

HERITAGE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

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SONG OF THE WEEK

“My Savior” (8th grade class song)

*I am not skilled to understand what God has willed, what God has planned; I only know at His right hand is One Who is my Savior.
I take Him at His word indeed; “Christ died for sinners,” this I read; for in my heart I find a need of Him to be my Savior! That He should leave His
place on high and come for sinful man to die, you count it strange? So once did I, before I knew my Savior.
And O, that Christ my Lord may see the working of His soul in me, and with His work contented be, as I with my dear Savior! Yes, living, dying let
me bring my strength, my solace from this Spring; that He Who lives to be my King once died to be my Savior!*

!!! Last memo of the year – so much important information! Please read !!!

SCHOOL NEWS:

Hot Lunch – May 26 Chicken Out, chips, donuts

Workers: Please be here by 11 AM – Marcie Doezema, Erin and Michelle Drnek, Lori Duthler, Laura, Cara, and Dena Dykstra

Our last day of the year is Wednesday, May 31. School will dismiss that day at 11:30 AM. Remember there will be no public busing at that time. Be VERY careful in both parking lots – they will be full of our precious kiddos!

Congratulations to this year’s graduates!! We will hold our graduation exercises on Wednesday, May 31 at 7 PM. The graduation will be held at Fellowship Reformed Church (6610 36th Ave, Hudsonville, MI 49426). All 7th grade students are required to attend graduation wearing their Sunday best, including ties for the boys.

Busing information for bus 8 and bus 14!! Please read this!

- **Bus #8 students – due to class trip busing** there will be no bus 8 afternoon run this Friday. Bus 8 riders should find alternate ways home from school, OR may ride to Faith PRC on bus #13 where they will be dropped off for parent pickup promptly at 2:45.
- **Heritage families that ride bus #14** – CCHS has half days this week Thursday and Friday, and next Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. The shuttle will leave CCHS this Thursday and Friday, and next week Tuesday at 2 PM, and the Holland bus will leave Heritage as soon as school is dismissed. On Wednesday, the last day of school, the shuttle will leave CCHS at 11:40, and the Holland riders will leave HCS at 12:05. Please make your children aware so that they don’t miss the bus! The shuttle will not be running on Thursday, June 1.

From the Building Committee: We are looking for volunteers to help remove shingles at HCS on the next section of roof over the junior high wing on Saturday, June 3 from 8am to 12pm. If you are able to help or have some shingle removal tools we could use, contact Jeff Scholten, jeffbldr@gmail.com or call/text at 616.889.6266, or Jordan VanderKolk, Jordan.vanderkolk@amdisplays.com, 616.719.9689.

The first day of the 2017-2018 school year is Tuesday, August 29. Refer to the *Herald* coming out this Sunday for a detailed school calendar of next year. Have a safe and restful summer. There WILL be public busing on the first day of school.

Report cards and enrollment packets will be ready for pickup between 9 AM and 1:30 PM at the main office beginning on Monday, June 12. Any packets not picked up by June 16 will be mailed or delivered to church mailboxes. We would appreciate it if you were able to pick them up, saving us delivery time and/or postage!

2017-2018 class lists will not be published in the August *Herald*. They will be emailed out the day after the *Herald* is distributed. The email will be sent to the first listed of two email addresses supplied to us at enrollment time on your forms. Please be sure they are correct!

Reminder for parents of 6th graders, 2017-18 kindergarteners and all NEW entrants to HCS: Heritage Christian School is required by the State of Michigan to have an up to date immunization record on file of each student entering 7th grade, kindergarten and all new entrants by the first day of school. These official records can be obtained from your child’s doctor’s office. In compliance with state laws, all immunizations must be complete and official immunization records turned in to the office when school begins on Aug. 29, 2017. If you have any questions, you may call Vicki in the office at 669-1773 or email her at receptionist@hchr.org. Thanks!

Band Shirts must be returned, please. Please turn them in before the school year is completed.

Heritage Christian School Foundation Golf Outing will be held, Lord willing, on Saturday, July 22, 2017 @ The Meadows of Grand Valley State University with a shotgun start of 7:00 a.m. If you would like to register a team or contribute a sponsorship, please contact Kevin Van Overloop @ 662-4128 or Scott Koole at 616-293-1624. Thank you in advance for your participation and support!

Congratulations to the 6th-8th grade girls' soccer team for winning the AOK League this spring and congratulations to **ALL** our school teams this year for representing Heritage Christian with great sportsmanship and in a Christian manner.

