



BULLETIN

TRENTON CHRISTIAN SCHOOL
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THEME:

"So then, brothers and sisters, stand firm and hold fast to the teachings we passed on to you, whether by word of mouth or by letter." 2 Thess. 2:15

March 27, 2017

From the PrincipAL's Desk

“Leading with Love”

“For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish but have eternal life”. John 3:16

In his opening statements at the October Edifide Christian Educators convention, Steven Levy shared the following insight:

“How do we know what love looks like in our schools?

In the same way we know about God through the way He embodied Christ, we know about our schools’ love by the practices and the cultures that we create in our schools.

At the very heart of it is engagement”.

The TCS staff strives to connect with our students through loving and caring experiences. As we pursue the building of knowledge and skills, developing character and culture, creating beautiful work; we hope and pray that our students will continue to celebrate “the love of Christ”.



TREASURE CHEST STORE NEWS—

We would once again like to thank you for all your hard work and dedication, because of this we were able to donate \$1,655.36 to the QW Pregnancy Care Centre this month!

A couple of housekeeping items.

We are in need of a sorters for the month of April on **Saturdays 10 am—2 pm**. If you are

able to help out in this area or know of someone who would like to volunteer at the store, please contact Henrietta at index@bell.net or 613-475-3436 or go directly to the page to see where else people are needed. THANKS for all you do!

GRANDPARENTS' DAY!



FRIDAY, APR. 28@ 9 am—Invitations are going home this week. Please ensure that they get passed on to Grandparents, Great- Grandparents, Grand-friends. If you need more copies, please contact the school office and more can be sent home. If your child doesn't have a grandparent able to attend and you would like us to hook them up with some Grand-friends, please let us know.

**We will also need some help in the kitchen that day. If you are available to help, please contact the school office ASAP.

As always, we need you to help contribute towards the luncheon for the Grandparents as follows: Last names ending in...

A-G— Twelve individual yogurts

H-P— 2 large cans of apple juice

R-Z—2 doz. pieces of peanut-free baking



HAT DAY

STUDENT COUNCIL NEWS: HAT & GUM DAY— THURSDAY, MARCH 30

This Thursday wear your favourite hat and buy a licence for \$1 and you can chew gum.

Bring your own or buy a piece from Student Council for .25 cents.



SAVE THE DATE!!

On Saturday, May 06, TCS will be having a work-a-thon! A work-a-thon is similar to our traditional walk-a-thon in that students will ask for pledges from family and friends, but instead of gathering to walk on Saturday, May 06, we will register at the school and then go out into the community to do approximately 2 hours of community service work at no cost to those we are helping. This could be helping seniors with yard clean up or cleaning garbage out of our local parks and roadways. After completing our work, we will gather together back at the school for a celebratory BBQ lunch. More details will be announced soon. Please remember to save the date.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

13th ANNUAL GOOD FRIDAY PROCESSION WITH THE CROSS

Everyone is invited to join believers from local churches to participate in a public commemoration of Christ's death on Good Friday, April 14 at 11:45 am. The Thirteenth Annual Ecumenical Good Friday Procession with the cross will begin at Ebenezer Christian Reformed Church (18 Fourth Avenue in Trenton) and conclude at At The Crossroads (24 Dundas Street West) with a time of fellowship. The walk will include Scripture readings, meditation and prayer. Sponsored by the Quinte West Ministerial Assoc.

Easter Service of Celebration

The Quinte West Ministerial Assoc. invites everyone to the annual service of celebration of the resurrection of Jesus Christ. Join us Easter Sunday, April 16 at 6:25 am outside of the Trent Port Marina at 15 Creswell Drive in Trenton. A light breakfast will follow inside the Trent Port Marina.

LITTLE SPARKS

This week we will continue our exploration of our Sports theme. We will try to answer the question "Do all balls bounce?" and discuss what makes each type of ball different. On Wednesday/Thursday we will learn about the greatest sporting event on earth - the Olympic Games! In Bible we continue to learn the parables of Jesus and our focus letter of the week is "T".

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In JK we are very thankful for people in our neighbourhood who help us. Last week we learned about the role of garbage collectors and postal workers. This week we will be learning about dentists and doctors. Any books that you might have at home that would coincide with these themes are always a welcome!

Letter 'W,w' will be our focus in Language Arts this week.

In Mathematics, we have been graphing our responses to questions such as "What colour do you prefer: blue or red?", "Which fruit do you like better - apple or banana?". Students are doing a great job interpreting these graphs.

