

# Newsletter

(Parents Informed)



May 12, 2025

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, MAY 12	TUESDAY, MAY 13	WEDNESDAY, MAY 14	THURSDAY, MAY 15	FRIDAY, MAY 16
Cinnamon Rolls	Chicken Stir Fry	Chicken Salad Sandwiches	Hot Dogs	Pizza

MONDAY, MAY 19 – Waffles

TUESDAY, MAY 20 – Cheeseburgers

*“And you, Solomon my son, know the God of your father and serve him with a whole heart and with a willing mind, for the Lord searches all hearts and understands every plan and thought. If you seek him, he will be found by you, but if you forsake him, he will cast you off forever.*

*Be careful now, for the Lord has chosen you to build a house for the sanctuary; be strong and do it.”*

1 Chronicles 28:9-10



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## Secondary Schedules for 2025-26

Today, May 12<sup>th</sup>, there will be a 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Orientation meeting for all incoming 7<sup>th</sup> Grade students at 2:45pm in Mr. Gossack's room.

Secondary Course Requests will be handed out today to all secondary students for students to decide on classes for the fall.

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## HCS Library is Hosting a Used Books Sale!

The HCS library is hosting a used books sale May 12<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup>. Summer is just around the corner, and it's never too early to plan for summer reading! Join us in the school lobby from 3:10-3:40pm and peruse our selection of used books for sale. You will find stacks of fiction, picture books, and non-fiction resources for every age. Purchases are made on a donation basis. Your generous donations will be used to acquire materials for the HCS Library.



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## HCS Field Day – Tuesday, May 13<sup>th</sup>

Our annual **Field Day** (no longer a FUNdraiser) is this **Tuesday afternoon, May 13<sup>th</sup> from 1:30pm-3pm!** This is a fun and fit event for students, with all participants striving to do their personal best. Since this is a Pre-K Day, Kindergarten students are encouraged to come join the fun! Families are welcome to come cheer on our Falcons grades Pre-K-6<sup>th</sup>, rain or shine! **We are still needing Parent Volunteers to help make this event possible!** Sign up [here](#).



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## Kindergarten-2<sup>nd</sup> Grades Pet Parade

Kindergarten, First, and Second graders are encouraged to bring a pet or stuffed animal to school, **Wednesday, May 14<sup>th</sup>. We will meet on the blacktop at 8am for the parade.** Awards will be given to the best dressed cat/dog, most unique pet, funniest pet, largest pet, cutest pet, and favorite stuffed animal. See you there!



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## Fall Sports Meeting



The Fall Sports meeting is **Wednesday, May 14<sup>th</sup> at 3:45pm**. Please come if you plan to play soccer or volleyball in the fall. This is an informational meeting where the coaches will talk about the upcoming season. We offer volleyball for grades 5<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> and soccer for grades 8<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>. We hope to see you there! Contact Keely Rietveld, Athletic Director, for any questions.

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## HCS 2025 Commencement

*For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope. Then you will call upon me and come and pray to me, and I will hear you. You will seek me and find me, when you seek me with all your heart. Jeremiah 29:11-13*



Congratulations to this year's graduating class! We are so proud of your accomplishments. Blessings on a bright future! Join us this **Saturday, May 17<sup>th</sup> at 1pm** for Heritage Christian's 19<sup>th</sup> Commencement. Come and support our graduates on this wonderful afternoon.

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## Last Day of School

**Friday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>**, the Parent Teacher Fellowship has a fun day in store for Falcons of all ages. The day will begin with All School Chapel at 8:05am. Then a morning of inflatables and outdoor field games beginning at 9am. This will be followed by a free hot dog & chip lunch starting at 10:30am! Capping off the fun will be a special treat in the yard.



**School will be officially dismissed at 12pm.** Join us for a fun day to say good-bye to friends, teachers, and the 2024-25 School Year! We will need many volunteers to make this the best end of the year celebration ever! **Click [Here](#) to Sign-up to help!** It is seriously a blast.

**Have a great summer Falcons!**



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## Driver's Education This Fall



Heritage Christian School is considering offering a Driver Education class this Fall. This class will be Montana Department of Justice certified and will meet all of Montana's requirements for Driver's Education. We would tentatively begin classes on Monday, August 11<sup>th</sup> with a mandatory parent/student meeting on Friday, August 8<sup>th</sup> from 6-8pm. The last class would tentatively be on Thursday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>. Drives would continue through October 6<sup>th</sup>. To be eligible for the class students must have their 15<sup>th</sup> birthday on or before February 11<sup>th</sup>, 2026 (Some leeway may be allowed on a case-by-case basis). The cost of the class will be \$400, payable to Heritage Christian School. For Heritage students, the non-refundable payment must be made in the school office before May 30<sup>th</sup> to hold a spot in the class. After that, the class sign-up will be open to non-Heritage students and the only way to hold a spot in the class is to pay the fee at the Heritage School office. The class will be limited to 14 students. If we do not get 14 students in the class, then we may cancel the class, and your payment will be refunded to you.

Classes will be held Monday through Thursday from 8-10am with drives scheduled after class (10am-12pm and 12-2pm) until school starts on August 28<sup>th</sup>. After school starts, class will be held from 6:30-8am with drives scheduled after school (3:30-5:30pm). Each student will be required to attend one session (2 hours) of Behind the Wheel instruction for each section of class. That will usually amount to one session (2 hours) each week or so for a total of 6 drives. A sign-up sheet for these drives will be available at the parent meeting on Friday, August 8<sup>th</sup>. If you have a student who is eligible and wishes to participate, please contact Sandy Walker at [sandy@heritage-christian.org](mailto:sandy@heritage-christian.org).

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Monday, May 12<sup>th</sup>:** 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Orientation – 2:45pm
- **Monday, May 12<sup>th</sup>:** 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Grades Concert – 6:30pm
- **May 12<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup>:** Used Books Sale – 3:10-3:40pm
- **Tuesday, May 13<sup>th</sup>:** HCS Field Day – 1:30-3pm
- **Wednesday, May 14<sup>th</sup>:** Kindergarten-2<sup>nd</sup> Grades Pet Parade – 8am
- **Wednesday, May 14<sup>th</sup>:** Fall Sports Meeting – 3:45pm
- **Thursday, May 15<sup>th</sup>:** 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Promotion – 2pm
- **Friday, May 16<sup>th</sup>:** All School Chapel – 8:05am
- **Saturday, May 17<sup>th</sup>:** Commencement – 1pm
- **Tuesday, May 20<sup>th</sup>:** 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Wax Museum – 2pm
- **Wednesday, May 21<sup>st</sup>:** Kindergarten Graduation – 2pm
- **Friday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>:** All School Chapel – 8:05am
- **Friday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>:** Last Day of School – **Early Release – 12pm**

