

CIRCLE NEWS

HOSTESS SUPPER – The committee has been working hard at organizing the Hostess Supper. Due to some scheduling issues, we changed the date. The new date is now April 17! It has been a while since we have done this fundraiser, so we encourage you all to come out and enjoy some good food and great entertainment. This fundraiser funds will go towards new classroom signage. Here is the link to RSVP- <https://forms.gle/eCNhdeBJLJvXvcuJ6> . Please RSVP by April 2.

JOG/WALK-A-THON – On Thursday, May 9, HCS will be having its annual Jog/Walk-A-Thon. This is a great fundraiser for friends and family to get together and have fun walking with their students around the track. More information on this to come later.

GRANDPARENTS DAY – Hull Christian and the parent's circle will be hosting Grandparent's Day on Friday, April 19. We love having our Grandparents come and visit school and see their grandkids in their school environment!! Thanks to the committee members who are helping get this fun day arranged. More details to come later.

FACEBOOK – Hull Christian Parent Circle now has a new and improved Facebook page. Please like and follow "Hull Christian School Parent Circle". All information regarding Circle activities, announcements, etc. will be posted here to this page.



POP CAN COLLECTION – Even in these past few cold months, counting and sorting has been taking place! We thank everyone who helped sort, you are greatly appreciated! Keep collecting those cans and bottles and bringing them to the redemption bin by the community building! Parents, be sure to check your month of counting in the Parent Handbook. Please contact Shondra Wielenga if you have questions about sorting cans!

The Circle Executive Committee will be meeting Tuesday, March 26 at 7:00 PM in the Faculty Workroom.
Rachel Bolkema-Circle President



SCRIP NEWS

UPCOMING ORDER DATE

Monday, March 4	Thursday, March 7
Monday, March 11	Thursday, March 14
*NO ORDERS - week of March 18	
Monday, March 25	Thursday, March 28

The SCRIP accounts will be settled for this school year the week of March 18. SCRIP statements will be issued and applied to tuition or hot lunch accounts at that time. The April tuition statements for HCS and Western will show these payouts. If your SCRIP is going towards tuition and your tuition is paid in full for the year, you will receive credit for next school year. If you would like your SCRIP payout destination to change, please let us know by Thursday, March 14 to prepare for the payout. To do so, contact Teresa in the HCS office at 712-439-2273 or email scrip@hullchristian.com.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Wednesday, March 6
Education Committee - 7:00 PM

Monday, March 11
Finance Meeting - 6:00PM
Board Meeting - 7:00 PM

Tuesday, March 12
Fine Arts 3:45-4:45
Pre K & Kindergarten Open House - 6:30 PM

Wednesday, March 13
Biannual Society Meeting
6:00 PM

Friday, March 15
Third Quarter Ends

Monday, March 18 - Friday, March 22
Spring Break

Tuesday, March 26
Circle Meeting - 7:00 PM

Friday, March 29
Good Friday - No School

Monday, April 8 - Wednesday, April 10
ISASP testing (3rd-8th grade)

Wednesday, April 17
Hostess Supper



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.

Little Blessings Preschool Open House Tuesday, March 12 • 6:30 PM

Children are welcome to come explore the classrooms, meet their classmates and teacher, Ms. Heidi Tubergen!

****Registration opens on Wednesday, March 13 at 6:00 PM with availability being first come, first served****

Free faith based Preschool for all children turning 4 by September 15, 2024.

Kindergarten Parent Meeting Tuesday, March 12 • 6:30 PM

Come and meet Ms. Ten Haken & Ms. Bonestroo. They will show you what a day in Kindergarten looks like.

If you have any questions feel free to contact us at 712-439-2273 or email rtenpas@hullchristian.com.



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Board Notes - February 2024

1. Tara Boer opened with devotions.
2. Correspondence
Read thank you card.
3. Principal's Report was received.
Results of the Hot Lunch State Review.
4. Committee Reports
Education
MMS to hire Lisa Poppema for the paraprofessional position.
MMS to offer Sierra Nielsen the girls' soccer coaching position.
Technology
Motion to purchase camera for hallways, kitchen and gym and additional access points.
Advisory
Updated Wellness Policy.
Approved the Wellness Policy Progress Report.

- *The work of all the committees was supported and approved.*
5. Old Business
Nominations for School Board Members.
Finalized the purchase of outdoor sign through DKOI using Jog-Walk-a-Thon money.
 6. New Business
Reviewed Board Workshop.
Reviewed Parent Survey Results.
Approved Biannual Society Meeting Agenda.
Approved Budget.
Approved Promotion request.
 7. The meeting was closed with prayer.

****MMS = Motion Made and Sustained**

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Upcoming Concert Dates

Tuesday, April 16 ~ Orchestra
Extravaganza 7:00 at
Western's Event Center

Monday, May 6 ~ PK-8th Grade
Chapel Program
7:00 PM at Western
Christian Event Center
* afternoon matinee for
anyone to attend at
Western's event
center ~



Hostess Supper

You are invited to
the Hull Christian
School Hostess Sup-
per on Wednesday,
April 17, 2024 in the
Hull Christian School
gym at 6:30 PM.



