



# The Royals Hope Weekly

September 8, 2020

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## Chapel (K-6)

Today during chapel Mr. Bradley continued with the spiritual theme for this year found in Micah 6:8. He talked to the students about believing in the Lord for salvation and then putting that faith into action. Additional scriptures references today were I Samuel 15:22; Jeremiah 22:3; and James 1:22-27.

## JH/HS Chapel (7-12)

Mr. Del Padre continued his chapel messages on "Directions" today by speaking about the directions the students should take towards humility. They explored areas in the Bible showing how God deals with pride and humility and learned about Mr. Del Padre's experiences with two dogs he helped care for this last summer. He concluded that we must remove the sin of pride from our lives, humble ourselves before God, and pray for His direction. The main scripture passage referenced today was Mark 9:33-37 which states, "And they came to Capernaum. And when He was in the house He asked them, "What were you discussing on the way?" But they kept silent, for on the way they had argued with one another about who was the greatest. And He sat down and called the twelve. And He said to them, "If anyone would be first, he must be last of all and servant of all." And He took a child and put him in the midst of them, and taking him in His arms, He said to them, "Whoever receives one such child in My name receives Me, and whoever receives Me, receives not Me but Him who sent Me."

## NO Hot Lunch – This Week

There will NOT be hot lunch served at the school this week. We will have some extra ones later in the school year to make up for this week.

Please be sure your students bring a lunch every day this week. Thanks for understanding!

## Upcoming Events

9	Picture Day
9	NO hot lunch
10	NO hot lunch
19	Hope Fore Tomorrow Golf Scramble
21-25	Spirit Week
21-30	MAP Testing (Grades 2-11)
23	Jog-A-Thon
23	Group Chapel
23	Mentor Lunch
23	Early Release @ 1:30 pm
25	1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter Mid-Term
28	sHOpPE

## Polos

We have received our order of royal blue HCA polos and will be sending them home this week. Please be sure to have your students wear their polos on chapel days beginning next week.

## Picture Day-TOMORROW

Picture Day is tomorrow, Wednesday, September 9. 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](mailto:nikki.erickson@yahoo.com) or 701.690.7186.

## Handbook and Handbook Forms - OVERDUE

HCA families have been asked to review the HCA handbook which can be found online at <https://hcadickinson.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/08/School-Handbook-2020-2021.pdf>. You can also pick up hard copies at the HCA office. **ALL handbook & technology forms were DUE to be returned by the end of the first week of school.**

## Jog-A-Thon – Keep Gathering PLEDGES!

Our biggest fundraiser of the year is Jog-A-Thon and will be held on Wednesday, September 23 at the Biesiot Activities Center (BAC). Students should be gathering pledges from family, friends and neighbors. Our goal for this year is \$47,000! We need all students from preschool to grade 12 working towards this very, attainable goal.

*If each HCA student raises \$466.00 = \$47,000*

*If each HCA student raises \$535.00 = \$54,000*

*If each HCA student raises \$644.00 = \$65,000*

Remember students need to bring their green **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 need 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 Debbie Dazell at [debbie.dazell@hcadickinson.org](mailto:debbie.dazell@hcadickinson.org).

### Hope "Fore" Tomorrow Golf Scramble

The 7th annual Hope "Fore" Tomorrow Golf Scramble will be held Saturday, September 19 at Bully Pulpit golf course in Medora. We are still taking registrations if you would like to swing your clubs for HCA. We are also looking for volunteers to be at prize holes. Please call Mrs. Dazell to register or volunteer. HOPE to see you on the course!

### Supplies NEEDED for Art Class

Mrs. Wilson is asking for old Scrabble Tiles that will be used for an upcoming art project with the students. If you have any that you would be willing to donate to the school, please drop them off at the office.

### Spirit Week

The following themes have been selected for the 2020 HCA Spirit Week which will be September 21-25 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 Directions for Growing in HOPE.

#### Monday – Stoplight Day

Birth order often affects the directions we take with our lives. Students should wear **red** if they're the **oldest** child in their family, **yellow** if they're a **middle** child, and **green** if they're the **youngest**. Students will not have to wear their polos on this day since it is a special spirit week day.

#### Tuesday – Crazy Directions

As individuals we all may go in different directions. This is a day to show the crazy directions your clothes may be, like inside out or the crazy directions your hair can take, however wacky.

#### Wednesday – School Directions in ROYALS Blue

Show your excessive enthusiasm about the directions you receive from 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 – Career Directions

Represent what career path you'd like to follow in the future.

#### Friday – Directions into the World

Dress to represent one of your favorite locations in the world.

### ROYALS Window Clings

Show your school pride by purchasing one or more of our HCA Royals Window Clings. You may use them on your vehicle windows, home windows, mirrors, etc. Sale proceeds will benefit students participating in the history/mission 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 UPC codes and receipts to your students' classroom if applicable.** Deadline for the first contest is **Monday, October 5.**

- **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](http://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** The "Box Tops for Education" mobile app allows you to scan your store receipt, find participating products and instantly add Box Tops to HCA's earnings online. <https://www.boxtops4education.com/>
- **Loaves 4 Learning** Collect the UPC's from Country & Village Hearth breads.

#### **Please Pray For:**

- Our leaders, as we will be electing a new president in a few short months.
- The upcoming month of September, as we have many fundraisers and events going on.
- The health and wellness of our parents and students, as we head into cold and flu season shortly.

#### **Praise God for:**

- The rain and moisture for our dry land.
- A long weekend for refreshment.
- The ability to continue offering face-to-face instruction with our students.