



WISE UP: WISE WORDS FROM PROVERBS

*"The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom,
and the knowledge of the Holy One is understanding"* Proverbs 9:10



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From The Principal's Desk:

Greetings TBCS,

**The Lion, the Witch,
and the Wardrobe**

Ready or not, here we go! The week of our performances is upon us. 100s of hours have been poured into this production, and now it is time to shine. The amount of talent and commitment to this production is beyond all expectations I had. I have been amazed daily as new props and costumes are added. The design of our sets are truly a work of art, the music is original and uplifting, and our actors have caused me to cry and laugh each time I watch them practice; they have grown so much. I am very excited to see them perform for you all. Thank you to the many supporting hands, some I know, and many who work behind the scenes. This was a community effort, and I am so very thankful! In case you are wondering, we still have tickets for sale. I would love to see a full audience supporting our students as they give their very best on May 1 and 2.

This coming Friday will be a wonderful experience for our students. Seeing grandparent and grandchild come together and share in the learning experience is a delight. Our community is blessed when generations gather together in love and support. Thank you to the teachers who prepared the students to present at the celebration. Thank you to members of the Promotion committee for decorating the gym and ordering the food and flowers. Thank you to the Grade 7 and 8 students for serving our guests. Thank you parents for your donation of baked goods. It is sure to be wonderful afternoon.
Shalom,
Mr. Alblas

Looking Ahead:

Monday	April 28	- TRIP orders due	9:00 am
Tuesday	April 29	- Narnia Practice at Redwood	8:50-12:00 pm
Wednesday	April 30	- Narnia Practice (Chapter 10-17) - Library Day - Playgroup	10:00-12:00 pm 12:00-end of day pm
Thursday	May 1	- Narnia Practice at Redwood	12:00 pm
Friday	May 2	- Hot Lunch (Pita/Hot Dogs) - Celebration Tea - TRIP Pickup - Narnia Performance	1:15 pm 3:30 pm 7:30 pm

From our School Community:

NARNIA UPDATE:

- **Monday April 28**
 - Practices will take place as needed, but only in the morning, with perhaps select scenes
 - Bring all sets, props, and costumes will take place at 1pm. **Volunteers are needed to assist with this.**
- **Tuesday April 29**
 - The whole school will be at Redwood from 8:50-12 pm
- **Wednesday April 30**
 - The whole school will be at Redwood from 12-3 pm
 - The applying of make-up will begin at school before we leave for Redwood
 - Grade 5-8 will be arriving at 12 pm
 - Grades JK-4 will be arriving at 1 pm
- **Thursday May 1**
 - Performance begins at 12:00 pm
 - We will be arriving at Redwood at 11:00 am for Grades 5-8
 - Grades JK-4 will be arriving at Redwood at 12:00 pm
- **Friday, May 2**
 - No Practices
 - Actors in Chapter 1-9 are asked to be at Redwood by 6:00 pm so make-up can be applied
 - All other actors are asked to be at Redwood by 7:00 pm

NARNIA TICKETS are still available, but get yours soon! For your convenience, there is an order form attached, so invite your grandparents, parents, brothers, sisters, aunts, uncles, cousins, friends, neighbours, co-workers-everyone will enjoy it! If seats are still available, tickets will also be sold at the door. The performance is on Friday, May 2, 7:30 pm, with doors opening at 7 pm. Tickets are \$12 per adult and \$7 per youth (17 years and younger) - TBCS students do not require tickets. Tickets are available at the school, Holland Bakery, and Twice as Nice.

TBCS 12th ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT:

June 14, 2012 - 9:30 am. 18 Hole, Best Ball, Shot Gun start at the beautiful Northern Lights Golf Complex. Information attached to today's journal.

Golf Tournament Needs:

Looking for donations of beef roasts for the Golf Tournament Lunch, any willing workers for the tournament day and your prayers during the planning of the event. Please contact Lorrie or Connie Dykstra if you can help us out.

SKATE-A-THON 2014: The total of money raised so far is an amazing **\$24,426.60! WOW!** Almost all of the families have handed in their sponsor sheets. Thank you. There is still an additional \$2,500.00 to be collected. The office will be letting families know this week which sponsors they need to collect from. Here is a list of some of our families with outstanding results:

Over \$2,000.00:

Isaiah & Alicia Netemegestic/Tanner & Kadenze Bertrand

Dawson, Julia, Lauren, Ava & Bradley Kaemingh
Matthew & Ryan Breukelman
Owen & Brooklyn Voortman

Over \$1,500.00: Pyatt, Ivy & Ruby Bolt

Over \$1,000.00:

Morgan & Mitchell Vanlenthe
Laura & Joanna Haveman/Glenn Dykstra
Jori, Elise, Tessa, Samuel & Kate Bakker

One Person Over \$1,000.00: Hope Grootenboer

One Person Over \$500.00:

Brendan Makkinga

MacKenzie Binderup

Avery Janssens

Thank you to everyone for making this year's skate-a-thon such a success!

THE NARNIA MATINEE is a go! This performance is on Thursday, May 1, 12-2 pm at Redwood Park Church. It is a good option for those who can't make it out Friday evening. The order form has been revised to include this performance, or tickets may be purchased at the door.

MAY CALENDAR is attached to today's Journal.

GRADE 7/8 PARENT MEETING: There will be a meeting on Tuesday, May 6, at 7:30 p.m. to discuss the upcoming Grade 8 graduation dinner. All Grade 7 parents are expected to help with this dinner, so please make every effort to attend the meeting. ***If one or two of the Gr. 7 parents is willing to be in charge of the dinner, please stop by the office for the graduation dinner file.*** Please bring \$10.00/family for the graduation cake as well. Current information regarding the Grade 8 Toronto trip will also be presented.

