



The Royals Hope Weekly

September 9, 2019

Chapel (K-6)

Today during chapel, Mr. Bradley talked about the verse for this year, Romans 12:10. This verse talks about outdoing one another in showing honor. He also discussed the foundation of the family and showing honor to our parents. After asking teachers and students ways to show honor to our parents, one student said, "to listen to our parents the first time." Many comments like these made for very practical ways to show honor. Scripture verses used today were:

"Love one another with brotherly affection. Outdo one another in showing honor." Romans 12:10

"Honor your father and your mother, as the Lord your God commanded you, that your days may be long, and that it may go well with you in the land that the Lord your God is giving you." Deuteronomy 5:16

JH/HS Chapel (7-11)

Today in chapel, Mr. Del Padre presented a message on love. First, the students prayed for our First Responders in remembrance of the 9/11 tragedy 18 years ago this Wednesday. Then, they addressed the fact that we all make mistakes and some of us may feel those mistakes are keeping us from God's love. We looked in the Bible today at the life of Barnabas, known as "the son of encouragement for wisdom." Barnabas was an encouragement because he had the Holy Spirit and continuously pointed people to Jesus Christ. Lastly, they read the Love Letter from God which is paraphrase verses straight from the Bible which speak directly to each of us that no matter what we've done GOD LOVES US.

Hot Lunch-Tuesday & Wednesday THIS WEEK

Just a reminder that we will be having hot lunch this week on Tuesday and Wednesday. There will be no hot lunch on Thursday, September 12.

Hot Lunch Menu for Tuesday

- Sloppy Joes
- Chips
- Carrots
- Apples
- Chocolate Cake

Hot Lunch Menu for Wednesday

- Chicken Tortilla Soup
- Bread

- Tortilla Chips
- Bananas
- Chocolate Chip Bars

Upcoming Events

- 9 School Board Meeting @ 7 pm
- 10 Picture Day
- 16-20 MAP Testing (Grades 2-11)
- 21 Hope Fore Tomorrow Golf Scramble
- 23-27 Spirit Week
- 25 Group Chapel
- 25 Jog-A-Thon
- 25 Mentor Lunch
- 25 Early Release @ 1:30 pm
- 26 1st Quarter Mid-Term
- 26 sHOPE

Polos

Our HCA students and staff were looking very sharp today in their polos! However, there were a few students not wearing the appropriate bottoms today. Just a reminder **on chapel days, students must wear HCA polos and dress code appropriate black, grey or khaki pants/shorts (weather permitting.)** We will be making phone calls starting next Monday for a change of bottoms if students are not wearing one of the bottom choices stated above.

Picture Day-TOMORROW

Picture Day is tomorrow, Tuesday, September 10. Nikki Erickson, one of our very own HCA moms, with Erickson Productions will be doing our school pictures again. An email with information regarding picture packet options and pricing was sent last week. Paper forms are available at the HCA office. For any questions regarding packets and pricing, contact Nikki Erickson at nikki.erickson@yahoo.com or 701.690.7186.

Drop Off Time-No Earlier than 8:05 A.M.

Many of you are used to last year's schedule, which had an arrival time of 8 a.m. This year we now ask that students be dropped off at HCA **no sooner than 8:05 a.m.**, as we do not start school this year until 8:20 a.m. You are not able to drop off your student any earlier than 8:05 a.m. unless you have made arrangements with Mr. Bradley.

When students arrive, they may put their belongings in their lockers, and then they must go to the JH/HS lunchroom until recess dismissal by Mr. Bradley at 8:05 a.m. Students should not be in the classrooms before 8:20 a.m.

Handbook Forms – PAST DUE

Just a reminder that handbook forms were due last Friday. If you haven't returned one for your family, please do so as soon as possible. Remember if your student is in grades 6-12, they should also sign the form. A copy of the HCA Handbook is available online at www.hcadickinson.org. You can also pick up additional hard copies at the HCA office.

