



# Knightly News

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## CALENDAR

**Monday, November 5**

7 PM Education Committee

**Tuesday, November 6**

Parent/Teacher Conferences  
11:55 AM Dismissal

**Wednesday, November 7**

Parent/Teacher Conferences  
11:55 AM Dismissal

**Friday, November 9**

No School

**Monday, November 12**

11:00 Veterans Day Program  
and Lunch

**Friday, November 16**

8:30-11:55 AM Parents' Day  
11:55 AM Dismissal

**Monday, November 19**

6 PM Finance Committee  
7 PM Board Meeting

**Tuesday, November 20**

Band/Orchestra/ 4th & 5th  
Choir Concert

**Wednesday, November 21**

11:55 Dismissal

**Thurs-Fri, Nov. 22 & 23**

Thanksgiving Break

**Monday, December 3**

7 PM Education Committee

**Thursday, December 6**

Madrigal

**Friday, December 14**

2:30 Chapel  
CLC visiting

**Monday, December 17**

Hearing Test PK-5th & 8th  
6 PM Finance Committee  
7 PM Board Meeting

**December 24 - January 3**

Christmas Break

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**"Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; His love endures forever." Psalm 107:1**

## Celebrating Veterans Day

Hull Christian School would like to invite Veterans, current military personnel, and their guests to a special Veterans' program and lunch on **Monday, November 12**. The program will begin at 11:00 AM in the HCS gym with lunch to follow. Please RSVP to the school office by **Thursday, November 8** if you plan to stay for lunch or have any questions. The phone number is 712-439-2273 or feel free to e-mail Janelle at [office@hullchristian.com](mailto:office@hullchristian.com)



## Candy Sale Thank You!

Our 6th-8th graders did a wonderful job selling chocolate bars again this year! The 7th graders had the highest average sales per student (\$214). The top 2 sellers per grade were 6th grade: Ali DeWit & Kadence Breuer; 7th grade: Haley Wielenga (top seller overall) & Braden Baccam; and 8th grade: Konner Struik & Maggie Fykstra. We thank everyone who purchased candy bars from our persuasive salespersons. Profits fund our field trips, athletic program, drama, music and Interscholastic fees.



## Board Notes - October 2018

1. Craig Verhoef opened with devotions.
2. Correspondence - Reviewed letter from society member.
3. Committee Reports
  - ◆ Education - MMS to hire Dave Kooima to be the boys' basketball coach and Sarah Grevengoed to be the girls' basketball coach.
  - ◆ Finance - Financial Dashboard Indicators reviewed
  - ◆ Building - Possible we may get a single man lift donated

- ◆ Promotion - Rally Day Sale discussed
- ◆ Foundation - Revised balances
- ◆ Building Addition Task Force - Some individual letters will be sent out  
*The work of all the committees was supported and approved.*
- 4. New Business
  - ◆ Society Agenda for November 19 discussed
  - ◆ Auction Software discussed
  - ◆ Discussed Fundraisers
  - ◆ Discussed a faculty/staff Christmas gift.
- 5. The meeting was closed with prayer.

*The mission of Hull Christian School is to educate covenant children in the light of God's Word, preparing them for a life of Christian discipleship, responsible stewardship and humble service in His kingdom.*

**CHURCH OFFERINGS 2018-2019**  
**As of October 31, 2018**

Church	Goal	Received	Balance
Hull 1st CRC	\$96,900	\$14,700	\$82,200
Hull Hope CRC	\$65,550	\$32,036	\$33,514
Rock Valley Trinity CRC	\$1,425	\$ 1,425	\$ 0
Rock Valley URC	\$ 4,275	\$ 2,000	\$ 2,275
Sioux Center Bethel	\$14,250	\$ 2,859	\$ 11,400
Sioux Center Bridge	\$ 5,700	\$1,087.50	\$ 4,612.50
Sioux Center Faith	\$ 4,275	\$ 1,100	\$ 3,175
Sioux Center First	\$ 4,275	\$ 4,275	\$ 0
Sioux Center URC	\$ 9,975	\$ 0	\$ 9,975

Thank you for your support of Christian Education!

**Meet the Board Nominees**

**Sarah Fykstra** and her husband Brian live in Hull and attend Hope CRC. They have two children: Maggie is an 8th grader and Sawyer is in 4th grade. Sarah has worked at Northwest Iowa Community College in Sheldon for 18 years in the Student Services Office and Brian works at Farmers Coop Society in Boyden. In their spare time, they stay busy attending their kids events, enjoy spending time with family and golfing.

