

## THE KING'S HERALD

*...a positive high school experience and positioned for Godly leadership...*

### *From the Principal's Desk... On the Homestretch*

If you have not noticed already, June is sneaking up on us and we are quickly approaching the end of the school year. Before graduation on June 18, there are only 15 remaining days of classes and five examination days. Wow! Time does fly when we are fully occupied to accomplish our major goals, shaping young lives to be exemplars of discipleship to Jesus Christ.

Recognizing that the end is in sight also suggests that we need to bear down together to ensure learning success for every student. Our faculty is always ready and able to assist any student who requests assistance in the preparation of a quality assignment. Under the leadership of Mr. Ford, our Learning Coach, we provide an impressive array of learning strategies and methodologies to support our students in understanding the required curriculum. We do not take shortcuts or reduce the depth of understanding expected; we simply create alternate routes to achieve the same goals for all students within a specific course. I would encourage all students and parents to avail themselves of these rich resources – our faculty!

While we count down the days to June 18, there are a number of valuable activities that deserve your attention..Next week, May 22, we will have our first awards banquet for the arts, academics, activities and athletics, on May 29 we will have an evening for parents and friends to celebrate the visual and musical arts, and on June 7 is the Third Annual Golf Tournament. I am looking forward to large crowds at each event as a testimony to our thanksgiving to God for all blessings that we are experiencing at King's.

Have a great long week-end, Mr. Vanderkooy

### *MEN'S VARSITY SOCCER...*

Last Thursday and Friday , the King's Men's Varsity Soccer team participated in the Gonzaga Provincial Showcase tournament in Mississauga. This is the most high profile tournament the team has participated in, with scouts present to view each team's talent. On Thursday, King's defeated Mount Carmel 1-0 and Xavier 1-0 while losing 2-0 to the Gonzaga. They finished second in their pool and qualified for the semi-finals Friday. Friday's results were not as glowing, but considering that the tournament was made up of all quad A schools (with student populations of over 1300), the fact that a single A school (under 500) made it to the semi-finals was impressive to all. Congratulations to Coach Zietsma and all the men for their fine play!



## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- *Monday, May 19*  
Victoria Day - no school
- *Thursday, May 29*  
Evening of the Arts at 7:00
- *Saturday, June 7*  
King's Third Annual Golf Tournament  
at Lionhead Golf and Country Club
- *June 9 - 13*  
Exams
- *Wednesday, June 18*  
Graduation Ceremony 3:30 pm

### *PRAYER POLE*

Parents and supporters are invited to pray at the school every Thursday morning at 8:40 am

- ◆ Please pray for our staff and students as they finish course work and plan for a strong finish to the school year.
  - ◆ Pray for discernment as King's hires additional teachers for the upcoming school year.
- ◆ Pray for those considering mission trips to Peru, Texas and the Dominican Republic in January and March 2009.
  - ◆ Pray for safety and well-being for our athletes as they compete in games and tournaments across the GTA.

#### *A KING'S CHOIR MEMBER WRITES...*

On Friday May 2<sup>nd</sup> King's Christian Collegiate participated in a choir festival along with seven other schools at Toronto District Christian High school (TDCH). The festival took place from 9:00 am to 9:00 pm. Even though it was a long day, King's students' spirits were held high. It was an exciting day that no one will forget.

Going into the festival every school was asked to learn four songs that would be sung together as a group. King's came well prepared for what was asked of the school. We also preformed two songs, one of which received the loudest applause of all the schools. When all the schools came together to form a mass choir, the King's students felt very well prepared and definitely were compared to some of the other schools. Unfortunately there were students that did not conduct themselves in a fashion that you would expect from a mature high school student due to the fact that some of the other schools forced their Grade 9 students to go.

Phillip Shoultz III and Nancy Kidd were our conductors for the day and each of them brought a different gift to the festival. Phillip Shoultz was amazing to work with. He brought the music to life and it was very easy to follow him. He also made

very clear what kind of sound he wanted to hear from us and had a way of showing us exactly how to make that sound. Nancy Kidd had an interesting personality. It felt as though not many people respected her because of her eccentric personality. To me she came off as someone who normally conducts children. Both of them were very well accomplished and singing under their leadership is truly something that will never be forgotten by any of the students.

