists for the Quinte West Idol contest to salute our musical heritage, but it is not a prerequisite. The categories are JK-Gr. 3; Gr. 4-5; Gr. 6-8; High School. The top 3 entries in each category will also sing at Festival on the Bay later in July.

Entry forms are being made available at local schools throughout the City of Quinte West or can be picked up at City Hall, Chamber of Commerce or the DBIA. Deadline for entry is Tuesday, June 27 and they are to be returned to City Hall by that date. For more information contact duncanarmstrong@hotmail.com or call 613-921-7978.

ATHLETES IN ACTION—MULTISPORT CAMP: July 17-21 @

Ebenezer CRC—for children ages 8-12—9 am—3 pm. Cost is \$50. To register, go to athletesinaction.com or in person at Ebenezer church 15 4th Ave. Trenton.

LITTLE SPARKS

We're having so much fun exploring camping in Little Sparks! This week we will work on our map reading skills and review our alphabet using a fishing activity.

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This will be an exciting week for us in JK as we welcome future Kindergarten students into our class. We look forward to learning and playing with you during your time with us!

Thank you to Mrs. den Ouden and Mrs. Pikaart for accompanying us on our trip to the Promise Land Family Fun Farm on Friday. We are very excited about seeing and learning all about the different animals.

In Language Arts we continue to review all the letters of the alphabet. We are working on word building and rhyme.

This week we will be concluding our theme study on rocks. We will be reading the story "Stone Soup" by Marcia Brown. Students will be asked to bring in a vegetable to add to our own 'stone soup'. A letter will be going home later this week with more details.

SK

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This week we will continue testing activities and focus on our June throughline. We will also finish learning about the 5 healthy habits for our bodies. Students will also take their blankets home this week.

Our Bible stories will be about the Israelites going into the promised land. We look forward to participating in the spirit week activities!

We will also be celebrating Father's Day this week. Students can bring in a gift bag this week and a photo of themselves that can include their dad, if they like.

KINDERSURPRISE

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We will, continue to learn about Canada this week, as we celebrate its 150th birthday. We will also focus on our June throughline- image reflecting.



STUDENT COUNCIL NEWS:

Student Council has been busy planning Spirit Week June 12-16

Monday— PJ Day

Tuesday— Twin Day

Wednesday— Wacky Day—hair, clothes

Thursday—Theatre Thursday (dress as your favourite character). We'll have lunch in the gym with movie and popcorn.

Friday— Dress in House Colour—water play afternoon.

Bring a change of clothes.

Colour House Points will be awarded

GRADE 1

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Spelling: Last words of the year!! red, yellow, black, white, blue. Word family: brown, (-own). Challenge words: purple, orange, green

Bible: We are learning about the early church-the work of Peter, Philip and Paul.

Field trip: We are booked to visit the Stirling Agricultural Museum

French-This week we will be completing summer activities in French.

GRADE 2/3

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Welcome to another week! Our tadpoles are growing into froglets. It is exciting to witness metamorphosis right in our classroom! In Bible, we will discover the meanings behind Jesus' parables.

Tomorrow, we are blessed with the opportunity to visit Peterborough Zoo.

Thank you to all the parents who have offered to drive and supervise. Please send along a booster seat, if necessary. Don't forget to pack a swimsuit, towel, sunscreen, hat, water and a healthy lunch.

No spelling this week.

French-Students will be completing different review activities based on the material we have learned this year.

Have a blessed week!

GRADE 4

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No spelling this week. Please bring a tape measure to school for Math this week. We are diligently working on our multi genre writing assignment for Canada's 150th birthday.

Bible test: Bible test tomorrow. Review went home last week

French-Students will be working in groups to create their own nutritious snack.

We have our class trip this week on Thursday afternoon. Another letter will be going home with further details about drivers and supervisors. Thank you for all the volunteers. As of right now, we have enough drivers and supervisors.

We have started our last unit in science titled "Food Plants" and in Bible we are studying Daniel and Esther.

GRADE 5/6

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Second Last Week of school!

Spelling Test - Lesson 29 - Friday
Social Studies Projects are wrapping up. Students will be beginning to present topics, starting Tuesday

Science - Science Test on Monday next week

Art - Self-Portrait due on Friday

Phys-Ed: Students need to bring a baseball glove on Tuesdays and Thursdays until the end of the year. Bring them tomorrow!

French-This week, we will be making plans for a 'campfire', complete with snacks, stories and songs. Ask your child what they will be bringing in for next Tuesday.

GRADE 7

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French-This week we will be reading a folktale from West Africa called 'Les Tricheurs'.

Please bring a baseball glove for Phys-Ed class. This starts Tuesday.

This week a letter regarding our class trip will finally be going home. Please read over and if you have any questions, feel free to ask.

We are in Spirit Week. Tomorrow is Twin day. Participants will receive points for their colour house group.

Our Geography test, which was scheduled for tomorrow, will be on Thursday morning, it is an open book test. Spelling is due Friday, along with a Spelling test.

GRADE 8

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We are in the final week of school for the grade eights. Excitement is mounting and we are practicing this week, so everything will go smoothly next Monday at graduation.

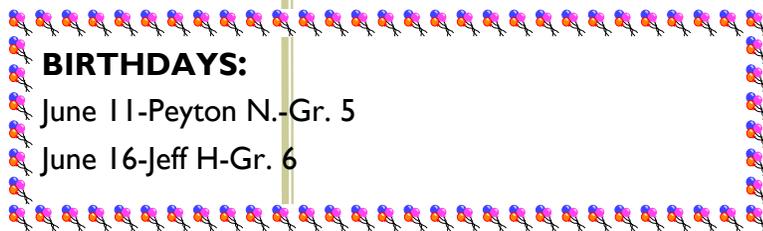
A letter was sent via email last week, outlining the details for the graduation dinner and ceremony.

Monday: The concert band performs at Wonderland.

Tuesday: Spelling test.

Friday: Graduation practice at the Wesleyan Church.

Please bring a baseball glove for Phys-Ed class. This starts Tuesday.



BIRTHDAYS:

June 11-Peyton N.-Gr. 5

June 16-Jeff H.-Gr. 6

JUNIOR BASEBALL: GR. 4-6

Tryouts began Wednesday at lunch recess. Be sure to have your ball gloves at school. Our tournament is on June 14. The team was decided today, we have our tournament this Wednesday. A letter is going home with information about the tournament. I am looking for 2-3 drivers/supervisors. Fill in form on letter and send back ASAP.

Thanks, Mrs. Hill