Dragonboat Festival 2014: A letter went home today with the grade 7/8 students. The date for the festival is [Saturday May 31](#). Please have the registration fee and consent form handed in by [May 5](#), so that I know how many students are interested and I can begin the registration process. If you need extra forms please let me know.

Miss Rekman

PIANO LESSONS: The piano lessons for April 29 and May 2 are **cancelled** due to Narnia production scheduling conflicts.

HOT LUNCH has been changed to Friday, May 2.

From the Classrooms:

JK & SK - Mrs. Kaemingh

May is just around the corner so please be on the lookout for the new newsletter/calendar coming home today or Wednesday (if JK student). If, by chance, yours doesn't turn up, please let me know and I will send home another. Thanks!

Grade 1 & 2 – Miss Rekman

Bible: The memory work will be the great commission take from Matthew 18b - 20. Students will be asked to recite the memory work on May 9. "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION WEEK: The theme is "Plant a Tree", based on Genesis 21:33, "*Abraham planted a tamarisk tree in Beersheba, and there he called upon the name of the Lord, the Eternal God*". The Celebration Tea for grandparents and special friends has been rescheduled for **Friday, May 2**. Refreshments will be served in the gym beginning at 1:15 p.m. A program will follow from 1:30-2:30 in which students from each class will be giving a short presentation, and, later, guests are invited to visit the classrooms.

Baking, baking...we need baking...: To serve our wonderful guests at the Celebration Tea, we need **nut-free** cookies/squares and/or dainties. If each family could please send a dozen cookies/squares, there would be a delicious variety to set on the tables. Please send the baking in by Friday morning.

MAY MILK FORM is attached to today's Journal. Please hand in completed forms by **Wednesday, April 30**.

BUS CHANGES: Jenny Groenheide will be driving the Giraffe bus from Thursday pm until Tuesday, May 6, am. Dan Breukelman will be driving the Cow bus during the same time.

Up & Coming:

Wednesday: Library Day

Thursday: April Reading forms can be returned please.

Friday: Celebration Tea (pm)

WWW: There is a quiz on Wednesday April 30.

Reading: Please also return the April reading log by May 2.

Science: We will be wrapping up our unit on matter and materials by learning about the 3 R's : reduce, reuse, and recycle. Throughout the week, I will be quizzing each of the students orally about what they have learned in this unit.

Library: Our class had their first perfect library day of the year! Let's see if we can do it again next week!

Grade 3 & 4 – Miss de Haan

Mad Minute packs will be sent home today. Grade 3's completed their Math tests this week. They are enclosed in the folders for you to view.

No new Spelling words will come home today. Next week we will start a review of the entire word

wall. A practice sheet will then come home to assist your child master the words.

Reading Records and Book Reports are due on Thursday if your son/daughter has not already completed it for the month of April.

Monday

Tuesday

Return folder

Wednesday

Library books due

-Memory Work due

Thursday

-Return Mad Minutes

-Reading Records/
Book Reports due

Friday

Grade 5 & 6 – Mrs. Himanen

Spring came and went last week and many of us are eagerly waiting for it to come back again for good! We are looking forward to getting outside more often for gym class and outdoor activities! It was another short, but busy, week! The students worked on their Mother's Day projects in between Narnia practices and their curriculum work.

We have finished reading *Frozen Fire*. Matthew and Kayak are finally rescued after the boys use both traditional and modern ways to signal for help. Matthew's father has now committed to staying in the Arctic to settle down and teach. He believes there are no riches to be found there anymore. He will sure be surprised when Matthew tells him about the gold that he and Kayak have discovered! Students will write a book test on Wednesday next week. They are going to spend some time working on group projects as a culminating activity for this novel.

The grade fives received their math tests back and will be starting a unit on dividing decimals. Students would benefit from brushing up on their knowledge of multiplication tables. The grade sixes zipped through the chapter on dividing decimals and will be ready for their chapter test on Tuesday.

Next Week:

Memory Work: Philippians 4: 11-13 (this will be worked on for several weeks)

Tuesday: Grade 6 math test - chapter 10

Wednesday: Literature book test on *Frozen Fire*

Due to the very busy Narnia practice and performance schedule, all due dates may be subject to change

(Thank you for sending in the sugar and jars for our Mother's Day project!)

Grade 9 & 10 – Miss Baxter, Mrs. Voortman, Mr. Himanen, Mrs. Hawkins

Art: Students will make their final finishing touches on their animal sculptures next week.

***Grade 10 Booster:** The Health Unit is unable to give the Gr. 10 students their booster shots at school this year. Please make alternative arrangements.

Music – Mrs. Hawkins

Grade 1-2: Students watched a cartoon version of Peter and the Wolf and reviewed instrument families.

Grade 5-6: Students worked on their music for the Celebration Tea.

Grade 3-4: Students played recorders and worked on their recorder compositions.

Grade 7: Students worked on their music for the Celebration Tea.

The Lion, The Witch, and The Wardrobe

Ticket Order Form

Seller's Name _____

Friday Evening, May 2, 7:30 pm at Redwood Park Church

Name	Adult Tickets	Youth Tickets 17 years & younger	Total
	_____ x \$12	_____ x \$7	
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Thursday Matinee, May 1, 12:00 pm at Redwood Park Church

	_____ x \$12	_____ x \$5	
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Total Enclosed			\$

TBCS Students do not require tickets.

If paying by cheque, please make payable to TBCS Student Fund.

Ticket sales are to cover the costs to put on the play.

Thank you!