



BRACKEN CHRISTIAN SCHOOL THE WEEKLY WARRIOR

Week of October 21st - October 27th

NEWS FOR ALL FAMILIES

Spirit Week

Homecoming Spirit Week Dress-up Days

October 21st - October 25th

Homecoming Week is just around the corner! Let's get ready to show our Warrior spirit! All students are welcome to participate in the dress-up days. See the themes below.

Post your pictures with **#bcs_hoco24** so we can share them!

Monday



American

Tuesday



Music Genres

Wednesday



Decades

Thursday



Once Upon A Time

Friday



Blue Out!

Dress-up Guidelines

- Attire must be of appropriate length
- Not include anything offensive, suggestive, or in any way be sexual in nature
- Not include any firearms
- Students must wear appropriate footwear at all times.
- Students may wear normal Spirit Wear any day of the week in lieu of the designated dress up day



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SAVE THE DATE | Homecoming Tailgate Friday, October 25th | 5PM

Warrior families, friends, fans, and alumni, join us at our homecoming tailgate for some food and fun!

We will have food trucks, games, spirit wear to purchase, cotton candy, face painting, and more! 🍌🍔🍷

Watch your email for more details coming next week!



HOCO '24 | Calling all BCS Alumni! Friday, October 25th | 5-7:30 PM

Alumni T-shirts

Bracken alumni, if you signed up for one, don't forget to pick up your 40th Anniversary Alumni t-shirt at the alumni table during our tailgate!

Alumni Pre-Game Parade

We invite all alumni and their families to follow our football players out onto the field before the game, where we will be kicking off our 40th Anniversary Homecoming game with Bracken's founder, Betty Kight!

Please meet at the blow up tunnel at 7:10 PM if you would like to participate!

HELP US PASS ALONG THE WORD TO ALUMNI!



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Homecoming Pep Rally

Friday, October 25th | 10 AM | Bracken Gym

Join us for our 40th Anniversary Homecoming Pep Rally!

We are celebrating Bracken's 40th Birthday! 🥳💙🎂

Doors open at 9:50AM and we will start at 10AM!

All visitors must check in at the main office or Elementary office before the pep rally.

Wear our beloved Bracken BLUE from head to toe!

Homecoming Volunteers

Want to get in on the Homecoming fun? We need some volunteers for the Homecoming tailgate and High School Homecoming Dance! Sign up to volunteer below.

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[PURCHASE ADMISSION](#)

BCS Spirit Night at Bulverde Pumpkin Patch

TONIGHT: Thursday, October 17th | 3:00 - 7:00 PM

Bulverde Pumpkin Patch is generously hosting a Bracken Spirit Night where **\$5 of the cost of admission will be donated to Bracken's Helping Hands.**

This is a great way to have some Fall family fun AND support Bracken! Find some pumpkins to take home, take some fall photos, play games, and more!

Admission is \$20 per vehicle and is good for the entire 2024 operating season (October 1st through October 31st).

If you can't make it on the 17th, you can still support Bracken Helping Hands by purchasing your admission online and coming later in the month! Follow the link to the left to purchase.



Boots & Ballgowns Interest Meeting

Tuesday, October 22nd | 8:30 AM
Loft Coffee House

You're invited to our Boots & Ballgowns interest meeting! Are you passionate about event planning? Looking for a meaningful way to engage with the BCS community? Join the Boots & Ballgowns committee! This exciting event is Bracken's annual premier fundraiser, bringing together Bracken friends and families for a memorable evening.

Come to the meeting to learn more about how you can play a crucial role in supporting our school and making a positive impact on our community.

For questions, email us at bootsandballgowns@brackenchristian.com.



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Warrior Shootout | Nov. 7th | Raffles

Taking aim for campus safety!

We are excited to announce the launch of our Warrior Shootout Raffle! This is your chance to win fantastic prizes while making a meaningful impact on the safety and security of Bracken Christian School's campus.

Click the link below, click "PURCHASE HERE" and scroll down to "Raffle Ticket" to make your purchase.

> [REGISTER HERE](#)

You can still register to join us for the Warrior Shootout on November 7th, we have room for you! Use the link above for registration.

There are 3 prizes this year, and 3 winners will be drawn!

> [ENTER TO WIN THE RAFFLE](#)

RAFFLE PRIZES



1ST PRIZE

Zoli Z-Sport Dark Side by Zoli International
Retail Value: \$10,750



2ND PRIZE

Michael Kors 3-Piece Luggage Set
Retail Value: \$2,200



3RD PRIZE

\$250 H.E.B. Gift Card



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SAVE THE DATE | Veteran's Day Program

Friday, November 8th | 9:50 AM
S.A.L.T. Chapel
Bracken Gym

Join us for our Veteran's Day program that will take place during one of our S.A.L.T. Chapels!

We would love for all veterans and active-duty military members to come, and please feel free to wear your uniforms.

We are grateful for the opportunity to honor all who served.



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SECONDARY

ATTN: PARENTS OF HS STUDENTS!

Please encourage your student to purchase their tickets ASAP and fill out a date info card if they are bringing a date outside of Bracken. **We need date cards turned in and tickets purchased by 10/18!**

BRACKEN CHRISTIAN SCHOOL
40TH ANNIVERSARY



GRADES 9TH-12TH
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26TH
8:00 PM - 11:00 PM
BRACKEN GYM

TICKETS: \$20

PURCHASE AT FRONT OFFICE
OR FROM MRS. LARocca

Homecoming Dance | October 26th | Purchase ASAP!

