

# Newsletter

(Parents Informed)



December 9, 2024

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.



Website: [www.heritage-christian.org](http://www.heritage-christian.org) For attendance: [attendance@heritage-christian.org](mailto:attendance@heritage-christian.org)

## SCHOOL LUNCH

MONDAY,  
DECEMBER

9

Blueberry  
Muffins

TUESDAY,  
DECEMBER

10

Taco Salad

WEDNESDAY,  
DECEMBER

11

Chicken Patty  
Sandwiches

THURSDAY,  
DECEMBER

12

Shepherd's Pie

FRIDAY,  
DECEMBER

13

Pizza

MONDAY, DEC. 16 – Gingerbread Pancakes

TUESDAY, DEC. 17 – Cheesy Bean Burritos

## HCS Christmas Program This Thursday – Dec. 12<sup>th</sup>

**The Light Has Come!** This year's Pre-K-6<sup>th</sup> Grade Christmas program will be this **Thursday, Dec. 12<sup>th</sup> from 6:30-8pm.** Students in grades 5<sup>th</sup>- 6<sup>th</sup> will meet in the Music Room at 6:05pm. Pre-K-4<sup>th</sup> 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.



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## Your Contribution Makes a Lasting Impact!

While tuition covers our essential operational costs, the Heritage Fund aims to raise \$300,000 this year for initiatives that will significantly enrich every student's experience. With the Heritage Fund, we will:

- Provide need-based financial aid to welcome more families into our community
- Expand our automotive/shop/trades programs with new equipment and facility upgrades
- Express our gratitude to teachers with a well-deserved staff bonus.
- Offer the opportunity to give to the general fund

We encourage you to keep our dedicated faculty, staff, and fellow community members in your prayers. Consider sharing your talents by volunteering on campus. As we approach the year's end, please consider including the school in your charitable donations. Your support truly makes a difference! Thank you!



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## Closed Campus Policy

Heritage Christian School is responsible for maintaining the safety and well-being of its students from the time they arrive at school until they leave for home. Therefore, all students are required to remain on campus during school hours, including lunch. Students may leave campus for lunch only when accompanied by a parent or other supervising adult such as a grandparent or youth pastor. Students who plan to leave school at lunch with someone other than their parents or supervising adult must present a signed request from their parents. Students in Grade 12 may leave campus when they do not have classes with written authorization on file in the office.



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## 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](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 Yearbook

**2024-2025 Yearbooks are now on sale.** Yearbooks can be ordered now for a completion/pickup at the end of the school year. You can also customize your student's yearbook!! Two free customizable pages are included. To purchase and customize your yearbook, use the QR code or go to [www.treering.com/validate](http://www.treering.com/validate). The school's passcode is 1016705458162334. See flier for details. Deadline to create custom pages - **March 17<sup>th</sup>!**



## Mark Your Calendar for Upcoming Ski PE Days

### BRIDGER BOWL

**Wednesday, January 29<sup>th</sup>:** 7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grades

**Friday, January 31<sup>st</sup>:** 3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grades

**Friday, February 7<sup>th</sup>:** 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grades

**Tuesday, February 25<sup>th</sup>:** 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grades

**Monday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>:** 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grades

**Tuesday, March 4<sup>th</sup>:** 3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> Grades

### CROSSCUT

**Friday, January 10<sup>th</sup>:** 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Grades

**Monday, January 13<sup>th</sup>:** 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Grades

**Monday, February 17<sup>th</sup>:** 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> 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. Emails with discount code will be going out this week for the first trips. Please register your student as soon as possible. Grades 1<sup>st</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> will also go to Crosscut for a science/ski trip.

## HCS SCOREBOARD



### JV Boys Basketball -

12/6- HCS vs. YCHS

Win!

### Varsity Girls Basketball -

12/6- HCS vs. YCHS

Win!

### Varsity Boys Basketball -

12/6- HCS vs. YCHS

Win!

### JV Boys Basketball -

12/7- HCS vs. BCS

Loss

### Varsity Girls Basketball -

12/7- HCS vs. BCS

Loss

### Varsity Boys Basketball -

12/7- HCS vs. BCS

Loss

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## Basketball Season is Upon Us!