Address update: Frank and Kristie VanBaren’s new address: 8132 Briar Lane, Jenison, MI 49428 (same phone).

Lost and Found tables are still out!! There are also tables in the locker rooms FILLED with odiferous articles of clothing! We will have them out after the end of the school year by the report card table, but would appreciate it if you check the tables when you are here for field trips or other end of the year activities. After June 16, items will be donated to the Children’s Clothing and Toy Sale or disposed of.

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 31
Last day of school (1/2 day)

May 31
Graduation 7 PM at
Fellowship Reformed

SPORTS SCHEDULES

All games begin at 4 PM unless otherwise noted; directions are located on the Athletics page at www.heritageprschoool.com

Track
S 6/3 at Unity Chr. Athletic
Fields (Conference Meet)

Heritage Basketball Camp 2017 – Please be sure to register by June 1 so that we can determine if we have enough campers. We are excited to have campers participate in Hot Shot, 2 Point, and Free Throw Contests, as well as 1 on 1 and 3 on 3 tournaments, dribble wars, and various drills. If you are missing your form, contact the office. Thanks, Doug and Jordan DeBoer and guest instructor, Matt DeBoer

We have only 33 yearbooks left – don't miss out!! To purchase a book, check at the main office. The cost this year is \$20. If you are a patron or placed an advertisement in the yearbook, you may pick up one free copy in the office.

FAIR NEWS – WE STILL NEED MANY DONATIONS!!! LET'S STEP UP!!!

From the Fair Committee:

1. Please see the list (separate piece of paper sent home today) of as-yet-unfulfilled donation requests. Please consider donating one or more items to help keep our costs down at the restaurant this year. Remember that you can use TRIP gift cards to purchase your GFS donation! GFS, Meijer, and Costco gift cards are also welcome. Please contact Lissa Schimmel at 450-7771 with your donation. Thanks in advance for your generosity!
2. Please bring your donation to school and put it on the labelled counter in the kitchen. Only a few more days to bring in your items!
3. Let's get all those shifts filled before summer! Shift sign-ups are live via www.signupgenius.com. Search for heritagefairwork@gmail.com to sign up. If you are unsure how to utilize SignUp Genius, please contact Lissa Schimmel at 450-7771 and she will sign you up for a time that works for you. We still have quite a few vacancies and would love to avoid making phone calls to fill the shifts this year.
4. If your business is looking for a great advertising opportunity, please contact Leanne Engelsma at 450-7922 for more information on our sponsorship program and tip-matching days. We would love to put your logo on our wall!

TRIP NEWS:

Summer TRIP dates are June 13 and 27, July 11 and 25, August 8 and 22. The hours for summer TRIP are 9:00-10:30. TRIP will resume regular hours on the first day of school, Tuesday August 29, from 8:00-9:30.

AREA PR SCHOOL NEWS:

The 20th Annual Hope Classic Races are scheduled for the morning of Saturday, June 3. Registration forms for the 5K and 1 mile runs are available in any of our local school offices. Grab a registration form, fill it out, and start training. We'd love to see you there!

Covenant Christian Girl's Basketball Camp is scheduled for June 26-28. The morning session is for girls entering 5th-6th grade and the afternoon session is for girls entering into grades 7th-8th. Registration forms are being sent home with all girls entering grades 5th-8th. Contact coach Jeff Baatenburg with any questions at jlbaat@hotmail.com.

OTHER NEWS:

The Voices of Victory will present a concert this coming Monday, Memorial Day at 7 PM at the Christian Reformed Conference Grounds (12253 Lakeshore Dr, - Grand Haven, MI 49417). If interested, please join them in praise to God at the new facility on the lakeshore.

Car Wash Fundraiser - The SW Young People are giving away carwash vouchers, good at 7 area QUALITY CARWASH and TOMMY EXPRESS locations. Vouchers must be used June 19 through July 1. Turn in the voucher with your carwash payment and the SWYP will benefit 35% from each sale! Contact any SWYP member to participate. Vouchers will be available in June. Thank you for your support

Memorial Day Breakfast - Come support the Georgetown Prot. Ref. Church Young People as they work to serve you a delightful breakfast! There will be pancakes, scrambled eggs, sausage, yogurt & fruit bar, home baked goods, cheese potatoes, cinnamon rolls and lots of different beverages for you to start your day! We would love to see you! Breakfast will be served from 7-10 AM and located in the fellowship room at the church. Proceeds to help pay for convention costs.