



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 6, 2017

From the PrincipAL's Desk

During the TCS 60th Anniversary evening celebration I shared the following poem by Russell Kelfer.

YOU ARE WHO YOU ARE FOR A REASON.

*You are who you are for a reason. You're part of an intricate plan.
 You're a precious and perfect unique design, Called God's special woman or man.
 You look like you look for a reason. Our God made no mistake.
 He knit you together within the womb. You're just what He wanted to make.
 The parents you had were the ones He chose, And no matter how you may feel,
 They were custom-designed with God's plan in mind,
 And they bear the Master's seal.
 No, that trauma you faced was not easy. And God wept that it hurt you so;
 But it was allowed to shape your heart, So that into His likeness you'd grow.
 You are who you are for a reason, You've been formed by the Master's rod.
 You are who you are, beloved, Because there is a God!*
 by Russell Kelfer

May you all enjoy a safe and wonderful March Break.

SCIENCE FAIR EXHIBITION: Students in grades 5-8 have been working hard on completing their Science Fair Projects. On Wednesday, March 8th from 1:00-2:30 pm the projects will be on display in the gym. Parents and friends are **welcome**.

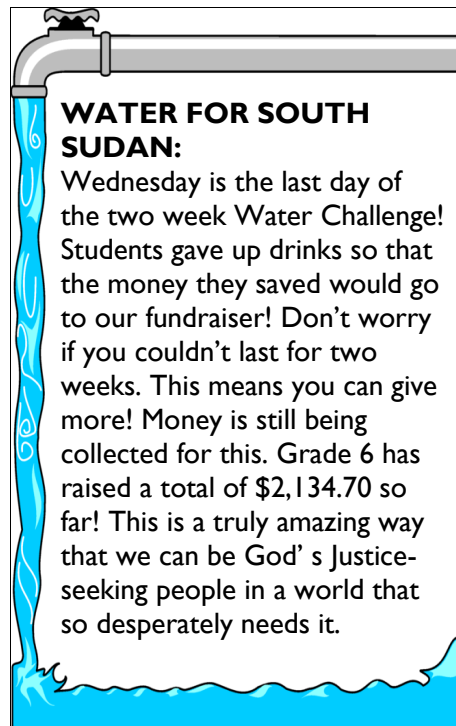
FROM FINANCE— Tax receipts and intention forms were sent home on Feb. 17 with your children. **Please be sure to return the orange intention forms (along with the deposit cheque) before THIS THURSDAY**, as this is important information for us for planning for the next school year. If you have a child ready to start JK next year, we will be sending registration forms home this week for you to complete and return. Thanks for your assistance in helping us prepare for the 2017-18 school year.

Sports—

Jr. Basketball— This Thursday we will be participating in our Jr. Basketball tournament at Prince Charles School. We will need 3 drivers to transport us to and from the school. We plan to leave TCS at 8:30 am and be back in time for busses. Please let me know if you can help llammers@trentonchristianschool.com

Sr. Basketball— Good job TCS student representing Trenton at the District Basketball tournament last week. PLEASE make sure you bring back jerseys.

CHESS CLUB— Will begin this week Wednesday with Colin Leaver at the noon hour break in the Science Room for Gr. 3-8.



COMMUNITY EVENTS

SIGNS & WONDERS—Free Concert—A vibrant worship experience “The sound of a transformed generation” by a family of orphans from Uganda—Watoto Children’s Choir—**MARCH 16, 7 pm @ Ebenezer CRC**

CHRIST IN THE PASSOVER—**Jews for Jesus Presents—**at Ebenezer CRC-March 26 at 6 pm

TRENTON WESLEYAN CHURCH- Dedication of new church building at 274 Dug Hill Road. Join us for Open House from 3 pm—4 pm, Dedication service at 4 pm and Sean Dayton concert at 7 pm. Come celebrate God’s goodness with us .

LITTLE SPARKS

We will be wrapping up our 'All about me' unit this week! It has been so wonderful getting to know each other just a little bit better. God has made each of us so very special, we are so precious to Him. Thank you for sending your children with items for our Show and Share day! We look forward to seeing what our Tuesday and Wednesday group will bring to school as well! All About Me books will be sent home early next week. Have a wonderful March break!

