

Trinity Christian School

Academic Excellence Christ Centered Family Focused



Son Times

January 25, 2024

"But those who hope in the LORD will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint." Isaiah 40:31 (NIV)

TCS MIDDLE SCHOOL HONOR ROLL ANNOUNCED

Congratulations to the following students for making the honor roll second quarter! In order to achieve honor roll status, students must maintain a minimum of 3.0 overall Grade Point Average (GPA). All honor roll students receive a dress-down-day coupon.

HIGH HONOR ROLL (3.5-4.0 GPA)

<u>6th Grade</u>: Jaclyn B., Olivia C., Mason D., Natalie D., Khloe D., Skylar D., Edison E., Leo E., Mason H., Taylor K., Ian M., James M., Graham N., Carolyn P., Austin S., and Gabrielle U.

7th Grade: Catherine B., Genevieve C., Ava C., Sofia C., Nathan F., Charley L., Kellyn M., Ashley P., Nathaniel S., Alexei S., Lily T., Jesse V., Jacob V., and Addison Z.

<u>8th Grade</u>: Anna A., Addison B., Enza C., Nathan D., Ryne D., Alaina D., Shelby F., Olivia G., Brooklyn G., Amelie H., Brooklyn G., Brianna M., Faye N., Avery O., Allison P., Amber R., Quinn S., Leah S., Danica S., Heath V., Emelia V., Darrius W., and Tessa W.

HONOR ROLL (3.0-3.49 GPA)

6th Grade: Aidan C., Reece D., Royce D., Elias T., Koa T., and Nathan V.

<u>7th grade</u>: Grace A., Nailani H., Steve H., Morgan N., Daisy V., and Cayden V.

8th grade: Caden B., Sarah J., Samuel N., Christian R., and Shae S.

TRINITY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE IS SUNDAY

Trinity Families, word of mouth is the best advertisement, and we need your help to spread the word about our upcoming Open House, **Sunday**, **Jan. 28**. Please pray about who you will invite and believe with us that the Lord will draw others to Trinity. An Open House invite card was previously sent home with your students for you to give to a friend or family member who may be interested in checking out what Trinity has to offer. Be sure to share our advertisements on social media and make it personal by adding a few words about why you love Trinity. Thank you so much for your support! See p. 3 for event details.

REENROLLMENT IS OPEN FOR 2024-2025!

We are excited to offer reenrollment for the 2024-2025 school year! Trinity families have the opportunity to enroll a couple of weeks before enrollment is open to the general public, Jan. 29. Just log into your Family Portal in FACTS to get started. Once there, select "Apply/Enroll" from the left side. Then, for current students, select "Enrollment/Reenrollment." If

you are adding a new student, click "Application." For your new

student, be sure to select "2024-2025 Current Family Application."

Use this link to access your Family Portal. The District Code for our school is TRINC-IL.

If you need any help, please contact Mrs. Ellen Rasmussen, Trinity's Administrative Assistant/Registrar, at 815-577-9310, ext. 300, or erasmussen@trinitychristian.info.

Kindergarten - 8th Grade Calendar: January 25-February 3

Jan. 25Pep Assembly 2:30 p.m.

Jan. 26Spirit Week-Career Day

Jan. 27 7/8 Boys' Basketball Tournament at TCS

Jan. 28Open House 2-4 p.m.

Jan. 29 Open Enrollment

Jan. 30

Wendy's Fundraiser (All Day) **HOME** Girls' Basketball Game Against Christian Hills 7/8 team at 4:15 p.m.

> Jan. 3 I Chapel 8:40 a.m

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HOME Girls' Basketball Games Against Kankakee Trinity Academy 5/6 team at 4:15 p.m. 7/8 team at 5:15 p.m.

Feb. 2

Spirit Gear Day Middle School Late Nigh

Feb. 3

Girls' Basketball Tournament at Cross Lutheran

Important Dates:

February 6Mandatory Parent Meeting

February 20 School Board Meeting

CHAPEL NOTES BY LILY T., GUEST CONTRIBUTOR TO THE SON TIMES

Date: Jan. 24 Guest Speaker: Pastor Nathan Smith

Jesus performed a lot of miracles in his life, like feeding 5,000 men with just five loaves of bread and two small fish. Even though something may seem hard and impossible to us, it is not hard or impossible for Jesus. Jesus passed out the bread and the fish, and he still had enough left over to fill 12 baskets. You will be faced with problems that seem impossible, but when you give a little, Jesus will make it great. As long as you have faith in Jesus, nothing is impossible. Jesus loves you.

VISION AND HEARING SCREENING, MONDAY FEB. 12



Monday, Feb. 12, students in some grades will receive vision and hearing screenings. Retesting will be Friday, Feb. 23, as needed. Vision **and** hearing testing will be done for all kindergarten and 2nd grade students. Hearing testing only will be done for 1st and 3rd grade students. Eighth grade students will have vision testing only. Students in other grades may be tested if it is requested by a parent by Thursday, Feb. 8. If you have a student in a grade other than the ones listed and would like to have your student tested, please notify the office at 815-577-9310.