### UPCOMING HOME GAMES

- **Monday, December 9<sup>th</sup>:**  
GVHS – JV Boys-5-6:30pm (scrimmage)
- **Friday, December 13<sup>th</sup>:**  
Petra – JV Boys-4pm/Varsity Girls-5:30pm/Varsity Boys-7pm
- **Tuesday, December 17<sup>th</sup>:**  
GVHS – JV Boys-4pm/Varsity Girls-5:30pm/Varsity Boys-7pm
- **Tuesday, January 7<sup>th</sup>:**  
Manhattan Christian JV/C – JV Boys-4pm/Varsity Girls-5:30pm/Varsity Boys-7pm
- **Friday, January 10<sup>th</sup>:**  
GFHS – JV Boys-4pm/Varsity Girls-5:30pm/Varsity Boys-7pm
- **Saturday, January 11<sup>th</sup>:**  
Foothills – JV Boys-9am/Varsity Girls-10:30pm/Varsity Boys-12pm
- **Monday, January 13<sup>th</sup>:**  
GVHS – JV Boys-6:30-8pm (scrimmage)



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## HCS Home High School Basketball Game Themes

This Basketball season we want to see the student section **DRESSED UP, LOUD** and **PROUD** to be a Falcon! Come and have fun cheering on the high school basketball teams. We hope to see you there!

**Friday, Dec. 13<sup>th</sup>:** HCS vs. Petra: Just Went Skiing – Snow gear (goggles, beanies, etc.)

**Tuesday, Dec. 17<sup>th</sup>:** HCS vs. GVHS: Red Flags – Wear a red shirt and write your red flag on it (ex: always late).

**Tuesday, Jan. 7<sup>th</sup>:** HCS vs. MCHS JV/C: Blue Out – Everything blue.

**Senior Recognition: Friday, Jan. 10<sup>th</sup>:** HCS vs. GFHS **and Saturday Jan. 11<sup>th</sup>:** HCS vs. FCCS:

Senior Citizen – Time to go shopping in your grandparent's closet (comfy cardigans, high-waisted pants, oversized glasses and don't forget the gray hair and a cane or walker).

**Away Game: Friday, Jan. 17<sup>th</sup>:** HCS vs. Petra: HCS Spirit – Blue, white and gold, wear your HCS apparel. Go Falcons!

**Away Game: Thursday, Feb. 6<sup>th</sup>:** HCS vs. GVHS: HCS Spirit – Blue, white and gold, wear your HCS apparel. Go Falcons!



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## On Going Help Needed

HCS is looking for a teacher aide Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10am-1pm (recess, lunch and classroom duties). We are also looking for dependable people who are interested in substitute teaching for any level. If you, or someone you know would be interested, stop by the school office for more information. Or, download an [application](#) from the website.

These are paid positions, and days and times vary.



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## UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Thursday, Dec. 12<sup>th</sup>:** Elementary Christmas Concert – 6:30pm
- **Friday, Dec. 13<sup>th</sup>:** Teacher Appreciation Luncheon – 11am
- **Friday, Dec. 20<sup>th</sup>:** Christmas Break Begins – **Early Release - No Hot Lunch Served**
- **Dec. 23<sup>rd</sup>-Jan. 3<sup>rd</sup>:** Christmas Break – **NO SCHOOL**
- **Friday, Jan. 10<sup>th</sup>:** 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Grades – Ski PE Crosscut
- **Monday, Jan. 13<sup>th</sup>:** 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Grades – Ski PE Crosscut
- **Monday, Jan. 20<sup>th</sup>:** MLK Day – **NO SCHOOL**
- **Wednesday, Jan. 29<sup>th</sup>:** 7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grades – Ski PE Bridger Bowl
- **Friday, Jan. 31<sup>th</sup>:** 3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grades – Ski PE Bridger Bowl
- **Friday, Jan. 31<sup>th</sup>:** All School Chapel – 8:05am
- **Friday, Jan. 31<sup>th</sup>:** Teacher Appreciation Luncheon – 11am



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*For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though He was rich, yet for your sake He became poor, so that you, by His poverty might become rich. - 2 Corinthians 8:9*

