

CIRCLE NEWS

The Circle Executive Board will meet on Tuesday, October 24 at 7:00pm in the Faculty Room.

The Circle would like to thank everyone who helped with the Rally Day Sale and Supper! A big thank you to everyone who came and supported Hull Christian with free will donations and purchasing items from the auction! We had a great turnout! Thank you for supporting Hull Christian School.

Soup Supper

Mark your calendars for the HCS soup supper on Thursday, November 9 in the Hull Christian School gym. We will be serving delicious soups, sandwiches and desserts. Come enjoy great food and a night off from cooking!

Box Tops

Keep scanning your receipts on the Box Tops for Education app which can be downloaded on your smart phone under the apps store. Select Hull Christian as your school and start saving! Receipts are scan able within 14 days of purchase. Spread the word to your family and friends and offer to scan receipts for them to help save for Hull Christian!

Jr. High Girls Basketball Tournament

This event will be taking place on Saturday, December 16 (note change). Come cheer on the 5th-8th grade Jr. Wolfpack girls and surrounding teams. Basketball games will be played at Western Christian, Hull Christian, also the Hull Community Building this year! Enjoy some great food served at the concessions between your games.

Pop Can Collection

Keep bringing your cans and bottles to the community collection bin on the north side of the community building! Check the handbook for your month of sorting and if you can't make it your month please trade with somebody. We have great volunteers who are running this project and always appreciate the extra help. If you are able to volunteer please contact Shondra Wielenga, Cindy Te Slaa or Maria Mulder and they will add you to the list.

Hull Christian School Apparel

Be on the look out for some new school apparel coming out in the next couple months! Designed by 712 Custom designs. Be sure to purchase some clothing to show your support for Hull Christian!

Rachel Bolkema, President

SCRIP News

We would like to encourage **everyone** to use the SCRIP program. It does make a difference for you and our school. We would also like to encourage those of you who do not have children in school yet, but will in the future. SCRIP is a great way for grandparents and friends to help with your tuition just by using it for their everyday purchases.

Reminder: Enroll on www.ShopWithSCRIP.com for an easy and convenient way to order each week. Payment by check is an option, but the online payment service associated with shopwithscrip, PrestoPay, is a secure way of transferring the payment directly from your checking account. If you order SCRIPNow, you can receive it in minutes, just by using PrestoPay. Stop in the office if you would like more information on anything SCRIP related.

If you would like a complete listing of all national businesses go to shop-withscrip.com **Scrip payout will happen the week of October 2. You will notice the credits applied on your November statement.

ORDER DATES DELIVERY DATES

No SCRIP order week of October 2

Monday, October 9	Friday, October 13
Monday, October 16	Friday, October 20
Monday, October 23	Friday, October 27
Monday, October 30	Friday, November 3

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Monday, October 2 - 7th/8th Volleyball at Hull Prot

Tuesday, October 3 - 7th/8th Volleyball vs Sanborn Education Meeting - 7:00

Wednesday, October 4 - 11:55 dismissal - Teacher Inservice

Thursday, October 5 - No School Heartland Conference

Friday, October 6 - No School Heartland Conference

Monday, October 9 - Volleyball Practice 3:30-5:00 5th Grade Adolescent Talk 7:00

Tuesday, October 10 - 7th/8th Volleyball vs SCCS Technology meeting - 7:00

Thursday, October 12 - Chapel - 1:00 7th/8th Volleyball cs RVCS

Monday, October 16 - Finance Meeting 6:00 Board Meeting 7:00

Tuesday, October 17 - 7th/8th Volleyball vs OCCS

Thursday, October 19 - 7th/8th Volleyball at Sheldon

Friday, October 20 - End of First Quarter

Saturday, October 21 - 8th Volleyball Tournament

Monday, October 23 - Interscholastic Speech

UPCOMING DATES

Wednesday, November 1 Parent Teacher Conferences

Wednesday, November 8 Parent Teacher Conferences

Knighly News



Hull Christian School
Rooted in Christ

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.

