



BULLETIN

TRENTON CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

April 9, 2018

THEME: We are His

"1 John 3:1

"See what great love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God! And that is what we are! The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him."



From the PrincipAL's Office:

Last evening I took some time to watch the broadcast of the Prayer Vigil for the 15 team members who were killed in the bus accident, and the 14 survivors in hospital of the Humboldt Broncos hockey team. The team chaplain shared an emotional message, including how he was dealing with two questions that families, friends, teammates, classmates and the community are asking; Why did this happen? Where is God in all this? His response was very moving.

Even though there may be those really dark days when we "walk through the valley of the shadow of death", God is there. He is the great comforter and healer. Through the working of the Holy Spirit, may He continue to Breathe on us His mercy and peace to those who are in need of His special love.

The following powerful words from **Psalm 23** were shared a number of times during the service:

*The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not be in want.
He makes me lie down in green pastures,
He leads me beside quiet waters, He restores my soul.
He guides me in paths of righteousness for His name's sake.
Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil, for you are with me;
Your rod and your staff, they comfort me.
You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies.
You anoint my head with oil, my cup overflows.
Surely goodness and love will follow me all the days of my life,
And I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.*

"We want to show our support to the families of the Humboldt Broncos. They are currently going through a tragedy that no family or community should experience. As hockey families we are here for you!

On Thursday, April 12, 2018 we will wear our jerseys to show our support and send our love.

Please join us in supporting these families. Wear your jersey to school, work, anywhere you go!"
(Facebook/Jersey Day-Support for the Humboldt Broncos)



Thank you to all the Saturday volunteers! We greatly appreciate your time and service. We are still in need of volunteers for Saturday, April 14 and beyond. There is a sign up sheet in the office for the available Saturdays. **Please help us out by filling in your name when you are available to help or email me at index@bellnet.ca or sign up at <http://signup.com/go/QRGFpD>** (just cut and paste into address line)

Thank you, Henrietta Indewey

PRAYER CORNER:

Please keep all those affected by the Humboldt Broncos tragedy in your prayers.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Apr 20—PA Day (date change)
- Apr 27—Grandparents day
- May 1—Celebration of Learning
- June 2—TCS Baseball Tournament



Spring plant SALE Perfect timing for Mother's day! Shop our annual spring plant sale on **Friday, May 4 from 3-4 p.m. and Saturday, May 5th.** 10", 12" planters and assorted hanging baskets will be available for purchase. All proceeds will go to TCS.



FRIDAY, APR. 27@ 9 am—Invitations went home last 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. We are also in need of large pots of soup. If you are able to contribute in this way please contact the school office.**** As always, we need you to help contribute towards the luncheon for the Grandparents as follows: Last names starting with...
A-I— 2 doz. pieces of peanut-free baking
K-R— Twelve individual yogurts
S-Z—2 large cans of apple juice

SCHOOL/COMMUNITY NEWS:



Friday, April 13 is Gum and Hat day! You must have a gum license to chew at school. Gum licenses can be purchased for \$1.00 or you may get creative and sing to Ms. Courneyea or Student Council at recess this week.

Don't get caught without a license! Please bring your own gum but if you forget, you can buy a piece from Ms. Courneyea for 0.25\$.

All proceeds made will go directly back to student council!

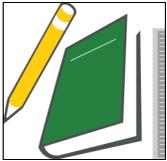
CELEBRATION OF LEARNING! This is our Big Spring Event!

Please mark your calendar for Tuesday, May 1 at 6:30 - 8:00 pm to join us at TCS.

The purpose of this evening is for students to share their learning with our families and extended community members. There will be presentations, performances, displays, and discussions all around the school. TCS students have worked very hard this year and are ready to share with you what they have learned.

Invitations will be coming home this week, so please invite your friends, neighbours, and community members to join us.

****We will provide babysitting at the school for toddlers.****



Our T&F date is tentatively set for Thursday, May 17 with rain date of Friday, May 18 at Trenton High School Track. To help this day run smoothly we need volunteers. Please consider helping out for a few hours or for the day. We will be emailing a schedule soon to give you a choice where you can help out. Please look for it. Thank you

LITTLE CAESAR PIZZA FUNDRAISER:

The grade eights are running a pizza fundraiser to raise money to help pay for their class trip to Ottawa.

Order forms were handed out to all the students last week, so please help to support the grade eights and order some pizza.

Order forms and payments are **due back to the school by Wednesday, April 18.**



July 16-20, 2018

9am-3pm

This athletic development multi-sport camp invite athletes aged 8 – 12 to develop fundamental skills and engage in healthy competition while learning from AIA certified coaches. Every camper gets the individual attention they need to grow as a whole person, physically, mentally, socially, and spiritually. Register today for the TOTAL ATHLETE experience.

All activities will be held at Trenton High School.

Registration is \$65 per child. Register at Ebenezer Christian Reformed Church during office hours or online at [Registration](#)

Annual Christian Tri-Schools Golf Tournament---
Saturday, May 26 2018 @ Timber Ridge Golf Course. Come on out and support the Christian Schools. Shotgun start @ 8:30am - Scramble Format.

Registration Fee: \$100 Adult and \$85 Student, includes dinner! Great prizes and contests.

