



Houston
Christian
School

Branches

a school to home newsletter

March 1, 2024

Important

A total of \$46,500 has been raised in pledges towards the \$500,000 goal.

The School Board is holding a Special General Meeting on March 6, 2024 at 7:00 pm to provide an update on the fundraising progress and to hold a society member vote for a final decision on pursuing the project. All Society Members are encouraged to attend.

What's happening at HCS ?

March 1 (Friday)

- Report Card Writing Day - No School
- HCS Trivia Night @ 7:00 pm

March 6 (Wednesday)

- Downhill Ski Day for High School
- Special General Meeting @ 7:00 pm

March 8 (Friday)

- Second Report Cards Go Home

March 15 (Friday)

- Last Day of Classes Before Spring Break



SOUTH
ADDITION
PLEDGE
DRIVE



[Click here to fill out online pledge form](#)



If you would like to donate to this project, please use the above link to complete a donation pledge or visit our office for a pledge form. Pledges must be submitted by March 5.

Thank you for supporting HCS!



Pool Party

The Grade 1 and Grade 6 class had a blast at the Houston Pool celebrating their win in the Spirit of Healthy Kids Competition.



TIME + TO SAY GOODBYE

The school bids farewell to Katie in her last week at HCS with a mix of fondness and anticipation. While we'll miss her, we're excited for the adventures ahead, especially with her new baby boy on the horizon. Thanks for all your hard work, Katie, and for brightening our days with your presence.

The Grad Class is Having a

Bake Sale

- Cookies ~ \$1
- Rice Krispie Squares ~ \$1
- Cupcakes ~ \$2
- Cake pops ~ \$2
- Gluten-Free Baking ~ \$3



Tuesday, March 12 during lunch and after school

PINK SHIRT DAY (ANTI-BULLYING DAY)



SPIRIT OF HEALTHY KIDS TICKET GIVE AWAY

The Prince George Cougars and the Spirit of the North Healthcare Foundation express their gratitude towards our school for taking part in the competition by offering free tickets to all the kids in our school for the Cougars Game scheduled on March 8th.

CELEBRATING HEALTHY KIDS!

FRIDAY, MARCH 8 AT 7:00PM

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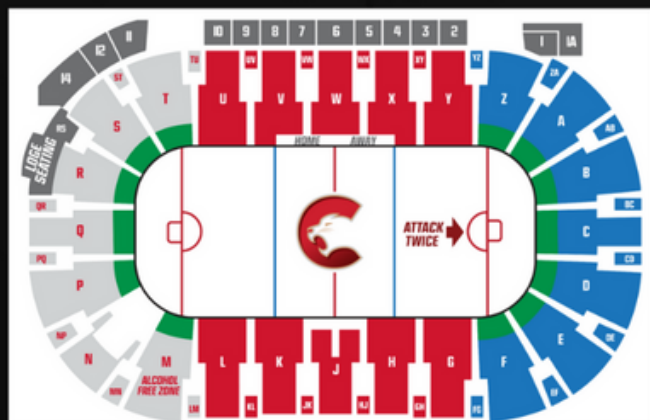
JOIN US IN CELEBRATING YOUR SCHOOL'S PARTICIPATION IN THE 2023-2024 SPIRIT OF HEALTHY KIDS PROGRAM BY ATTENDING ONE OF OUR FINAL HOME GAMES OF THE REGULAR SEASON!

EVERY CHILD THAT PARTICIPATED IN THE SOHK PROGRAM IS ENTITLED TO ONE FREE COUGARS TICKET ON MARCH 8TH!

WE HAVE CREATED 3 DIFFERENT PROMO CODES FOR YOU TO REDEEM YOUR FREE TICKET ONLINE AND PURCHASE ADDITIONAL TICKETS. EACH CODE IS SPECIFIC TO ONE OF OUR 3 ZONES (RED, BLUE, AND SILVER).

SCAN THE QR CODE BELOW, OR HEAD TO TICKETSNORTH.CA, AND INPUT THE CODE THAT CORRELATES WITH THE ZONE YOU'D LIKE TO SIT IN.

- **HEALTHYKIDSRED**
- **HEALTHYKIDSBLUE**
- **HEALTHYKIDSSILVER**



IF YOU NEED MORE THAN ONE FREE CHILD TICKET OR YOU NEED ANY ASSISTANCE, PLEASE EMAIL BOXOFFICE@TICKETSNORTH.CA OR PHONE 250-596-9966.



Employment Opportunity

Part-Time Development Coordinator (Approx. 20 hours per week)

HCS is looking for a part-time Development Coordinator for the 2024-2025 school year. The role of the HCS Development Coordinator is to increase and strengthen the bonds within the HCS school community, as well as the connections between the HCS community and the larger community within which we live. This will be accomplished by focusing on:

- Public relations (external)
- Community relations (internal)
- Fundraising
- Event planning

Compensation and potential benefits will follow the recommended guidelines defined in the annual SCSBC report. Interviews will commence in the third and fourth weeks of this month, and the start date will be in early March. The 20 hours should be served between 8:00 am and 4:00 pm on school days, with the specifics negotiable with the successful candidate to firm up a set schedule going forward.

For more information, or to apply, please send a query or submit an application portfolio to our admin team. Your portfolio should include a resume, cover letter, pastoral reference, personal reference, and a brief statement of faith and testimony addressed to the administrators listed below by Friday, February 23rd at 3:00 pm.

- Marshall Duzan – marshall.duzan@houstonchristianschool.ca
- Wendall Ewald – wendall.ewald@houstonchristianschool.ca
- Cindy Vellekoop – c.vellekoop@houstonchristianschool.ca