



2022-2023

# Weekly Journal



## Looking Ahead:

<b>Mon. Oct. 10</b>		
<b>Tues. Oct. 11</b>	Cross Country Run	1:20 p.m.
<b>Wed. Oct. 12</b>	Chapel Library	
<b>Thurs. Oct. 13</b>	Mom's Pantry Forms Due Rain Date for Cross Country Run	
<b>Fri. Oct. 14</b>	Fun Day	

## School News & Updates:

**22/23 Phone Directories** are coming home today with the oldest child in the family. Please look it over and check that your information is accurate.

**Scholastic Flyers** are attached to today's journal and are also available online at the following link: [DIGI FLY New Oct22 FIN-WEB \(scholastic.ca\)](https://www.scholastic.ca). If you wish to place an order, please use the code RC237861 as it gives you free shipping and gives the school bonus coupons for teachers to use. Also, please keep in mind that while there are many fantastic deals in the flyers, discernment will need to be used for some titles. Thank you!

**Cross Country Running:** Tomorrow is the big day for TBCS Cross country athletes! Just a reminder to be at Kamview by 10:15 a.m. as we need to get our race numbers and to do a group warm up. Let's pray for a great day for the kids and good weather.

**Seesaw:** Seesaw is our new communication system for teachers to post announcements and to send individual messages/reminders as needed. Please check this daily. 😊

**The Bus/Transportation Committee** is still looking for bus drivers! If we have more drivers, we may be able to add a 4<sup>th</sup> run which will shorten the bus ride for many of the students.

## School News & Updates:

**Daily Pick up/Drop off Procedure Update – Effective Today:** The office needs to have documentation of student attendance and whereabouts. This is a liability issue; it is our legal responsibility to confirm where each child is, is going and with whom. If they are not on school transportation after school we need to be able to confirm we were given confirmation by the parent/guardian whom they are leaving with and that they indeed leave with the person specified by the parent. Please remember parents need to call the office if your child's normal bus routine is changing or if they are being picked up. **Please email changes or call the office by 2:45pm each day.** The end of the day tends to be very hectic in the office, so this gives us enough time to communicate with each teacher/driver which children are going where. If you email after 2:45 the office may not receive it, if you do not receive a response to your email please come to the office when you pick up your child/ren and confirm with the office where the child went and with whom so that we have documentation (do not just tell the bus driver, please let the office know as well). At the end of the day all children being picked up will be in the front foyer by the office. The Office has a list/documentation of who is being picked up, the secretary will let each child/family go when they confirm the parent guardian picking up to the list. So please either give us a wave or make yourself visible so we can confirm all children are safely going with the correct person. **Attendance and confirming missing students are a legal obligation as well.** So, also, in the morning if your child is absent, please confirm with a call or email to the office. If we do not receive an email/call, the office calls to confirm the missing student with the parent/guardian. Thanks for your assistance with this, any questions do not hesitate to contact Jolene Makkinga, hopefully it is smooth sailing.

**TBCS Bazaar November 17 & 18, 2022** is quickly approaching! Countdown is on until the doors fly open to welcome the community back to our favourite school event. Kids, get excited as the games have returned! And adults, we are bringing back some vintage games, too – including bean bag toss, photo ops with painted stands, fishpond, hockey shoot and let's not forget the jail! Items for the auction have started to trickle in and they are fabulous! We have two sides of pork, campfire cooking equipment, handwoven lap blankets and large canvas art from students! Check the journal/website weekly for item updates. Volunteer opportunities will also be posted soon so please prayerfully consider donating some time to help run the events. Again, we are requesting the community's prayers for our event and His blessing on it. Any further questions or ideas, please do not hesitate to contact one of the bazaar committee members or the chair of the committee, Jason Buitenhuis.

**Last Week for Mom's Pantry:** All orders and payments need to be in the office by **Thursday, October 13**, and expected delivery date is Thursday, November 3. Online order at [www.momspantry.ca](http://www.momspantry.ca). Please use order number: **358704** and group password: **11479**. Payment can be cash, cheque (payable to TBCS Student Fund), or by Visa/Mastercard, American Express (fill in the portion on the form). Thank you for your support!

**Lost & Found:** We have two lost and found bins. One right in front of the school office and one around the corner from the Grade 1/2 room. Please make a habit of checking on a regular basis for any lost items. It would also be helpful if clothes and personal items are labeled with a name. Thank you for your assistance!

**Playground Volunteers:** We still have some afternoon spots available if you would like to come out to help, please call or email the office. Recess times are 10:40-11 a.m. and 1:10-1:45 p.m. Anyone can volunteer for this, and you are welcome to take your little ones along. If it's raining or temperatures are below -28 with the wind chill, it is an indoor recess.

**Nominations to T.B.C.S. School Board:** Three full term vacancies are anticipated this coming year. The Board, acting as a nominating committee, would like names presented from the membership for consideration. Please submit names in written format to a Board member before October 18, 2022. Please confirm with nominee their acceptance of being nominated. The Board will be presenting a slate of candidates prior to the Annual Fall Membership meeting at which election of Board members will take place.