



# THE ANNOUNCER

Weekly Bulletin of PRCS and HCHS ■ Dyer, IN

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## HOT LUNCH

**Wednesday - Taco/Candy:** Courtney E., Amanda K., Janelle DJ., and Liz B. Helpers should be at school by 10:30.

**Friday - Pizza:** Jennie DJ. and Lydia L. Helpers should be at school by 11:15.

## VAPING ISSUE

Aside from the serious health concerns, it is against Indiana state law and our school policy for our students to be vaping or to be in possession of vaping instruments on school property. Please help us by addressing this issue with your teenagers at home. We appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

## PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES

**PRCS** Parent/Teacher conferences are scheduled for Thursday, February 8, and Monday, February 12. The schedule is attached.

**HCHS** Parent/Teacher conferences are scheduled for Thursday, February 9. The schedule is attached.

## VISION & HEARING SCREENING

Vision screening tests are scheduled for Thursday, February 1. The 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> grades will be tested. Students who wear glasses or contacts should make sure to wear them to school on Thursday.

## SPELLING BEE

Information regarding our first Spelling Bee has been sent home. Classroom bees will be scheduled to occur towards the end of the month, and our School Spelling Bee has been scheduled for February 22 at 8:15 AM.

## CHAPEL THEME SONG

Our chapel theme song is: Psalter #399 vs 1-4.

## LADIES AUXILIARY

There are 2 calendars remaining! If you have been putting off getting your 2024 calendar, don't wait. They are available in the school office for \$15.00 or by contacting Jennifer De Jong or Lisa Ophoff.

## GUIDANCE COUNSELOR

**Juniors:** It is recommended that you sign up to take the SAT or ACT late this spring. SAT and ACT websites provide test dates and locations.

**Seniors:** Make it a habit to check your email. Colleges are emailing you important information about your next steps, as well as scholarship information. Take the time to apply for scholarships. Due dates are quickly approaching. Please see Mrs. Houck with any questions.

## HCHS ATHLETICS

Please make plans to join us Friday evening in the school gym for the games against LaLumiere. The Pep Band will be performing before the Varsity Boys game. Hope to see you there.

## PEP BAND

Alumni, 8th graders, and parents are invited to join our pep band on Friday, February 2, at 6 PM! The more the merrier! In fact, there will be free pizza and gate entry for all who join that night.

Contact [amy.marcus@heritagechs.org](mailto:amy.marcus@heritagechs.org) to get PDF or hard copies of the music. We have 4-5 fun, new songs in our set. We will also have one practice **tonight** at school at 7 PM.

## REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENT

Crete young people Society is hosting a taco dinner this Thursday in the fellowship hall at Crete PR church. We will be serving dinner from 5 to 7 PM. We hope to see you there!

Save the Date: Southwest PRC Young People's will be hosting the annual Softball Tournament this year on Saturday, May 25th at Whistlestop Park in Byron Center. Sign up information will be posted soon.

**ADVANCED DATES:**

**February 8, 12** - Parent/Teacher Conferences

**February 9** - The Taste

**February 14** - L.A. Meeting

**February 16-19** - Winter Break (No school)

**February 22** - Spelling Bee (1<sup>st</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup>)