Chapel Theme

Every year, Hull Christian has a chapel theme that all the monthly chapels are centered around. The theme this year is "Our God - Discovering Names of God." "Teach me your way, Lord, that I may rely on your faithfulness; give me an undivided heart, that I may hear your name. I will praise you, Lord my God, with all my heart; I will glorify your name forever." - Psalm 86:11-12.

October - El Elyon (Most High) ~ led by 5th and 6th Grade. October 12 - 1:00

November - Jesus (Savior) ~ led by 3rd Grade. November 9 - 8:40

December - Emmanuel (God with Us) ~ led by Preschool and Mrs. Raman. December 7 - 1:00

January - Shepherd ~ led by Kindergarten and Mrs. Van Maanen. January 11 - 8:40

February - Messiah/Christ (The Anointed One) ~ led by 4th Grade and Mrs. Vis. February 9 - 1:00

March - Abba (Father) ~ led by 2nd Grade and Mrs. Fedders. March 1 - 8:40

April - El Roi (The God who Sees) ~ led by 7th Grade and Miss Roghair. April 5 - 1:00

May - Alpha and Omega (Beginning and End) ~ led by 8th grade. May 3 - 8:40

PK-8th Grade Program - May 6, 2023 at Western Christian Event Center/

Theme Song - "You are Holy(Prince of Peace)" and "Only a Holy God"

*You are welcome to join us in the gym for our chapels each month! Dates and time will be on the calendar on our website at hull-christian.com.

*Chapel dates are tentative - subject to change.



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Board Notes - September 2023

- Justin Jacobsma opened with devotions.
- Principal's Report was received. Kitchen Review—January 23-25 Update on enrollment - current enrollment at 223.
- Topics to Discuss During the Year Discussing how to continue to partner with churches.
- Committee Reports The work of all the committees was supported and approved.
- Old Business Bleacher Report: Expect written proposal soon.

- New Business MMS to purchase a baritone and saxophone.
- The meeting was closed with prayer.

**MMS = Motion Made and Sustained



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Donating to NICSTO

Hull Christian and Western Christian are continuing to collect money for the Northwest Iowa Christian Schools Tuition Organization (NICSTO). This money helps families with tuition assistance. In exchange for your donation, you will receive a 75% tax credit on your Iowa income tax (C Corps, S Corps, LLC and Partnerships are also eligible for STO tax credits) . This can also be claimed as a deduction on your federal income tax. If you are interested in donating to this fund please contact Randy Ten Pas (437-2273) at Hull Christian or Brad Vis (439-1013 at WCHS)

Northwest Iowa Christian School Tuition Organization
CONTRIBUTION MEMO

This completed memo must accompany your contribution. A formal Iowa Tax Credit Certificate will be sent to you in early January 2024.

Taxpayer/Corporation Name

Date of Contribution

Amount of Contribution

Address

City State Zip Code

Social Security Number or Taxpayer I.D. Number

Name of the school you would like to be the beneficiary of the donation

Your contribution may be mailed or delivered to one of the following addresses:

NICSTO	OR	Hull Christian School
811 7th St		1301 5th Street
Sheldon, IA 51201		PO Box 550
		Hull, IA 51239

Rally Day Sale

Many of you attended the recent Rally Day Supper and Sale. Your financial support was greatly appreciated! We have received over \$84,000 from the sale, supper and additional donations! We praise and thank God for the generous bidding and giving of the HCS constituents and local businesses. Thank you to the students and parents who donated towards the class baskets, concession stand, or worked the night of the event; to room parents who put the class basket together; to the businesses and individuals who donated items to be auctioned at the sale or sponsored our event with special donations; and to the many who attended the sale and supper. We want to acknowledge the hard work and effort of the Cooks, Board, Auctioneers, Promotion Committee, and Finance Committee! Thank you to all who helped make this an enjoyable and financially successful. We are blessed by your support each year.

