

## School

### Improvement Plan

Our School Improvement Plan focus this week is on study skills. The end of the semester is rapidly approaching, and the students are hard at work studying for finals. Our teachers have been encouraging the students to try different methods of studying to help them find out what works best for them. Happy studying!

### Dud's Days

The future Dud's Days are as follows:

Dec.14<sup>th</sup>

Dec.20<sup>th</sup>

### PSC News

#### **KITCHEN WORKERS NEEDED!!!**

The kitchen is in need of permanent workers for Tuesdays and Thursdays from 11:00-1:00. If you are able to come and help at all during the lunch hour, please let Mrs. Muzzy know.

Other PSC work available:

**Help with the Elementary Christmas program**

**Sweep and mop classrooms**

**Concession stand:** Next game

Tuesday, December 13<sup>th</sup>. Shifts available from 4:30-9:30

**Planters cleaned out**

**Leaves raked**

**REMEMBER!!!!** The last day for PSC's for the 1<sup>st</sup> semester is Tuesday, December 20<sup>th</sup>! Be sure to have your PSC slips completely filled out, SIGNED, and IN the box by 3:45 December 20<sup>th</sup>. YOU MUST fill out a PSC slip to receive credit. If you have worked, but not filled out a slip you HAVE NOT received credit!

## Calendar of Events

December 9-Secondary Christmas Program

December 13-PTF Night Out-Dicky's

December 13-JVB/VG/VB Basketball (H)

December 14-DUD's Day

December 16-JVB/VG/VB Basketball (A)

December 16, 19-20-Secondary Finals

December 20-DUD's Day

December 21-January5-Christmas Break

January 26-Snow Creek Ski Trip

## Benevolence

### Character Trait of the Month

Benevolence is giving to others' basic needs without having as my motive personal reward.

"Be careful not to practice your righteousness in front of others to be seen by them. If you do, you will have no reward from your Father in heaven. So when you give to the needy, do not announce it with trumpets, as the hypocrites do...But when you give to the needy, do not let your left hand know what your right hand is doing, so that your giving may be in secret. Then your Father who sees what is done in secret, will reward you." Matthew 6:1-4

### Christmas Programs

The secondary Christmas program is Friday, December 9<sup>th</sup>. The program will begin at 6:30PM and will be held here at Heritage.

The 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grade music class will also be presenting a Christmas program. The program will be on Monday, December 19<sup>th</sup>. It will begin at 6:30PM and will be here at Heritage.

### Best Choice Labels

Best Choice UPC's are due in the office by Tuesday December 20<sup>th</sup>.

Continue collecting the Box Tops for Education and Campbell's Soup Label UPC's and turn them in to the office. Remember-put the labels in a bag and write the grades of all your children on the bags so the classes can receive credit for the contest between the classes.

## **This Week In Chapel**

This week secondary students did not have chapel so the choir could further prepare for the Christmas concert.

This week elementary students found out the answer to the question-What is Christmas? and now know the true meaning of Christmas.

## **Secondary Finals** **Schedule**

The finals schedule is as follows:

**Friday, December 16<sup>th</sup>:**  
2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> hour final  
(7<sup>th</sup> Grade will go to 7<sup>th</sup> hour final during the 4<sup>th</sup> hour final)

**Monday, December 19<sup>th</sup>:**  
3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> hour final

**Tuesday, December 20<sup>th</sup>:**  
6<sup>th</sup> and 1<sup>st</sup> hour final, Christmas Party after.

## **STOREHOUSE** **NEWS**

Please "like" the new "Heritage Storehouse" page on Facebook. This page is designed to keep HCS families informed on Storehouse happenings and information!

If you are planning on ordering storehouse cards for Christmas presents or stocking stuffers, the last day to do so and receive the cards for Christmas is Sunday, December 11<sup>th</sup>!

## **PTF Night Out at Dicky's**

This Tuesday, December 13<sup>th</sup> is the PTF Night Out at Dicky's. Certificates for either Lunch or Dinner were sent home with students and are available in the office.

Please present a certificate to the cashier when you pay so HCS will receive the credit. Feel free to hand out the other two certificates to friends, and coworkers.

## **HCS Wish List**

Staple Gun  
Construction Paper  
Coffee for Teacher Workroom  
Glue Sticks  
Clorox Wipes  
Hand Sanitizer for the office  
HP 02 and 94/95 Ink Cartridges

## **Basketball Games**

**Tuesday, December 13 vs. Cair Paravel**  
**JV. Boys 5:00,**  
**Varsity Girls 6:15**  
**Varsity Boys 7:45**

**Friday, December 16 at Derby**  
**JV Boys-3:30**  
**Varsity Girls-5:00**  
**Varsity Boys-6:30**

## **Junior High Basketball**

Jr High Basketball practice 6th-8th grades, starts for Boys and Girls Monday Dec. 12th at Northland Christian Church from 3:50-5:15.

## **Eagle Sports Line**

Congratulations to both Varsity basketball teams on their performance during the SHEA tournament! The HCS girls took home the 1<sup>st</sup> place trophy in the tournament Saturday, and the boys took home 3<sup>rd</sup>. Congratulations again on a job well done!

Tuesday was the opening home games for the JV and Varsity teams against Cornerstone. The JV Boys handily won their game with a score of 60-29. The Varsity girls fought an exciting game but in the end lost 46-40. The Varsity boys also won their game 58-40.

The next games are this Tuesday against Cair Paravel. Come on out and support these great teams!

## **ACTORS** **NEEDED!**

If you are interested in being a part of the spring play, please sign up in the office. Once again, Mr. Stone will be taking care of the spring play and needs to know how many actors are planning on joining the production. The play is for 6<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> Grades.

**Ski trip forms have gone home with your 5<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade children. They are due back by January 6<sup>th</sup>.**

Highlights:  
Spring Play sign up  
JR. High Basketball  
Kitchen Help Needed!

Spiritually Grounded,  
Academically Excellent,  
Faithfully Serving