



# Tri-County Christian School

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# The Eagle Eye

Weekly Announcements

Information for Students & Parents

## November 16, 2017

### Beltline Café Lunch Order Reminder

Please keep these things in mind when placing your lunch order:

- Orders will always be due to the TCCS office by noon the Friday after the menu comes home.
- Beltline lunch order payments cannot be combined with any TCCS payments.
- If paying by cash, you need to send the exact amount due. No change will be given. If sending a check, please make sure it is made out to Beltline Café.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Jen Folgate ([jfolgate@tricountychristian.org](mailto:jfolgate@tricountychristian.org) or 815-233-1876).

### Applebee's Flapjack Fundraiser

TCCS will be hosting an Applebee's Flapjack Fundraiser on Saturday, December 2 from 8:00-10:00 a.m. Tickets are \$5.00 each and are on sale now in the TCCS office or you may purchase them at the door. We look forward to seeing you there! If you would like to volunteer to help serve, bus, or host at this event, please contact Andrea Stodden ([astodden@tricountychristian.org](mailto:astodden@tricountychristian.org) or 815-233-1876).

### Butter Braid Sale

The Butter Braid fundraiser kicked off this Monday! Orders along with payments are due Monday, November 27. If you have any questions, please contact Andrea Stodden ([astodden@tricountychristian.org](mailto:astodden@tricountychristian.org) or 815-233-1876).

### Holiday Craft & Vendor Fair

Just 23 days remain until TCCS's 9th Annual Holiday Craft and Vendor Fair. Shop 40+ vendors, grab lunch, get a massage, or enter to win a door prize on Saturday, December 9 from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. at Park Hills Church (2525 W. Stephenson Street, Freeport). Ten percent of all sales are donated back to TCCS! For a full list of vendors participating in the event, please visit [www.tccsfundraising.org/holiday-craft-fair](http://www.tccsfundraising.org/holiday-craft-fair). There are 16 vendor openings remaining. If you, or someone you know are a vendor that would like to participate, please visit our website or call the TCCS office (815-233-1876) to register.

We are also in need of volunteers to help with set up and tear down for this event. Set up will take place Friday, December 8 following the Christmas program. Tear down will begin at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, December 9 following the craft fair. If you are able to help please contact Andrea Stodden ([astodden@tricountychristian.org](mailto:astodden@tricountychristian.org) or 815-233-1876).

### Christmas Giving

This year Tri-County Christian School families will have a few great opportunities to give back to the community during the Christmas season:

- Collecting toys for the Salvation Army Christmas Toy Shop (families in need of help this Christmas will be able to come and "shop" the Salvation Army Toy Shop for their children). Donations can be brought to TCCS through December 13.
- Collecting non-perishable food items for the Freeport Area Church Cooperative. Donations can be brought to TCCS through December 8.
- Blessings for Honduras—more information to come!

### DATES TO REMEMBER

#### NOVEMBER

- 14-17 TCCS Spelling Bee
- 21 Pilgrim/Indian Day (PreK)
- 22-24 No School-Thanksgiving Break
- 27 Butter Braid Orders Due

#### DECEMBER

- 5 Hearing/Vision Screening
- 7 Midterms
- 7 Butter Braid Pick-up

### Smile for the Camera!

Looking for a fun Christmas gift to give to family? Mark your calendars for Wednesday, December 6! Heather Wright will be taking pictures of each individual class with a winter background. There will be a normal pose and a funny pose. The pictures will be available for purchase as a 5 x7. The cost is \$10 each or 3 for \$25. Only pre-orders will be taken, money will be due by Monday December 4. Have your child bring their favorite holiday hat or wear their favorite holiday outfit. Hats WILL NOT be shared. Order forms will go home the week of November 27. Proceeds from picture sales will go to the 8<sup>th</sup> grade trip fund.



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## 2017-2018 Sponsors

Tri-County Christian School would like to extend a special thank you to our 2017-2018 business sponsors! For a full list of our sponsors, please visit [www.tricountychristian.org/sponsors](http://www.tricountychristian.org/sponsors).

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**HAPPY THANKSGIVING TO ALL OF OUR  
TCCS FAMILY AND FRIENDS!**

*"Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful  
and thankful." Colossians 4:2*

### 2017 – 2018 Basketball Schedule\*

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| 11/16 | 7th grade boys @ 5:30 @ Orangeville<br>8th grade boys @ 6:30 @ Orangeville<br>(201 S Orange St, Orangeville, IL)  |
| 11/20 | 7th grade boys @ 5:30 @ Durand<br>8th grade boys @ 6:30 @ Durand<br>(200 W South St, Durand, IL)  |
| 11/21 | 7th grade boys @ 5:30 @ Aquin<br>8th grade boys @ 6:30 @ Aquin<br>(229 W. Washington Place, Freeport, IL)   |
| 11/28 | 6th grade boys @ 5:00 @ Berean Baptist<br>7/8th grade boys @ 6:00 @ Berean Baptist<br>(5626 Safford Rd, Rockford, IL)                                     |
| 11/30 | 6th grade boys @ 5:30 @ Rockford Christian<br>(1401 N Bell School Rd, Rockford, IL)<br>6th Grade girls @ 5:30 @ St. Paul<br>(811 Locust St, Rockford, IL) |
| 12/1  | 6th grade boys HOME @ 5:30 vs Faith Christian<br>7/8th grade boys HOME @ 6:30 vs Faith Christian  |

\* All HOME games are played at Park Hills Church.  
(2525 West Stephenson Street, Freeport)

### THANK YOU

Thank you to all who have blessed the teachers with WISH LIST items. You are AMAZING! We have just a few more items to make the WISH LISTS complete. If you have one of the following items you no longer need and you would like to bless a teacher, it would be greatly appreciated.

Hokey/Cordless Vacuum -Junior High  
CD Player with Headphones - 1st Grade  
Stamps for stamping paper -1st Grade  
Two-drawer file cabinet -4th Grade  
Local Gift Cards (Walmart or Staples) for STEM  
(Science/Technology/Engineering/Math) -4th Grade  
Water bottles for the Staff Lounge



Black Friday sales are right around the corner! If you are considering making a donation to our Annual TCCS Spring Auction now is a great time to shop for bargains. If you find an excellent deal on a big ticket item, maybe you can share the cost with another TCCS family. We are always looking for ways to make our auction bigger and better. You all are a HUGE part in making that happen and we greatly appreciate all your help. THANK YOU!

### Junior High Corner!

**8th Grade Class Community Service:** This service is completely free of charge, however any goodwill donations will go towards the 8th grade class trip! Please contact the office ([tccsoffice@tricountychristian.org](mailto:tccsoffice@tricountychristian.org) or 815-233-1876) to schedule your project.

**Flocked and Forked:** Are you looking to have someone "flocked and forked"? Forms are available in the office. Get in on the FUN!

# Don't forget Scrip This Holiday Season

## Happy Thank-Scrip-ing Day!



Mark your calendars! Thank-Scrip-ing™ Day is on Tuesday, November 21 this year! Get ready for all your Black Friday and holiday shopping with 24 hours of incredible ScripNow®, Reload, and ReloadNow® bonuses from dozens of your favorite retailers. As always, the list of retailers is TOP SECRET, so you'll have to wait until the promotion begins to see who is participating. Remember, you have to be signed up with the Scrip Program to participate. To immediately receive your Scrip purchases you must also be signed up for Presto Pay within the program.

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