Please register before May 16th to secure your spot, late registration fee of \$10 per person will apply after May 16th. Register online at qchs.ca, then pay by e-transfer to finance@qchs.ca or call QCHS at 613-968-7870

CLASSROOM NEWS:

3 DAY KINDERGARTEN

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We are very excited about our trip to the Quinte West Fire Station on Wednesday. There is a more detailed letter coming home with your child (ren) today. Please remember to send car seats to school on Wednesday.

This trip is a wonderful way to begin our unit on 'Community Helpers'. We thank God for men and women who serve in so many different ways in our communities. This week we will be working with the letter 'W'.

In Mathematics we continue to work with shapes. SK's have a special assignment to work on at home. Please return special assignment to school on Friday.

We continue to learn about Jesus' power to heal the sick and perform miracles. Our verse for the week comes from Matthew 19:26 - Jesus looked at them and said, "With man this is impossible, but with God all things are possible."

5 DAY KINDERGARTEN

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Our theme verse for this week comes from Matthew 19:26: "Jesus looked at them and said, "With man this is impossible, but with God all things are possible." The SKs will learn this for memory work For Friday. As we wait for Spring and study God's creation around us, we will be reminded that God keeps his promises and can do anything. Our Bible stories also remind us that God does not need a big strong army to defeat Israel's enemies as we study the stories of Samson this week. This week we will explore balls that bounce and connect it to gravity. Our letter for this week is Ww. Kindergarten is excited to be nearing the end of the alphabet! Thank you for the donations of boxes and tubes. Students have enjoyed making big and small robots.

GRADE I

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Bible: We are going back to the stories of King Saul, David and Goliath and Saul chasing David.

Our new memory work is Proverbs 3:5, "Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding" Math: our new unit is on measurement. This week we will learn about length, comparing lengths, and ordering lengths. Creation Studies: we will be finalizing our BluePrints for our class project this week. We will learn about tools that we use to build and what shapes, forms make a structure strong.

Spelling: of, with, her, these, his
Word family: -eat (meat, beat, heat, cheat...) challenge words: thank you, better, dear

Art Fair: We will be painting on Tuesday and Friday this week.

French: We are completing centre activities that help us to remember weather elements and phrases in French.

GRADE 2

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Welcome to another week. We are busy getting ready for our Celebration of Learning taking place on May 1st. Our class is excited to share our learning with friends and family!

Spelling test: Friday, Lesson 25
Spelling Words: won, one, new, knew, mail, nail, sail, pail, snail, quail, jail, hail, frail, trail, trailer, tail, fail
Memory Work: Due April 19,
John 13: 34, 35
French: We are beginning a new unit 'Mon Corps' (My Body)

GRADE 3

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Division quizzes will go home this week, no need to sign them, just have a peek at them. We are moving onto fractions.

In Bible, we are going to study the Israelites time in the desert on their way to the promise land.
Spelling words (also on spelling city): finally, probably, heard, once, another, believe, thought, everything, caught, what, usually, everyone, happened, especially, morning, tired.

Memory Work due Friday: The 10 commandments (students will come home with a copy)
This Friday is gum and hat day! \$1.00 for a license and \$0.25 for gum!

Little Caesar pizza orders forms are due April 18th.
French: This week we will be learning about different objects found in the classroom.

GRADE 4/5

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Math 4: We are beginning perimeter and area this week.
Math 5: Review begins today for our unit test on Wednesday. Extra practice on long division with decimals will go home today.
Science: Short naming bones quiz Thursday (Gr. 4) and Friday (Gr. 5). We begin studying the muscular system this week.
French: This week we will be learning vocabulary that will help us to have a relay game.

**** All students grade 4-8 in Music will be performing at the Celebration of Learning on May 1st.****

Birthdays:

Apr. 8 Karys M.—Gr. 2
Apr. 10 Brodey B.—Gr. 8
Apr. 14 Ayanna D.—Gr. 4
April 13 Jennifer V.—Gr. 4
April 15 Malachi H.—Gr. 3

May you have a blessed day!

GRADE 6/7

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April 13: Gum and Hat Day - 1\$ for a gum licence
Spelling Test: Lesson 23 - Friday
Grade 7 Math: House Project - calculating square footage and costs
Grade 7 Literature: Writing Extended Metaphor poems
Grade 6 Literature: **Special Opportunity!** A letter containing details about a special class outing for Grade 6 students will come home today. We need parental feedback about the trip by this **Wednesday, April 11th.**
Grade 6/7 Bible: The Big Picture - Understanding God's story
Grade 6/7 Social Studies: Studying Climate and Climographs
French: We will be starting a new unit called 'Mystères sous-marins'.

GRADE 7/8

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Thanks to all the parents and students who sent in pictures for the graduation slide show. Keep them coming.
We are in the midst of our Little Caesar Pizza fundraiser.
Current events: Rachel and Brodey
Tuesday: grade 8 math test
Thursday: grade 7 spelling test
Friday: grade 8 spelling test
Geography: Recently we have been discussing in class how Fair Trade products can be a viable option for us at school and in our families. Talk to your student about some of these ideas. We look forward to sharing some during our Celebration of Learning evening.
French: Our focus this week in French is developing reading and comprehension skills as we are reading and learning about the Acadian Festival of Caraquet, New Brunswick
Pizza fundraiser orders are due by Wednesday, April 18.

Updated schedule of dates and events for Grade 8's:

1. April: Little Caesar Pizza fundraiser
2. Wednesday, May 2: Graduation pictures will be taken at 10 am SHARP
3. May: Two day Ottawa class trip.
4. Friday, June 15: Last day of class.
5. Monday, June 18: Graduation.