



TRINITY ACADEMY NEWS

Mascot – We have officially adopted our mascot ... the EAGLE



Enrollment Status - On August 25, 2015, 15-20 students will walk through the doors of Trinity Academy filled with excitement and nerves. These students will be greeted by godly teachers who have been praying and planning for the seeds of truth that will be planted during the 2015-2016 school year. When considering the daunting task of preparing Trinity Academy and its families for our initial school year, it can be overwhelming. The task list is long and the need for those willing to make an eternal investment in the lives of students seems insurmountable. Yet, we are reminded that in our weakness and near-sightedness, God's power and provision is abundantly evident. He has demonstrated over and over, as our board and supporters have covered Trinity in prayer, that He is more than able. Ephesians 3:20-21 states "Now to Him who is able to do immeasurably

more than all we ask or imagine, according to His power that is at work within us, to Him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen."

Pilot Program - Our pilot program students ended the year on a joyful note, singing scripture and reciting facts for friends and family. As we reflected, there were many reasons to celebrate: a unified faculty who worked fluidly all year; a building transformed through hours of volunteer service; academic growth in 100% of students; and two children who made the personal decision to be baptized into the family of Christ. The first annual Faculty vs. Students tug-of-war ended the year with the teachers on top. Next year will be more of a challenge as our student numbers increase!

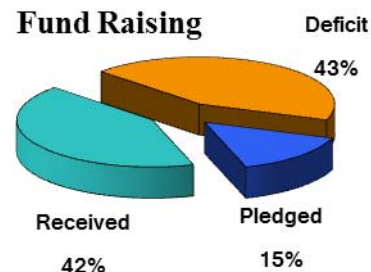


FROM THE ADMINISTRATOR'S DESK

When Christian parents evaluate education, they recognize the importance of shaping both the mind and heart of their children. At Trinity Academy, we believe that Christian Education should be the extension of the home and church. God gives parents the responsibility for educating their children's hearts and minds (Romans 12:2, Deut 6: 4-6, Prov 22:6, Eph 6:4). The Christian school is an extension of the Biblical truth taught at home and in the church and should indeed challenge students to be transformed by the renewal of their minds. As students gain knowledge of various content areas, they also develop godly wisdom for how that knowledge is applied in a Christ-like way to the world around them. As students learn that all truth is God's truth, they develop a standard of truth as they encounter and engage with culture; therefore becoming transforming agents in the world they live. Parents and supporters of Trinity Academy are investing in the lives of children, to make an eternal difference in them and the part of the world God calls them to transform. (Excerpted from full article on the school website.)

FUNDRAISING

It appears that we will have approximately 20 students enrolled for the Fall semester. Our shortfall for the school year as we go to press is a little more than \$45,000.00. Please help us as God has provided for your stewardship!



TESTIMONIAL

The following is from one of our prayer partners in Australia (Anita H) whose daughter attended Trinity Christian School in Adelaide, South Australia.

“Being a single mum I was struggling financially and going backwards. More than anything I wanted to raise my children being nurtured in biblical truth. I reached out to Jesus, as a new Christian because I knew that on paper, there was absolutely no money to send them to a private school. It took everything I had financially to keep both my children in Christian schools initially and many things had to be sacrificed but I believed that that was where God wanted them and I trusted Him to supply the fees. For the whole of their schooling as each term’s fees needed to be paid, the money was there. Provided, and I gave thanks. For the last years He supplied the fees by giving me the opportunity to drive the school bus. It was exactly the amount I needed.”



“Please encourage parents who may be struggling with how they can afford the fees, to enroll their child and see how God will supply the need. It was a real leap of faith for me as a new Christian. I’d do it all again for the benefits of giving my children a Christ centred education. My daughter now has two girls who are enrolled in a Christian school. Life is tough on a fortnightly welfare cheque but God provides.”

SCHOOL NEEDS

TEACHERS! Teacher for 2nd-3rd grade split class. Please contact Karen to inquire about the open positions (administrator@trinityeagles.org).

VOLUNTEERS! Workers to clean and paint classrooms. Work dates will be on FB or e-mailed to supporters.

FILE CABINETS! 2-drawer or 4-drawer file cabinets of which at least one is fire-rated.

BOOK CASES! These should be very sturdy and of any dimensions.

TOYS & GAMES! Gently used toys for the Kindergarten classroom and board games for 2nd through 5th graders.

Deuteronomy 6:5-9 (ESV)

Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength. These commandments that I give you today

WELCOME NEW FRIENDS!

V Swanson; Anchorage, AK
P Scottberg; Grayslake, IL