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HERRON-RIVERSIDE HIGH SCHOOL



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Dear Herron-Riverside Families,

This has been a season of Argonauts giving back and a reminder of why I am so grateful to be in this community. Last week, Herron Classical Schools raised over \$3,400 to support the people of Ukraine. This entire week the journalism class hosted spirit days to help make sure our seniors can have affordable access to their last yearbook of high school. On Monday and Wednesday evenings, many of our students volunteered to help at two different Match Celebrations for families who enrolled their students for next school year. On Tuesday, a group of AP Government scholars led discussions about women's issues as we mark Women's History Month. Last night, our athletic department teamed up with Herron High School for a BINGO fundraiser. This weekend, we are hosting a retirement ceremony for a Naval officer who once drilled on our campus (when it was Heslar Naval Armory), and the choir is singing the national anthem and the Navy hymn to help honor the celebration.

And this is to say nothing about the many small ways that our scholars and faculty and staff care for one another and the community on a daily basis! All of this is part of our mission that reads: Herron Classical Schools is a community of scholars that advances timeless ideas and content, builds a culture of respect and trust, and engages in an urban environment in order to prepare students to be world-class citizens. We are inspired by our students' passions and compassion, and we are always looking for ways to further live this out and have a positive impact on the community.

We have one week left before Spring Break, and it's a big one - benchmark exams!! Please check-in with your students this weekend about their schedule next week. Each school day is 9:00 - 2:00, and two exam periods will be offered each day. Students have received study guides for each class. Thoroughly completing and then reviewing those guides is an excellent way to prepare for the tests. Additionally, all late and remediation passes must be used next week before they start over in Quarter 4. If you have questions about your student's schedule next week, please reach out to guidance@riversidehighschool.org.

Have a great weekend. I'm so grateful for our community!

All my best,
Katie Dorsey
Head of School

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Mon., Mar. 21 - Benchmark Exams A1 and A2 (9:00am-2:00pm)
Tues., Mar. 22 - Benchmark Exams B1 and B2 (9:00am-2:00pm)
Wed., Mar. 23 - Benchmark Exams A3 and A4 (9:00am-2:00pm)
Thurs., Mar. 24 - Benchmark Exams B3 and B4 (9:00am-2:00pm)
Fri., Mar. 25 to Sun., April 3 - Spring Break
Mon., April 4 - School Resumes 9:00am
Wed., April 13 - HCS Jazz Ensemble Concert 7:00pm
Fri., April 22 - HCS Theatre Dept Production 7:00pm
Sat., April 23 - Seniors Only Saturday School 9:00am-1:00pm
Sat., April 23 - HCS Theatre Dept Production 7:00pm
Sun., April 24 - HCS Theatre Dept Production 2:30pm



Upcoming Athletics Events:

For a complete Athletics schedule visit: www.goriversideathletics.com/events

Fri., April 8 - Girls Varsity Softball vs. Providence Cristo Rey High School 5:00pm
Mon., April 11 - Girls Varsity Softball vs. Christel House 5:30pm
Tues., April 12 - Girls and Boys Varsity Track Meet at Indiana School for the Deaf 5:30pm
Wed., April 13 - Girls Varsity Softball vs. Eminence Jr./Sr. High School 6:30pm

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Herron-Riverside High School Supports Ukraine

Last week, we had the honor of watching our Herron Classical Schools community come together to raise funds for United Help Ukraine. Together, we raised \$3,491.36! Thank you to all who donated. We couldn't have done it without you!



Herron Classical Schools Athletics Bingo Night a Success!

Thank you to all who joined our (SOLD OUT!) charity bingo game for Herron Classical Schools Athletics on St. Patrick's day! We had so much fun.

Coaches, families and friends came out to support our Athletic Programming! Thank You to Yats Cajun Creole restaurant, Guggman Haus Brewing Co. and all of our gift and prize donors!



Guest Teachers NEEDED!

Herron Classical Schools is always on the lookout for great guest teachers. If you or someone in your community is interested in learning more about the criteria and role, please reach out to Naomi D'Andrea at ndandrea@herronclassical.org.

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Last Call for Yearbook Orders!

As Spring Break quickly approaches, so does the deadline for ordering a yearbook. Yearbooks are currently \$45 and go up \$1 each week until it reaches \$50. Place your orders online at <https://www.myhjyearbook.com/#/edesign/17339-200-2022> and, if prompted, use code 17339 or search for Riverside High School.

Already purchased? Consider purchasing a donated yearbook for a graduating senior as a gift! What better way to celebrate the culmination of their high school career and the commencement of a new journey than to mark their memories with a yearbook.

If you have questions regarding senior portraits, senior quotes, your scholar's yearbook picture, or purchasing a yearbook, please email:

Mr. Aaron Lawson
alawson@riversidehighschool.org



Herron-Riverside Carpool Match



We have many Herron-Riverside families who take advantage of this carpool match and rely upon it for transportation to/from school.

