

## The Friday Bulletin – Friday, April 16, 2021



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### Special Dates:

April 16: 4th Quarter Midterm  
April 17: Family Preview Experience (must pre-register)  
April 23: 4th Quarter Midterm Reports sent home for grades 3-8  
April 30: Grandparents/Special Persons Day, Early Dismissal at 11:20 AM  
April 30: Fine Arts Fair starting at 6 PM, Spring Program at 7:30 PM  
May 1: Mileage Reimbursement Form Due to YOUR PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT  
May 3: K-2 Field Trip to Blank Park Zoo  
May 4: 3-4 Farm Safety Day Field Trip  
May 5: All Emergency Drills Run-through  
May 6: 3-4 Field Trip to Marshalltown Animal Rescue League  
May 11: 5-6 Field Trip to State Capitol in Des Moines  
May 14: All School Field Trip to Mrs. Smith's Iowa River Greenbelt Camp  
May 20: 8th Grade Graduation at 7 PM  
May 24 & 25: Junior High trip to Village Creek Bible Camp  
May 26: End of 4th Quarter, Sports Day, Early Dismissal at 1:15 PM

### Hot Lunch:

Hot Lunch Prices: K-3rd: \$2.40, 4th-8th: \$2.50, Guests/Adults \$3.85

**Servers:** Mon, April 19: **WESSELS** - Tues, April 20: **EVIE HAUPT** -

Wed, April 21: **BAKKER** - Thurs, April 22: **ROZELLA RIEBKES** - Fri, April 23: **WORIES**

### Announcements & News:

**Battle of the Books:** Congratulations to Timothy Christian School's Battle of the Books team, Tiger Tales! They placed 8th overall in the competition!

**Auction Net Profit:** We are excited to share that our first-ever online auction made a net profit of approximately \$55,500! We are so excited that we could still have an auction and are thankful to our donors, sponsors, advertisers, and bidders.

**Grandparents/Special Persons Day:** Two invitations were sent home last week to give out. Guests should arrive at 10:30 AM on **Friday, April 30**. As a reminder, there will be an early out at 11:20 AM, and that evening is the Fine Arts Fair and Spring Concert.

**Fine Arts Fair and Spring Program:** We are looking forward to the Fine Arts Fair on Friday, April 30. ALL grades, K-8, will be a part of the Spring program at 7:30 PM. Students in grades 3-8 have the opportunity to do up to 3 musical pieces for the Fine Arts Fair portion starting at 6:00 PM. Please review the green sheet in your packet to see if your child is participating in this segment of the evening. We ask that you sign the paper and return it by **Wednesday, April 14th**.

A couple of things to note for that evening:

- We want our seats to be available for our guests! Therefore, we are encouraging the students to leave the space open for parents, grandparents, etc. With that in mind, we will be having a run-through on Wednesday, April 28th, for the whole school. This will allow the kids the chance to listen, encourage, and take part in the festivities!
- We ask that families with students in K-2 only do not come until 7:15 PM. There will be no supervision as teachers and older students are very busy until that time.

**Romans 6:23** "For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord."

**Drivers Needed:** As you consider being a driver, please note drivers act as chaperones so children outside of the class are not allowed to come along on field trips.

**Kindergarten-2nd Grade Field Trip:** The Kindergarten through 2nd-grade students will be traveling to the Blank Park Zoo on **Monday, May 3**. Mrs. Bader and Ms. Janssen are in need of drivers. There are 22 students to be transported, so they need your help! The plan is to leave TC at 8:20 AM and return at 3:30 PM. Please contact Diane in the office if you can help in this way.

A few things to remember regarding this trip: 1) everyone needs to bring their own lunch and drink, 2) masks are required at the zoo, 3) bring a couple of dollars to buy ice cream, and 4) provide a booster seat if your child needs one.

**3rd/4th Grade Field Trips:** On **Tuesday, May 4** students are attending Farm Safety Day in Grundy Center. They will leave TC at 8:30 AM and arrive back at 2:30 PM. Drivers are needed. If you are able to drive, please contact Mrs. Donald or Diane in the office.

Mrs. Donald has enough drivers for the **Thursday, May 6** trip to the Animal Rescue League.

**5th/6th Grade Field Trip:** Mrs. McLean has enough drivers for the **Tuesday, May 11** field trip to the House of Compassion and the Iowa State Capitol. Thank you!

**Lawn Mowing Sign-Up:** A lawn mowing sign-up sheet was sent out via email on Tuesday, April 13. In today's packet is an information sheet with more information. Please sign up to mow on the google sheet and help us keep the school grounds looking great all summer. Thank you!

**RAGBRAI Fundraiser:** Please put **Wednesday, July 28** on your calendars! RAGBRAI will be traveling through Parkersburg and TC is planning to have some form of fundraiser. More details will be shared as plans are made.

#### **Mr. Akkerman - Development Director:**

**Possible Kindergarten Students:** If you know of a family who has a Kindergartener next Fall, please give them Mr. Akkerman's contact information. He would love to tell them about our school and answer any questions they may have.

Email: [dakkerman@timothychristianschool.net](mailto:dakkerman@timothychristianschool.net) - cell phone: 319-243-9890

#### **Chapel and Memory Work:**

**Today's Chapel:** Thank you, Chip Daleske, administrator of Camp Quaker Heights near Eldora, for sharing in chapel today. There are many things that we focus on, but Chip reminded us of the importance of focusing on Jesus. Ask your children about Chip's juggling and balance board!

**Next Week's Chapel:** Staff and students will gather in the gym for pledges, announcements, and a song before going to their classrooms for Hope Groups discussion time.

#### **Week of April 12-23:**

*Topic:* Transforming Faith: Wrong into Right

*Learning Target:* I can pray for the opportunity to share Jesus with someone.

*Memory Verse:* "Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here!" 2 Corinthians 5:17

#### **Reminders:**

**Mileage Reimbursement Form:** A mileage reimbursement form is in today's packet. The completed form is due to YOUR PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT by May 1, 2021.

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