**Kaylee Hulstein** and her husband Josh live on a farm near Hull. They have three boys: Tyson (7) is in First Grade, Luke (4) is in Preschool & Trent is 18 months old. They attend Hope CRC. Josh is self employed by Hulstein Brothers, Inc as a Hoof Trimmer/Dairy Farmer. Kaylee is originally from Washington State and a graduate of Lynden Christian High School. She is a stay at home mom but keeps busy doing the bookkeeping for Hulstein Brothers Inc. As a family they enjoy traveling, spending time at the lakes and being outdoors. She also enjoys reading.

**Hull Christian School**  
**Biannual Society Meeting**

November, 19 2018 at 7:30 pm (music room)

Agenda

- Opening Prayer by President Ryan Beukelman
- Minutes of the August 20, 2018 Society Meeting by Secretary Waylon Pollema
- Election of Board Members
  - Board Nominees: Sarah Fykstra and Kaylee Hulstein
- Adjournment and Closing Prayer by Vice President Julie Van Schepen

CURRENT BOARD MEMBERS

Ryan Beukelman	2019
Brent De Jager	2019
Craig Verhoef	2019
Bruce Heynen	2020
Jeremy Hulstien	2020
Seth Oostenink	2021
Waylon Pollema	2021
Julie Van Schepen	2021

\*\*We encourage you to hand in an absentee ballot if you are unable to attend. Bring them in a sealed envelope, with a signature on the outside, to the school office.

**NICSTO explained:**

**WHAT?** NICSTO stands for NW Iowa Christian Schools Tuition Organization. It represents 16 schools throughout the NW Iowa region including Hull Christian School and Western Christian High School.

**WHY?** The State of Iowa allows Iowa corporations and residents to receive a 65% direct tax credit for ANY contribution made to the school tuition organization - in our case HCS. In the 2018-2019 school year, 31 families received money from NICSTO!

**WHO?** YOU or any C-Corp, S-Corp, LLC, or Partnership can contribute to HCS or WCHS's tuition organization!

**BENEFITS?** NICSTO allows HCS to distribute money to tuition-paying families in our schools. This money comes from your donation. NICSTO allows you to benefit too. On top of assisting HCS and their tuition-paying families, you also receive a 65% direct tax credit AND a federal tax deduction on your contribution.

**HOW?** Contact Mr. Randy Ten Pas at HCS or Mr. Wes Fopma at WCHS. They will be able to explain the benefits that are there for all involved. If you have the desire to help HCS or WCHS and would like to receive state tax credit and federal tax deductions then this is for you!

**REALLY?** YES! NICSTO has been around for years and has been a benefit to both the recipient (HCS/WCHS) and the donor (you). This is a great tax benefit to those who will be paying taxes on their income.

**WHEN?** Donations are accepted until our allotted amount is received or December 31, 2018 whichever comes first. A memo must accompany the donation. You may cut out the NICSTO memo below or pick up a form in the Hull Christian office. HCS is allotted to receive \$95,760 in donations this year. We currently have \$32,910. Please prayerfully consider donating to this fund.

Northwest Iowa Christian School Tuition Organization  
**CONTRIBUTION MEMO** (please include with contribution)  
A formal Iowa Tax Credit Certificate will be sent to you in  
early January 2019.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Taxpayer/Corporation Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Contribution

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Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Amount of Contribution

\_\_\_\_\_  
City

\_\_\_\_\_  
State

\_\_\_\_\_  
Zip Code

\_\_\_\_\_  
Social Security Number or Taxpayer I.D. Number

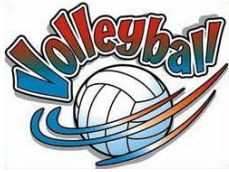
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Name of the school you wish to be the beneficiary of the donation

\*Your contribution may be mailed or delivered to Hull Christian School or NICSTO, 204 Kentucky Ave NW, Orange City, Iowa 51041.

### Give a Book

We had some great additions to our Library this month through our "Give a Book" program! Harlyn & Linda Bolkema gave a donation in honor of their grandson, Calen Bolkema. Calen picked the book Click, Clack, Quack to School. Orv and Arlene Van't Hul gave a donation in honor of their grandson, Dason Van't Hul. Dason chose Game Seven, War Heroes; and Heroes of Pearl Harbor. Doug & Sandy Pollema donated a book in honor of their grandson Bryson Pollema. Bryson picked the book A Home In the Barn. If you are interested in donating to the HCS library, stop in the office, donate \$10, and let us know which student you would like to honor with your donation. Your student will be able to pick a book and have a memorial sticker placed in the front cover. They will also be the first student to check that book out.

