

Newsletter

(Parents Informed)



January 5, 2026

The mission of Heritage Christian School is to educate students by integrating academic excellence with a biblical worldview, helping Christian families impact the world for Christ.



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SCHOOL LUNCH

MONDAY,
JANUARY

5

Chicken Noodle
Soup

TUESDAY,
JANUARY

6

Chili

WEDNESDAY,
JANUARY

7

Hot Dogs

THURSDAY,
JANUARY

8

Nachos

FRIDAY,
JANUARY

9

Pizza

MONDAY, JAN. 12 – Pancakes

TUESDAY, JAN. 13 – Beef Tacos

Not that I have already obtained this or am already perfect, but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own. Brothers, I do not consider that I have made it my own. But one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus. - Philippians 3:12-14



School Spelling Bee

Classroom Spelling Bees are being held this month in Grades 4th-8th. The top two spellers of each class will compete in the **School Spelling Bee held on Friday, January 9th at 2pm.**

The winner of the School Spelling Bee will go on to compete at the **Gallatin County Spelling Bee held on Saturday, January 24th at the Museum of the Rockies.**



HCS Staff is so Grateful!

Thank you to our incredible HCS families for showering our staff with such generous blessings this Christmas. Each and every one of you is truly a gift from the Lord. Words cannot fully express how appreciated and supported our staff feels. We genuinely love what we do, and love your family. **We are grateful for your kindness and generosity!**



Your Gift. Their Future. His Glory.

While tuition covers our essential operational costs, the Heritage Fund seeks to raise \$300,000 this year to support initiatives that will enrich every student's experience. Through your generosity, we will be able to strengthen key areas that directly impact our school community:

General Fund – Supports educational operating expenses, ensuring we can meet the school's most vital needs and sustain excellence in every classroom.

Technology: Chromebooks & Bell System – Equips students with reliable learning enhances communication and safety across our campus.

We also invite you to keep our devoted faculty, staff, and school families in your prayers, and to consider sharing your time and talents by volunteering on campus. As we approach year's end, please prayerfully consider including Heritage in your charitable giving. Your support makes a lasting difference—for our students, our community, and for God's glory. Thank you for your continued partnership in our mission!



Scan to give

Library Book Donations

The HCS Library would like to thank all of the generous grandparents who participated in the library's Book Donation Tree on Grandparents Day! What a blessing you are to our school! For those who would still like to donate, please visit the library's Amazon Wish List at https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/1TZK6XNGYC6PZ?ref=wl_share.

DONATION PROCESS

1. Purchase book from wish list.
2. Drop book off at HCS or mail to:
HCS – c/o Mary Cummins
4310 Durston Road
Bozeman, MT 59718
3. Include Amazon gift note with student's name so the library can stamp it inside the donated book.

THANK YOU FOR HELPING OUR SCHOOL'S LIBRARY GROW!

HCS Alumni

Thank you to the over 30 Alumni who came back to Alumni Chapel. It was our joy to see you and hear what they have been doing since graduating from HCS. May the Lord bless them all for years to come. We appreciate their positive influence and their time to come back and see us!!



HCS Yearbook

To purchase and customize your yearbook, use the QR code or go to www.treering.com/validate. The school's passcode is 1016705458162334. Create custom pages by **March 24th**.

Yearbook



We Need Your Photos!

The yearbook team needs your photos! This year, we are asking parents and students to send us photos for the yearbook. Please click [here](#) and find the appropriate folder for your pictures. Submissions can range from sports, field trips, special projects, music, etc. Don't see a folder for your photo? Simply use the folder for your child's grade and we will get them to the correct place. You do not need a Dropbox account to submit photos. Please contact Kari Yakos at kariy@heritage-christian.org if you have questions. Thank you!

Mark Your Calendar for Upcoming Ski PE Days

BRIDGER BOWL

Wednesday, January 28th: 7th-8th Grades

Friday, January 30th: 3rd-6th Grades

Friday, February 6th: 9th-12th Grades

Tuesday, February 24th: 9th-12th Grades

Monday, March 2nd: 5th-8th Grades

Tuesday, March 3rd: 3rd-4th Grades

CROSSCUT

Friday, January 23rd: 2nd & 5th Grades

Friday, February 6th: 1st, 3rd & 4th Grades



Ski PE - Each year our students go to Bridger Bowl twice for a ski lesson and afternoon skiing. Cost is covered in tuition so there is no additional cost. We are asking for a two-week notice this year for students cancelling as we are charged a fee (last minute cancellations due to illness excluded).

Registration instructions have been emailed to all grades. Please register your student as soon as possible for these trips. At this point only the first three dates are available for registration. Please check back in a few weeks to register for your student's second trip.

Grades 1st-5th will also go to Crosscut for a science/ski trip. Teachers of those grades are organizing communications with families.

HCS JV/Varsity Basketball Home Games

- **Tuesday, January 6th:**
Helena Fire – JV Boys-4pm/Varsity Boys-5:30pm
Manhattan Christian – Varsity Girls-6pm
- **Friday, January 9th:**
Foothills – JV Boys-4pm/Varsity Girls-5:30pm/Varsity Boys-7pm
- **Saturday, January 10th:**
GFHS – JV Boys-9:30am/Varsity Girls-11am/Varsity Boys-12:30pm
- **Friday, January 16th:**
Petra – JV Boys-4pm/Varsity Girls-5:30pm/Varsity Boys-7pm
- **Friday, February 6th:**
YCHS – JV Boys-4pm/Varsity Girls-5:30pm/Varsity Boys-7pm
- **Saturday, February 7th:**
Billings Christian – JV Boys-11am/Varsity Girls-12:30pm/Varsity Boys-2pm



SCOREBOARD

JV/VARSITY

12/18 – HCS JV BOYS
VS GVHS – WIN!

12/18 – HCS VARSITY
GIRLS VS GVHS – WIN!

12/18 – HCS VARSITY
BOYS VS GVHS –WIN!

MIDDLE SCHOOL

UPCOMING EVENTS



- **Friday, Jan. 9th:** 4th-8th Grade Spelling Bee – 2pm
- **Monday, Jan 12th:** Kindergarten Open House
- **Monday, Jan. 19th:** Martin Luther King Jr. Day – **NO SCHOOL**
- **Friday, Jan. 23rd:** Teacher Appreciation Luncheon – 11am
- **Friday, Jan. 23rd:** 2nd & 5th Grades – Ski PE Crosscut
- **Wednesday, Jan. 28th:** 7th-8th Grades – Ski PE Bridger Bowl
- **Friday, Jan. 30th:** 3rd-6th Grades – Ski PE Bridger Bowl
- **Friday, Jan. 30th:** All School Chapel – 8:05am
- **Friday, Feb. 6th:** 9th-12th Grades – Ski PE Bridger Bowl
- **Friday, Feb. 6th:** 1st, 3rd & 4th Grades – Ski PE Crosscut
- **Thursday, Feb. 19th & Friday, Feb. 20th:** MCAA State Basketball Tournament – **NO SCHOOL**
- **Tuesday, Feb. 24th:** 9th-12th Grades – Ski PE Bridger Bowl
- **Friday, Feb. 27th:** All School Chapel – 8:05am
- **Friday, Feb. 27th:** Teacher Appreciation Luncheon – 11am
- **Mar. 16th-Mar. 20th:** Spring Break – **NO SCHOOL**