THANK YOU!

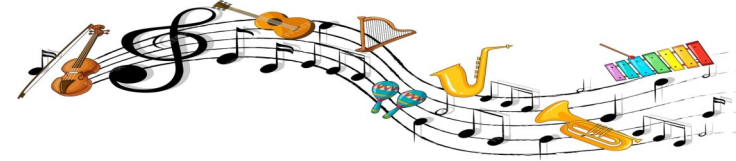
Candy Sales

6th-8th grade students are finished selling *World's Finest®* chocolate bars. There are still plenty in the office. If you would like some, please call or stop by the office for some chocolates. Candy Bars are \$1 each. \$2 for Mint Melts and Caramel Whirls. All profits support the Student Activity Fund, supports admission charges to special programs our students attend, field trips, and our athletic programs. We thank you for your support!



Upcoming Concert Dates

- Monday, December 4** ~ 5th -8th Grade Band/Orchestra/Choir Concert - 7:00
- Tuesday, December 12** ~ Preschool Christmas Program - 6:30
- Tuesday, January 16** ~ K-2nd Grade Program 7:00
- Tuesday, February 6** ~ 3rd-4th Grade Program 7:00
- Thursday, February 22** ~ JH Choir Festival at Western
- Tuesday, April 16** ~ Orchestra Extravaganza 7:00
- Monday, May 6** ~ PK-8th Grade Chapel Program -7:00 PM at Western Christian Event Center

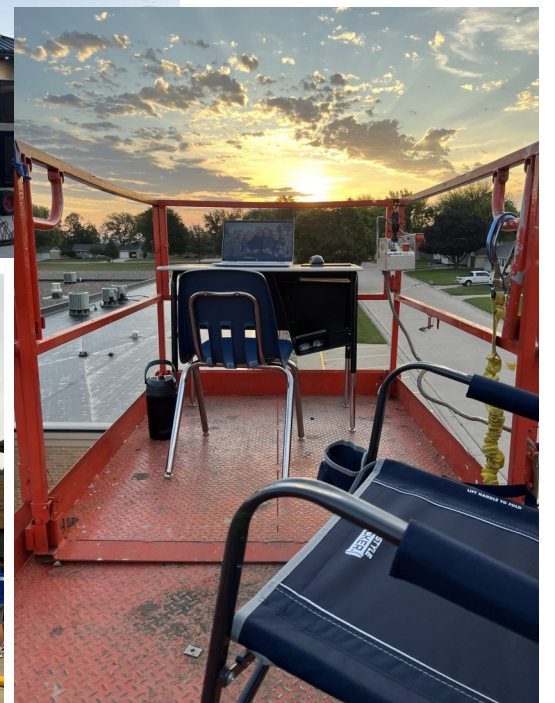


Mr. Ten Pas Gets a New Perspective

You may have noticed that Mr. Ten Pas was absent from his office for a few days last week, however, he was not absent from school. He was fulfilling the commitment he made during the Rally Day Sale to spend 51 hours elevated to 26 feet in a scissors lift. The sunrise was beautiful to begin his hours on Tuesday morning. The weather was very cooperative for both Tuesday and Wednesday, with a hat and several applications of sunscreen he made it through the days. True to his word about sleeping under the stars, the open sky was above him as he slept on an air mattress in his sleeping bag both nights. The morning of Thursday, the 21st, he intended to come down at 10 AM. But a pending storm and the urging of students and teachers brought him down 45 minutes early. Mr. Ten Pas and the school board are very appreciative of all the support he receives from the families and society members to fund his challenges each year!



BEST PRINCIPAL EVER



Parent Handbooks

The 2023-2024 Parent Handbook/Directory has been distributed to families with students at HCS. We have extra copies available in the school office for anyone who would like one.