High School students, the homecoming dance is just around the corner and tickets are officially on sale! Since it is our 40th Anniversary year at Bracken, we will be stepping back into the 80's at this year's dance. It's going to be totally RAD!

- Please purchase your tickets ASAP from Ms. Marshall **in the main office** or **Mrs. LaRocca**, and your **student account will be billed.**
- Don't forget to fill out a date info card if you are purchasing a ticket for your date who is not a Bracken student! **A DATE INFO CARD MUST BE FILLED OUT, SIGNED BY YOUR DATE, AND RETURNED TO MS. MARSHALL OR MRS. LARocca BY FRIDAY OCT. 18TH!**
- Ms. Marshall and Mrs. LaRocca will have physical tickets available if you would like one as a keepsake.

ATTIRE REQUIREMENTS

- 80's themed dress is NOT required. Wear whatever style you like!
- Boys in slacks and button down shirts, no jeans.
- Girls in dresses or slacks, no jeans. Please remember to dress conservatively. Dresses must be finger-tip length (including the top of any slits) OR not too short when bending or sitting (whichever is longer). No undergarments should show. No plunging or low necklines. No see-through areas or cut-outs in dresses that reveal midriff or skin.



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Homecoming Dance Volunteers

Parents of High School students, if you would like to volunteer to help set up for the Homecoming Dance on Saturday, October 26th, please sign up at the link below.

[> VOLUNTEER](#)

Secondary Chapel

Friday, October 18th - Jarek Wells, guest speaker

Friday, October 25th - NO CHAPEL due to HOCO Pep Rally

Friday, November 8th - S.A.L.T. / Veteran's Day Chapel



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ATHLETICS

S A V E T H E D A T E

10.21

HS BASKETBALL SEASON OFFICIALLY BEGINS

10.22

HS VOLLEYBALL AT HOME - BCS VS. GENEVA
TBD

10.22

MS VOLLEYBALL PLAYOFF GAMES - TBD

10.24

MS VOLLEYBALL PLAYOFF GAMES - TBD

10.25

HOMECOMING PEP RALLY - 10 AM | BRACKEN GYM

10.25

HOMECOMING FOOTBALL GAME - BCS VS. SA LUTHERAN @ 7:30 PM

10.26

MS FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP GAME - TBD

Dates are subject to change.



RANK ONE ATHLETIC CALENDAR

For the most accurate athletic calendar updates, check the Rank One calendar.

FOLLOW OUR WARRIORS ON SOCIAL MEDIA!

CLICK ON THE ACCOUNT YOU WANT TO FOLLOW



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@bcswarriors_volleyball



@brackenchristianbaseball



@bcs_spirit



@bcs_rackets



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A Letter from Mrs. Gentry

Hello Wee Warrior Nation!

This is an exciting two weeks! Friday we have Grandparents Day in conjunction with the Book Fair! Please review the schedule below to make sure that your grandparents are aware of where they need to be. I will of course be there to help direct and I look forward to meeting everyone.

Next week is Homecoming! I'm so excited to celebrate our 40th Homecoming with our Bracken family. What an exciting time this will be! I hope you can come out for festivities and stay for the game. Make sure you read the News for All Families section of the Weekly Warrior for details. Parents, please remember to check the dress up schedule posted; our Wee Warriors love to participate. If you do not dress up you may wear spirit wear or you may wear uniform, either is fine. I look forward to seeing what everyone comes up with this year! Also, please remember that due to all of our festivities, there will be no chapel for the next two weeks.

Miles of Smiles in Him,

Mrs. Gentry

Upcoming Chapels

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Friday, November 8th - S.A.L.T. / Veteran's Day Chapel



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Out of this World
Grandparent's Day

GRANDPARENTS ARE OUT OF THIS WORLD!
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18TH

7:00-8:30 AM: Breakfast in BCS gym

8:30-9:15 AM: Pre-K - 1st goes to Book Fair with grandparents; 2nd - 5th grandparents visit classroom

9:15-10:00 AM: Pre-K - 1st grandparents visit classroom, 2nd - 5th goes to book fair with grandparents

Grandparent's Day | Tomorrow!

Friday, October 18th
7:00 AM

We are so excited to have grandparents visiting campus tomorrow for breakfast and the Book Fair!

STREAM students and Grandparents are all welcome to attend breakfast and the Book Fair! STREAM classrooms will not be in session for visitation, however STREAM electives classes will begin as usual at 8:50 AM. Your grandparent can drop your child off at their classroom after the festivities.

Please know that parking will be limited, so please plan extra time to find a space. Thank you for understanding!



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Monday Chess

This year we are thrilled to offer Chess on Mondays during After School Care!

Dates: Oct. 28, Nov. 4, 11, 18, Dec. 2, 9

Time: 3:30-4:30 PM

Cost: \$130



[MORE INFO](#)



[REGISTER HERE](#)



[SHOP THE ONLINE FAIR](#)

Online purchases will be delivered to the school for free after the fair closes on October 18th. All purchases benefit the students at Bracken Christian School!

Book Fair | 1 more day!

The Bracken Book Fair ends tomorrow!

Online Fair and In-Person: Ends Friday

We invite your child and their grandparent(s) to stop by the book fair during Grandparent's Day on October 18th! STREAM families are welcome, too!

PLEASE NOTE: Literati is a secular Book Fair company and Bracken Christian School has no control over the products and books available in the online fair. Please use your discretion and research the authors and books before making a purchase.