THE ANNOUNCER

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HOT LUNCH Wed. - Barbecue/Ice Cream: Nicole L., Brenda D., Jenn M., and Pam H. Helpers should be at school by 10:30.

-Friday - Pizza: Jen L. and Sarah Y. Helpers should be at school by 11:15.

CHAPEL THEME SONG

Our chapel theme song is: Psalter #411 vs 1-2.

HCHS EXAM SCHEDULE

Please take note of the attached exam schedule and plan accordingly. Direct any questions or concerns to the administrator. Students must show up promptly to their exam but are not required to be on school premises if they do not have an exam. Those who choose to stay must be in an exam room or study hall.

HCHS CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Heritage Christian High School's band and choir will present our Christmas concert on Friday, December 15 at HCHS at 7:00 pm.

PRCS CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

PRCS will present its annual Christmas program Thursday, December 21 at Crete PRC <u>at 7:00 p.m.</u> Doors will open at 6:15 p.m. A nursery will be provided.

LADIES AUXILIARY

Calendar: Remember to preorder your 2024 calendar! The calendars will be sold for \$15.00. You can preorder your calendar by giving a check to Jennifer De Jong (Peace), Lisa Ophoff (Crete), or Laurie De Jong (Cornerstone) or by putting your payment in their church mailboxes. There will also be a box in the school office.

Cookbooks: For those of you looking for gift ideas, remember the Ladies Auxiliary has cookbooks available for \$15. You can pick one up at the school's office or contact Nicole Lanting (708-372-1601) or Beth Van Baren (708-606-1306).

Christmas Coordinator: Christmas boxes will be picked up **TODAY!** If you would like to still contribute toward a gift for your child's teacher, please contact their room moms. **ROOM MOMS,** please pick up your envelopes with the teacher lists and money in the school office as soon as possible to give you time to shop. The Christmas party will be held on Dec. 22.

ATHLETICS

School gear orders are now available for pick-up in the school office.

FROM THE GUIDANCE COUNSELOR

Seniors are encouraged to finish their college applications by December 1, if they haven't already done so. Many colleges have early deadlines for applications and scholarships. There are many scholarship opportunities for seniors, and the process can be quite overwhelming. They should begin by looking at the scholarship opportunities available on the websites of the colleges that they have applied to.

Seniors: The U.S. Department of Education has announced that you can file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA®) form for 2024-25 beginning December 31, 2023! You can prepare now to file the FAFSA by creating an FSA ID on the Federal Student Aid <u>website</u> before December 31. Parents and other contributors to your education will also need to create an FSA ID.

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Little Caesar's pizza kit: pick -up will be this week Tuesday, November 28, from 2:30-4:30 pm in the school kitchen. Cash or check payable to Peace Young People's Society is due when your order is picked up. If you need to make other arrangements, please call or text Stacy De Jong or Janelle De Jong.

ADVANCED DATES:

December 15 - HCHS Christmas Concert December 20, 21, 22 - HCHS Exams December 21 - PRCS Christmas Program December 22 - January 5 - Christmas Break (22nd half day - dismissal at 11:30) January 8 - School Resumes