

The Word on Logos

December, 2010



2010/2011 Logos Board

- President—vacant
- Vice President—vacant
- Secretary—Lisa Trenka
- Treasurer—Bernie Fulkerth
- Special Events—Angie Clark
- Fundraising—Elizabeth Lloyd & Kelly Thorne
- School Reps:
 - Brentwood—Heather Leung
 - Westboro—Karla Augert & Tyler Rowan
 - Sherwood Heights—Bernie Fulkerth

What? No President?

~ E. Tyler Rowan (etrowan@shaw.ca)

If you are concerned about the lack of Board members for this year's Society, you are not alone! The Logos Society is dependant on your involvement in order to keep on keeping on. So please, don't hesitate to come to a meeting and check us out! (I promise, we won't hog tie you into the President's seat! At least not at your first meeting!)

As we wait for willing individuals to fill two vital roles on our Board, current

Board members are taking turns in the role of "Acting President" and chairing the meetings.

Perhaps the idea of stepping up as President feels a bit daunting... Why not start out shadowing one of the current Board members in their role? Might I suggest trying out Treasurer or Sherwood Heights Rep? (Those positions will need to be filled next fall, too.)

I promise, we won't hog tie you into the President's seat!

But, if you **are** feeling called to the position of President or Vice President, you can rest assured that each and every one of us are more than willing to help out!

Don't have the time to commit to being a Board member? We would still love to have your input, so come on out to a meeting!

Have You Paid Your Membership Fees?

~ Bernie Fulkerth (dbfulker@telus.net)

Where do our fees go?

The Logos Society funds are used to purchase Bibles, Christian books, CDs and DVDs for the libraries and classrooms. These funds also cover the costs of bussing, speakers and musicians for school chapels and other Logos events. Each school has a "wish list" of items that the society helps fund, as well.

Did I pay my fees?

Our books tell us that we are down by greater than \$500 in membership fees this year! Since we know that enrollment numbers have not changed significantly, chances are a few families overlooked their Logos Membership Form this fall. If you are unsure whether you paid your fees (\$20 per family), you can contact me to find out.

I want to help!

As my boys are moving on to high school, this will be my last year as Treasurer and also Sherwood Heights Rep. If you are interested in contributing some time to the Logos Society, I would be glad to have you shadow me for the remainder of the year and then take over one of my roles on the Logos Society for next year.

Show me Your ways, O LORD, teach me Your paths; guide me in Your truth and teach me, for You are God my Saviour, and my hope is in You all day long.

~ Psalm 25:4-5 (NIV)

Westboro Elementary

~ Karla Augert (kaugert@live.com)

What's up at Westboro?

Christmas chapel - Dec. 16th

Easter chapel - April 21st, (at Brentwood Elementary)

Need prayer - leave your request in the prayer box outside the office

Parent prayer group - Thursdays at 2:40pm in the conference room (For more info, contact Sharon Jans at 780.417.3964.)

Moving on...

As Logos parents and Board members, we know very well how necessary having a school representative for the Logos program is. While I have filled this role for a number of years, it is time for us to move on up (to junior high).

Westboro is being blessed with a new Rep., Tyler Rowan, who is an eager, involved and Christlike mom who desires to grow and support the Elk Island Logos Program.

On behalf of Westboro Elementary, we wish you the kind of Christmas that Jesus would want us to have; one full of gratitude and selfless love toward all.

**Joint Easter chapel @
Brentwood on
April 21st, 2011**

Special Events/Fundraising

~ Elizabeth Lloyd (pelloyd2000@yahoo.com)

Do you love Cobs variety of freshly baked goods, and drive your car to get them? Both these things can help support the Logos program in your school! We have teamed up with the Sherwood Park Cobs, and with the Millshaven Husky (on Main Blvd) to provide your schools with a cash rebate of between 2-5%.

Simply mention your school when you buy your bread, or show your card when you fill up at Husky, and the Logos program will receive the rebate! If you are interested in supporting your school this way, please contact me by Dec 31, and we will be sure to get you a gas card.

Silent Auction Coming Up!

Stay tuned for more information about our 2011 silent auction! If you have any corporate donations, please email kellykoolster@gmail.com.

Brentwood Elementary

~ Heather Leung (gnuelkh@gmail.com)

At Brentwood Elementary School each Logos class has a daily devotion, learns memory verses and has prayer time with students.

Several of the classes have their own individual service projects at various times throughout the year as well as joining in with the school-wide service projects.

For example, the grade 6 Logos class recently raised over \$600 for the Stollery Children's Hospital with a bake sale! The grade 2 class

has a Christian community outreach with Silver Birch Lodge; they meet once a month with the seniors to sing songs, have devotions and Bible readings.

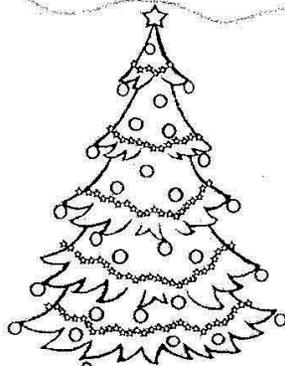
On December 17 the Logos classes will be participating in a Traveling

Christmas, visiting different Logos classrooms to sing songs, play games, do crafts and tell stories. The theme for this year will be *The Colors of Christmas*.

The grade 5 class will be hosting a Christmas chapel at the school on December 17. If any parents are interested in leading a parent prayer group prior to the monthly Logos chapels, please contact me.

**Christmas chapel
December 17th, 2:30pm**

Christmas



Christmas feels like snowflakes

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dropping to my feet; Christmas

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tastes like a sweet delicious

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treat. Christmas smells like

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candles burning, Christmas looks

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like lights,

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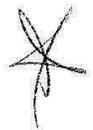
glowing too. Christmas

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sounds like bells ringing but

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Christmas really is about Jesus.



Westboro
Grade 2L

Elk Island Logos Society

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Mission Statement

That students, taught in a spiritually nurturing, intellectually challenging and disciplined environment, acquire the knowledge, attitudes, skills and training necessary to seek after 'whatsoever things are true.'

That sustained by Christ's teachings and God's love, students may develop binding commitments to their families, neighbours, country and the global community while leading moral, healthy, and productive lives.

- * Christmas chapel—December 15th
- * Bible study—Wednesdays @ lunch
- * Parent prayer—Wednesdays @ 1pm

Sherwood Heights Jr. High ~ Bernie Fulkerth

Sherwood Heights has a total of 92 Logos Students: grade 7 - 31 students; grade 8 - 30 students; and grade 9 - 31 students.

The RIZN Band from the Church on 99th was at our school on October 29th for a Halloween Alternative. They entertained students with their music and with a Fear Factor contest. A great time was had by all !

The Christmas chapel at Sherwood Heights is scheduled for December 15. Graham Watt will be the speaker; he will be talking about *The Mad Challenge*. Parents are always welcome to attend the chapels.

Truth Revealed is the Bible study that takes place in Mr. Bouwers' class

every Wednesday during lunch. Thank you to Jean Frederick and Sally Navis for hosting this study. Prayer time for parents follows at 1pm for those that are interested.

The retreat for the Junior High students will take place at Church on 99th in the spring. Planning for the event is underway.

We're on the web!

www.logosprogram.ca

Upcoming Logos Meetings

(All meetings take place on Thursday evenings at 7pm .)

January 6th—Brentwood

February 3rd—Sherwood Heights

March 3rd—Westboro

April 7th—Brentwood

May 5th—Sherwood Heights

June 9th—Westboro

(This is our Annual General Meeting; all parents and teachers are welcome and encouraged to attend.)