



# THORHILD CENTRAL SCHOOL

## BULLDOG BULLETIN

June 2018



### Student Information

- August 15—Order your school supplies through School Start—see attached notice
- August 22—School Office opens
- August 29—First Day of School for Students (Pancake Breakfast)
- August 31—Staggered Entry for ECS
- September 3—No School—Labour Day
- September 5—Staggered Entry for ECS
- September 7—First Full Day for ECS
- September 7—School Photos
- September 14—PD Staff Work Day / No School for Students
- September 18—First Day for Great Beginnings

### Events and Meeting

- September 10 @ 8:30—School Council AGM
- September 10 @ 10:00—TEAM AGM
- September 13 @ 7:00pm—Awards Celebration

### Great Beginnings—NEW Information

Starting in September 2018, the TCS Great Beginnings program will be a licensed program. This means that some family may be eligible for government subsidy to offset the cost of the program. If you are interested in accessing these supports, please contact the school office in September. At the beginning of each term, families will be invoiced for program fees. Parents will be welcomed to pay the entire fee at once or provide the school with monthly post dated cheques to cover the cost of the program.



## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE:

The end of the school year has come to a close.

Power School will be reopened on Friday, June 29 making all report cards available online for students and parents to access. Please review the comments and recommendations provided by the teachers for future academic planning. Once Power School has been reopened, students will be able to view their schedules for next year. All schedules will be made available by Monday, August 20 and any changes to high school schedules will begin on August 29. Mr. Gross and Mrs. Carson will be away at a professional development session on August 23 and 24 and the full TCS staff is planning on attending Blue Quills Residential School on Monday, August 27. On Tuesday, August 28 the staff will be having their beginning of the school year staff meeting and professional development session. Due to these commitments, timetable changes will not be able to be made until August 29.

To our grade 10 students. Please note that we added Math 10-3 to our first semester and Math 10C to the second. This format will allow students who want to build their math skills and confidence, an opportunity to take both math courses next year.

All of our staffing has been finalized for the next year. Mr. Zackary Rosychuk will be joining us as our Social Studies and Outdoor Education teacher. He has some big shoes to fill with Mr. Price leaving our school. Mrs. Leah Schryver will be teaching Kindergarten and overseeing Great Beginnings. Mrs. Fairful and Mrs. Schroter will be leaving TCS, as well. We wish all of these ladies the best as they embark on new adventures and teaching opportunities. These dedicated professionals will be missed by staff and students. Mrs. Dyck will be moving to junior high language arts and social studies next year. She is looking forward to the new challenge and working with an amazing group of students.

Student Information Verification sheets, Cellular Phones & Wireless Devices Policy form, and the Annual Field Trip Authorization form for the 2018-2019 school year were sent out with each student. Please review the information on the documents, sign the respective forms, and return them to school with your child. These documents will help us plan classroom configurations for the coming school year.

A special thank you is extended to all of our volunteers and parents. When families and school work together, the educational experience is strengthened for students. Your ongoing support is greatly appreciated. Enjoy the summer with your family, read great books, and go on adventures with family and friends. A special thank you is extended to all of our volunteer bus drivers. Without your support, many of our off campus trips would not be possible.

The school office will be reopen on August 22 and the first day of school for students is August 29. We wish everyone a safe, relaxing, and fun-filled summer break.

*Kim Carson*

*Principal*





**School Council** is trying to make your back to school supply shopping easy. All of the school supply lists have been provided to School Start. If you are interested in ordering all of your child's school supplies and have them delivered directly to TCS, please visit [www.schoolstart.ca](http://www.schoolstart.ca).

For every order placed, TCS will receive \$5 profit.

A great way to get your shopping done without having to travel and deal with back to school crowds.

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