



Tiny Tales



TRINITY CHURCH DAY SCHOOL

OCTOBER, 2017

FROM THE DIRECTORS DESK:

Dear TCDS Families,

The colorful leaves and pumpkins can mean only one thing... it's fall! This time of year is my favorite because I am always reminded of all the fun adventures I had as a child during the autumn months. Raking leaves and jumping in piles, playing imaginary games with my neighborhood buddies after school, and preparing for Halloween are just a few of my favorite memories. I hope our Angels are making wonderful memories like these at home this fall; I know that they are making fond memories here at school already!

Our Parents' Club has been extremely busy getting this year started. There was an incredible turn-out for the Ice Cream Social and a great time was had by all! The sandbox was open, the ice cream was delicious, and the conversations were plentiful. Thank you to our Parents' Club officers and to everyone who made this event so fun! Please continue to check out the Parents' Club bulletin board in the lobby for opportunities to volunteer. If you ever have any questions about upcoming events, please feel free to contact Jen Collins, Jennifer Runde, or Cari Santiago. Lastly, if you are interested in volunteering for lunch duty on the first Wednesday of every month (while we have our monthly staff meetings), please let us know in the office.

Thank you to everyone who has participated in our Joe Corbi's fundraiser! All orders were due on October 2. As soon as we hear when our delivery will be, we will reach out and let you know!

Our third annual Fall Harvest Party and Chili Cook-Off Contest will take place on Friday, October 13th. This party includes a barbeque-style dinner, music, cash bake table, and lots of outdoor fun! New this year will be pulled pork sandwiches for dinner (included in the ticket price) AND to-go containers of pork for sale (\$5.00 a container). Information about this event was sent out in September; however, if you need another copy you can find one on the table outside of the office. Also, the Scholastic Book Fair will run from Monday, October 9th through Friday, October 13th. You will have opportunities to shop at drop-off, pick-up, and during the Fall Harvest Party.

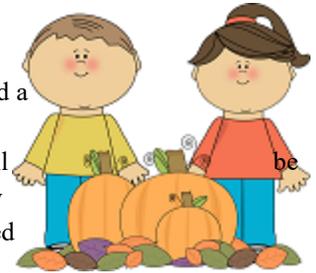
Funds donated to the school from the Parents' Club were used this year to paint the interior of the school and to purchase the air conditioning systems in the 4's classrooms. We are so thankful to Asher Collins, Erick Gibbons, Roy Lancraft, Bob Newton, and Calvin Cook for their constant help with improvements to our school, to the many parents who came in this summer to help out, and to the Parents' Club for their generosity.

Fire Prevention Week is October 9-13. The Long Green Fire Department will be visiting Trinity on Wednesday, October 11th. The children will get a close up look at a fire truck and all the special equipment that a firefighter uses. We did a wonderful job exiting the building quickly and quietly last month during our first fire drill. We will have another drill on October 11th so that we can show the department how amazing we are in emergency situations. Please discuss with your child/children the importance of practicing the proper way to exit a building (whether home or school) in case of fire. It is also important to show children how to dial 911 so they are able to call for help in case of an emergency.

October is a busy month for field trips at TCDS. On Monday and Tuesday, October 16th and 17th, our 2's classes will go to *Fresh McKenzie* for their fall field trip. The 3's classes will also attend a trip to *Farmer Stan's Agricultural Farm* in Hunt Valley on Monday, October 16th. Our 4's classes will travel to *Beachmont* on October 18th. There will be NO Enrichment Class that day but Extended Day will be available for all Enrichment students who need care until 3pm at no additional charge. Please let us know

in the office if your child will need to be signed up for Extended Day on October 18. Extended Day will be open as usual for all other field trip days if needed.

In an effort to keep all families informed, we have been sending out Friday Updates via email. With everyone's busy schedule, we feel that these updates will help to keep you up-to-date about upcoming events and happenings at school. If you have not been receiving our weekly email updates, please let me know.