**Volleyball 2018-2019** The 7th and 8th grade volleyball teams enjoyed another great season improving their skills and teamwork. We thank Coach Kerrigan Kats for the work she did with the girls! The 8th grade players were Kyra Bakker, Hannah Broek, Maddie Emerick, Aubri Fedders, Maggie Fykstra, Ashlyn Grevengoed, Jocelyn Oostenink, Trista Ten Pas, and Macy Westra. The 7th grade players were Ashley Fedders, Kirsten Grevengoed, Maeva Haveman, Maile Vande Hoef, Kaily Verhoef, Summer Vis, Haley Wielenga. The season ended with a pizza party. Thank you to the girls and their parents for a wonderful season.



### Service Day

Our 6th-8th graders spent most of Tuesday, October 30 helping rake leaves, cut branches, and clean up on 24 yards in our community. Others helped with extra cleaning jobs at school or in the office. Even though the weather was a bit cold and windy, the students worked really hard and were glad for the opportunity to show the love of Jesus through serving others.



### HULL CHRISTIAN SCHOOL FOUNDATION CURRENT MEMBERS AS OF OCTOBER 30, 2018

Altena, Alden & Bev  
Anema, Paul & Trudy  
Baccam, Sean & Stephanie  
Bakker, Dwight & Jan  
Bakker, Nathan & Chanda  
Barkel, Dan & Ann  
Beukelman, Doug & Janelle  
Beukelman, Ryan & Cami  
Bleeker, Eric & Marianne  
Boer, Don & Lylamae  
Boer, Jerry & Lavonne  
Bolkema, Harlyn & Linda  
Bolkema, John L. & Betty  
Bolkema, Ryan & Rachel  
Bonestroo, Dave & Diane  
Boon, Arlyn & Twila  
Bosma, Matt & Bethany  
Bouma, Loren & Gaylene  
Breuer, Chad & Sandi  
Broek, Mike & Ang  
Broek, Roger & Linda  
Brummel, Arch & Val  
Brunsting, Dennis & Linda  
Bruxvoort, Ben & Karen  
Bruxvoort, Troy & Tina  
Bylisma, Berdena  
Calkhoven, Dennis & Jean  
Christians, Michael & Karen  
Covey, Marlo & Viv  
Covey, Mike & Jackie  
De Groot, Sally  
De Jager, Brent & Amy  
De Jong, Jean  
De Kruyf, Roger & Fran  
De Stigter, Phil & Bonnie  
De Weerd, Stan & Arlis  
De Weerd, Todd & Paulette  
De Wild, LuAnn

De Wild, Jarvis & Shari  
De Wit, Cory & Sherry  
De Wit, Dan & Kathy  
De Wit, Jay & Donna  
De Wit, Theresa  
De Yager, Noah & Susan  
De Yager, Peter & Betsy  
Draayer, Ken & Belle  
Driesen, Brad & Nancy  
Dykstra, Wes & Diana  
Eekhoff, David & Melinda  
Eekhoff, Jim & Sylvia  
Fedders, Dan & Dana  
Fedders, Mark & Teresa  
Fedders, Rob & Donna  
Feenstra, Lee & Eleanor  
Feenstra, Randy & Lynette  
Fenchel, Mark & Dar  
Foreman, Bill & Wendy  
Geels, Brent & Becky  
Gesink, Junior & Elinor  
Gort, Cliff & Esther  
Grevengoed, Howard & Marilyn  
Grevengoed, John & Wilma  
Grevengoed, Mike & Connie  
Grevengoed, Roger & Minerva  
Grevengoed, Scott & Sara  
Groothuis, Ivan & Alice  
Harskamp, Dan & Nyla  
Haveman, Ed & Noella  
Haveman, Eric & Alysia  
Haveman, John & Pat  
Haveman, Steve & Kim  
Hengeveld, Ted & Rachel  
Heynen, Bruce & Kim  
Heynen, William & Wilma  
Hoekema, Cal & Ruth  
Hoekstra, Dave & Donna  
Hoekstra, Eldon & Joan