There will be a catered meal by Cedar
Rock Grill. Entertainment will be provid-
ed by Lydia Van Kley during the meal,
followed by Very Good
Trivia Company.
Please scan QR code
to R.S.V.P by Tuesday,
April 2 or call the office
at 712-439-2273.



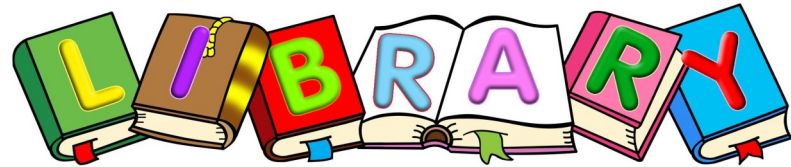
Pop Can Sorting Schedule

March	April
Van Schouwen	Verwolf
Beukelman	Bauer
Blik	Blankespoor, Levi
Bonestroo	De Groot, Dash
Geels	Reitsma
Rens	Rozeboom
Tantsura	Sandouka
Stark	Mulder
Sandbulte	Van Der Brink



Give a Book

The "Give a Book" box is refilled and ready to go! So many fun new books just waiting to be added to our library! Thank you so much to Justin and Cindy Te Slaa donating in honor of their daughter Sadie, and Bennett and Karen Bruxvoort donating in honor of their grandsons Andy and Alex. If you would like to donate and let your child or grandchild select a new book for the library, please contact the office. Thank you!



Archery unit in PE

The fifth through eighth grades were able to start the week on point with our Sioux County Conservationist, Sunday Ford. She set up a shooting range in our gym to give the students an opportunity to shoot a compound bow and arrow during PE class. The students were able to shoot at a target that was approximately 30 feet away. She taught them the proper way to shoot a bow and arrow and gave specific instructions on safety while working with them. It was a great opportunity for many students to try something new! The students also could display one of the "Be Attitudes" of HCS that we are currently focusing on, "Be Respectful." They could show respect to Sunday and to each other while they were shooting. We are so thankful that she was able to come to Hull Christian and share her knowledge and equipment with the students at HCS.



Thematic Unit - ALASKA

The 5th-8th grades recently completed their thematic unit for the year. The theme this year was Alaska. Students enjoyed a variety of topics and activities to deepen their knowledge and understanding of Alaska. They discovered the history of Alaska in learning about gold and oil rushes, the Inuit people, and the annexation and settlement of Alaska. Students were able to discover major industries in Alaska as well as the different ecosystems, animals, and national parks in Alaska. They reached into their artistic side and learned about different forms of art and music in Alaska as well as inukshuks. The northern lights, Iditarod, and making snow were topics that piqued their interest. Students were also able to plan a trip to Alaska where they were able to pick their stops in the state and their favorite food stop. They participated in the Native Youth Olympics and were surprised to learn how difficult the activities were. The week ended by watching the movie *Call of the Wild* in the gym with some snacks. It was a wonderful week learning about this amazing state in our country!



Board Nominees

Travis Veldman

Travis and his wife Brittany have been married for 14 years. They have 5 children all attending HCS. They stay plenty busy with many school and sporting events for the kids. Travis is co-owner and parts manager at Van's Implement. They attend Hull First CRC.

Brian Rozeboom

Brian and his wife Nicole live near Carmel and own and operate a dairy/beef farm. They have had 2 kids that attended and graduated from HCS and their youngest is currently a 5th grader at HCS. Their family attends and is involved in the Carmel Reformed Church.

Justin Jacobsma

Justin and his wife, Laura, live in Hull and attend First Reformed Church. They have two children; Lane a freshman at Western and Kendrick a 5th grader at Hull Christian. Justin currently serves on the School Board and Finance Committee at Hull Christian. He is employed with Williams and Company CPA as a shareholder. In his spare time he enjoys coaching and attending his son's activities.

Tim Stelson

Tim and his wife Dawn live on an acreage south of Hull. They have been blessed with 3 sons; Devin and his wife Lanae, and grandson Rhett live in Hull. Mason who will be getting married in April to Bailey Moret, and also will live in Hull. Logan who is currently a sophomore at Western. Logan attended HCS where they appreciated the size, structure and mission of the school. They attend Bethel CRC in Sioux Center. Tim is employed in Sales at Post Equipment in Rock Valley, and when not at work he enjoys spending time with family and being outdoors.

Sara Vande Griend

Sara is married to Joel and they have two kids, both at HCS, Brendan is in 4th grade and Whitleigh is in 2nd grade. Sara is an accountant for John Deere and Joel works on the family dairy. They attend Bethel CRC in Sioux Center. As a family, they love to spend time outside on the farm as well as going camping and boating in the summer.

Josh Koch

Josh Koch and his wife Julie live in Hull and attend Sioux Center URC. They have 3 children: Landon is a 5th grader at HCS, Audrey is a 2nd grader at HCS, and Wyatt is in preschool at HCS. Josh works at the Hull-Coop and Julie works for Rosenboom Machine and Tool. Josh has previously served as a deacon and he is currently on the HCS finance committee.