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FROM THE DIRECTOR'S DESK *continued...*

With the change of weather, the cold and flu season will soon be upon us. Please refer to our Parent Handbook to read the school's policy regarding illnesses. Also, remember to change your child's extra set of clothing (stored in his/her cubby) to something that is seasonally appropriate.

As a reminder to all, the fenced-in area at the top of the playground is designated for our two-year-olds. If you are using the playground after school, please refrain from allowing older children in this area. Also, it is our school's policy that only children in the 4's classes are allowed on the big slide. To clarify, younger children are not permitted on the big slide from 9am until 3pm on school days. Please pass this information on to all caregivers who will be picking up your child so they are aware of our policies.

We have had such a great start to the school year, and I am so excited to see what wonderful adventures this year will bring! As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to call or stop by the office at any time.

Take Care,

TUITION PAYMENT #3 for the 2017-2018 school year is due November 1. Fees are as follows:

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| Two & You: | \$ 150.50 | 5 day 3's: | \$ 976.00 |
| 2 day 2's: | \$ 443.50 | 3 day 4's: | \$ 585.50 |
| 3 day 2's: | \$ 664.75 | 3 day 4's + E | \$1171.75 |
| 2 day 3's: | \$ 390.25 | 5 day 4's: | \$ 976.00 |
| 3 day 3's: | \$ 585.50 | 5 day 4's +E: | \$1559.50 |

Tuition payments can be made by credit card; however you must add a 3% administration fee.
There is a 5% late fee for payments not received by November 15th.



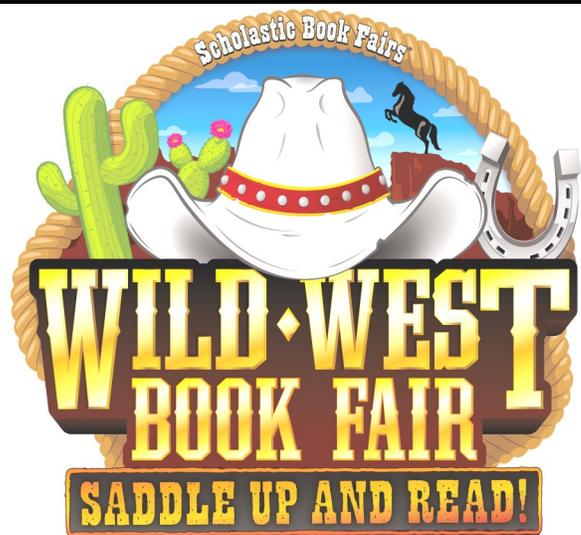
- Oct. 9-13 Scholastic Book Fair
- 13 Fall Fundraiser : Cook Out and Chili Cook-Off
- 16 3's Field Trip to Farmer Stan's Agricultural Farm
- 16-17 2's Field Trip to Mckenzie Farm
- 18 4's Field Trip to Beachmont

3RD ANNUAL TRINITY
FALL HARVEST PARTY
AND CHILI COOK-OFF
CONTEST

OCTOBER 13, 2017

5:00 P.M.—8:30 P.M.

RAIN OR SHINE



FROM OUR RECTOR:

We had our first Chapel of the year on September 20 and it was great!. In the short time since school began, Miss Sue has already taught them all the regular chapel tunes (Thank you Lord for this Fine Day; The Lord Bless and Keep You; This is the Day) as well as the Trinity Angel Song. Looks like we have a fine group of singers this year. If you (or your child's grandparents) can arrive by 11:40 am, you are welcome to join us. The children love having a familiar face in the congregation. Most weeks we will be in the church, but if it's raining, etc., then we meet in the Great Room. Whether you can make it to weekly chapels or not, you won't want to miss the special chapels: Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Easter.

On behalf of Trinity Church, I invite you to the monthly Movie Nights. We pick a film suitable for all ages, often a recent release, and encourage you to bring your children in their jammies (it makes it fun for the children and a lot easier to get them to bed afterwards). Bring a favorite pillow and/or blankie. We supply free snacks (including popcorn), juice and water. Adults sometimes gather for a grown-up time in the narthex (bring whatever you like), or enjoy the movie with the children. We have a large screen and no one minds if your children act like, well, children! It's a fun night. Usually Movie Night is the third Friday of the month (a week earlier in December), and begins at 6:30 p.m.