Jog-A-Thon

Our biggest fundraiser of the year is Jog-A-Thon and will be held on Wednesday, September 25 at the Biesiot Activities Center (BAC). Students should be gathering pledges from family, friends and neighbors. Our goal this year is \$40,000! We need ALL students working towards this very, attainable goal.

If each HCA family raises \$572.00 = \$40,000

If each HCA family raises \$715.00 = \$50,000

If each HCA family raises \$929.00 = \$65,000

Remember students need to bring their **pledge sheets this Thursday** so we can see where we are in attaining the goal! Student goal this week is **10 or more pledges** with amounts on pledge sheets.

WANTED

Lap counters are needed for the upcoming Jog-A-Thon. Volunteers can be parents, grandparents, friends, staff and even HCA alumni. The more volunteers the better! If you are able to be a valuable part of this major fundraiser, please contact the school office or Mrs. Dazell.

Hope "Fore" Tomorrow Golf Scramble

The 6th annual Hope "Fore" Tomorrow Golf Scramble will be held Saturday, September 21 at Bully Pulpit golf course in Medora. We are still taking registrations if you would like to swing your clubs for HCA next weekend. We are also looking for volunteers to be at prize holes. Please call Debbie Dazell at the school to register or volunteer. HOPE to see you on the course!

Spirit Week

The following themes have been selected for the 2019 HCA Spirit Week which will be September 23-27 during Jog-a-thon week. While we want our students to have fun, please note that dress code must still be followed during HCA Spirit Week. We also want to focus on this year's school theme of respect focusing on the following verse of Romans 12:10b, "...**Outdo one another in showing honor.**"

Monday – Respect Individual Personalities

This is the day to let your personality shine. Let your hair down or maybe put it up or cover it with a crazy hat. Show who you are with that head on your shoulders!

Tuesday – Respect Your Elders

Leviticus 19:32 "Stand up in the presence of the elderly, and show respect for the aged!" Dress as your favorite older person.

Wednesday – Respect Your School in ROYALS Blue

Show your excessive enthusiasm and intense respect for HCA by wearing as much royal blue with your blue jog-a-thon shirt as you can. Blue hair and face paint are even allowed on this day!

Thursday – Respect God's Word

Represent your favorite Bible character from God's Word.

Friday – Respect Your Community

Show your respect to those who benefit our lives and communities and dress up as someone working in a profession of hospitality or service!

ROYALS Window Clings

Show your school pride by purchasing one or more of the NEW HCA Royals Window Clings. You may use them on your vehicle windows, home windows, mirrors, etc. Sale proceeds will benefit students who will be participating in this year's history trip. Prices for clings are 1 cling for \$1 or 6 clings for \$5, and they may be purchased from the school office.

Ways to Give Back to HCA Contest

Listed below are the many ways to give back to HCA on a daily basis! **Please send in all box tops, UPC codes, and receipts to your students' classroom if applicable.** Deadline for the first contest is Monday, October 7.

- **AmazonSmile** Amazon donates a portion of your purchase automatically! Register at <http://smile.amazon.com/ch/45-0372825>
- **MORE School Rewards (Cash Wise)** Sign up for the "MORE School Rewards" program at moreRewards.com or at Cash Wise. Designate HCA as your preferred school.
- **Our Family Labels for Learning (Family Fare)** Save the UPC codes from "Our Family" products. <http://ourfamilyfoods.com/labels-for-learning>
- **Direct Your Dollars (Family Fare)** Save your ENTIRE grocery receipt from Family Fare.
- **Box Tops for Education** Collect Box Top labels from participating products OR use the [new Box Top app](http://www.boxtops4education.com/participating-products). A list is found at <http://www.boxtops4education.com/participating-products>
- **Loaves 4 Learning** Collect the UPC's from Country & Village Hearth breads.

Please Pray For:

- Our upcoming fundraisers - Hope Fore Tomorrow Golf Scramble and Jog-A-Thon.
- Our first responders. We are so thankful for our first responders and a community who backs them.

Praise God for:

- The much needed moisture.
- The love of Christ.