



Hull Christian School

Rooted in Christ

“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. Colossians 2:6-7

HOME BULLETIN for Thursday, January 23, 2025

IN THE NEWS:

ESA Update – PARENTS MUST TAKE ACTION

Parents must take action in order to receive their second half payment for ESA funding. The process to approve your funding is very similar to the process you followed this fall. HCS will confirmed the amount and then parents must approve the payment through the Odyssey portal NO LATER THAN January 31, 2025.

Junior High Science Fair

The Junior High students will be having a Science Fair on Friday, February 7 from 8:30 – 11:30. Parents, grandparents and friends are encouraged to attend.

Preschool & Kindergarten Program

The Preschool and Kindergarten Program "God Made Sunshine" will take place on **January 23 at 6:30 PM** in the Hull Christian School gym. The program will feature a variety of songs about different types of weather. The program is based on the book *God Made Sunshine* by Kelsey Heystek. Kelsey (Kooima) Heystek grew up in Northwest Iowa and graduated from Western in 2012.

Building Project

A packet went home about the building project. We ask that you prayerfully consider giving to the project. Please complete the form attached to this newsletter (it is also attached to the e-mail) and put it in the self-addressed stamped envelope or you may drop it off in the office. We are asking **EVERYONE** to return their forms. **ALL** responses are important.

Nominations to Serve on the Hull Christian School Board

The Hull Christian School Board is looking for nominations of individuals to serve. If you know someone who would make a great board member to help carry out the mission of Hull Christian School, please contact a current board member or Mr. Ten Pas.

SCRIP

Order Date	Pick Up
Monday, January 27	Friday, January 31
Monday, February 3	Friday, February 7
Week of February 17 - NO SCRIP ORDERS	
Monday, February 24	Friday, February 28

Menu ~ Monday, January 27 – January 31

Monday

Chicken Cordon Bleu Casserole, Roll, Fruit & Broccoli

Tuesday

Cream Chicken Bun, Fries, Fruit & Green Beans

Wednesday

Pizza, Nachos, Fruit & Veggie Tray

Thursday

Popcorn Chicken, Mac & Cheese,
Fruit & Baked Beans

Friday

Egg Bake, Donut, Fruit & Yogurt

*This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

Kitchen Help

Tuesday, January 28 – Bethany Scholten

Thursday, January 30 – Kris De Jong

Calendar

Thursday, January 23 – PK & K Winter Program 6:30
- Basketball game vs Sanborn
***Girls and 7th Boys – BOTH AWAY**
- Report Cards go home

Friday, January 24 – Boys Basketball Practice
***8th grade ONLY**

Saturday, January 25 – Girls Basketball Tournament
at Western

Monday, January 27 – Boys Basketball Practice 3:30-5

Thursday, January 30 – Boys Basketball Practice 3:30-5

Saturday, February 1 – Boys 8th Grade Basketball
Tournament at Unity

Monday, February 3 – Ed Meeting 7:00

Tuesday, February 4 – Chapel at 8:30 *wear chapel shirts

Thursday, February 6 – Hearing Test, K, 1st & 5th Grade

Friday, February 7 – Jr High Science Fair 8:30-11:30

Winter Weather Reminder

Please make sure your child has warm enough clothes for recess. (snow pants, coat, boots, hat and gloves).

11. Cold Weather Gear

- a. If temperature feels like 30 degrees or below a winter coat, hat and gloves are required to cover exposed skin. It will be at the discretion of the teacher for 5th-8th grade students.
- b. Students in grades K-5 are required to have snow pants and boots during the winter season.
- c. If temperature feels like between 30-40 degrees, students are required to have a second layer such as a coat, jacket or sweatshirt. It will be at the discretion of the outside recess teacher for 6th-8^m grade students.

5. Absences Policy

If a child is to be absent, parents should call school before 8:15 AM. Special excuses for students who need to attend an orthodontist, dentist, or doctor will be given provided the teacher is informed before the absence. The child may be required to make up the work in advance or as directed by the teacher. If a child is gone for an extended vacation, the homework is not required to be given in advance. The Hull Christian School Sickness Guidelines will be handed out at the beginning of the year and posted on our website. Please follow the guidelines. Please contact the office for additional copies. A student will be considered tardy if they arrive between 8:30-8:45. They will be considered absent if they arrive after 8:45. An unexcused absence or tardy will be issued if school has not been notified.

Habitual absences

- A. Communication may be made between the principal and parents when students who are absent from school, excused or unexcused, more than 5 days in a quarter.
- B. Communication may be made between the principal, parents and education committee when student who are absent from school, excused or unexcused, more than 10 days in a semester.
- C. Communication may be made between the principal, parents, education committee and School Board when student who are absent from school, excused or unexcused, more than 20 days in a semester.
- D. Habitual truancy may be reported to the appropriate county officials. Consequences for habitual truancy is at the discretion of the county juvenile court.
- E. A signed doctor's note may be requested by the school at any time if the absence are due to sickness.