Blessings and Peace,
Dr. Fran +

*Let's go
to the
movies!*



Friday, Oct. 20, 6:30 pm, Parish Hall

Bring your parents and pillows. Wear your jammies if you'd like! Includes chips, popcorn, and drinks. ...and it's free.

Music Notes

October 2017



For those of you new to the school, my name is Sue Cusick, and this is my fifteenth year teaching music and movement at Trinity. My degree is in Music Education, and I'm looking forward to making music with the Trinity Angels! The students will learn about various aspects of music while making music.

Music classes are on Wednesday and Thursday. Ms. Nicole's and Ms. Laurie's classes have music two times each week; all the other classes have music once a week. Movement class is on Friday for the three and four year-old classes so **please dress your children appropriately for movement – no sandals or open-toe or open-heel shoes, no boots, no long dresses or skirts, and no jewelry or large hair bows.**

On Wednesday, September 20, we had our first Chapel. All the classes sang the "Trinity Angel Song" which uses the words from the School's code of conduct. (Two-year-old classes do not attend Chapel.)

The four-year-old classes made music using rhythm instruments, voices, and hand/body movements to the poem, "There Was An Old Singer Called Fred". We had a lot of fun while learning the rules for the instruments and practicing as part of an ensemble. In the three year old classes, we read "Franklin's Music Lessons", and learned to sing and play "Row, Row, Row Your Boat", the same song Franklin's class learned. We added a second verse about a submarine!

The two- and three-year-old classes participated in a sound activity, "Music Is All Around Us" - can you make the same music that a cow makes, a fire truck makes, etc.?

During October, we'll be preparing songs for Thanksgiving Chapel and learning seasonal songs about autumn and Halloween.



Did you know? Music...

- Stimulates creativity, imagination, and encourages self-expression (the ability to express feelings and ideas)
- Develops reasoning skills, concentration, and self-confidence
- Improves memory and recall - Do you find yourself still humming the "Alphabet Song" when you are filing? Would you remember the words to the "Star Spangled Banner" if you were not singing them? Do you remember the theme song of your favorite childhood television show?
- Teaches phrasing and sequencing
- Teaches patterning, rhythm, and rhyme
- Teaches listening skills



As always, if you have any questions or comments, please let me know.



Musically,

Ms. Sue



EXTENDED DAY NEWS

Welcome everyone to our Extended Day Program. Extended Day services are available Monday—Friday from 8-9 a.m. and 12:00 noon—5:30 p.m. for all students that are potty trained. The Extended Day bulletin board is located in the library hallway. Sign up sheets are posted weekly. Please see Laura in the office if you have any questions.

Come join us in October for "Fall Festivities". There will be stories, songs and fun fall crafts. Our Halloween Party will be Tuesday, October 31st. Don't miss out on the fun! Sign up today for a

Spooktacular time!

Mrs. Vicky,
Ms. Mindy and
Ms. Olivia



Happy October Birthday!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES to our Trinity friends who celebrated birthdays in **SEPTEMBER**:

Dane Angeles, Annabella Belbot, Raelyn Halligan, Sabrina Occorso, Carolyn Collins, Arlo Smith, Mrs. Sandy Lancraft (The Church Office Administrator), Henry Kowalis and Ms. Laura Fertitta (aka "The Pretzel Lady").

To our friends celebrating birthdays in **OCTOBER**, Lilia Smith, Frederick Ward, Reilly Adams, Madeline Barnes, Jack Laird, Mrs. Nicole Kase, Grace Beichley, Nolan Castle, Mrs. Melissa Daniel, Benjamin Levinstim, and Bennett Martin, we would like to wish you a very **HAPPY BIRTHDAY** too!