Hoekstra, Larry & Marcia  
Hoekstra, Mike & Veronica  
Hofman, Arlen & Mary  
Hofman, Brad & Marlys  
Hospers, Nancy  
Hulstein, Glenn & Marj  
Jansma, Terry & Dee  
Kats, Lavonne  
Kats, Shad & Missy  
Keizer, Jim & Vell  
Keizer, Kevin & Lynda  
Klay, Harold  
Klompier, Carl & Ellen  
Koel, Jeanne  
Koel, Norwin & Bonnie  
Koele, Cliff & Marlys  
Kooi, Todd & April  
Kooiker, John & Sherry  
Kooiker, Sam & Jennifer  
Kooima, Clarice  
Kotman, Loren & Norma  
Kroese, Florence  
Kroese, David & Kay  
Kroese, Gerald & Harriet  
Kroese, Hilmore & LaVonne  
Kroese, Jane  
Kroese, John & Joyce  
Kroese, Dan & Linda  
Krommendyk, Luella  
Krommendyk, Don & Mary  
Kuyper, Ronald & Marlene  
Mars, Gary & Hendrene  
Meendering, Harry & Dee  
Netjes, Les & Bonnie  
Nielsen, Martin & Sandy  
Noteboom, Leona  
Nyenhuis, Nelva  
Oostenink, Heath & Paula  
Oostenink, Jim & Lee

Ouwinga, Tim & Deb  
Pluim, David & Laura  
Pollema, Doug & Sandy  
Pollema, Pete & Nelva  
Pollema, Waylon & Melissa  
Pollema, Wilmar & Betty  
Rens, Eric & Jana  
Rens, Shirley  
Roelofs, Jim & Jan  
Rozeboom, David & Carol  
Runia, Alvin  
Scholten, Ed & Eunice  
Scholten, Glen & Tami  
Scholten, John & Agnes  
Snieder, Dave & Lee  
Soodsma, Pete & Helen  
Stiemsma, Craig & Kristi  
Te Krony, Rodney & Connie  
Talsma, LeRoy & Wanda  
Ten Pas, Larry & Jacquelyn  
Ten Pas, Randy & Kristi  
Te Slaa, Dave & Vanessa  
Te Slaa, Justin & Cindy  
Te Slaa, Melvin & Kathy  
Vande Burgt, Ella Mae  
Vande Griend, Benji & Mindy  
Vande Griend, David & Betty  
Vande Griend, Joyce  
Vande Hoef, Matt & Melanie  
Vanden Bosch, Greg & Teresa  
Vanden Bosch, Marv  
Van Den Bosch, Tom  
Vander Griend, Howard & Marilyn  
Vander Stoep, Stewart & Cindy  
Vander Well, Joyce  
Van Grouw, Lee & Donna  
Van Maanen, Dennis & Audrey  
Van Otterloo, Art & Margaret  
Van Otterloo, Dave & Lisa

Van Otterloo, Loren & Shelly  
Van Otterloo, Mike & Marideth  
Van Peurse, Mel & Arnetta  
Van Roekel, Gene & Carol  
Van Schepen, Arlene  
Van Schepen, Cliff  
Van Schepen, Eldon & Lisa  
Van Schepen, Jeff & Julie  
Van Soelen, Marion & Jan  
Van't Hul, Darren & Darla  
Van't Hul, David & Sherry  
Van't Hul, Orville & Arlene  
Van Voorst, Jamie & Gwen  
Van Wyhe, Daryl & Marvella  
Verhoef, Craig & Teresa  
Ver Steeg, Bernard  
Vis, Roger & Carol  
Waterman, Kyle & Kim  
Weidner, Tracy & Sandy  
Westra, Gary A & Sandy  
Westra, Randy & Sandy  
Westra, Rob & Amy  
Westra, Jo  
Westra, Johanna  
Westra, Scott & Andrea  
Wielenga, Evan & Shondra  
Wielenga, Larry & Mary Lou  
Wielenga, Rod & Lois  
Wilson, Carol  
Zevenbergen, Kent & Tami  
Zonnefeld, Ryan & Val  
Zuidema, Delmar & Linda  
Zuidema, Todd & Leah

\*If you notice any changes that should be made to the list, please feel free to contact the office.

**CIRCLE NEWS**

**3rd Annual Jr High Girls Basketball Tournament** - Plans are underway and teams are signing up for our HCS Circle Girls' Basketball Tournament on Saturday, December 1. This will be held in Western's gym and the HCS gym. Yummy concessions available! Come out and cheer on our HCS girls!

**The Pizza Card Fundraiser** - It was a HUGE success! With a profit to the HCS Parents' Circle of \$6,542, this is a profitable fundraiser for the Circle. Thank you to all of the families that did their part in making this fundraiser such a great profit for the Circle!

