

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, OCTOBER

13

Brat Mac & Cheese

TUESDAY, OCTOBER

14

Chili Fries

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER

15

Pizza

THURSDAY, OCTOBER

16

NO SCHOOL

FRIDAY, OCTOBER

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NO SCHOOL

MONDAY, OCT. 20 – Chicken Noodle Soup

TUESDAY, OCT. 21 - Sloppy Joe's

REMINDER: NO SCHOOL this Thursday, Oct. 16th and Friday, Oct. 17th due to the MCAA Soccer & Volleyball Tournament!

Spirit Week Continues!

Student Council is sponsoring the annual Spirit Week in honor of the MCAA Soccer & Volleyball tournament this week **Thursday, Oct. 16**th- **Saturday, Oct. 18**th. Students are welcome to join in "Dress for the Day" to show their support of our Varsity Soccer and Volleyball teams. This is a fun way to show school spirit while pumping up the athletes.

Monday, Oct. 13th: Twin Day: Double trouble

Tuesday, Oct. 14th: Animated Movie Day: Elementary: dress up as any animated movie character, 7th grade: Incredibles, 8th grade: Despicable Me, 9th grade: How to Train your Dragon, 10th grade: Ratatouille, 11th grade: Shrek, 12th grade: The Lorax

Wednesday, Oct. 15th: Color Wars: Pre-K/Kinder/6th/12th– Blue, 1st/11th Black, 2nd/10th Pink, 3rd/9th Green, 4th/8th White, 5th/7th Red, Staff - Yellow

MCAA Tournament October 16th-18th

Plan to attend the MCAA Tournament! For a list of times and scheduled games go to the HCS <u>website</u>. Come out and cheer on our Falcon Volleyball and Soccer Teams!!



Help Needed for MCAA State Tournament!

HCS will be hosting the 2025 MCAA State tournament this year. We need lots of help!! If you are planning on coming and supporting our teams and have some time to volunteer, we would be appreciative. (Even if you only have a small amount of time.) Please check out the <u>Sign Up Genius</u> and sign up. Parent volunteer and student community service hours apply. Thank you! Go Falcons!

HCS SCOREBOARD

JV Volleyball 10/6 - HCS vs. Mt. Ellis Win!

Varsity Volleyball

10/10 - HCS vs. Helena
Christian
Win!

JV Volleyball 10/10 - HCS vs. Helena Christian Win!

<u>Varsity Soccer</u> 10/6 - HCS vs. Mt. Ellis Loss Varsity Soccer 10/10 - HCS vs. Helena Christian Win!

School Picture Retake Day is Tuesday, Oct. 21st

Tuesday, October 21st is School Picture Retake Day. This will also be make-up day for grades Pre-Kinder-12. **Please let the office know if your student is doing Retakes.** As per the email sent earlier, photos need to be returned in order for there to be no charge. **This event's order code is 0224YPD. Please place your order at** https://inter-state.com/Order.

PTF Monthly HCS Staff Appreciation Luncheon

As in years past, PTF will be organizing monthly luncheons for the staff at HCS. We are asking for certain classes each month to help provide the lunch items.

There is no theme to the luncheon, just bring your favorite. We have approximately 50 teachers and staff. Parent Teacher Fellowship will be organizing their next luncheon on **Friday, October 24**th for all the teachers and staff. This first time will involve Kinder and 11th Grade. Be on the lookout for Sign-up Genius to come soon.

Booster Club Meeting

Our next Booster Club meeting will be on Wednesday, October 22nd, at 4pm in Room 115 at the school. We need your help to make this year a success! Parents are the heart of the Booster Club, and your involvement—whether big or small—makes a real difference for our students. Come join us, share your ideas, and see how you can get connected.

Parent Teacher Conferences

What exactly are Parent Teacher Conferences at HCS? This is a day and a half set aside for parents and teachers to meet regarding student's current progress and goals for the year. It is a time for parents to have a one-on-one time with teachers for the purpose of academic communication.