MARK THIS ON YOUR
CALENDAR

Friday, March 23, 2018

TCDS'
SPRING EVENT:

BULL & OYSTER ROAST



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PARENTS' CLUB NEWS

Hello and welcome to the 2017-2018 school year! Thank you to everyone who attended the Parent's Club's Meet and Greets and Ice Cream Social! It was wonderful to meet new "members" and to catch up with "older" members of our Trinity Family! We appreciate everyone's generous support of the Parent's Club! Thank you to those individuals who have signed up to volunteer your precious time and talents! It's wonderful being a part of such a kind and loving school community! Without the support of our Trinity families, the Parents' Club would not be able to raise the money used for projects and teacher wish lists that are completed/fulfilled over the summer. Money raised last year paid for the painting of the inside of the building and new air conditioning/heating units in the 4s classrooms. Additionally, donations were made to the Church in order to reduce costs for projects that have benefited the Day School directly.

The fundraising has already started this school year. Brochures for **Joe Corbi's** came home a few short weeks ago in your child's folder. Samples of their delicious cookies and cinnamon buns were at Back to School Night. Please turn in orders by October 2 and plan to pick up your goodies early in November upstairs in the Parish Hall (date to be announced). Please reach out to Kristen Callihan with any questions (kristen040281@yahoo.com).

The **Scholastic Book Fair** runs from Monday, October 9 through Friday, October 13. Books will be for sale in the lobby at morning drop-off, afternoon pick-ups (noon and 3pm), and at the 3rd Annual Fall Harvest Party and Chili Cookout (Friday, October 13; 5:00-8:30pm). Teachers' wish lists will be available to guide your child if interested in choosing a book to donate to his/her classroom library or the school library. It's never too early to start your Christmas shopping :O) If you're interested in helping, please contact Lauren McDonald (laurenloisedawn@gmail.com) or Colleen Castle (Castle.colleen@gmail.com)!

We hope to see your family at the **Fall Harvest Party and Chili Cook-off** on Friday, October 13 (5-8:30). Tickets are currently on sale! One of the favorite parts of the evening is sampling the yummy chili recipes made by Trinity families...get your recipe submitted ASAP! The children will have a wonderful time running around the playground with friends! Be ready for a mean game of Corn Hole and great conversation with friends - all while listening to music! Dinner is included in your ticket price. New this year - **PULLED PORK!** Don't forget some cash to participate in our raffles, to buy some delicious home-baked goodies, or to take home some Pulled Pork. Interested in helping the night of the event? Look for a sign-up genius and/or sign-up sheets on the Parents' Club bulletin board (in the school lobby) soon. Baked good donations are needed, too! This event can't be successful without the support of our Trinity families! The contact person for this event is Jen Collins (jen.ch.collins@gmail.com).

Other upcoming events:

Restaurant Night is tentatively scheduled for Monday, October 23 at Gunpowder Lodge. Relax and enjoy dinner and/or adult beverages with your family and friends. There is a playground available for children and 10% of all proceeds will come directly to the Parents' Club. Look for more information to come.

Glarus Night: November...this event is still being planned but be prepared for an adult evening sampling delicious chocolate from Glarus Chocolatier...YUM!

SAVE THE DATE: Bull and Oyster Roast Friday, March 23, 2018 at Columbus Gardens.

Thanks to everyone who joined the **Dads' Club**, **Playground Committee**, and **Garden Committee**. Look for an email informing you of how you can help. Don't forget to send in your **BoxTops**. This program runs all year long and is an easy way to contribute to TCDS. Donation boxes are in the lobby.

The Parents' Club Officers are looking forward to a fantastic fall. We welcome any questions, comments, or thoughts. Please don't hesitate to contact us!

