

Parents INFORMED

Heritage Christian School



November 8th, 2021



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.

**EARLY RELEASE THIS THURSDAY,
Nov. 11th – School dismissed at
12:30pm**

NO SCHOOL THIS FRIDAY – Nov. 12th



MONDAY – Nov. 8th
BBQ Chicken Sandwiches

TUESDAY – Nov. 9th
Bean Burritos

WEDNESDAY – Nov. 10th
Chicken Stir Fry

THURSDAY – Nov. 11th
Pancakes

FRIDAY – Nov. 12th
NO SCHOOL

MONDAY – Nov. 15th
Ranch Chicken Salad

TUESDAY – Nov. 16th
Crispy Fish Tacos

8th Annual

Heritage Christian Christmas

BAZAAR

Friday, Nov. 12th at 4-8pm
Saturday, Nov. 13th at 9am-4pm



**This FRIDAY & SATURDAY is the 8th Annual
Heritage Christian Christmas Bazaar**

HCS Christmas Bazaar

This Friday and Saturday is our annual Heritage Christian Christmas Bazaar (November 12th & 13th). What you may not know is we need lots of help to execute this wonderful fundraiser for our school ~ That is where you come in. :-)

Below are two Sign Up Genius links where you can jump in and help. One is for actual boots on the ground help with the event and one is for donations for food items needed to run our concessions for the event. Both sign ups count toward Parent Volunteer hours and even better, this gets you in the school working side by side with other parents and students. (Student community service hours apply to students volunteering as well.) This event is one of our top fundraisers for the school and headed up by the Parent Teacher Fellowship. There are still items needed and help needed as of today. *We have added several food/supply items to the list this week ☺-thank you! If you have any questions please email Tess Miller (tessmiller.mt@gmail.com) or Kate Chamberlin (inkchamberlin@yahoo.com) and they would be happy to clarify any details. So, get ready for Christmas!! The Christmas Bazaar! And while we are on the subject, please come and shop over 50 vendors who have fun, creative and one of a kind items for sale!

[Sign up Genius Link for Food Donations](#)

[Sign up Genius Link for Volunteering](#)

Everyone is invited and the admission is free!

Silent Auction – Front Porch Signs

Our students in grades Pre-K through 6th grade and their parents have come together to create beautiful Front Porch signs. They will be offered up for bidding in a silent auction **beginning November 10th and ending December 16th. Winners will be notified the following Monday.** Porch signs will be displayed in the school lobby along with bidding sheets soon. Pictures of these awesome signs will be coming out soon. Do not miss out on this opportunity to bless our school, students and teachers! Watch for details. All proceeds will benefit Heritage Christian School Parent Teacher Fellowship.



LOOKING AHEAD

November

11th – **Early Release - School dismissed at 12:30pm**

12th – Parent Teacher Conferences - **No School**

12th-13th – **Christmas Bazaar - This week!**

19th – Grandparents Day/ All School Praise Chapel

24th-28th – Thanksgiving Break - **No School**

December

14th – Bridger Bowl Ski PE Grades 7th-12th

15th – Secondary GO Day

16th – Christmas Concert

17th – All School Alumni Chapel

18th-Jan. 2nd – Christmas Break - **No School**

January

14th – Bridger Bowl Ski PE Grades 3rd-6th

17th – Martin Luther King Day - **No School**

20th – Crosscut Ski PE Grades 8th-9th

27th – Crosscut Ski PE Grades 6th-7th



No School This Friday for Parent Teacher Conferences

This is the day 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 this **Friday, November 12th**. 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. Sign-up sheets will be coming out in the form of online:

If you haven't already done so, please use Sign Up Genius Links for individual Teachers below:

Pre-Kindergarten - [Mrs. Lori Van Eps](#)

Kindergarten - [Mrs. Christine Bachmeier](#)

1st Grade - [Mrs. Sinnema](#)

2nd Grade - [Mrs. Hart](#)

3rd Grade - [Mrs. Schaumloeffel](#)

4th Grade - [Mr. Webb](#)

5th Grade - [Mr. Ortman](#)

6th Grade - [Miss Stutterheim](#)

Secondary Teachers

[Mr. Cummins](#)

[Mr. Goede](#)

[Miss Heupel](#)

[Mrs. Kneeland](#)

[Mr. Rasmussen](#)

[Mr. Wielenga](#)

[Mr. Gillis](#)

[Mr. Gossack](#)

[Mr. Kemp](#)

[Mrs. Rasmussen](#)

[Mr. Tofslie](#)

Specials Teachers

[Mrs. Heys](#)

[Mrs. Graf](#)

[Mrs. Wielenga](#)



Ski PE

Our plan for 2021/2022 is to be back to "normal" with Ski PE. For those new to HCS we typically do three Ski PE trips per year. As of now, Bridger Bowl and Crosscut are planning to run their programs. The Bridger Bowl ski trip includes rentals, a lesson, and a free ski time in the afternoon. The cost has been included in tuition and there is no additional charge for students. It's a great time for students in Grades 3rd-12th to take a lesson for free and learn skiing skills. Scheduled dates for Bridger Bowl (downhill) are:

Grades 3rd-6th – Jan. 14th & Feb. 4th

Grades 7th-12th – Dec. 14th & Feb. 11th

Scheduled dates for Crosscut (X-Country) are:

Grades 8th-9th – Jan. 20th

Grades 6th-7th – Jan. 27th

Grades 4th-5th – Feb. 10th

Grades 2nd-3rd – Feb. 24th

Watch for more information coming soon. Teachers will be communicating with parents for Chaperone needs. Chaperones ski at a discounted rate.



Elementary Grandparents Day

Friday, November 19th we invite all Elementary Grandparents to Grandparents Day! Grandparents are invited to our All School Praise Chapel at 8:05am and then enjoy some light snacks and beverages.

Elementary families are encouraged to invite their grandparents to this event honoring their wonderful GP's!

Variety Night a Huge Success



Thank you to all the students who performed for Variety Night! Your talent and diligence were a testimony to our great God and we appreciate all of the hard work you put in to honor the Lord and HCS. Thank you to the many students and parents who served, baked and cleaned up after the event. The night was a true blessing and the cheerful servants made it so much easier.

A huge thank you to Mrs. Wielenga and her heart for the Lord and her students. We all join in saying "may God bless you for your hours of work!"

FACTS/Parents Web and Keeping up With Students' Progress

FACTS Family Portal (formerly ParentsWeb) is a private and secure parent's portal that allows you to view academic information specific to your students, while protecting their information from others. You may view your student's grades, attendance, and homework as well as other useful school information.

You set up your parent portal when you went through the admissions and enrollment process.

[Here](#) is a short video to help you get started or to give you a review from last year. (The password for the Vimeo is **Portal** should you need it.)

Year-Round Online Store

Now you can follow this [link](#) and order your Falcon Wear year-round. All paid orders will be shipped directly to you. Let the office know if you have any questions.



So then, just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to live your lives in him, rooted and built up in him, strengthened in the faith as you were taught, and overflowing with thankfulness.

- Colossians 2:6-7