

Weekly Newsletter 9/13/2019



A Note from Dr. Heckel

It is with sadness that I inform you that Kathy Yousaf is stepping down from being board chair. She will be taking time to care for her family.

Happily, board member Craig Hogan will be stepping into the position. It has been a blessing to work with Kathy and benefit from her wisdom and now I look forward to partnering with Craig who brings the same kind of insight to school leadership. Let me know if you have any questions.

On the Calendar

Sept 19 Picture Day

Sept 26 Evening Parent/Teacher Conferences

Sept 27 Morning Parent/Teacher Conferences – No School

Sept 30-Oct 5 Ditto Work Week

Oct 4 Grandparent's Chapel

Oct 16 PSAT test for 10th and 11th graders

Oct 21 Culver's Night

Oct 24 Academic Recovery Day

Oct 25-28 Fall Break

Announcements

Conference Sign-ups

Please use the links below to access the signup sheet for parent-teacher conferences. Each conference is 10 minutes long. If you need more time than that, please contact the teacher directly to set up a different time.

Thursday, September 26: <https://www.wejoinin.com/sheets/emegj>

Friday, September 27: <https://www.wejoinin.com/sheets/hidse>

Picture Day

September 19 is picture day. On Monday we will send home order forms for you to fill out and return to school. Pictures start at 8:00AM so please make every effort to be on time. This is the day we take the whole school picture for the yearbook.

Family Handbook Complete

The current family handbook is now posted on the website for your reference.

<https://www.heritageclassical.org/handbook>

Lands' End Sale

Spirit wear with the Heritage Logo is available through Lands' End and they are running a great sale right now. Use the promo code: LESUFRIEND and Pin: 1234 to get 40% off full-priced items. This is a great time to stock up! You can always find the link on the website: <https://www.heritageclassical.org/spiritwear>

Ditto Work Week

Don't forget your volunteer slot for the Ditto work week. The schedule is at the front desk for reference or call Linda Brinkley with any questions at 314-974-6930. If you switch spots with someone else, be sure to let Linda know.

Grandparents' Chapel: Save the Date

Friday, Oct. 4

Time: 8:45am-11:00am

On the schedule:

- Special Grandparents' Day Chapel
- Light reception with time to visit with grandkids
- Special picture taken with each family
- Q & A with our Headmaster, Dr. Matt Heckel

An invitation will be emailed soon to each family. We ask that you forward that invitation on to the grandparents or special adults in your student's life. Please let the office know how many adults will be attending by October 1.

Both volleyball and soccer have home games that day, so the grandparents can come cheer on the athletes.

Friends and Family Facebook Group

Join the closed Facebook group just for friends, alumni and families of the school. Search "Heritage Friends & Family" and request to join.

Fees on TADS accounts

Tuition statements for October will include some additional fees. If your child is in Modernity, Music History, Psalms, or Senior Research, a \$10 materials fee for each class will be on the statement. In addition, sports fees will be on the statement. Please sign into your TADS account to see the charges in detail.

Alt Schedules

You can find the [Alternative Schedules on the website](#).

Next week:

Alt D on Wednesday, September 18

Alt C on Friday, September 20

Service Opportunity

Camp Barnabas, a Christian camp for people with special needs is looking for volunteers 14 years old and older (adults are needed and appreciated as well as teens) to help with their fall retreat October 11th-13th. The cost is \$75.

You will be trained and supported while you are working with those with special needs.

You will need to register on the website (campbarnabas.org/serve) to reserve a space after September 10th at 9 a.m. Registration is first-come, first-serve so register early to make sure that your space is saved.

Text or call Sarah Whitten @314-766-7054 or Sarah.whitten@sbcglobal.net if interested in carpooling or getting a caravan together.

Sports Corner

Reminders:

Volleyball and Soccer State Tournament Dates: October 23-26 (Parent meeting is October 15, 5:30 pm to review schedule, etc. for Joplin)

Basketball (Girls' and Boys') State Tournament Dates: February 12-15

Don't forget to send those action shots/videos/pics of any athletic events to yearbook@heritageclassical.org as you get them!

Basketball signups will begin October 1! Signup sheet will be at the front desk.

Cross Country Coach needed! We would like to have a Cross Country program in the spring following basketball season. If you know of anyone who might be interested in coaching, email Pam Watson at athletics@heritageclassical.org

Basketball will be sponsoring the Culver's Night Fundraiser October 21. Mark your calendars! Thanks to Linda Brinkley for organizing.

Upcoming Games:

Volleyball, Sept. 16 @CAGSL-5:30 and 6:30 pm

Volleyball, Sept. 20, Home, at 5:00 and 7:00 pm

Soccer, Sept. 16 @ Fulton, 4:30 (makeup game from storm cancellation)

Soccer, Sept 17 @ ERCS, 4:30 pm

Soccer, Sept 20, Home, 4:30 pm

Shoutout to Heritage Hawkeyes who have started off with a bang!