Houston Christian School

## Branches

a school to home newsletter

November 29, 2024

## IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

The Annual General Society Meeting has been rescheduled to Tuesday, December 10th at 7 pm. We strongly encourage all community members to participate.



As the volleyball season wraps up, we want to thank you for supporting your athlete and the team throughout the year. We recognize the time and effort you've invested, and we appreciate your dedication.

With the season now complete, we are beginning to collect volleyball fees. These fees cover expenses such as referees and other game-related costs, which were initially covered by the school during the season, with the understanding that families would reimburse them afterward.

To ensure we can continue providing these opportunities for our students, it's important that all fees are submitted promptly. Payments can be made in cash or by cheque at the HCS office or via e-transfer to

kim.vanb@houstonchristianschool.ca.

Jr. Teams \$100 per athlete Sr. Teams \$150 per athlete

#### What's Happening at HCS?

December 3 - Tuesday

• 3/4 Skating at the Arena @ 2 pm

December 5 - Thursday

• K/1 Skating at the Arena @ 12:45 pm

December 6 - Friday

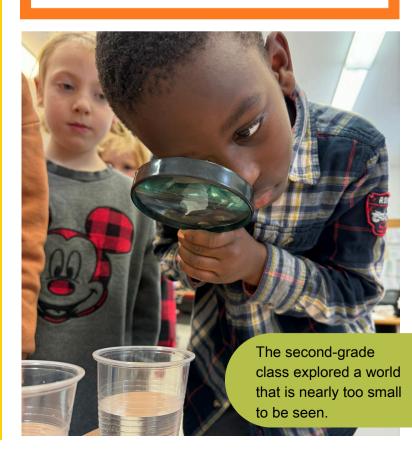
• Poinsettia Orders Arrive

December 9 - Monday

• Purdy's Orders Arrive

December 10 - Tuesday

• Annual General Meeting @ 7 pm



# REPORT CARDS WENT HOME

Report cards were distributed today and should be in your child's backpack. We recognize that many students may not have received them yet because of the volleyball games this week. Rest assured, we are safely storing the report cards in the school office, and your child will be able to pick them up next week.

Every family's youngest child received the new Deep Roots flyers in their report card envelope. Due to the postal strike, we were unable to mail the flyers this year. Instead, we are distributing them to school families so they can personally share them with their loved ones and encourage support for this wonderful cause. All donations of \$25 or more made before December 31st will receive a tax receipt for their 2024 taxes.

# 9th annual DEEP ROOTS CAMPAIGN

Our 2024 Deep Roots Campaign's goal is to raise \$15,000 to fund small items that make a BIG impact.

#### Ipads for learning

• Ipads 10th Generation w/ case

#### Gym Floor Refinishing

 Updating Court Lines on the Gymnasium Floor

#### Updated PA system

- Four Powered PA System Speakers
- XLR Audio Cable for Speakers

#### Security Cameras

 Four Security Cameras with Cabling

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## The Senior Boys Volleyball Team at Provincials in Vancouver



Excitement is in the air at our school as the Senior Boys Volleyball Team competes at the Provincial Championship in Vancouver! Thanks to live streaming, our entire community has been cheering them on from afar.



After an exciting win in their last match, the team has advanced to the quarter-finals! Don't miss their next game today at 4:30 PM, streaming live on the BC School Sports YouTube page (LINK). You can also keep up on the action by visiting the HCS Facebook Athletic Group, where we share updates and photos from the boys' trip.















This Friday, our Grades 5, 6, and 7 classes had a blast participating in an elementary volleyball playday at HSS and Twain. The students threw themselves into the games with enthusiasm, enjoying the thrill of teamwork, the energy of competition, and the pure fun of playing together. By the end of the day, they returned to HCS buzzing with excitement—and happily worn out! We are so thankful for community events like this that give our students the chance to build skills, make memories, and have so much fun. Thank you to all the parents who volunteered.









Welcoming committee
Snacks supplied by The Palisades Cafe
Free day pass & ski rentals
Ski & Jacket swap (Bring your gear with a price)

#### HCS'S MIDDLE SCHOOL



## HCS'S STUDENT HANDMADE MARKET

Christmas Edition

18 DEC CASH

1 - 2 PM

COME AND CHECK OUT THE
LARGE VARIETY OF HANDMADE
GOODS BY OUR GRADE 7 AND 8

