



HOPE SCHOLARS ACADEMY

OCTOBER COMMUNITY SERVICE!

LOWCOUNTRY ORPHAN RELIEF



LOWCOUNTRY PREGNANCY CENTER



HEAD OF SCHOOL NOTE:

I am excited to share just a glimpse into all that has happened at Hope Scholars this month! The classrooms are buzzing with learning. Let me share some happenings from Humanities:

8th Grade held the Olympic Games after learning about all the city states of that time period. The Spartans won--since their cheating was historically accurate!

9th Grade held a Narnian feast complete with a taste of Turkish Delight. They practiced authentic sword play using pool noodles, and no one needed Lucy's cordial!

10th Grade is wrapping up the study of the Byzantine Orthodox church and Islam with a field trip to the Orthodox Church in Mount Pleasant and a lunch trip to a Kabob restaurant.

11th Grade dove deep into the US Constitution, studying it through political cartoons, 6 Big Ideas and an understanding of Federalism.

Alongside the Humanities, Geometry class is looking through the lens of Logic, Biology class made ginger-ale to understand fermentation, and Physical Science created ramps and slides.

To add fun to our community life, the students had a "color wars" dress up day and Intramural sports focused on Ultimate Frisbee.

We are giving thanks to all that God is doing here at Hope Scholars Academy!



UPCOMING EVENTS

Funky Hair, Hat, and Socks Day

Monday, Nov 7

'70's Day

Wednesday, Nov 9

Anything but a Backpack Day

Thursday, Nov 10

Fall Fun Dance!

Saturday, Nov 12, 7-10pm

Buy a \$15 ticket from Ms. Kari
no later than Monday, Nov 7!

Speaker: Izabella McMillon

Wednesday, Nov 16, 8:30-9:30am

US Immigrant from Romania

Izabella is an Operation Christmas
Child recipient who will share her
story of life under communism.

Looking Ahead:

Daylight Saving Time ends

Sun, Nov 6th

Student Work at Home Days

Mon - Tues, Nov 21 -22nd

Thanksgiving Break - NO School

Wed - Fri, Nov 23 - 25th

Mepkin Abbey Crèche Festival

Thursday, December 1st

Family Christmas Party & Marketplace

Saturday, Dec 10, 11:30am - 2:30pm

*Have a very Happy
and Blessed
Thanksgiving!*



COMMITTEE CORNER

A reminder from School Support:

School Support Fund

This fund covers group teacher gifts (Christmas, birthday, end of year/Teacher Appreciation), plus a balloon for student birthdays (we will also do something special for the summer birthdays).

If you have already given money to the "School Support Fund", thank you very much! If you haven't yet and would like to participate in the group gifts, please drop off an envelope (cash preferred) with your family name and "School Support" written on the front. We are requesting \$75 per student or \$100 per family. Thank you!

Teacher Snack Day!

Again this year we are blessing our teachers with a monthly snack. If you haven't signed up yet, you can still do so here:
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0444ABA62FA75-teacher>

And from our Events Committee:

Join your fellow classmates for a night of dancing, photo booth craziness, yummy snacks, and lots of fun!

Tickets are on sale at school for \$15. You must purchase a ticket by Monday, November 7th! (Cash or checks will be accepted.)

If you have any questions, please contact the Dance Coordinator,

Sam Walker, at sowa599@hotmail.com.

We hope you will join us for this exciting night to paaar-tay!

See invite and RSVP using this link!

<http://evite.me/SATwqHDhG9>



Family Christmas Marketplace



On Saturday, December 10th we will hold our Family Christmas Party. This year, we are looking to include a Marketplace - an opportunity for students, faculty, and family members to sell their homemade items - arts, crafts, baked goods, soaps - whatever is unique to you! This will be an opportunity for us all to do some Christmas shopping, get help with our decorating, or maybe to avoid some Christmas baking! If you make something others may wish to buy, please plan to participate, we'd love to include you! If you wish to have a table, please contact Ms. Kari @ admin@hopescholarsacademy.org.

Please don't expect to have access to electricity. If you have a table to use, please plan to bring it!



DECEMBER Community Service / School Christmas Party

Thursday, December 15th will be our next opportunity for a community service project. We will be leaving campus Thursday morning to travel to Charleston Classical to share some Christmas cheer with the students there.

Thursday afternoon we will hold our school Christmas party! We'll start with pizza, and then move into enjoying Christmas food and fun Christmas activities!

Drivers and Chaperones will be needed to and from Charleston Classical. Please let Kari know if you are available to drive.

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Mepkin Abbey Crèche Festival - "Nativity in Nature"

On Thursday, December 1st, HSA students will visit Mepkin Abbey's Crèche Festival in Moncks Corner.

This year's festival includes:

A grand mobile nativity by Jeff Kopish

A stunning Nativity in Nature entrance design by Dennis & Jamie Nelson

Individual crèche installations by some of the area's most noted designers.

There is no charge for admission, but donations are accepted. We are suggesting a \$5/person donation, if you are able. This is a 50-min drive each way, so please have your student pack a heavy snack, and a lunch to eat mid-afternoon. Pizza will NOT be provided this week. Tickets have been secured for us, including an additional 10 for any parents/family members who may wish to join us. If you are interested, please let Ms. Kari know ASAP.

Also, Drivers and Chaperones will be needed. Please let Kari know if you can commit to driving.

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Psalm 105:1-3

Oh give thanks to the Lord; call upon His name;

make known His deeds among the peoples!

Sing to Him, sing praises to Him; tell of all His wondrous works!

Glory in His holy name;

let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice!

