



# Teulon Collegiate Community Report 2016-2017

Photos: Terry Fox Run, Halloween (Under The Sea Theme), WE Day – Brea and Christine on stage, Christmas Activities, TCI Band Concerts , Students vs Teachers Hockey Game, Cultural Activities, Bubble Soccer Fundraiser for the Chartrand Family, Helping Hands Group, JVG Basketball Consolation Champions Provincials, Drama Production Fractured Fairy Tales, Varsity Badminton Provincial Champions (3-peat), Outdoor Ed canoe trip.

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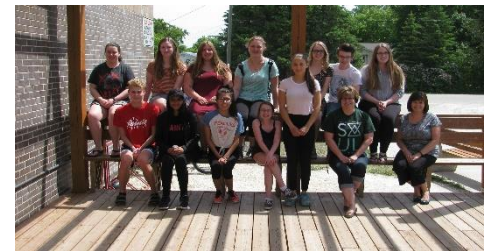
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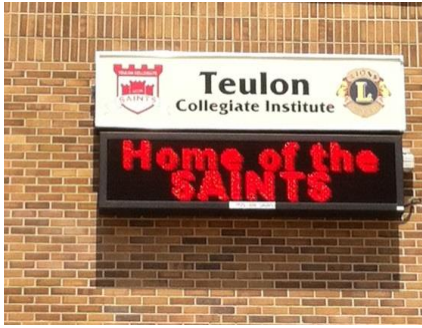
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## 2016-2017 School Priorities

**TELL THEM FROM ME** – All TCI students, this year, participated in a survey that provided valuable information on social-emotional and academic outcomes. Our student outcomes were then compared to national norms. As a staff we looked at the data from the October and May TTFM surveys and this helped us create some programming that would be the most beneficial to our students at TCI.

Our school plan for this year and moving forward is focused on these main priority areas:

- 1) **Student Achievement**: “Raising the Bar” – focusing on student achievement on year-end grades – getting students, parents and staff believing that 50% is not “good enough” by 2018. Using data sources such as Provincial Assessments, PowerSchool, and the RAD, teachers are able to determine how to set up a class profile so they can best support each student that is in their classes. To improve intellectual engagement, our Gr. 7 and 8 teachers have been working closely with Divisional Lead Teachers. As well, TCI implemented a very successful reading recovery program in the second semester. The data showed us that these students improved their reading by 1 to 2 grade levels. Numeracy is an area that, as a school, we want to continue to implement the changes that we feel will help improve the understanding and knowledge students have of numeracy before they leave TCI. To start, we have increased the students’ contact time in mathematics classes. As a staff, we looked at the use of numeracy throughout our courses. We discussed how to help all students have a good foundation and understanding of numeracy before they graduate.
- 2) **To establish a Positive School Climate at TCI**: Reducing the incidents of reported bullying each year to the point where by June 2018, TCI can report no incidents of bullying. Through the TTFM survey, students have reported that the incidences of bullying have decreased each school year over the last 4 years. TCI has adopted the Restitution Model for discipline. Our staff have outlined to students our school beliefs and bottom lines. These have been discussed with students and posted throughout the building. TCI hosted a Parent Meeting on April 11<sup>th</sup> where Administration, Trustees and Parents attended. Data from this meeting was shared with staff. The Kandu Café has provided a great opportunity for some of our students to learn valuable work experience. It has definitely added to creating a positive school climate here at TCI.
- 3) **Sustainable Development**: Reducing the student/staff/school carbon footprint through reduction in use of hydro, water, paper and ink. By looking at different data sources, both divisionally and school based, the staff and students of TCI have been working on sustainability. TCI has continued to recycle & compost, and are planning to institute more green projects in the future.
- 4) **Building Relationships**: By 2018, our goal is for 100% of our students at TCI will be able to respond on the TTFM survey that they feel that they have a “Go To” adult in our building.
- 5) **Technology**: By 2018, teachers can provide evidence that they are incorporating technology into their daily activities. We have been incorporating technology throughout the school year and plan to continue to introduce new technology to staff that they will be able to use with the students in their classrooms.

## 2016-2017 Highlights

Here is a brief summary of some of the activities that went on at TCI this year.

- **The Arts\_– Band concerts/camp, Visual Arts displays, Ms. Bilenki’s Drama class performance of Fractured Fairy Tales March 22 and 23)**
- **TCI Girls Group, Green Team, Helping Hands, Circle of Friends, Yearbook, and numerous field trips. TCI students went to WE Day November 18<sup>th</sup>.**
- **Kandu Café continued to provide work experience and delicious food to our students and staff.**



- **TCI held Cultural Activities in the month of March.**
- **Athletics - TCI hosted a “Softball for Kidsport” tournament with 20 co-ed teams throughout the Interlake participating. JVG Basketball Team won Consolation Championship at Provincials. Varsity Badminton won a Provincial Championship for the third year in a row.**
- **Town Clean-up by all students and staff done on May 18/17.**
- **Outdoor Education Canoe trip from May 31 – June 2, 2017.**
- **Outdoor Survivor Camp trip from May 28 – May 31, 2017.**
- **Grade 6 Orientation (Banana Split Making)**
- **This year’s Youth in Philanthropy group provided the Teulon community with grants for worthwhile projects and purchases. Examples of previous recipients of YIP grants:**
  - **Library: Squishy Circuits Makerspace kit**
  - **Teulon Elementary School: contribution to new climbing wall**
  - **Teulon Daycare: an educational rug**
  - **Green Acres Park: contribution towards purchasing a laptop**

**TCI’s class of 2017 was very successful with 31 graduates in all, 5 gold medals handed out for averages of 90% or higher and a total of just over \$31,000 was presented at Grad to 12 different graduates. Great work everyone!!**

**To our graduating class we wish you success and happiness in the future. You have finished one of the chapters in your life and it is an exciting time as you now will be starting a new chapter. Have a safe and happy summer!**