DONATE TO TRINITY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL'S SPRING SILENT AUCTION

Trinity Christian School would like to give you the opportunity to give back to our school by donating to our annual spring auction! As part of our fundraising efforts, Trinity Christian School is hosting the Benefit Event Friday, Mar. 15. It is one of our biggest events! The silent auction is one of the major highlights of this event. Our families and local businesses have been extremely generous in contributing to this auction in the past and we are extremely excited about the donations that have already started to come in, although we still need MORE to make this fundraiser a success. We are looking for items with a minimum value of \$25.00 that represent your organization, such as gift baskets or certificates, a time share, sporting event or concert tickets, small new household appliances, fun experiences, or electronic gizmos and gadgets. Please feel free to contact Mrs. Toya Thomas at thomas@trinitychristian.info, or by phone at 815-577- 9310, ext. 315, no later than Feb. 6 to get more information and to let us know if you plan to donate.

FREE COATS FOR KIDS, SIGN UP TODAY



In partnership with:







will be hosting a "Share the Love" Event- Free Coat Giveaway

Feb. 7, 2024, 5 p.m.-7 p.m. 2455 Glenwood Ave, Joliet



Sign up for your children to receive a free coat (sizes 2T—Adult XXL)

Call to sign up (815) 722-0722 ext. 2227, 2202, or 2209

(Child must be present to receive the coat the night of the event, Feb. 7)

MANDATORY PARENT MEETING FEBRUARY 6

6:30 - 8:00 p.m. in the Cafetorium



How to Speak to a Brick Wall

A night discussing strategies to communicate and grow as a family.

We will go over:

- -Communication
- -Human Development
- -Current Trends
- -Faith
- -Conflict
- -Community



Nick Giannasi has been married since 2004 and is a father of 2. He is a former youth pastor and is currently CEO of Unbroken Family Counseling. Nick has over 15 years of experience working with families as a family therapist. He uses several therapeutic techniques in his clinical practice and brings his expertise in human development, communication, psychology and Christianity to his work with families.



At Trinity Christian School, volunteers are needed daily! Check out our **EVERYDAY VOLUNTEER NEEDS** below! It is vital that we fill these everyday positions to be sure each school morning is off to a warm and friendly start; hot lunches are served efficiently; and to create a relaxing, fun, and safe environment for students and teachers during recess. PLEASE see what is available and contact Mrs. Toya Thomas directly if you'd like to serve or for any additional details. Please note: these opportunities are on a first-come, first-served basis.

WE SEEK VOLUNTEERS FOR: JAN, 29- FEB, 9, PLEASE CHECK YOUR CALANDERS AND RESPOND DIRECTLY TO MRS. TOYA THOMAS TO GET YOUR DATES LOCKED IN!

MORNING GREETER: Each morning, 8:10-8:30 a.m. Open car doors, greet students, and help them enter the building safely.

Monday 01/29: 3 volunteers needed
Tuesday 01/30: 3 volunteers needed
Wednesday 01/31: 2 volunteers needed
Thursday 02/01: 3 volunteers needed
Thursday 02/02: 2 volunteers needed
Friday 02/02: 2 volunteers needed
Friday 02/09: 2 volunteers needed

LUNCH HELPER: Each day, 11:15 a.m.-1:15 p.m. Distribute hot lunch orders by grade and classroom, then assist with cleanup.

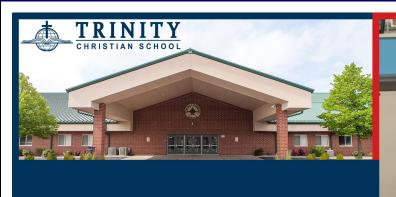
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RECESS HELPER: Every day, 11:50 a.m.-1:10 p.m. Assist Trinity staff, to keep children safe during their playtime.

Monday 01/29: 3 volunteers needed
Tuesday 01/30: 3 volunteers needed
Wednesday 01/31: 2 volunteers needed
Thursday 02/01: 3 volunteers needed
Thursday 02/02: 2 volunteers needed
Friday 02/02: 2 volunteers needed
Friday 02/09: 2 volunteers needed

Please contact Mrs. Thomas at tthomas@trinitychristian.info or 815-577-9310, ext. 315, if interested and available.

As always thank you for your willingness to serve.



Preschool - 8th Grade

House

SUNDAY, JANUARY 28

2 p.m. - 4 p.m.



Pre-Register for a Time Slot



www.trinitychristian.info/open-house.cfm
Walk-Ins Welcome



(815)-577-9310

www.trinitychristian.info

901 Shorewood Drive, Shorewood, IL 60404



Stop into Wendy's® Shorewood on 1/30/2024 and 30% of qualifying sales as a result of your participation will be donated to

Trinity Christian School

DATE: Tuesday, January 30, 2024

TIME: Open - Close

LOCATION: 940 Brook Forest

Shorewood

Present this flyer when ordering. Paper flyer **or** electronic image of flyer (on a phone/tablet) is required when order is placed. Only valid on date at location specified above. Wendy's gift cards and other retail purchases are excluded from the event. Dine-in, carry-out (taken inside dining room at the counter) and drivethru orders qualify.

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FEBRUARY 24, 2024

6:00-8:00 pm at Trinity Christian School

Trinity Christian School PTM invites fathers and daughters to a night of dinner, dancing and fun!

RSVP by February 16, 2024

using the link below.

Prices are \$30 per Daddy-Daughter Couple and \$12 per additional daughter

Email ptm@trinitychristian.info

with any questions.



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MARCH

FRIDAY 15 AT 6PM

2024

TRINITY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL BENEFIT EVENT

WHITETAIL RIDGE GOLF CLUB 7671 Clubhouse Drive Yorkville, IL

formal invite to follow