



January Newsletter

Upcoming Field Trip

January 11th - Gr. 1-12 Ski Trip to Sun Ridge - if you have not made the payment, please do so as soon as possible. You can e-transfer the payment to bookkeeper.hba@gmail.com or you can send cash or a check in a sealed envelope to school with your child.

Thanks!

- To Mr. Reilly's food class for providing a lovely lunch to a few of the staff members
- To all the parents for the potluck after the Christmas Concert
- To all that helped with the Christmas concert: staff, Mr. and Mrs. Kavanagh, Mrs. Koenig, Adam Rice
- To the ladies from Ms. Schulz's church that wrote the play: Rosalie Semenjuk and Helga Fech

A Memo From HBA Staff

Dear Lord,

As a new year begins, we come to you and ask for your continued blessings, Thank you for the plans you have for us in this new year. We wait in anticipation to see all you do! Amen (anonymous)

We thank God for all of our families here at HBA, and we pray that your new year is blessed in every way.

Jeremiah 29:11 For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, saith the Lord, thoughts of peace, and not of evil, to give you an expected end.



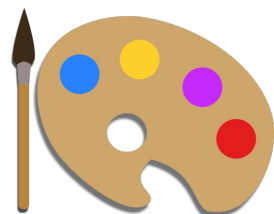
Reminder: Indoor recess is only called if it is -20 degrees celsius or colder (including the wind chill). Students need to continue wearing proper winter gear (snow pants, boots, hats, gloves, and warm jackets).



After School Art Program

Another round of after school art is starting! If your child would like to attend please make sure you sign them up with this link.

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Grades 7-12 - Exams

Students will be gearing up for mid-term and final exams. These will take place beginning mid January..

Intramurals

Students have been enjoying working with their teams on a variety of Trivia Challenges. This round of intramurals will come to an end at the end of January. The next round will begin after a few weeks break and Mr. Reilly says it will be some type of "hockey" activity!

School Prayer Requests

- Bus Drivers
- IT support
- Donations for school buildings, bussing etc.
- Health for staff and students

Reading Tip for the Month



When children are first learning to read, focus on the basics about the story, to help build comprehension. Ask your child basic comprehension questions after reading around the 5W's and H: Who, What, Where, When, Why and How