

# Knighly News

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.



## BACK TO SCHOOL Open House Thursday, August 22, 2024

5:00 PM - 7:00 PM Teachers will be in their rooms  
The Open House is an opportunity for parents and their children to visit the individual classrooms, meet the teacher(s), and put school supplies away. After visiting the classrooms, join us in the gym for an ice cream social.

### WELCOME STUDENTS!

School begins Friday, August 23 at 8:25 AM with an 11:55 AM dismissal. Opening Chapel will take place at 8:45 AM that morning in the gym. Parents, grandparents, and society members are invited to attend. Pastor Greydanus will be the chapel speaker. We are excited for another great year at HCS. The chapel theme for the 2024-2025 school year is "Rooted in Christ." This theme is based on Colossians 2:6-7: "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." The theme combines Hull Christian's motto and mission statement. Students will start by learning about our Firm Foundation, which begins with being Rooted in Christ. We will then explore various ways to "Grow in Knowledge" through the Bible, prayer, worship, and as the Body of Christ. Finally, we will focus on how to "Flourish in God's Kingdom" through faithfulness, service, stewardship, and discipleship. We will also be learning many songs related to this theme. You can use this Spotify playlist at home. <https://tinyurl.com/2rcw8n3z>. All are welcome to join us each month for chapel and whole school sings! Please join our faculty and staff in praying for our upcoming school year!



### Board Notes - July 2024

1. Jerry Verhoef opened with devotions.
  2. Principal's Report was received.
  3. Committee Reports  
\*The work of all the committees was supported and approved.
  4. Old Business  
Update on Building Project.  
Discussed when to start the visits after pausing for the flood.  
MMS for the President and Secretary to sign for the loan.  
Renewal of CD for 9 months, supported.
  5. New Business  
\* Appointments of Executive Officers  
President - Justin Jacobsma  
Vice-President - Tara Boer  
Secretary - John Emerick  
Treasurer - Eric Zomermaand
- \*Discussed the Committee Appointments  
Education - Tara Boer (chair)  
Justin Jacobsma & John Emerick  
Building - Brent De Jager(chair)  
Finance - Eric Zomermaand (chair)  
& Josh Koch  
Foundation - Justin Jacobsma  
Promotion - Krista Van Der Brink (chair)  
Technology - Mark Fenchel (chair)  
\* Assigned Rally Day Business Contacts.  
\* All Board members signed Faith Statement.  
\* Discussed Board Visits for the 2024-2025 school year.  
\* Discussed how to support Rock Valley Christian.
6. The meeting was closed with prayer.
- \*\*MMS = Motion Made and Sustained

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### Update on Building Project

The building project that was passed/voted through in June was paused because of the flooding that occurred in our area. Our needs have not diminished but other priorities needed our attention and support.

### Biannual Society Meeting

The Biannual Society Meeting will be held on Wednesday, September 11 at 7:00 PM in the music room. A copy of the agenda/budget for the Society Meeting will be in local church mailboxes or available in the school

### Hull Christian Rally Day Sale and Supper Saturday, September 21, 2024

**\*Pre-priced meat, Certificates, and Bake Sale 3:00-6:00**

**\*Supper 5:00-6:30**

**\*Sale Begins at 6:30**

We encourage each family to donate an item or service to be auctioned off at the sale. A few ideas would be craft items, baked goods, farm supplies, home décor, toys, etc. If any constituents have an item they would like to donate to the auction, please bring items to the school office by Thursday, September 19, 3:30 PM.



### Circle Meeting

We invite parents who are new to the circle or veteran parents interested in learning more about this year's circle projects to join us for an **optional** meeting on August 27 at 7:00 PM in the music room. While attendance is not mandatory, this meeting will provide valuable insights into our upcoming projects. The link to sign up for projects will be distributed later that evening. Stay tuned for more details!

### Reminders for the 2024-2025 School Year

1. **Wednesday Dismissals** - the students will be dismissing at 2:25 so teachers can participate in Professional Development. There will be NO bussing on Wednesday afternoons at 2:25 dismissal. Bussing is available for kids attending K3 Care and Beyond the Bell at 3:25.
2. **Kindergarten** is Monday - Thursday (1st Semester), Monday - Friday (2nd Semester). **The kindergarten class will have school on the first day of school Friday, August 23.**
3. **Preschool** students will be attending school on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.
4. **Bussing** - there are 4 in town bus stops this coming school year. They are located at Bright Start, 1429 Brown St (in front of John and Amy Emerick house), Corner of 1st and Brown, and 1502 2nd St (in front of Evan & Sarah Wiersma house).
4. **Entrances** - students who get dropped off/picked up or walk to school should use the front entrance. Students who ride the bus will be dropped off at the west airlock entrance of school.

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

#### Tuesday, August 20

Teacher In-Service

#### Wednesday, August 21

Teacher In-Service

#### Thursday, August 22

Open House 5:00 –7:00 PM

#### Friday, August 23

First Day of School

Chapel 8:45 AM

11:55 AM dismissal

#### Tuesday, August 27

Circle Meeting (optional) - 7:00

#### Thursday, August 29

3rd Grade Orchestra Meeting

#### Monday, September 2

Labor Day- No School

#### Tuesday, September 3

First day of Preschool

#### Wednesday, September 4

Education Meeting

#### Wednesday, September 11

Society Meeting 7:00

music room

Promotion Meeting 6:00

#### Upcoming Dates

#### Thursday, September 19

School Pictures

#### Saturday, September 21

Rally Day Supper & Sale

#### Wednesday, October 2

K-8 Parents Day

11:55 dismissal

#### Thursday, October 3 &

#### Friday October 4

No School - Heartland

Conference

