Newsletter

(Parents Informed)



September 7, 2026

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.

HERITAGE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

Website: www.heritage-christian.org For attendance: attendance@heritage-christian.org

SCHOOL LUNCH

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 7	TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8	WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9	THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10	FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11
NO SCHOOL	Walking Tacos	Chicken Tenders	Lo Mein	Pizza

MONDAY, SEPT. 14 – French Toast | **TUESDAY, SEPT. 15 – Cheesy Chicken Quesadillas**

Hot Lunch

Hot lunch will begin being offered tomorrow, Tuesday, Sept. 8th. Hot lunch cost is $5.00, which includes milk. Funds may be put on student accounts in the business office with cash or check or you may contact Mrs. Nuss to have your account invoiced where you can pay online.

School Picture Day



Please mark your calendars for **Friday, September 11th** for school pictures/portraits for Pre-Kindergarten-12th. Portraits will be going into our yearbook and will be available for purchase by families. We will be using Inter-State Photography studios. For convenience, they offer an online ordering option. All photo packages and pricing can be viewed online using specialized order code **0484TGF**. Go to Interstate Studios and orders your prior to this date. Smile😊

MONDAY LATE START REMINDER

As a reminder school starts at 8:45am each Monday to allow for staff development and meetings.

Financial Reminder

Tuition invoices have been sent out for August and September. Please make sure you are up-to-date on payments according to your payment plan. You may check with Mrs. Nuss in the business office any time with questions. She can be reached at mnuss@heritage-christian.org.

Parking Lot Traffic Flow

Thank you for taking caution in the parking lot and being mindful of pedestrians. Please **enter in the West** entrance and **exit out the East** entrance.

Tardies



"Students who consistently arrive at school on time are establishing a responsible pattern for life. While it is true that occasional situations arise that may cause delays, students are fulfilling their end of a contract with the school by adhering to the school's schedule. The student's future employers or clients will appreciate how well he/she keeps a commitment. Even more important is for students to understand how God views their stewardship of time and commitment". These words are taken from our 2025-26 Student Handbook. (*Personal illness, family emergency, bad roads or weather conditions, and doctor's appointments are the only valid excuses for late arrival.)*

We want to remind students that we are trying to build a character of stewarding time well. Starting **Today, September 2nd** we will be issuing Demerits for unexcused tardies to help with this process. Thank you parents for working with us on this.

Attendance Procedure

Thank you in advance for being great communicators when your students are ill or need to leave for appointments. Should your student be gone for other reasons please fill out a Pre Arranged Absence form and turn it into the office. It really helps our attendance records. As some of you may not know, we have an attendance email set up for these purposes. This email address is **attendance@heritage-christian.org**. This is a convenient way, day or evening, to let the office know of absences.

2026-27 Field Trip Permission Slip



We have gone to online full year permission slips for families to give approval for their student to attend class and school trips. This alleviates the need for a form to be signed each and every time the student is going to participate. We have made an online Field Trip Permission Slip available for parents to sign once at the beginning of the year. All trips will be clearly communicated prior to the date of those trips but parents who have chosen to approve online via the form will not have to submit a form each time. Please call the office if you have questions. To access this form follow this link from the school website.

Parking Space!



Want your own parking space? Now you can be the #1 Falcon Fan! Buy your ticket now for $5 or even better buy 5 for $20. The winning ticket will get you one reserved parking spot in front of the school for the 2026-27 school year! Tickets will be available for purchase in the school office with Mrs. Graham **ONLY this Wednesday and Thursday morning and next Monday morning, 9/14. The winner will be drawn Monday, September 14th after school.**

Elementary Chapel Speakers Wanted



This is an excellent opportunity to proclaim the truth of God's Word to our students! Teaching times are 10-15 minutes for K-2nd and 20 minutes for 3rd-6th. Chapel is Friday mornings in the music room from 8:15-9:30am. Contact Mrs. Gossack for more information at stephanie@heritage-christian.org.

So, then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God! - Romans 10:17

Chapel Times: K-2nd Grade – 8:15-8:45am; 3rd-6th Grade – 8:55-9:30am

HCS Falcons Spirit Store

With the start of school, we wanted to announce to new families that if you are interested in HCS Falcon wear, our online store is open. Ordering is simple and can be done from the comfort of your own home. We do have a few items at the school, but supply has greatly decreased. This is a great opportunity to go to this site and order from many different selections and sizes. So, whether you are a new family or a returning family who has outgrown their items from last year check out the Falcon wear at https://stores.323sports.com/AGKO-VFRB

UPCOMING HOME GAMES

VOLLEYBALL



- **Thursday, Sept. 10th:**
  Helena Christian – JV-4:30pm
  V-6pm
- **Saturday, Sept. 12th:**
  Foothills – JV-9:30am
  V-11am
- **Friday, Sept. 18th:**
  YCHS – JV-5pm/V-6:30pm
- **Saturday, Sept. 20th:**
  Billings Christian – JV-10am/V-11:30am
- **Thursday, Oct. 8th:**
  Petra – JV-4pm/V-5:30pm

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  Helena Christian – V-4pm
- **Saturday, Sept. 12th:**
  Foothills – V-9am
- **Friday, Sept. 18th:**
  YCHS – V-4pm/JV-5:30pm
- **Saturday, Sept. 19th:**
  Billings Christian – V-10am
- **Tuesday, Sept. 30th:**
  GVHS – V-4pm/JV-5:30pm
- **Tuesday, Oct. 6th**
  St. Andrew – V-4pm
- **Thursday, Oct. 8th:**
  Petra – V-4pm

HCS SCOREBOARD

Varsity Volleyball -
8/29- **HCS vs. Billings Christian**
Win!

JV Volleyball -
8/29- **HCS vs. Billings Christian**
Win!

Varsity Soccer -
8/29 - **HCS vs. Billings Christian**
Win!

Varsity Volleyball -
9/4- **HCS vs. BHS**
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JV Volleyball -
9/4- **HCS vs. BHS**
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UPCOMING EVENTS



- **Tuesday, Sept. 8th**: First day of Pre-Kindergarten & Kindergarten
- **Friday, Sept. 11th:** Picture Day for Pre-Kindergarten-12th Grade
- **Friday, Sept. 25th:** All School Chapel – 8:05am
- **Monday, Sept. 28th: NO SCHOOL**
- **Thursday Oct. 15th & Friday, Oct. 16th:** MCAA Soccer/Volleyball Tournament – **NO SCHOOL**
- **Tuesday, Oct. 20th:** School Picture Retake Day
- **Friday, Oct. 23rd:** All School Chapel – 8:05am
- **Thursday, Oct. 29th:** Early Release Day - Parent Teacher Conferences – **Early Release Day**
- **Friday, Oct. 30th:** Parent Teacher Conferences – **NO SCHOOL**
- **Saturday, Nov. 14th:** HCS Christmas Bazaar – 9am-4pm

Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men, knowing that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward.
You are serving the Lord Christ.
For the wrongdoer will be paid back for the wrong he has done, and there is no partiality.
- Colossians 3:23-25

