

HPCA Happenings

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Christmas Programs

**Monday December 15
7:00 PM
GSBC Sanctuary**

**4th/5th Grade Bel Canto
Middle School Choir
High School Choir**

**Tuesday December 16
7:00 PM
GSBC Sanctuary**

**All students in the
Elementary School**

"It's a Wonder-full Life"



Congratulations to Abby Lewallen, K-5 Art Teacher, for being awarded a \$500 Teacher Arts Grant from the High Point Arts Council. Pictured are (L to R): Debbie Lumpkins, Executive Director of the High Point Area Arts Council, Rita Haire, Elementary School Principal, Abby Lewallen, Elementary Art Teacher, Jane Blackwell, Arts Council Board Member, Dave McCoy, Masland Foundation.

Cougar Cub News

HPCA Preschool is busy as a beehive during the month of December ~ building, painting, gluing, cutting ~ making lots of beautiful things for Christmas. But the ornaments and decorations we make are not just pretty to look at. All our crafts and activities help us learn about the most important gift of Christmas ~ our Lord Jesus! The two-year-old classes are learning about Jesus being born in a stable, with Mary and Joseph to care for him. Our three-year-old classes are making beautiful ornaments to remind them of the gift of Jesus. Our four-year-old and transitional kindergarten classes are busy preparing to sing Christmas carols for the kindergarten and first grade classes. They are learning how the shepherds went out to share the good news. May we all be blessed during the festive Christmas season as we reflect on the incomparable love of Jesus when He humbled Himself as a helpless infant to reveal His ultimate intent to be our Redeemer.



5th Grade Celebrates the First Thanksgiving



The 5th grade students had to solve a "First Thanksgiving" math mystery using clues to find additional clues.



Student Achievements



Conner Scarborough will attend Gardner-Webb University on a baseball scholarship in the fall. The following is the press release issued by GW:

Conner Scarborough pitched well as a junior at High Point Christian (N.C.) Academy, forging a 10-2 record to go with 2.25 ERA and 101 strikeouts in 64 innings pitched. The 6-0, 185-pounder was a second-team All-America selection by the NCSAA and earned private school All-State honors as well.

Scarborough is another hard-throwing right-hander, who throws a lively fastball well into the upper 80s with great command. He is rated as one of the top-50 seniors in North Carolina by Impact Baseball and was a member of the Region 5 State Games team. He chose Gardner-Webb over Liberty.

Operation Christmas Child

Almost 600 shoeboxes were filled by students at High Point Christian Academy in support of Operation Christmas Child. The students brought 115 more shoeboxes than last year and filled the school bus with Christmas joy to brighten the lives of children across the world! The shoeboxes will be delivered to the Operation Christmas Child sorting facility in Charlotte. From there they will be sent around the world.



Alumni News

Homecoming is Friday January 30. The basketball teams will be playing Carolina Friends. Watch for details about alumni activities that will be coming soon.

For Alumni Only

A Facebook group has been created for all HPCA Alumni to keep you in touch with the school. Search for the group "Alumni of High Point Christian Academy" and submit a request to join.

Thanksgiving Celebration

The kindergarten classes held a Thanksgiving feast. They all dressed up in the costumes that they had made.



2009-2010 Applications

Application packets for the 2009-2010 year are available in both buildings. If you know of someone that may be interested in HPCA for next year please invite them to stop by and pick up a packet. We now have a rolling admissions process so we are already accepting applications for next year. If you have any admissions questions please contact Robin Moseley at 841-8702 x207 or at rmoseley@hpcacougars.org.



ACSI Leadership Retreat

The following students attended the Rockbridge Leadership Retreat: CiCi Bennett, Taylor Bergsma, Abby Cliff, Ashlyn Congdon, Zach Eanes, Chip Ellis, Colby Grant, Darby Jackson, Spiros Nixon, Hannah Reynolds, Michaela Reynolds, Jimmy Skinner, Travis Suits, Konner White, and Joe Winberry

Middle School Events



Middle School and High School Students earned the privilege to dress down and wear hats if they brought in cans for Ward Street Mission. Thank you to all of the students that participated in this worthy cause!

Pictured: Abby Auman, Sara Marsh, Emily Kurfees, and Hadley Mason

Program Updates

PLEASE keep collecting the following items and send them in to the school. The money from these programs adds up if everyone participates!

- *BoxTops for Education*
- *Campbells Soup Labels*
- *Empty ink cartridges*
- *Harris Teeter milk caps*
- *Old cell phones*



Please send ideas, suggestions, and any student or alumni news to Robin Moseley at rmoseley@hpcacougars.org.