

# FEBRUARY 2024

# **DATES TO REMEMBER**

# **NO SCHOOL**

- Friday, February 16<sup>th</sup> –
   Professional Development Day

   There will be no school for Pre-K-12<sup>th</sup> students due to Teacher Professional Development Day.
   K-8<sup>th</sup> grade Extended Care will NOT be offered.
- Monday, February 19<sup>th</sup> Presidents Day There will be no school for K-12<sup>th</sup> and Half Day Pre-K students due to Presidents Day. Full Day Pre-K classes will continue as usual. K-8<sup>th</sup> grade Extended Care will be offered. Email Emma Dieterle (edieterle@tcs4u.org) by February 14<sup>th</sup> if you are interested in your child participating in Extended Care





(Pictured: 1st grade students celebrating 100 Days of School)

# **SUMMER DAY CAMP**

Enrollment is now open for TCS' Summer Day Camp. The summer program is designed for children ages 3 to 7 (those who have just completed 2<sup>nd</sup> grade) to have fun while learning about the Bible and reviewing core subjects. The camp offers resource classes such as arts and crafts, music, PE, water days, and library time. The Summer Camp runs from May 29<sup>th</sup> through August 7<sup>th</sup>. For more information about Summer Day Camp visit the website

# **ACADEMICS**

### MATH OLYMPICS

Qualifying students in grades 3-8 will be participating the ACSI Math Olympics on **Thursday, February 22**<sup>nd</sup>. The Math Olympics is a series of timed tests that are given in a series of rounds. Each student competes against other students in his or her grade and category. The areas of competition include arithmetic computation and mathematical reasoning. Congratulations to the students who qualified for the Math Olympics.

# **FAFSA NIGHT**

A LU representative will be at TCS on **Thursday, February 15**<sup>th</sup> at **7:00pm** in the computer lab. The representative will assist the parents of seniors in filling out the FAFSA (Free Application For Federal Student Aid) form. This is a form that is required of all students looking to receive financial aid towards college tuition.



# **RE-ENROLLMENT 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR**

Re-enrollment (for current students) for the 2024-2025 school year is open and spots are filling. <u>Please note:</u> FACTS has merged FACTS FINANCIAL (*tuition payment account*) with the FACTS Family Portal (*enrollment, grades, homework, etc.*). Parents will now access all financial AND academic information through your FACTS Family Portal.



# **CLASS RINGS**

A Jostens representative will visit TCS on **Thursday, February 22**<sup>nd</sup> to provide students with information about class ring purchases. Students and parents can call 1-800-(JOSTENS) 567-8367 to pre-pay with a credit card, should they so choose.

# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

# HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS SLEEPOVER

TCS is hosting a High School Girls' Sleepover on **Friday** and **Saturday**, **February 2**<sup>nd</sup> – **3**<sup>rd</sup>, **2024**. The girls will have a jam-packed night of fun, food, and excitement. The event is free and is open only to 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade female TCS students.

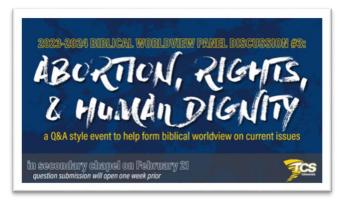




# VALENTINES FUNDRAISER

Send a message and something sweet to a student, teacher, or staff member at TCS and support the Junior Class as they to raise funds for their Spring Break trip during senior year. The Junior Class will be selling Valentine's notes and candy **February 5**<sup>th</sup> through the **9**<sup>th</sup>. Valentine options include: Ring pops for \$2, candy boxes for \$3, and either the candy or ring pop with a balloon for \$5.

Orders can be given to the main office or to a junior classman. Candy and messages will be delivered on **Wednesday, February 14**<sup>th</sup>.



# **BIBLICAL WORLDVIEW PANEL DISCUSSION**

On **Wednesday, February 21**st, TCS will hold a special secondary chapel featuring a biblical defense of the sanctity of life. Dr. Bryan Ferrell will share on abortion, rights, & human dignity. He will participate in a panel discussion with volunteers from the Blue Ridge Pregnancy Center.

# WINTER SPORTS AWARDS

TCS will host the Winter Sports Awards on **Tuesday, March 5**<sup>th</sup> **at 6pm** in the gymnatorium.

# **SAVE THE DATE**

It's just two months away! Save the date for the fifth annual TCS Fun Run and Carnival on **Saturday, April 13<sup>th</sup>.** TCS will be looking for both vendors and sponsors for this event. Stay tuned for additional information about the Fun Run and details on becoming a vendor or sponsor.



# TIMBERLAKE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL FUN RUN & CARNIVAL

# SPRING MUSICAL

We are excited for the upcoming musical, The Lion King Jr. Performances will be the first weekend in May and tickets will go on sale this Spring.

# **FOCUS ON SERVICE**

# **BAKE SALE!**

The elementary classes will be holding bake sales through the month of February during K-12 lunchtimes. All proceeds will go directly to the missions' projects with Allow the Children Ministries. Allow the Children's child sponsorship program provides food, clothing, and education for children in Nicaragua, Burundi, Nepal, Mexico, Bangladesh, and Ghana. Thank you for your support!

### SCHOOL EXPANSION

We have raised 25% of our overall funds for the 10,620 sq/ft expansion on our school. We are planning to add two floors to the right of the existing building. If you'd like to contribute towards the expansion or check out our fundraising progress you can do so on the homepage of the school website.



# **MINISTRY FAIR**

We are getting excited for our first ever TCS Ministry Fair! On **Friday, February 23**<sup>rd</sup>, secondary students will have the opportunity to interact with representatives from a variety of local nonprofits and ministries to discover ways that they can get involved in what the Lord is doing both in our community and around the world.

# "You are the salt of the earth, but if salt has lost its tasts, how shall lits saltliness be restored? It is no longer good for anything except to be thrown out and trampled under people's fleet. You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hidden. Nor do people light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on a stand, and it gives light to all in the house. He same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven." (Matthew 5:13-16, ESY) FEBRUARY 23 IN THE GYM learn about local ministries & nonprofits meet representatives and make connections discover how you can get involved

# **DRESS DOWN DAYS**

# PRE-K T-SHIRT DAY

Pre-K students will have a Pre-K t-shirt day on Friday, February 9th.

### **DRESS DOWN DAY**

There is a full dress down day for K-12 on Thursday, February 29th.

# **SPIRIT DAY**

Mark your calendar! **Friday, February 9**<sup>th</sup> and **Friday, February 23**<sup>rd</sup> are Spirit Days for all TCS staff and students. On Spirit Day, TCS students can show their school spirit by dressing down and wearing jeans along with a TCS spirit t-shirt. The spirit shirt must be visible.

# **TRUTH & LIGHT CONFERENCE**

# **TIMBERLAKE BAPTIST CHURCH CONFERENCE**

Timberlake Biblical Counseling and Training Center is excited to announce the 2024 Truth & Light Conference on March 1<sup>st</sup>- 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2024. It will feature nationally recognized leaders in practical theology and Bible teaching, pastors and authors Dr. Howard Eyrich and Smedley Yates. The theme of the conference is: Biblical Hope in the Midst of Grief. You can't afford to miss this great conference! It's our prayer that you will be equipped and encouraged at the 2024 Truth & Light Conference. For more information visit the Timberlake Biblical Counseling website.