JK

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This week we will continue to explore types of toys that use different sources of power - springs and gravity. We welcome donations of paper towel and toilet paper rolls, as well as small cardboard boxes (Kleenex, cracker, cereal...) as we make our own toys.

Letter 'B,b' will be our focus in Language Arts this week.

This week we will wrap up our time in the Old Testament by reading stories of Elijah. In Mathematics we will conclude our unit on shapes this week.

Portfolios and report cards will be sent home with your child on Wednesday. Have a safe and blessed March Break!

SK

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It is hard to believe that March Break is almost here and winter is almost over! Report cards will go home on Wednesday with binder Portfolios. Online portfolios will be emailed this week, too. It has been a pleasure to assess your children. They have grown so much this year! This week we will focus on our March throughline, creation enjoying, through songs and devotions. We will continue our health topics about relating our feelings to our friendships. An important letter went home last week about our upcoming topics after the March Break. Please let me know if you did not get one. The next post on the blog will be sent this weekend and will combine last week with this week's activities. If your child signed up for the H2O challenge, please bring money to school by Wednesday. Blessings on your March Break!

KINDERSURPRISE

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We will continue to focus on our throughline for this month, Creation-enjoying. We made a list of things we enjoy in creation and will spend time wondering, researching and exploring. There was interest in trees so I am asking each student to bring a branch from one of their trees to school this week. We will talk about the changes in trees from winter to spring. The next post on the blog will come out this weekend. Have a great March break!

GRADE 1

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Thank you to all the parents who came along to the zoo on Friday. We had a great day.

This week we are wrapping up our animal unit with project presentations and our test on Thursday. A review sheet will come home today to help prepare.

Spelling: like, your, from, it, said.

Word family: -ight (light, sight, tight, ...).

Challenge words: Canada, people, always.

Test will be on Thursday

Bible: We are hearing the stories of David and Goliath and David and Jonathan.

Math: We are starting a new unit on number patterns.

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

Have a good break.

GRADE 2/3

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Welcome to another week.

In Bible, we will learn about how God used Queen Esther to save a nation.

We will also spend time experimenting with solids, liquids and gasses.

Spelling test on Thursday.

Gr. 2—their, there, they're, when, other, mother, brother, grandmother, smother, bother

Gr. 3—picture, music, hunting, running, coming, sold, visit, alone, applies, card, text, hope

WWW—I'm, that's, it's, its

Extra—cardboard, secondly, rhyming, heaven

Gr. 3—New Math unit: Sorting and Data Management

French—Last week we focused on the weather element of temperature to learn phrases such as, 'Il fait froid', 'Il fait frais', 'Il fait chaud.' This week we will learn different phrases and vocabulary that describe the sky.

Have a blessed holiday.

GRADE 4

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Spelling Lesson 21 see spelling city. Reminder for students to choose a novel to work on individual book reports.

Great work on learning time tables.

I wish you all a wonderful March Break.

French—This week students will be completing their culminating activity - a poster to display a season and different aspects of that season.

GRADE 5/6

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No Spelling Test because of the short week.

Grade 5/6 students have a junior basketball tournament on Thursday this week. Talk to Lisa Lammers if you have questions about times.

Science Fair project is due on Wednesday this week. An open house is being held in the gym between 1:00pm-2:30pm on Wednesday afternoon in the gym.

Tuesday we will be presenting them in front of the class. French—Students will continue working with the verbs 'vouloir' and 'pouvoir'. We will begin practicing oral vocabulary and doing some role playing. Have a great March Break!!!!

GRADE 7

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Science fair this week, I look forward to watching the students in action. We are wrapping up our math unit this week with review and test well after match break.

Current events Tues: Matt; Thurs: Dylan. Spelling test this Thursday. French—They will use question words such as 'qui', 'quand', 'qu'est-ce que', 'pourquoi', 'ou', et 'comment' to formulate possible questions to ask during an interview.

Tuesday: History project is due. Science:

Next important dates are:

-March 6/7: Class Presentations (Project Reports will be shared in class)

-March 8: TCS Science Fair in the gym. Have a great break!

GRADE 8

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Current events: Rachel and Stephen

Tuesday: History project is due

Thursday: Spelling test

French—They will use question words such as 'qui', 'quand', 'qu'est-ce que', 'pourquoi', 'ou', et 'comment' to formulate possible questions to ask during an interview.

Science:

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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.