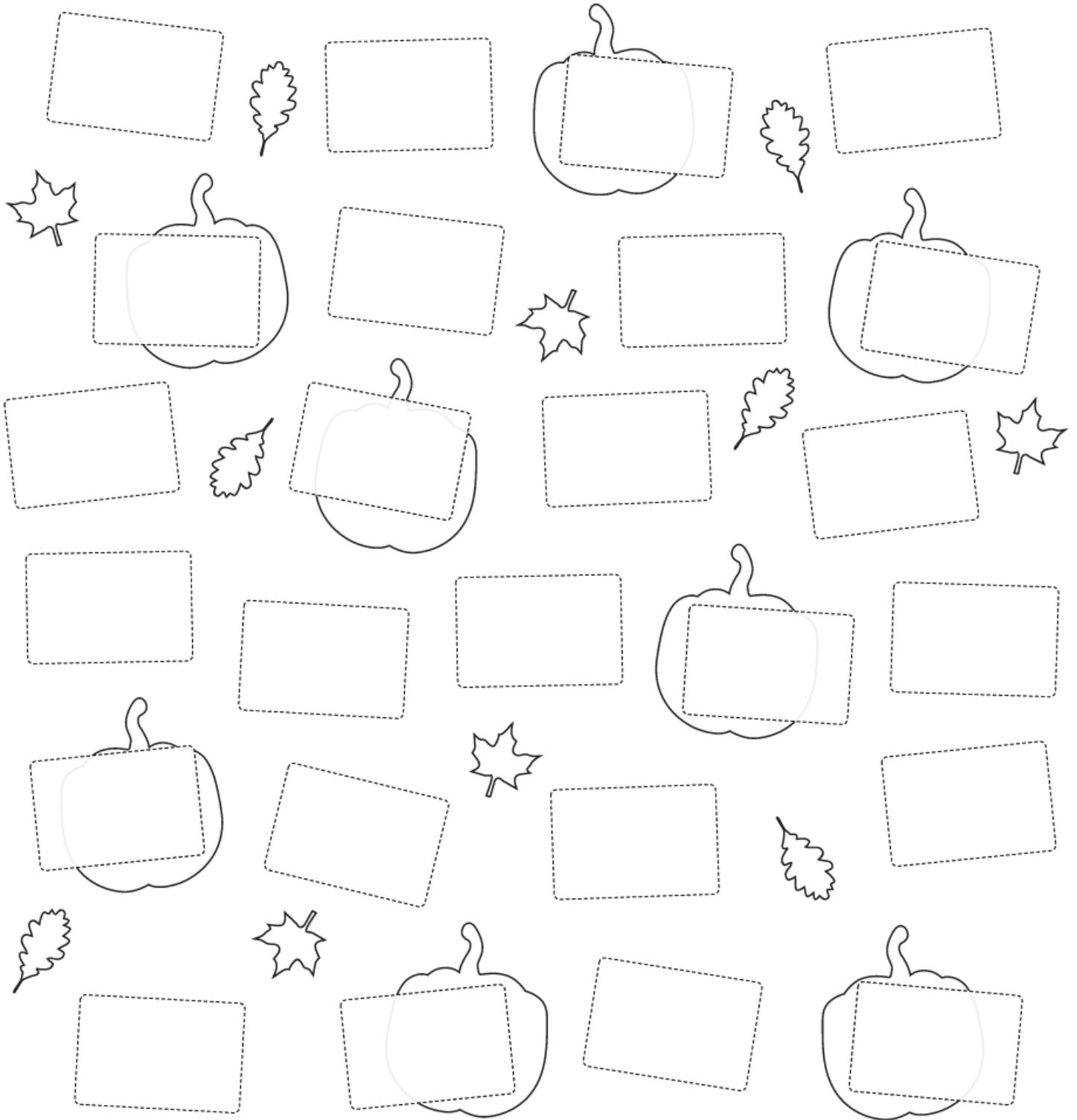
Jen Collins, Parents' Club President (jen.ch.collins@gmail)

Jennifer Runde, Parents' Club Vice President

Cari Santiago, Parents' Club Treasurer



HARVEST ALL YOUR BOX TOPS AND SEND THEM TO SCHOOL!



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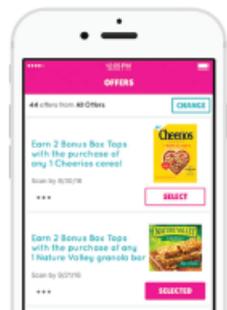
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