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Tri-City Christian Academy

# TCA Highlights

## July 2010 DATES TO HIGHLIGHT

### JULY

9 Susanna High's Wedding  
19-23 Music Camps  
26-30 Band Camp

### AUGUST

7 Cheerleading Camp  
9 Senior/Junior Scheduling Day  
9 Boys' Soccer Tryouts  
9 Girls' Volleyball Tryouts  
10 Sophomore/Freshman Scheduling Day  
13 Summer Enrichment Ends  
17 TCA Open House  
1:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.  
**18 First day of School** – School Starts 8:05 a.m.  
30 Reveille Week – Jr/Sr High

## WELCOME TO TCA

We would like to extend a warm welcome to the new parents and new students who have joined the TCA family. We are looking forward to a great year of working with new and returning parents and students. We pray that you will have a great year.

## ENROLLMENT

We will continue to take applications for enrollment for the 2010-2011 school year through the summer months. Please contact the TCA office if you intend to enroll your child(ren) for this next year. We now have a waiting list for several classes. We are excited about having over sixty new students with us this next school year.

## TCA WELCOMES A NEW TEACHER

We are pleased to welcome Miss Anna Fosnot to our TCA teaching staff this year. Miss Fosnot completed her student teaching at TCA. Last year she enhanced her teaching skills as a substitute teacher. Miss Fosnot will be teaching K-4. You may meet her at the TCA Open House on August 17, from 1:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

## SUSANNAH HIGH'S WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Mike High and Mrs. and Mrs. James Dornan want to extend an invitation to the marriage of Susannah High and James Dornan on Friday, July 9, 2010. The wedding will take place in the church auditorium at 7:00 p.m.

## TCA SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

The Academy office summer hours will be from 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. June 1 through August 13.

## SCHOOL WIDE OPEN HOUSE

We are excited to begin the 2010-2011 school year with the many new and returning families that will be with us this year. Teachers and staff look forward to seeing you at the Open House on August 17, from 1:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. This is a drop in open house where you are welcome to visit classrooms, tour the facility, order P.E. uniforms and work with our business office staff to pay tuition. There will also be an opportunity to gain more information regarding TOPS tuition tax program, private music lessons, chess club, carpooling, vehicle registration procedures, parent volunteer opportunities and the Warrior Club. Maps will be available to help you find your way around. We will not be selling school supplies this year. Last year was our first year in our new facility and we appreciated your patience as we worked through new procedures throughout the year. We are looking forward to applying the knowledge that we gained to better equip both student and staff for a successful 2010-2011 school year.

## TOPS ENROLLMENT

The new application forms for TOPS (Tuition Organization for Private Schools) enrollment for the 2010-2011 school year are now available online at: [www.topsforkids.com](http://www.topsforkids.com). For those who qualify, the corporate applications are also available.

## ATHLETIC PRE-SEASON TRYOUTS

Pre-season tryouts for both boys' soccer and girls' volleyball will begin Monday, August 9. All athletes must have their biennial physicals updated before the first day of practice. Forms are available online at [www.TCAwarriors.org](http://www.TCAwarriors.org), (go to enroll/forms) or in the Academy office. Please read Coaches letter to Prospective Athletes on our website under the page: Extracurricular/Sports. [http://www.tricityministries.org/tca/files/documents/athletes\\_letter\\_july2010.pdf](http://www.tricityministries.org/tca/files/documents/athletes_letter_july2010.pdf)

## IMMUNIZATION RECORDS

The Department of Health Services requires that ALL students be up to date on all immunizations. It is now required for sixth graders to have a Tdap if the last dose was five or more years ago and a dose of Meningococcal vaccine before school starts. Immunizations must be caught up by the time school opens on August 18<sup>th</sup>. If you have not given the TCA office a copy of your child's immunizations, please do so as soon as possible.

## SUMMER ENRICHMENT

Children ages 5 through 13 are enjoying Summer Enrichment which will continue until August 13. Visit our website at: [www.Tricityministries.org](http://www.Tricityministries.org). Since Summer Enrichment is considered day care, applicable tax deductions may be utilized.

## IBC SUMMER FINE ARTS CAMPS

It's not too late to sign-up for Summer Fine Arts Camp at International Baptist College in Chandler! Programs are available for 1<sup>st</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> grade. Camps are this month. Check it out at: [www.ibconline.edu](http://www.ibconline.edu) or call 800-IBC-4858 for more information.

## CHEER CAMP

Cheer camp!! Saturday, August 7, 2010, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. If you are interested, join us for the day. We will start with the basics and keep building from there. There will be a \$20 charge which covers snacks throughout the day, and lunch. Each girl will receive a t-shirt and a jump start into the season.

## HIGH SCHOOL SCHEDULING DAY

High school students will be confirming their classes on "Scheduling Day". The dates and times are as follows:

- **Seniors:** August 9  
8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
- **Juniors:** August 9  
11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
- **Sophomores:** August 10  
8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
- **Freshmen:** August 10  
11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

P.E. uniforms may be purchased and tuition payments made during the scheduling time. There will not be a special scheduling time for junior high students; however they may purchase P.E. uniforms or make payments during Scheduling Days.

## SCHOOL UNIFORMS

This year Simply Uniforms will be providing for purchase, the TCA uniform shirts for 7<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> graders. Please see the information posted at [TCAwarriors.org](http://TCAwarriors.org) – Enroll/Enrollment process/#6 dress code flyer. There is a 15% discount coupon available at: <https://www.simplyschooluniforms.com/t-coupon15.aspx>.

## USED UNIFORMS

If you have uniform items that your student has outgrown but that are still in good condition, you may donate your items by dropping them off at the TCA office. Make sure that the article is clean and marked with the size. Used items may be purchased at the open house. All proceeds from the used items will go to the Warrior Club.