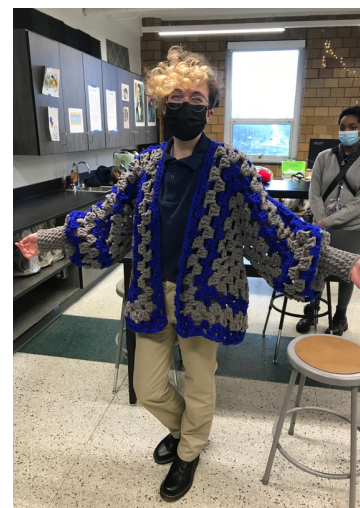
If you are willing to be in a carpool with other families or serve as a back-up if normal transportation falls through, please consider filling out the information. Families are often asking for ways to be connected to others who live in their part of town, and this is the best way! You can find the signup information here:

<https://tinyurl.com/RHSRideshare>

Stitches Club Donations

Herron-Riverside High School Stitches Club is seeking crochet hooks and knitting needles to use for our club. If anyone has these items, or knows people who have these items and are willing to donate them to our club, please send them to school, c/o Chasten Bear. The club has high demand this year and so supplies are critical!

Is your scholar interested in joining Stitches club? Stitches Club is a place to learn to knit or crochet, or to show off your talent. Find out just how relaxing it can be to yarn, and how cool it is to complete a project that you can keep or give to friends and family! As we learn and progress, we will also do service projects where we will make hats, scarves, etc. for people in need. Stitches Club meets Thursdays 4-5pm in Room 205, contact Mr. Bear (cbear@herronriverside.org), Mrs. Martin (jmartin@herronriverside.org), or Dr. Cruz (lcruz@herronriverside.org) with any questions.



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HCS Theatre Department Presents the First-Ever HCS Talent Show!

The HCS Theatre Department will present the first annual HCS Talent Show Friday, March 18 and Saturday, March 19, from 7 to 9pm in the Herron High School theatre located on the second floor of Russell Hall. Students from both Herron and Herron-Riverside will wow you with their talents, including original music, poetry, dance and more!

Tickets are \$5 for all HCS students, faculty & staff and children ages 6 to 18, and \$10 for adults. Purchase your tickets online at www.ipai.tix.com.



National Honor Society Canned Food Drive

Scholars came together to participate in a canned food drive sponsored by National Honor Society. Students competed against grade levels in a competition to see who could bring in the most canned food to be donated to our Community Food Boxes. The seniors won and in total, Riverside collected over 500 cans and \$600.

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The Children's Museum: Summer Employment Opportunity

Is your student looking for summer employment? The Children's Museum is currently looking for three Junior Teachers for their StarPoint Summer Camp program.

Apply here:

<https://recruiting.ultipro.com/CHI1023/JobBoard/6f16dad2-aeb7-b3ae-7e8c-63d0684114fc/OpportunityDetail?opportunityId=b4fb1a18-4a9e-4795-a0f4-82071e70c677>



Butler University Pharmacy Camp

Butler University College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences will be hosting a Pharmacy Camp this summer from Tuesday, July 12 through Friday, July 15, 2022.

The camp is open to high school students entering the 10th, 11th, or 12th grades in the fall of 2022. Students will gain an understanding of medication therapy in today's healthcare environment and explore the role of the pharmacist in contemporary healthcare. There will also be an introduction of the many career paths in pharmacy, including ambulatory and acute patient care, drug compounding, pharmaceutical research, and more!

Camp activities include:

- Preparing pharmaceutical products in a compounding lab and a clean room.
- Attempting clinical assessment techniques such as taking blood pressure.
- Working with faculty in a pharmaceutical research lab.
- Meeting and interacting with current pharmacists from a variety of different practice areas.

Where: Butler University, College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, 4600 Sunset Ave, Indianapolis, IN 46208

When: Tuesday, July 12 to Friday, July 15, 2022

Who: High school students (10th, 11th, or 12th grades in the fall of 2022)

Registration Fee: \$150. Fee includes lunch and snacks for each day, a camp T-shirt, and camp project supplies.

Campers will be supervised by College of Pharmacy and Health Science faculty and staff during all activities.

Register here: https://butler.formstack.com/forms/2022_butler_pharmacy_camp

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Summer Baseball Camp

RBI, an organization affiliated with Major League Baseball focused on reviving baseball in cities, is currently enrolling students for their spring and summer leagues here in Indianapolis. Baseball leagues are open to all students ages 3-18 and softball leagues for students ages 7-18.

There is a \$25 registration fee, but they will not turn anyone away if they are unable to pay. The registration fee covers all costs of participating, including equipment and uniforms, making it accessible to all.

RBI would like to get as many kids registered as possible by Friday, April 1st. There are five participating parks, so there are options for students located in different parts of the city.