If you have not already done so, please return your child's portfolio and report card envelope. Many thanks!

SK

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Thank you for all the cardboard that was brought to school last week! We had fun reusing it. We will begin a pet inquiry this week and students are welcome to bring pet items to school. We will finish off the stories of the 10 plagues this week. Students will bring home a plague booklet at the end of the week. We will continue to talk about families this week and how each one is special. Students are asked to bring a photo of their family to school.

KINDERSURPRISE

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We will continue to talk about spring things this week. We hope to see more signs of spring. We will also talk about pets and learn about the different kinds of animals that can be pets. Students are welcome to bring a photo of their pet to school. Please return portfolios and report card envelopes to school, if you haven't already.

GRADE 1

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Spelling Words: them, does, love, went, friend.

Word family: -oat (coat, boat, float...).

Challenge words: great, good, nice

Memory work: Proverbs 3: 6. "In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He will make your paths straight."

Math: Numbers from 1-100, counting by 10, 2 and 5, patterns in numbers

Creation Studies: We will keep working on our building unit. This week we will learn why plans are important and how we can learn about design from God's creation.

Bible: Stories of King David.

French: This week we will be completing different centre activities to help us remember the vocabulary and phrases associated with clothing.

GRADE 2/3

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Tomorrow we plan to spend the afternoon at Crown Ridge. We will leave the school at 1 pm and be back for the busses. Please send booster seats, if necessary. If you are able to drive, please let me know. We are short one driver.

In Creation Studies, we will be studying the characteristics of gasses.

Spelling:

Gr. 2—point, noise, soil, royal, boy, soy, toy, Roy, annoy, Joy/joy, ahoy, enjoy, destroy, Troy

Gr. 3—fur, wound, lawn, moose, papoose, tomato, potato, native, reason, kept, both, mad

WWW—confusion, vacation, question

Extra—Spanish, reasonable, explorers, settlers, maddening

French— We are learning about the different seasons and the types of weather that accompany each season.

Gr. 3 Math—Test on sorting and data management on Thursday.

GRADE 4

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Spelling lesson 23 see Spelling City. Most words this week are from our novel "Number the Stars".

Friday - Math test on measurement (time, money, capacity, mass)

Writing - Poetry, some writing assignments will need to be done at home.

Book Report - April 4 - Posters will be provided - some time will be given to type at school. Illustrations should be done on your own.

French- This week, students will begin a new unit Bonne Collation, Bonne Nutrition!

Pulleys & Gears test this Friday—Review began today. We are beginning a new Bible unit. We are working on badminton and fitness in Phys. Ed.

This week we will be graphing our snack preferences.

GRADE 5/6

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I hope you had a great weekend!

Grade 5/6 have a Spelling Test on Lesson 20 this week. We will be having a Bible Test on Friday. Social Studies Test next Monday. Other than that, it's business as usual in Grade 5/6. A bunch of units are just starting after the March Break, so no assignments or tests to report on. Have a great week!

French - Students will be creating posters displaying one type of conflict resolution strategy that we have learned about. We will also be completing some review activities.

GRADE 7

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Writing due Tuesday

Lit. Test—Thursday

Math Test going home to be signed.

Current Events: Tuesday-Catherine

Thursday-Talia

Art is due Friday

French - This week we will be learning about the main components of a news broadcast. We will be reading about the history of media in Canada.

Reminder to return report card envelopes

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Current events: Morgan & Emily

Tuesday—Writing due

Thursday: Spelling test

Friday—Art due

French - This week we will be learning about the main components of a news broadcast. We will be reading about the history of media in Canada.

Grad pictures will be taken on Tuesday, May 2 at 10 am sharp.

QCHS REGISTRATION:

Quinte Christian High School is currently accepting registration for the 2017-18 academic year, registration forms are due March 31st. Packages can be picked up at the school office or found online at www.qchs.ca.

Our principal, John VanderWindt, would love to meet with you, if you have any questions or give you a tour of our school. Please contact him at principal@qchs.ca.

SPIRIT BORNE PERFORMING ARTS

TEAM—Inviting all Grade 7 & 8 students to join our Spirit Borne Performing Arts team on Tuesday, March 28 from 7-8:30 pm at Calvary Community Church. We are looking for students interested in joining the team for next year. Come out and meet team members, find out what it means to be a part of Spirit Borne and sign up for an audition. For more information, contact Rikki-Anne McNaught rikki-anne@qyfc.com.