

# SUMMER GUIDE 2023





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*Trinity High School is proud to celebrate 50 years  
as a co-educational Catholic school in 2023.*

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Join us on the following dates to commemorate Trinity's 50th Anniversary:

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29<sup>TH</sup>**

Mass at 5 p.m., followed by Grand Reunion in the school.

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30<sup>TH</sup>**

All alumni are welcome to the Homecoming Football Game  
at Cuyahoga Heights (our home field) vs. Beachwood @ 1:00 p.m.

**FRIDAY, MAY 3<sup>RD</sup>, 2024**

The 50th Anniversary Gala (Out of the Blue)

*\*Students are encouraged to participate in Trinity's Donation Drop -Off dates on March 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>, 2024,  
where they are asked to bring donations in exchange for a dress down day and entry for a prize.\**

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# NOTES

## SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

Trinity's Business Office is open for tuition payments and other general inquiries Monday, June 12 through Thursday, August 3, from 9:00 a.m. to Noon; CLOSED on Fridays.

## SCHOOL COMMUNICATIONS

Trinity High School primarily communicates with parents/guardians and students through email and text messages sent through SchoolMessenger using the email and cell phone number provided on the school forms within the parent PowerSchool account. **Parents and students MUST sign up to receive text messages (including reminders, school closures, and internship notifications) by texting YES to our school's short code number 67587.**

Parents may also log into SchoolMessenger to see the last 30 days of email/text/voice communications through the SchoolMessenger link in their parent PowerSchool account. This feature is only available through the web portal. It is not available through the PowerSchool app.

## NEW PARENT ORIENTATION

Parents new to Trinity **must** attend an orientation meeting on Thursday, August 17, at 7:00 p.m. in the gymnasium. Students are welcome to accompany their parents. This orientation focuses on school programs, policies, and curriculum.

## OPENING DATES & TIMES

**Grade 9 students** should report to Trinity's atrium in uniform on Thursday, August 17, no later than 7:55 a.m. Dismissal will be at 3:00 p.m. Students will receive their schedules at this time.

**Transfer students** will be invited for a portion of the day, you will be contacted with more information in the coming weeks.

**Current Students:** We are in need of 25 volunteers to help at Freshman Orientation on August 17. Please email Mrs. Davies at [daviesc@ths.org](mailto:daviesc@ths.org) before August 11 if interested.

**All students** should report by 7:55 a.m. in uniform on Friday, August 18. Students in grades 10-12 will receive a copy of their course schedule on the first day. Dismissal occurs at 3:00 p.m. on August 18.

## TRANSFER STUDENT INTERNSHIP BOOTCAMP

In order to prepare students for their internship assignments, we require an internship "bootcamp" for incoming 11th and 12th grade transfer students. This year's bootcamp begins Monday, August 7 and runs through Friday, August 11. Students will arrive at 9:00 a.m. and will be dismissed at noon. This week gives students background on the Pre-Professional Internship program so that they may perform well in their internship settings. Contact Ms. Barb Dottore at (216) 581-5749 or [dottoreb@ths.org](mailto:dottoreb@ths.org) with any questions.

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## SENIOR PORTRAITS

Members of the Class of 2024 are reminded that they should have their senior yearbook portrait taken this summer. Make an appointment with Trinity's official yearbook photographer, Prestige Portraits, online at [Grad Photography in Westlake, OH | Prestige Portraits](#). Refer to the e-mail sent to parents/guardians at the end of June with additional information.

## WORK PERMITS

Mrs. Fritsch will be available to process work permits Monday through Thursday ONLY from 9:00 a.m. - NOON. Students who need to obtain a work permit during the summer months should visit [ths.org/student\\_life/work\\_permits](https://ths.org/student_life/work_permits) for more information and to obtain the necessary forms.

## CHROMEBOOKS, TEXTBOOKS & SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Trinity is continuing to issue Chromebooks for each student which will streamline the students education and overall learning. Textbooks other than Theology are provided without charge by the State of Ohio. Students will also be informed of specific supplies that are required by their teachers. However, they need to bring a notebook, folder and writing utensil with them on the first day of school.

