

ROYALS HOPE WEEKLY

OCTOBER 27, 2025

GROUP AWARDS CHAPEL (K-12)

Today in chapel we once again honored students who have shown great character during the first couple months of school. We heard many encouraging things about these students from their teachers who described how they are reflecting God's character in their daily lives. Mr. Del Padre also gave a short message describing what it means to be an image bearer of Christ and letting your light shine before men.



REFORMATION WEEK

We will be celebrating Reformation Week this week. One of the main themes of the reformation was “post tenebras lux,” which means “Out of the darkness, light.” We want to prepare our students to live lives shining as a light for Christ.

All HCA students are encouraged to dress as follows this week while still following school dress code:

Tuesday - neon and bright colors,

Wednesday - neon and bright colors,

Thursday - Duck Dynasty dress-up day, and

Friday - neon and bright colors and/or HCA spirit wear.



HOT LUNCH MENU

WEDNESDAY

Chili
Cornbread Muffins
Pears
Cookies

THURSDAY

Chicken Nuggets
Mac & Cheese
Pickles and Carrots
Apples
Glow in the Dark Cupcakes

UPCOMING EVENTS

Oct 27	End of 1 st Quarter
Oct 27-31	Reformation Week
Nov 2	Daylight Savings Time Ends
Nov 3-6	Parent-Teacher Conferences
Nov 4	Picture Retake Day
Nov 8	Oratorical Contest @ HCA, 9 am
Nov 11	Veterans Day Group Chapel
Nov 19	Pastor Appreciation Chapel



CLASSICAL CORNER

Does Classical Education Have Any Blind Spots?

“Knowledge puffs up, love edifies, and so I Corinthians 13 always applies-to every Christian, and to educators. Though my children speak with the tongues of Latin and Greek, but have not love, it will profit them nothing. And they’ll be a clanging gong. I saw this when I was a head of school for a while. We were so focused on getting this curriculum right we started to burn out our kids. And they stopped loving the lovely, because we were force-feeding them. If you don’t have a culture of Christian love, you’re done for.”

-taken from Christopher Perrin



JOG-A-THON COLLECTION SHEETS - **DUE TODAY!**

Green jog-a-thon collection sheets and pledge monies were due today, **Monday, October 27**. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Dazell via email at debbie.dazell@hcadickinson.org or via phone at 701-225-3919 or 701-300-1771.

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

The parent-teacher conference sign-up link was emailed to HCA families today. Conferences will be held Nov. 3-6.

Preschool students do NOT have parent-teacher conferences. Students in grades K-6 will have mandatory conferences. If you have questions regarding conferences, please contact your student's teacher directly.

Please read the specific instructions regarding conferences for **grades 7-12**:

- Parents of upper school students needing a mandatory conference will receive an email asking them to sign-up for a conference slot.
- If you have more than one upper school student in your family, please select only one slot for your family.
- If you have an upper school student that is not required to have a conference, but you would like to schedule one, please call the office for available slots on Wednesday, November 5, in the afternoon.
- Students are strongly encouraged to attend conferences with their parents.

COLD WEATHER GEAR

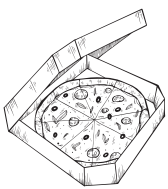


As the days begin to grow colder, please remember to send your student with coats, extra shoes, and if necessary, hats and gloves. Students have lockers and cubbies designed to hold these items. In an effort to promote order and to eliminate lost and found, please be sure to also LABEL your student's items with their names. Thank you!

PLEASE SEND APPROPRIATE LABELED WEATHER GEAR.

PARENT PRAYER GROUP - **EVERY TUESDAY**

We invite you to join our new parent prayer group starting next week! We will meet in the Cry Room on Tuesdays at 8:15 a.m. "Always pray and never give up." - Luke 18:1



PAPA JOHN'S SUPPORTS HCA

If you order regular priced menu items online at papajohns.com and use promo code HCA30, you will receive 30% off your entire ONLINE order at menu price. Hope Christian Academy will receive 10% of all sales when this promo code is used. Use the code as often as you would like to support HCA! Spread the word to family and friends.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- The upcoming parent-teacher conferences.
- Our area as we adjust to the cooler temperatures and weather.
- Continued health and safety for our students and staff.

PRAISE GOD FOR:

- The heroes of the faith who have paved the way for us.
- Being able to incorporate faith and fun in our day to day at HCA.
- Courage to be a shining light for Christ in the darkness of the world.