**Faith T-Shirts** - Ordering begins mid-November. Faith based T-shirts and comfortable sweatshirts will be available to order. These make great gift ideas! Online ordering will be available too. Stay tuned for more details

**Interscholastic Speech**

Interscholastic Speech took place at Rock Valley Christian on Monday, October 22. Hull Christian had 47 students participate that evening! Each student chose a poem or story to be performed in class and before a judge. The judges evaluated the students' expression, clarity, gestures, and eye contact. Students received helpful and encouraging comments to improve their speaking abilities. We are proud of the students who participated and represented HCS in a positive manner. We hope this experience prepared them for future speaking. Thanks to Mrs. Westra and Mrs. Waterman for the extra time and effort in preparing the students.

**Personal Touch Designs (Julie Mesman)** We are excited to announce that Personal Touch is starting a new loyalty rewards program! To show her appreciation for all the support they have received throughout our community, she would like to give back! Julie will be giving back 3% of purchases back to the community. Stop in to enroll and specify HCS as your recipient.

**MADRIGAL**

Grades 6-8 will present the Madrigal Good King Whatsisface on Thursday, December 6 at 7:00 PM. Everyone is invited to enjoy the Yuletide feast and be entertained by actors, musicians, jugglers and dancers. A dress rehearsal will be held in the afternoon for those who are not able to attend the evening performance. Call the school office (439-2273) by November 21 to make reservations. A freewill donation will be accepted to cover the meal and other expenses.



**SCRIP**

SCRIP was closed out last month and is reflected on your November tuition statement. If you attend 1st CRC and use their tuition program, it will be on your church statement. In the last 6 months, we paid out almost \$17,000 in tuition and lunch money to HCS and Western. Wow! Keep it up, it pays!

**SCRIP Business Gifts:** It's the time of year to say thank you to business associates, customers, teachers, and employees. SCRIP offers something for everyone! Gift cards are always a welcome surprise.

**\*\*Christmas is right around the corner!** You don't have to spend a lot to delight friends and family. Check out our SCRIP selections from \$5-\$100!!

**Dining Gifts**

- Applebee's \$25
- Arby's \$10
- Buffalo Wild Wings \$10, \$25
- Burger King \$10
- Casey's Bakery \$5, \$10, \$25
- Chili's \$25
- Cedar Rock/Butlers \$10, \$25
- Chipotle \$10
- HuHot \$20
- Culvers \$5, \$10, \$25
- Hardee's \$5, \$10
- McDonalds \$5, \$10, \$25
- Noodles & Company \$10
- Outback \$25
- Panera Bread \$10, \$25
- Pizza Hut \$10
- Pizza Ranch \$10, \$25, \$50
- Red Lobster \$25
- Olive Garden \$25
- Ruby Tuesday \$25
- Red Robin \$25
- Sioux County Livestock \$10
- Starbucks \$10
- Subway \$10, \$25
- Taco Johns \$10
- Texas Roadhouse \$25
- Wendy's \$10

**For Women**

- Bath & Body \$10, \$25
- Hair on Hickory \$5, \$10, \$20
- Bed, Bath, and Beyond \$25
- Gordman's \$25
- Ground Effects \$25
- Ulta Beauty \$25

**All-Purpose Crowd Pleaser Gifts**

- Amazon.com \$25, \$100
- Barnes & Noble \$10, \$25
- Casey's \$10, \$25, \$50
- Walmart \$25, \$50, \$100, \$250
- Target \$10, \$25, \$100
- iTunes \$15, \$25
- Scheels \$10, \$25, \$50, \$100
- Best Buy \$25
- Radio & TV \$5
- Shutterfly \$25

**For the Fashion Forward**

- American Eagle \$25
- B Fierce \$10, \$25, \$50, \$100
- Claire's \$10
- Gap/Old Navy \$25
- Maurices \$20
- JCPenney \$25, \$100
- Kohl's \$10, \$25, \$50, \$100
- Macy's \$25
- Buckle \$25
- Children's Place \$25

**For Men**

- Bomgaars \$25, \$50, \$100
- Cabela's \$25
- Bass Pro Shop \$25
- Menards \$25
- Lowes \$25
- Capital Car Wash \$2
- Main Street Auto Wash \$2
- Cornerstone Car Wash \$25, \$50
- Dick's Sporting Goods \$25

**Please take note of the order and delivery dates as November and December have many dates with no orders.**

**ORDER DATES**

- Monday, November 5
- Monday, November 12
- Monday, November 19
- Monday, November 26
- Monday, December 3
- Monday, December 10
- Monday, December 17
- Monday, December 24
- Monday, December 31

**DELIVERY DATES**

- Friday, November 9
- Friday, November 16
- NO ORDER THIS WEEK**
- Friday, November 30
- Friday, December 7
- Friday, December 14
- Friday, December 21
- NO ORDER THIS WEEK**
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