## FREE/REDUCED LUNCH

Trinity High School participates in the Federal Free and Reduced Lunch program. **Households must reapply each year for these benefits.** Eligibility is based on federal income guidelines or participation in other programs such as the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) or Ohio Works First (OWF).

Students with Free/Reduced status will not be identified since Trinity uses a cashless cafeteria line. Parents will load money on to a cafeteria account for their child and the student will scan their school ID to pay for their breakfast, lunch, or a la carte food items. Students will be given a temporary Cafeteria ID with barcode on the first day of school to use until their official school IDs are distributed.

Watch your email this July for a communication on when the Free/Reduced lunch application will become available online.

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## TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

Transportation by Trinity vans begins on **Friday morning, August 18**. Students learn about their pickup/drop-off points and times via email in early August.

The City of Cleveland provides free RTA bus passes to Cleveland residents who live at least one mile from Trinity. If you wish to receive these, please contact Trinity's Attendance Office after August 9 for an application.

**For all other districts**, call your district's Department of Transportation to see if you qualify for transportation or if they offer reimbursement.

## SERVICE HOUR REQUIREMENT

Students are required to complete service hours each year. Service hours should be completed both to Trinity High School and to the community. Reach out to your parish/church, neighborhood hunger centers, local hospital/nursing homes, for just some ways to get you started!

Visit the website to find out more: [ths.org/ministry/service](https://ths.org/ministry/service)

Please reach out to Ms. Fox if you have any questions!

*\*Due to the pandemic years, the upper classmen total number of service hours has been reduced from the original requirement. The number of total service hours required was listed on the final report card.*

*"Christ has no body now but yours. No hands, no feet on earth but yours. Yours are the eyes through which he looks compassion on this world. Yours are the feet with which he walks to do good. Yours are the hands through which he blesses all the world. Yours are the hands, yours are the feet, yours are the eyes, you are his body.*

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**- ST. TERESA OF AVILA**

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## HEALTH INFORMATION

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**Attention Parents of all Trinity students:** Please let the school health aide know if there are any medical conditions affecting your child. It is very important to keep all health information up-to-date so we can provide your child with proper care during school hours.

Specific health conditions may require additional forms to be completed by both the parent and your doctor. These forms can be found on our website at [ths.org/student\\_life/school\\_clinic\\_health\\_forms](https://ths.org/student_life/school_clinic_health_forms) and should be completed and returned to the school health aide before the first day of school. Forms include: Administration of Medicine in School, Allergy Action Plan, Asthma Action Plan, Diabetes Health Plan (pump, syringe, or pen), Seizure Action Plan. A link to the OHSAA Physical form is also located on this page.

**All incoming freshmen and transfer students** must have a complete immunization record on file in the school clinic before orientation day on August 17, as required by the Ohio Department of Health. A current physical completed after January 1 is highly recommended for the safety and well-being of your child. Sports physicals are accepted. If a sports physical is used, please submit a copy to the health aide and the original to the Athletic Director.

**All seniors** must have proof of receiving two doses of the Meningococcal Vaccine (MCV4) before the first day of school.

## STUDENT ACCIDENT INSURANCE

Trinity High School has purchased an accident insurance policy for all students. This policy is written through McGowan & Company. The program insures all students, including athletes, for all school-related injuries.

However, this insurance program is supplemental coverage. Your own insurance company, if any, must be presented with the original bills. Trinity High School's insurance covers, in most cases, what is not paid by your insurance. The amounts reimbursed include deductibles, co-payments, and co-insurance amounts under standard insurance programs, as well as all charges for which there is no insurance. The policy includes a schedule of benefits that may limit payments for some medical procedures and charges.

Students who sustain an athletic-related injury should ask for insurance forms from Mr. SanFilippo.

Students injured during school hours should contact the health aide at 216-581-5771.

# ACADEMIC

# CALENDAR

## DISMISSAL TIMES

Students are dismissed from school each day at 3:00 p.m.