This year's Parent Teacher conferences are on Thursday afternoon, October 30th, (Early Release Day) and Friday, October 31st (School will not be in session on this day), allowing parents an uninterrupted time with teachers.

Please plan and mark your calendar now for this important time. Watch for an email with an online sign up using Sign-up Genius.

Christmas Bazaar Coming Soon

The 12th Annual Heritage Christian Christmas Bazaar is coming up November 8th. Mark your calendars for this kick into the Christmas season! Shop for gifts and come out and support all of our community and school vendors. We are in need of many donations and lots of help as well!



We need several volunteers to make this successful. It's great fun and really begins the holiday season in a great way! Parent Volunteer Hours apply. Be on the look-out for a Sign-up Genius to come soon. This is a wonderful way to get in the Christmas spirit and you will find many gifts. This is a major fundraiser for the school and is a fun filled event!!

Lost and Found

Please come by in the lobby and see if any items belong to your students. We will be donating all items at the end of every month to local charities. We know it's hard to keep track of items. A great idea is to put your student's name in items that are typically left behind. Shoes, jackets, backpacks, etc. Thank you so much!!



Parents Looking for Ways to Volunteer

Our Food Service Manager, Talitha Paul, is looking to gather a team of volunteers for hot lunch. Duties would include helping prep meals, cook, serve students lunch, or cleanup. The hours of need are from 9:30am-1pm.



If you are willing and able to help in all or any part of this time frame one day a week/month or whatever, please email Talitha at talithap@heritage-christian.org. These hours will contribute towards your parent volunteer hours. She will be creating a schedule of volunteers and would appreciate any time you could give her on your available days. This is a fun way to get involved on a small scale and get to see the day with your students at lunch!!

Kinder-6th Grade Grandparents Day – Friday, November 21st

Welcoming all Grandparents of students in grades Pre $K - 6^{th}$ Grade. Here is the schedule for that day:

8:05-8:45am: All School Chapel - Grandparents are invited to the All School Praise Chapel

8:45-9:30am: Grandparents of K-2nd invited to classrooms **9:30-10:15am:** Grandparents of 3rd-6th invited to classrooms

Refreshments will be offered in the library from 8:45am until 10:15am.



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 24**th.



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!

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Oct. 13th-15th: Spirit Week Continues
- Thursday, Oct. 16th & Friday, Oct. 17th: MCAA Soccer/Volleyball Tournament – NO SCHOOL
- Tuesday, Oct. 21st: School Picture Retake Day
- Wednesday, Oct. 22nd: Booster Club Meeting 4pm
- Friday, Oct. 24th: All School Chapel 8:05am
- Friday, Oct. 24th: Teacher Appreciation Luncheon 11am
- Thursday, Oct. 30th: Parent Teacher Conferences Early Release
- Friday, Oct. 31st: Parent Teacher Conferences NO SCHOOL
- Saturday, Nov. 8th: HCS Christmas Bazaar 9am-4pm
- Wednesday, Nov. 19th: Teacher Appreciation Luncheon 11am
- Thursday, Nov. 20th: Variety Night
- Friday, Nov. 21st: Grandparents Day Kinder-6th Grade
- Friday, Nov. 21st: All School Chapel 8:05am
- Nov. 24th-28th: Thanksgiving Break NO SCHOOL
- Tuesday, Dec. 16th: Elementary Christmas Concert
- Thursday, Dec. 18th: Teacher Appreciation Luncheon 11am
- Friday, Dec. 19th: Christmas Break Begins Early Release
- Dec. 22nd- Jan. 2nd: Christmas Break NO SCHOOL



I thank my God in all my remembrance of you, always in every prayer of mine for you all making my prayer with joy, because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now.

And I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ.

It is right for me to feel this way about you all, because I hold you in my heart, for you are all partakers with me of grace, both in my imprisonment and in the defense and confirmation of the gospel. - Philippians 1:3-7