Overall, the time there was a lot of fun. King's will hopefully participate in next year's festival. It was a day to remember!

*Katelyn Charpentier (far right of picture below)*  
*Grade 10, Choir Member*





**THURSDAY May 29 7:00 – 9:00**  
**Complimentary Admission**

## AN EVENING OF THE ARTS

- PERFORMANCES BY THE KING'S CONCERT BAND, MUSIC CLASSES & CHOIR
- AN EXHIBITION OF STUDENT ARTWORK
  - BE THE BAND'S GUEST CONDUCTOR FOR A SONG
- OPPORTUNITY TO SPONSOR MATERIALS FOR THE KING'S LIBRARY (SEE BELOW)

RELAX WITH FRIENDS AT THE KING'S CAFÉ, FEATURING COMPLIMENTARY GOURMET TEAS & COFFEES AND A SELECTION OF SPECIALTY DESSERTS AT GREAT PRICES

It's that wonderful time of the year again – spring! And with Spring comes the Annual

### “Evening of the Arts”

here at King's, this year on **Thursday May 29 at 7:00 pm**. It's a wonderful chance to view the year's accomplishments. The best of our Visual Arts program will be on display, and our Music department will delight us with samples of their concert band and choir repertoires. Mark your calendars! You will want to be here! Enjoy the offerings of a dessert buffet while browsing the tables of books on display. There will also be a book sale – but not your average book sale. During the “Evening of the Arts”, we encourage you to review the growing collection of library books, and offer to **sponsor an existing book**, by donating the cost of that book. In response to your generosity, a commemorative bookplate will be placed in that book to honour you or someone you love. Donations range with the price of the materials, with every possible deal being passed on to donors, and a tax receipt for every donation. The money donated will fund the purchase of further materials. Together, we can build a library that benefits our students and their academic pursuits. And your donation will be marked for future students to see that it was generosity like yours that built such a great school.

#### *LIFEGUARDING OPPORTUNITY THIS SUMMER...*

Camp Mishewah, part of Evergreen Christian Ministries, is in need of qualified lifeguards to fill summer camp positions. If you are a qualified lifeguard and this opportunity interests you, contact Joanna Shantz at [joanna\\_shantz@hotmail.com](mailto:joanna_shantz@hotmail.com). Applications can be downloaded from the camp website at <http://www.evergreencm.org/mishewah.htm>

# THIRD ANNUAL King's Invitational GOLF TOURNAMENT



**SATURDAY  
JUNE 7, 2008**



**It's your choice !**

**Register by...**

**Phone**

**905-257-5464 x 501**

**Fax**

**905-257-5463**

**Email**

**snoseworthy@**

**kingschristian.net**

- **Lionhead Golf and Country Club (Masters Course)**  
8525 Mississauga Rd, Brampton [www.golflionhead.com](http://www.golflionhead.com)
- 4-person scramble tournament format followed by BBQ lunch
- Tournament fee includes power cart, driving range facilities
- \$150 per person
- Great prizes - including signed Leafs and Raptors gear
- Four levels of individual or corporate sponsorship available
- See Raptors announcers Chuck Swirsky & Jack Armstrong there

## SPONSORSHIPS

- I will gladly offer an individual or corporate sponsorship
- PLATINUM** \$ 5000 (includes a foursome)
- GOLD** \$ 2000
- SILVER** \$1000
- BRONZE** \$ 500
- Count me in! I will gladly organize a foursome (other names can be sent later) .**

NAME(S)	EMAIL

Please note: registrations must be honoured. Payment to "King's Christian Collegiate" accepted in the form of a cheque by mail to the school or at the event on golf day.

**Organizing Committee: Len De Bolster, Steve De Bolster, Chris Hebb, & Mike Reinders**