Throughout the school year, there will be days when students will be dismissed early for various events, or to provide time for the faculty to work together on Trinity's continuous improvement process. These days will be announced ahead of time and posted on the school calendar on [ths.org](https://ths.org).

August 17	New Student Orientation Day
August 18	First Full Day for Students
September 4	Labor Day (No School)
October 2	No School
October 12	Parent/Teacher Conferences
October 13	No School
November 7	Virtual Learning Day
November 22 - 24	Thanksgiving Break
December 21 - January 2	Christmas Break
January 12	First Term Ends
January 15	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (No School)
January 16	First Day of Second Term
February 19	President's Day (No School)
March 7	Parent/Teacher Conferences
March 8	No School
March 29 - April 5	Easter Break
April 29	Virtual Learning Day
May 27	Memorial Day
May 29	Class of 2024 Baccalaureate Mass / Commencement Ceremony
June 7	Last Day of School

# CALENDAR

Trinity High School is first and foremost a Roman Catholic faith community. Students participate in a vibrant ministry program which aids them in developing a life-long faith. Please keep in mind that the dates listed below are subject to change.

For the most up to date campus ministry calendar, visit [ths.org/ministry](https://ths.org/ministry).

August 25	Opening Prayer Service & Fraternitas Day
August 28	Sophomore Retreat (Class of 2026)
October 6	Feast of St. Francis Prayer Service
November 1	All Saints/All Souls Mass
November 6 - 7	Junior Retreat (Class of 2025)
November 21	Thanksgiving Prayer Service
December 8	Feast of the Assumption Mass
December 19	Advent/Christmas Prayer Service
February 14	Ash Wednesday Prayer Service
March 11	Freshman Retreat (Class of 2027)
March 22	Night at the Races Fundraiser
March 28	Holy Thursday Prayer Service
April 27 - 29	Senior Retreat (Class of 2024)
June 1	Holy Classic Golf Outing



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TROJANS**

# ATHLETICS

## **WELCOME TO TRINITY HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS!**

In order to participate on an athletic team, the following must be completed:

1. **FINAL FORMS:** Register or update by July 10
2. **BASELINE CONCUSSION TESTING** at Trinity on July 19 from 12 - 3 p.m. in Britton Hall.

3. **OHSAA Physical Form 2023-2024**

\*\* Pages 1 - 5 must be turned in to the Athletic Director by July 31

To access the above information, visit [thsathletics.org/athletic-forms](https://thsathletics.org/athletic-forms)

Please contact Mr. SanFilippo, Athletic Director, at [tsanfilippo@ths.org](mailto:tsanfilippo@ths.org) with any questions.

## **SPORTS PROGRAMS & SUMMER WORKOUTS**

If you would like more information on specific sports programs and summer workouts, please use the following link to contact the head coach:

[thsathletics.org/coaching-staff](https://thsathletics.org/coaching-staff)



UPCOMING

# EVENTS

Student Council & Mrs. Dezzutti present...

## ***HOMECOMING 2023!***

- **HOMECOMING WEEK:** September 25 - 29
- **HOMECOMING RALLY:** September 29 at Trinity
- **HOMECOMING GAME:** September 30  
at Cuyahoga Heights (our home field) vs. Beachwood @ 1:00 p.m.
- **HOMECOMING DANCE:** October 1 at St. Michael Woodside  
7:30 - 10:30 p.m. Hors d'oeuvres and light refreshments will be provided.

\*\*Ticket and Theme Information will be available in the coming weeks ...  
stay tuned!!!!

### TRINITY HIGH SCHOOL'S OUT OF THE BLUE BENEFIT



Trinity's largest annual fundraiser, the Out of the Blue Benefit, will take place on Friday, May 3, 2024! This year's Benefit will commemorate the 50th Anniversary of Trinity High School. Keep an eye out for more information in the coming months detailing all the ways to get involved with making next year's Out of the Blue Benefit a huge success!

Visit [ths.org](https://ths.org) and click on "Out of the Blue Benefit" to learn more.