



# News in a Nutshell



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## a word from Mrs. Biebel-

Dear TOCS Families,

I pray for all of your families each day and appreciate partnering with you all to share the Gospel and uphold Godly principles.

Standardized testing begins next week for K-8 students, so please get plenty of rest, bring water, a snack, and a great work ethic.

Remember, the T.O.C.S. Cross Country and Track Team will be having a fundraising event tonight at Pizza Inn from 4:00-8:00, so please call Coach Scott today at 423-329-2904 to purchase tickets if you haven't already. They're \$12 each

and include buffet and drink. This Thursday, we would like to invite all grandparents to join us at T.O.C.S. for a free show put on by the Showcasers, under the direction of Sara Claibourne. They have been hard at work all year long memorizing lines and getting their stage voices ready. They will also be performing on May 2 at 7:00 pm in the main sanctuary. Cost is \$5 per ticket for "State Road 47" which goes directly towards costumes and scripts.

Please also join the T.O.C.S. and T.O.B.C. families in supporting our TSA

team by bringing in your aluminum scraps and placing them in the open trailer (with labels removed and bagged separately for veggie cans) in the back parking lot when you pull in for drop off or pick up. The trailer will be there through the end of April for your cans and other aluminum items.

In Christ,  
Amy Pfaff-Biebel  
T.O.C.S. Administrator

## Treasure of My Heart program is NEXT week:

The end of year program, *Treasure of My Heart* is coming up **next** week. Students have been preparing since January for this program and are excited to perform for their families. Just a reminder, dress rehearsal is NEXT Tuesday from 1:00-3:05. Please make sure your child brings the required dress for practice ...

Students should dress as follows:

**Girls:** Red, white, or black shirt (solid or stripes) with black or grey skirt (please follow the dress-code in the TOCS handbook) or pants (no shorts please).

**Boys:** Red, white, or black shirt (solid or stripes) with black or grey pants (no shorts please).

**Middle School:** In addition to the above, please plan to wear a red, white, or black bandana in pirate-fashion on your head, neck, or waist.

**High School choir:** any dress-code appropriate outfit that follows the color-scheme (red, white, black) NOTE: pirate hats will be provided for our 3rd-5th grade students to wear during their "Pirate's Life" song. Other students may wear a pirate hat if they wish. In the best interest of our students' safety and ability to navigate the stage, we ask that students do NOT wear a pirate patch over their eye or bring other props such as swords, parrots, etc.

## Special points of interest:

- Apr. 28-May 2 last week of preschool classes
- Thurs., May 1 HS 1st Thursday; Showcasers SCHOOL performance
- Fri., May 2 preschool promotion celebration; hot lunch due for May 12-20; Showcasers show 7 p.m.
- May 5-9 K-8 Achievement testing a.m. end of year program practice p.m.
- Tues., May 6 dress rehearsal for end of year program
- Thurs., May 8 "Treasure of My Heart" end of year program 7 p.m.
- Fri., May 8 inclement weather make up date for end of year program (if needed)
- See attached May calendar for other important dates to remember!
- 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