



Friday, December 2, 2011

IN THE NEWS:

Christmas Giving Project

This year's Christmas Giving Project will go towards Hope Haven International Ministries and their collection of recycled and used wheelchairs. The wheelchairs are refurbished to nearly new condition and then will be shipped to Vietnam. One wheel chair can be given with every \$100 collected. For more information, please look at the Mobility Driven pamphlet that was handed out with the Home Bulletin. Today each student was given a blue Mobility Driven wrist band as a reminder. Please have your child bring their contribution to school by December 23. Thanks for your support of this ministry!

HCS booth at the Winterfest Vendor Fair

Be sure to attend the Hull Winterfest this Saturday, December 3 from 10:30–3:30 at the Hull Community Building. The NEW navy t-shirts will be available—youth short sleeve sizes and adult short and long sleeve sizes. These make GREAT Christmas gifts for your kids, grandkids, and even grandma might want one to wear when she is cheering at the HCS extra-curricular events! The HCS booth will also be selling coffee (whole bean or ground), cookies, a variety of snack mixes in decorative tins, and holiday cupcakes.

5th–8th Grade Band & Choir Concert

Be sure to save the evening of Tuesday, December 6 to hear some wonderful music from our students. This concert will include a variety of music including many Christmas songs. The concert features our Jazz Band, 5th Grade Band, 6th - 8th Grade Band, and 7th & 8th Grade Choir. This will be the first band concert for our 5th graders!

Free Money from Iowa State Bank

Iowa State Bank is giving Hull Christian School an incredible opportunity to receive free money! Anyone can go into Iowa State Bank from December 2 through December 22 and sign their name on the signature card. For EACH signature, HCS will receive \$5. Please take this amazingly generous opportunity to raise money for Hull Christian School and express your thanks to those in the bank!

Chapel Shirts

Next Friday, December 9, is a chapel day. Please wear your chapel shirt!

Calendar

- Monday, December 5 - BB vs. Sheldon: Girls Away; Boys Home
- Tuesday, December 6 - 5th-8th Band and Choir Concert 7:00 PM
- Salary Study Committee 6:00 PM
- Wednesday, December 7 - Education Committee 7:00 PM
- Friday, December 9 - Chapel Day (wear your chapel shirt)
- BB vs. Rock Valley: Girls Home; Boys Away
- Monday, December 12 - Girls BB practice 3:30 - 5:00 PM
- Tuesday, December 13 - BB vs. Orange City: Girls Home; Boys Away
- Wednesday, December 14 - Girls BB practice 3:30 - 5:00 PM
- Finance Meeting 6:00 PM
- Board Meeting 7:00 PM
- Thursday, December 15 - PK-4 Christmas Program
- Friday, December 16 - Boys BB practice 3:30 - 5:00 PM
- Monday, December 19 - BB vs. Ireton 7 Girls and 7 Boys Home
- Tuesday, December 20 - Boys BB practice 3:30 - 5:00 PM
- Wednesday, December 21 - Girls BB practice 3:30 - 5:00 PM
- Thursday, December 22 - Dismiss 11:55 AM for Christmas Break
- December 23-January 2 - Christmas Break – No School

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Next order date – Monday, December 5
 Next delivery date – Friday, December 9

Only a few more weeks before Christmas!

Menu

Monday

Turkey on Croissants, Fruit, Fries, Carrots, Oatmeal Bars

Tuesday

Pulled Pork, Fruit, Vegetable Tray, Chips/Salsa

Wednesday

Soup, Cinnamon Rolls, Fruit

Thursday

Turkey Burger, Corn, Fruit, Mexican Rice

Friday

Goulash, Fruit, Vegetable Tray, Dessert

Payments Due

Tuition and hot lunch statements were e-mailed/sent home today. Payments are due by the 10th. Thanks to those who consistently make their monthly payments on time.

HCS Board Policy #3171 states – *“Thirty percent of annual tuition must be paid by the first day of the second semester or parents will not continue to have their children enrolled second semester.”*

Basketball Games

The basketball season's home opener is this coming Monday. We encourage everyone to come and cheer for our teams. As a reminder to parents who bring younger children, please keep them in the gym during the game. It is important to respect the employees of HCS as they continue to do their work after school. Thanks for your cooperation and Go HCS Knights!

Extra Cookies

There are still Peanut Butter BonBons, Holiday Sugar, Star, Meltaways, and St. Nick cookies available to purchase for \$4.50/dozen.

Childcare Needed During Mom's in Touch

We are looking for a volunteer to look after children (currently only two little girls) for about an hour while their mothers are in prayer. The location has not yet been determined, but we are hoping to make it work somewhere in the school building. Please contact Mr. Ten Pas at school (439-2273) if you are willing to help.