



*For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve others and to give his life as a ransom for many.*  
*Matthew 20:28*



*Happy Birthday*

*Braden – April 21*

*Isaac April 22*

## Calendar:

**Monday, April 19** – Spanish (K-4) - PE (5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>)

**Tuesday, April 20** – PE (K-4<sup>th</sup>) – Art (5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>)

**Wed., April 21** – Band – Music (K-8) –  
District V Track Meet @ Osby

**Thursday, April 22** – Art (K-4<sup>th</sup>) – Spanish (5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>)

**Friday, April 23** – Chapel – Library



## Highly Superior Ribbon Winners

## Announcements:

### Tuition Assistance:

- **Legacy of Grace Student Tuition Organization:** Legacy of Grace School Tuition Organization assists qualified families with their tuition expenses by providing financial assistance that is based on family size and household income. Applications for the Legacy of Grace Student Tuition Organization for the 2021-22 school year are available on-line at <http://www.logsto.org/application-info.cfm> using your 2020 tax return. All applications must be completed on-line. If you need help filling out your application, please stop by the school office. The deadline is April 30, 2021.
- **Board Tuition Assistance:** In addition to other tuition assistant options, the Newton Christian School Board has established an application for assistance based on need. An application for tuition assistance through NCS can be found on our school website under the admission tab. The deadline is April 30, 2021.

**Hog Roast & Auction:** Only two more weeks before our biggest fundraiser of the school year. We need all families involved to make this a success. Make sure to Roast and Auction will be held on Friday, April 30 at Community Heights Alliance Church. Meals will be served from 4:30-6:30 p.m. Guests are invited to stay and enjoy a meal together or take it to go. Silent auction will end at 6:30 so the live auction can begin promptly at 7:00 p.m. Watch our Facebook page for a preview of items up for auction.



**Food Donations:** Your food donation/work shift request form was due in the school office last week. Food donations can be dropped off at school on Friday, April 30 between 7:45-8:05 a.m. or delivered to Community Heights Alliance Church between 2:00-4:00 p.m. Please use disposable containers.





**Track Practice (5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Gr):** Last week of track practice for the 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade students before the big meet in Oskaloosa on Wednesday, April 21. Finally, help your child remember to bring a water bottle and wear running shoes. See additional details below.

**Track (5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Gr):** Details for the District V track meet on Wednesday, April 21:

- **Departure/Return:** Team meeting and prayer will be at 7:45 a.m. and students will depart NCS at 8:00 so please be on time. Students will return to NCS at approximately 3:30 p.m.
- **Location:** The Lacy Sports Complex in Oskaloosa
- **Transportation:** Parents are encouraged to join us as it is a fun day of fellowship. However, if you are unable to attend, please communicate your child's transportation arrangements with Mrs. Worthington.
- **Lunch/Snacks:** A concession is available but most students pack their own cooler with water, lunch, and snacks. Please remember our peanut policy still applies.
- **Dress for the Weather:** Students should be prepared for everything from snow to sunburns.
- **Rain Date:** Tuesday, May 4. **This meet will not be cancelled until the very last minute so do not expect advanced notice.** There's so much planning and coordinating that goes into this event that cancellations only happen for extreme conditions.



**Dress in Layers:** As spring temperatures fluctuate, please help your child to dress in layers. Students may keep a jacket in their locker. Also, please make sure all sweatshirts and jackets are labeled so we can identify the correct owner.



**Join us for Chapel:** Welcome back to chapel parents! Chapel is held on Friday morning from 8:15-8:45 at the First Assembly of God Church.

**Save the date:** Make sure to add these events to your calendar right now because spring gets busy!

- **Spring Musical** - May 11 at 7pm at Community Heights Alliance Church. This is an all school program so **all** students are expected to attend. Please check your child's backpack for an information sheet from Mrs. Pence. T-shirt order forms need to be returned by Friday, April 23.
- **Graduation** - Thursday, May 27 at Community Heights Alliance Church at 6:30 p.m. Graduation this year will be for 4 year old Preschool, Kdg, and 8th grade. Once again, this is an all school program so every student is expected to attend. If your child participates in spring sports, please communicate this with your child's coach at sign up. The dress code for the graduation program is dress pants and dress shirts so set aside some time to try on those dress pants beforehand. No jeans or t-shirts please.



**Summer Cleaning Teams:** As we wrap up this school year, families work together to give our building a thorough cleaning. Each family must provide one family member to participate in this venture. There are six teams; one mowing team, one painting crew, and four cleaning crews. Families are divided into cleaning crews and will be assigned work one Saturday morning (June 5, June 12, June 19, or June 26).

This is an obligation for each family regardless of your plans for the 2021-2022 school year. If you are unable to make your assigned week, then you are required to switch with another family or find your own replacement. There will be a financial penalty for families that do not participate. At this time, we are looking for individuals who would be willing to join the painting crew or the mowing team. Please call the school office to volunteer or for more information. Also, if you already have travel plans in the month of June, please contact the office right away so the schedule can reflect this prior to dividing the teams. Once teams are published, finding a replacement becomes your responsibility.



**Library Books:** Please help your child remember to return their library books each week.

