



Calendar:

- Jan 25 & 27** - Upper elementary band practice
- Jan 26** - Chinese New Year Celebration, 9:00am (date change)
- Jan 27** - Swimming Lessons for Nadine's Class, bring suit and towel
- Feb 3** - Blood Drive, 8:30am in Parent Room
- Feb 3** - Extended Day [Fieldtrip to West High School for Theatre Production](#)
- Feb 3** - Swimming Lessons for Nadine's Class, bring suit and towel
- Feb 6** - Singers of United Lands performance, 9:00am in The Barn
- Feb 6** - [Tuition assistance and co-op application process opens](#)
- Feb 6** - Lower Elementary (moving up to) enrollment meeting, 6:00pm at Pomaranski's
- Feb 7** - Primary enrollment meeting, 6:00pm, at TCH
- Feb 8** - Upper elementary band practice
- Feb 9** - Upper elementary enrollment meeting, 6:00pm location TBD
- Feb 9** - Wings of Wonder presentation in the Barn, 1:00pm
- Feb 10** - Swimming Lessons for Nadine's Class, bring suit and towel
- Feb 14** - Gala Wine Party, 5:30pm at the Griner/Licht home, more details to follow
- Feb 15** - County Spelling Bee, 6:00pm at Grand Traverse Academy
- Feb 16** - Parent Visiting Day for primary and elementary, 8:30am
- Feb 17** - Faculty professional day, campus closed
- Feb 20** - Presidents' Day, campus closed
- Feb 21** - Presidents' Day assembly



As always, the Google Calendar and TCH Facebook pages are a great resource for calendar dates, articles of interest, and other related posts about school "happenings."

Other Notes:

Blood Drive - February 3

The Children's House is teaming up with Michigan Blood to collect 13 pints of needed blood that will stay for use in our community. A blood drive will be held from 8:30 - 11:30 (in the parent room at school) and 20 donors are needed to meet the goal. A sign up sheet with times is at the front desk. Please call to sign up for a time that works for you. Being a blood donor is a great way to give back to our greater community. We hope that you can make it.

Singers of United Lands

On February 6th, TCH will host the international singing group, Singers of United Lands. The group includes singers native to Poland, India, Bolivia and Namibia. Parents are welcome to join for the morning concert in the barn at 9:00. [Click here](#) for more information on.

SAVE THE DATE (REVISED!)

This year's gala wine party is going to be held on February 14th (Valentine's Day) at the home of Joan (Griner)

and Norm Licht. This year's party will be held from 5:30 - 7:30 with beer and wine tastings along with light appetizers so that you can head out to dinner with your sweetheart after! Please mark your calendars for this great event. It is a wonderful way to kick off the gala but also a fun get together! This year's event is shaping up to be a good one.

County Spelling Bee

The Grand Traverse County Bee will be held Wednesday, February 15 at 6:00pm at the Grand Traverse Academy. If you need directions or have any questions please contact Catherine Turnbull at Catherine@traversechildrenshouse.org

Links of Note:

- [Extracurricular Opportunities](#) - New Tennis Classes starting, Singwell Academy
- [Updated Teacher Pages](#) - Read this week's updates
- [Lunch Menu/Ordering](#) - February Menu
- [Easy \\$](#) - Box Tops, Oleson's and Glen's funds for schools programs

The Week in Pictures:















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