Register at IndyRBI.org

If you have questions or need support getting students registered, you can contact the application specialist Brandy Moorhead at 317-566-4531 or Bob Haney at 317-626-2788




INDIANAPOLIS RBI

Creating Major League Citizens Through Opportunity



Indianapolis RBI is a baseball and softball league designed for youth to participate in organized, supervised, wholesome baseball and softball programs. Our goal is to revive baseball in the inner city while also creating major league citizens by promoting life skills. We offer co-ed baseball for ages 3-18 and softball for girls, ages 7-18.

Indy RBI's goal each year is to have 2,500 baseball and softball participants, and we have great momentum as we roll toward the 2021 season. To attain our goals, we must not forget our mission - to build good character, foster responsible behavior, encourage development of baseball and softball skills, encourage the enjoyment of healthy competition and teamwork, and to build the values of honesty, fairness, integrity, inclusion and commitment to excellence.

We are Indy RBI. Let's play ball!

LOCATIONS

Brookside Park 3500 Brookside Pkwy S Dr. Indianapolis, IN 46201	Christian Park 4200 English Ave. Indianapolis, IN 46201
Forest Manor Park 2000 Forest Manor Ave. Indianapolis, IN 46218	Garfield Park 2345 Pagoda Dr. Indianapolis, IN 46203
Rhodius Park 1720 W. Wilkins St. Indianapolis, IN 46221	

\$25.00 Signup Fee - Register at IndyRBI.org
Questions? Call or text Brandy Moorhead at (317) 566-4531
or Bob Haney at (317) 626-2788

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Save the Date for Movie Night!

Herron Classical Schools Second Annual Movie Night will be held on Friday May 13, 2022 at Tibbs Drive-In. Our inaugural event in 2021 was a huge success, and we expect even more fun this year! Movie Night provides a fun, family-oriented and socially-distanced outing for attendees of all ages.

The HCS Advancement Team is currently looking for planning committee volunteers as well as sponsors for our event and items for our online auction. If you would like to help us plan movie night, have a donation for our auction or might be interested in sponsoring the event, please email Michelle Melton.

HCS is looking for parents/guardians to join our 2022 Movie Night Planning Committee. For the most part, our meetings will be held via Zoom, in the early evenings. Our next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, February 17 at 6:00pm.

Please email Michelle Melton at mmelton@herronclassical.org to join, or with any questions. We hope to see your smiling faces!!

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Please join our school community in earning donations by using the Box Tops app. It's an easy way to make a difference. All you have to do is buy Box Tops participating products (like Cheerios, Paper Mate, Lysol products, etc.) and scan your grocery receipt. Box Tops are worth \$.10 each and they add up fast! Twice a year, our school receives a check to help pay for whatever we need - equipment, supplies or experiences the kids love!

Use the referral code P0TK7HCY when you sign up and you'll get 20 Bonus Box Tops when you scan your first receipt now through 05/29/2022, while supplies last!

Download the Box Tops for Education app from the App Store or Google Play or use the link below:

https://btfe.smart.link/c2jdidfkw?referral_code=P0TK7HCY



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Herron Classical Schools takes part in the Kroger Community Rewards Program. Through this initiative, Kroger donates a percentage of your grocery bill to our school every time you use your Kroger Plus Card – at NO cost to you! The program will not cost you anything or affect your coupons or fuel rewards in any way. Please take a few moments today to sign up for this program

- Go to <https://www.kroger.com/i/community/community-rewards>
- Click the “Link Your Shopper’s Card” button on the bottom of the page
 - o If you already have an online Kroger account, sign in
 - o If you don’t yet have an online Kroger account, click “Create an account”
- Once you’ve established or signed into your online Kroger account, search for Herron Classical Schools (formerly "Indianapolis Classical Schools") OR our Kroger organization number, MD414 in the “Find an Organization” window.
- Next, click the “Enroll” button under Herron Classical Schools, and you’re enrolled!

*Be sure to scan your Kroger Plus Card or enter your Alt ID with every purchase A contribution will be sent to HCS quarterly, you don’t have to do anything else!

If you have questions or need assistance with Box Tops or Kroger rewards, please contact Michelle Melton at mmelton@herronclassical.org

Donate through Amazon Smile

Did you know that you can support Herron Classical Schools just by shopping on Amazon? With AmazonSmile a percentage of each of your purchases is automatically donated to a charity of your choice. We encourage you to use AmazonSmile and designate "Herron Classical Schools" as your charity of choice. Each purchase you make will help support our schools, at NO additional cost to you.

Check out the instructions at this link to activate AmazonSmile: <https://www.aboutamazon.com/news/community/how-to-sign-up-for-amazon-smile>

We appreciate your support!



Herron Classical Schools' Board of Directors Meeting

Herron Classical Schools' Board of Directors meets regularly on the third Tuesday of alternating months. The next meeting will be Tuesday, May 17, 2022 at 7:30am. The location is to be determined, but will likely be held virtually.

You can always access our Board Meeting agendas and minutes on our Herron Classical Schools website at: www.herronclassical.org/our-people/board-of-directors

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