

# Newsletter

(Parents Informed)

December 11, 2023



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,  
DECEMBER

11

Black Bean  
Quesadillas

TUESDAY,  
DECEMBER

12

Chicken &  
Rice Soup

WEDNESDAY,  
DECEMBER

13

Fish & Chips

THURSDAY,  
DECEMBER

14

Breakfast  
Sandwich

FRIDAY,  
DECEMBER

15

French Dip  
Sandwiches

MONDAY, Dec. 18 – Meatballs & Mashed Potatoes

TUESDAY, Dec. 19 – Chicken Gumbo

## HCS Christmas Program Coming Tonight

**Hear the Bells Ringing!** This year's Pre-K-6<sup>th</sup> Grade Christmas program will be **tonight** from 6:30-8:30pm. **Students in grades 5 - 6 will meet in the Music Room at 6:10. Pre-K- 4 will be asked to be in their classrooms by 6:15pm.** All families are humbly asked to bring a plate of cookies or bars to share with others after the event. Come and see what your students have been rehearsing to get us all in the Spirit of Christmas and our focus on the birth of Christ!! All are welcome.

[Here](#) is the streaming link to send to out of town family. See you all there!



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## Staff Blessing - Red Bucket

Each year during our Christmas Program we offer HCS family and friends the opportunity to bless our staff and teachers through a “Love Offering” called the ‘Red Bucket Offering’. This is a time to show appreciation for all our staff does in and outside the classroom to show the love of Christ in the lives of students. If you desire to participate you may donate at the program in the actual “Red Buckets” or go to the [HCS website](#) and donate there. We are so grateful for all of our families and it’s an honor to serve the Lord and your students daily.



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## Basketball Season is Upon Us! UPCOMING HOME GAMES

### BASKETBALL

- **Tuesday, December 12<sup>th</sup>:**  
Manhattan Christian – Freshman Boys-4pm
- **Tuesday, December 19<sup>th</sup>:**  
GVHS – JV Boys-4pm/Varsity Girls-5:30pm/Varsity Boys-7pm
- **Friday, January 12<sup>th</sup>:**  
Petra – JV Boys-5pm/Varsity Girls-6:30pm/Varsity Boys-8pm
- **Friday, January 19<sup>th</sup>:**  
YCHS – JV Boys-5pm/Varsity Girls-6:30pm/Varsity Boys-8pm
- **Saturday, January 20<sup>th</sup>:**  
Billings Christian – JV Boys-9am/Varsity Girls-10:30am/Varsity Boys-12pm
- **Friday, January 26<sup>th</sup>:**  
Foothills – JV Boys-5pm/Varsity Girls-6:30pm/Varsity Boys-8pm
- **Saturday, January 27<sup>th</sup>:**  
GFHS – JV Boys-9am/Varsity Girls-10:30am/Varsity Boys-12pm



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## Boys 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grade Basketball Meeting Coming

There will be a 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade boy’s basketball meeting this Wednesday, December 13<sup>th</sup> at 3:45pm. Plan to meet up in the cafeteria and then split up into different classrooms. Please come if your son is planning on playing basketball for the Heritage middle school boy’s teams. The season goes from January 8<sup>th</sup>-February 23<sup>rd</sup>. Also, the boys need to have their sports forms turned in before they start practice. This includes a sports physical. Please schedule one if you have not gotten one yet.



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## UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Tonight:** Christmas Program at 6:30pm – Pre K-6<sup>th</sup> Grades
- **Wednesday, Dec. 13<sup>th</sup>:** 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Boys Basketball meeting
- **Thursday, Dec. 14<sup>th</sup>:** 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Bridger Bowl Ski
- **Friday, Dec. 15<sup>th</sup>:** All School Chapel
- **Mon-Wed. Dec. 17<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup>:** Secondary 1st Semester Finals
- **Thursday, Dec. 21<sup>st</sup>:** **Early Release at 11:30pm**
- **Dec. 22<sup>nd</sup>- Jan. 7<sup>th</sup>:** Christmas Break – **No School**



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## Mark Your Calendar for Upcoming Ski PE Days

### BRIDGER BOWL

Friday, January 12<sup>th</sup>: 3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grades  
Friday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>: 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grades  
Friday, February 9<sup>th</sup>: 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grades  
Tuesday, February 27<sup>th</sup>: 7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grades  
Tuesday, March 5<sup>th</sup>: 3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> Grades

### CROSSCUT

Friday, January 19<sup>th</sup>: 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Grades  
Friday, January 26<sup>th</sup>: 6<sup>th</sup> Grade  
Wednesday, February 21<sup>st</sup>: 4<sup>th</sup> Grade  
Wednesday, March 6<sup>th</sup>: 2<sup>nd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Grades



As with last year, parents will be asked to register through Bridger Bowl using their online registration. Instructions to Elementary Parents have been emailed. Let the office know if you need further assistance. Students who have a pre-existing account will need to use it to not duplicate! Thank you for your patience. **3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Grade trip originally scheduled for December 14<sup>th</sup> has been rescheduled for March 5<sup>th</sup>. Please note this change.**

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*Long before Jesus' birth, the story of redemption was unfolding as His coming was prophesied and God's people were waiting for him. He was the perfect king who would be just, righteous and mighty. Today, these passages remind us of God's love for us. He knew the need of a broken, fallen people to be saved. Through his great love and compassion, God set into motion the perfect plan to save the world by sending his Son.*



*The Lord says, "The time is coming when I will choose as king a righteous descendant of David. That king will rule wisely and do what is right and just throughout the land."*  
- Jeremiah 23:5

*A child is born to us! A son is given to us! And he will be our ruler. He will be called, "Wonderful Counselor", "Mighty God", "Eternal Father", "Prince of Peace" - Isaiah 9:6*

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