



***“Following the Way” - Hebrews 6:19***

**“There’s all the difference in the world between having something to say, and having to say something” -John Dewey**



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**Phone: 403 359 3835. Please call if a student is sick or will be absent**

***Taber Christian High School News and Notes:  
Nov 29 - Dec 05, 2021***

- Monday, Nov 29** - SV Men’s BB Practice 6:30-8:30pm
- Tuesday, Nov 30** - SV Men’s BB Practice 7:15am, Grade 10s to Streets Alive 9am
- Wednesday, Dec 01** - PE20 Swimming 10:30am
- Thursday, Dec 02** - SV Men’s BB @Vauxhall 6pm
- Friday, Dec 03** - JV Men’s BB Tournament @ Coalhurst 1pm

**School Year Calendar 2020-2021**

- Dec 06** - TCHS School Council Meeting 7pm
- Dec 20 - Jan 3** - Christmas Holidays
- Jan 4/22** - First day back to school
- Jan 28** - Last day of 1st Semester
- Jan 31** - First day of 2nd Semester
- Feb 18** - School Based Free From Instructor - no students
- Feb 21-23** - No School - Students and Staff
- Feb 24,25** - PD Day - No Students
- Mar 04** - PD Day - No School
- Apr 15** - Good Friday - No School
- Apr 18-22** - No School - Students and Staff
- May 20** - School Based Time Free From Instructor - no students
- May 23** - Victoria Day - No Students and Staff
- June 28** - Last Day of School

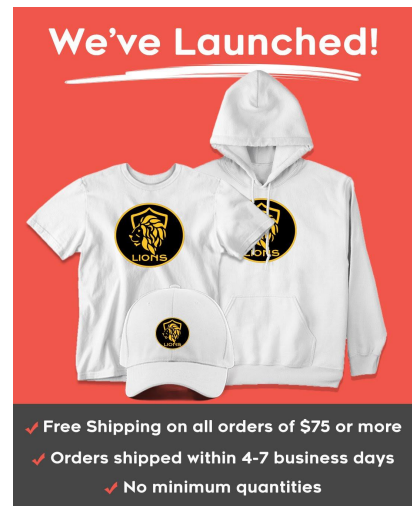


***Save the Date!*** The next TCHS School Council Meeting will be on Monday, December 06 at 7pm at the high school.

\*We will be discussing and voting on “full day Fridays” vs “half day Fridays” for the next school year. Please join us!

## **TCHS School Apparel!**

Are you looking for some TCHS clothing? Check out our Entripy Shop: <https://taberchristianhighschool.entripyshops.com/> You can also go to our website: [tchs.horizon.ab.ca](http://tchs.horizon.ab.ca) and go to the Quick Links. You will see "TCHS Apparel (Entripy Shop)". We have some great products and you can customize the look you want to your favourite items! Questions? Please talk to Tanya Hoekstra in the school office!



### **Reminders!!**

- The office phone number for the High School is **403-359-3835**. If we are not in the office, please leave a message and we will get back to you! In addition to this, please let the office know if your son or daughter will be absent from school.
- Our school website is [www.tchs.horizon.ab.ca](http://www.tchs.horizon.ab.ca). Check regularly for calendar dates, athletic calendar, TCHS newsletters and much more. Don't forget to check out the "Quick Links" drop down for easy access to more links. We are also on Facebook and Instagram! Don't forget to follow us to stay up to date on all our posts and activities!
- **With the snowy and wet weather, we are asking for students to keep a second set of shoes at the school that can be worn indoors. \*Students, please make sure to remove wet footwear by the main school doors and keep them on the mats/shoe racks to dry. Thank-you!**

## **Chapel with Anna Braun**



On Tuesday, November 23, TCHS held its monthly theme chapel. Our guest speaker was Mrs. Anna Braun, protestant chaplain for the Lethbridge Correctional Centre. Mrs. Braun shared a message about the power of hope. She talked about how the hope of the gospel can renew lives, bring light to dark places and offer a pathway to a better life, when previously there was none. Mrs. Braun talked about the power of the real meaning of Christmas and the impact it can have on people who are lost or angry. She thanked TCHS students for sending in letters last year and invited them to write again (TCHS students will once again participate in this letter writing program).



Thanks to Mrs. Braun and to Angela, Jennifer, Desiree and Tina who helped lead praise and worship!

### **A note from the Joyful Servers:**

Thank-you to all who ordered Dutch Cheese and Farmer's Sausage! We had a great response with lots of orders to fill! Both the cheese and sausage will be available for pick-up at TCS on **Friday, December 10 from 1-3:30pm**. Please make sure you make arrangements to pick up your order in this time frame as we do not have a lot of room for storage.

We currently have a lot of IGA cards and Panago vouchers available at the TCS office. Remember that these also make great Christmas gifts for businesses and even family members. We are thankful to be in a community where we receive a lot of support and encouragement with these fundraisers!!

### **Food Bank Challenge:**

Mrs. Bekkering's Crew group will be challenging the other groups to a Food Bank Challenge! The challenge is to see which group can collect the most items for our local food bank. There will be extra points awarded for items that are in high demand. The challenge will start on **November 29** and go until the **14th of December!!**



### **Cardboard Box Races!!**

On Wednesday, November 24 TCHS students engaged in a Cardboard Boat race challenge. Grade 10 and 11 students were divided into their CREW groupings (6 groups in total) and challenged to build a boat out of cardboard and duct tape. Students tried a variety of shapes and designs and continued developing until satisfied with the final product. Boats were then taken to the Aquafun center and raced.



The race was interesting! One student for each group was chosen to pilot the boat from one side of the pool to another and back. At the word "go" pilots jumped into their boats to begin the race. Once this happened, 3 of the boats promptly gave way with no hope of moving forward. Two boats managed to get a few meters before taking on water and sinking. The pilot of one of these boats attempted to continue swimming and dragging the boat behind him :). Fortunately we had one team whose boat successfully carried the captain both widths of the pool! All in all it was a great community builder and a lot of fun!