



Towering Oaks Christian School ... a ministry of Towering Oaks Baptist Church

News in a Nutshell



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October 22, 2024

a Word from Mrs. Biebel-

Dear TOCS Families,

It is a blessing to have your student(s) back safely and settling back into learning, routines, Gospel memory, and expectations.

Please remember that our annual 2nd grade Ox Cart Sale is happening this week and all of the proceeds go towards important Christian ministry outreaches.

Our annual T.O.C.S. Walk-a-thon, hosted by our P.T.F., will be on Thursday, October 31 and Friday, November 1. It's a great way to support our school ministry and focus on health. Students who earn sponsors will walk

just one of the days based on preschool attendance and school aged students' field trip schedules, so they don't miss important instructional time. We appreciate your involvement and support.

We are also including a Warrior Wear order form for those that need or want a few items. These orders must be marked A for Adult size or Y for youth, and they will be finished and ready by early December. You are welcome to call the school office if you'd like the order kept privately as a Christmas surprise.

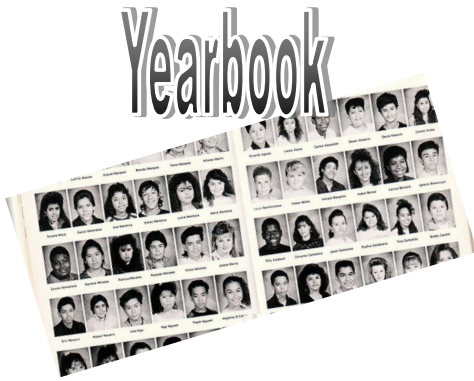
Please know that each of your families is prayed for daily and that we are here to support you and yours spiritually and academically. Please call the office if you have a prayer request that you would like added to the "School Family Prayer Concerns" section of the News in a Nutshell. I know that I speak on behalf of the TOCS faculty, staff, and other families when I say that we appreciate your prayers as well.

In His Holy Name,
Amy Pfaff-Biebel
T.O.C.S. Administrator

Special points of interest:

- Ox Cart Sale—Oct. 21-25
- Tues., Oct. 22 grade cards
- Thurs., Oct. 24 4th & 5th field trip
- Thurs., Oct. 31 Walk-A-Thon; 3rd grade field trip
- Fri., Nov. 1 Walk-A-Thon; TSA Leadership Trip; 1st Grade Field Trip
- Remember to check your email for messages from TOCS and/or FACTS!
- Don't forget to link your savings cards at Food City and Ingles' to TOCS each year! AND scan your Box Tops receipts!
- Pick-up absentee assignments after 2 p.m. from the office cart
- Foul weather information 1340 AM, 1450 AM, 103.1 FM, tocsweb.com, & Facebook

2024-2025 Preschool-8th Grade Yearbook order:



A yearbook captures the people and the memories with pictures. Yearbook-the school year summarized in one timeless anthology. **ON SALE NOW!** The cost is \$25.00 per book. Turn in forms to your child's teacher by **Friday, November 15**. You may write one check if you have more than one child or are ordering more than one book, but **PLEASE TURN IN A FORM FOR EACH BOOK ORDERED!** Make checks payable to TOCS. Preschool is included in our yearbook!

 Student Name _____ Grade or **PRESCHOOL** Teacher _____

\$25.00 enclosed _____ check _____ cash

School Family Prayer Concerns:



| Name | Relation | Request |
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| TJ and Codi [REDACTED] | Mrs. Yates' (art teacher) daughter's family | TJ is being deployed soon and family will remain in states |
| Carolyn [REDACTED] | [REDACTED]; mother of Mrs. Kim McGee music teacher | cancer—continuing treatments |
| Guy McAmis | CAD, STEM, and American Gov't/Econ Teacher | recovering from broken ankle |
| Robin [REDACTED] | Diane Morrison's (former TOBC secretary) daughter | cancer |
| Mia [REDACTED] | 5th grade student | recovering from heart surgery |
| John [REDACTED] | Mrs. Velvet's (secretary) brother-in-law | health |
| Raena [REDACTED] | high school student | Leukemia |
| Hattie [REDACTED] | Ms. Amanda Wilson's (preschool 4's teacher) Mother | health |