



The **Communicator**

*"He only is my rock and my salvation, my fortress; I shall not be shaken."
Psalm 62:6*

All-School News

Parkview Spirit Wear for the Holidays - Spirit Wear pickup is on December 15th. Payment is due at the time of pick up. We can accept the following payments: cash or check only. Please make checks payable to: Parkview Christian Academy. Items will be delivered to school the week of December 15th. If you have any questions, contact Manda Zappia at mzappia@parkviewchristian.net.

BAC - We will have BAC available until 6pm on Friday, December 19th (the 1:30 pm dismissal day). Remember BAC is not part of your child's school tuition and will be billed at \$4 an hour per child. We did not have at least 10 students in need of care on the following days so BAC will not be available on December 22, 23, 29 & 30 and Jan 19. BAC is also not available on the following days: December 24, 25, 26 & 31 and January 1 & 2.

Health Policy – Our Handbook states that children running a temperature of 100 degrees or more, vomiting or having diarrhea, and children who have “pink eye” must be free from the fever, vomiting, diarrhea or pink eye for 24 hours before returning to school.

Inclement Weather - BIG CHANGE at the Emergency Closing Center- There will no longer be a public phone number for employees/students etc. to call to check. Following are the ways to find out whether a facility has a delay or closure. Go to www.emergencyclosingcenter.com/complete.htm and search for the facility by Parkview Christian Academy and Yorkville or by our phone number which is 630-688-9773. You can receive an e-mail notification of a change made to our facility by signing up on the website at www.emergencyclosings.com. Then listen to WGN Radio 720-AM, WBBM Radio 780-AM or watch CBS Ch. 2, NBC Ch. 5, ABC Ch. 7, FOX 32, WGN-TV Ch. 9 or CLTV cable for closing information.

Legacy Banquet Tickets – Remember to purchase your Legacy tickets in the office by December 19th in order to purchase tickets at last year's price of \$25 each.

Jr/Sr. High School News

An exam schedule was sent home via email and hard copy for all High School students. Exams will be December 15th-19th. If you did not receive a schedule, please contact Mrs. West at mwest@parkviewchristian.net.

PTO & School Events

With the holidays coming up remember there are many ways to help Parkview on items you are already purchasing. When cooking your Thanksgiving dinner your Swanson Chicken broth and Campbell's cream of mushroom has Labels for Education on them. Land of Lakes butter and Jolly Green Giant products have box tops. For a full list of products with box tops or labels for education go to <https://www.facebook.com/group/1529260307286028/files/>. You can download a sheet with a list of all products that have Box Tops or Labels for Education.

Also, when shopping for holiday gifts Black Friday through Christmas don't forget to shop at Target and use your Red Card. You can also shop online at AmazonSmile. If you designate Parkview as your school on your Target Red Card they will give 1% of every purchase back to Parkview.

AmazonSmile will donate .5% back to Parkview on all eligible purchases. If you have a questions on any of these ways to help Parkview please contact Manda Zappia at [630-553-5158](tel:630-553-5158) or by e-mail at mzappia@parkviewchristian.net.

Box Tops and Campbell's Soup Labels for Education - Please, cut Campbell's labels and Box Tops and turn them into the office. Please have them separated into two different baggies as these are two separate programs run by two different parents. Thanks!

Target - Make sure your Target Red card has Parkview as the designated school recipient. We received our annual donation from Target's Take Charge of Education® program. (By using your Target Red card Target will donate 1% of your REDcard purchases made at Target and Target.com.) Our annual donation, this year, was for \$2,500.00. Thank you to all of our friends and family for your support. Also, a big thank you to Target!!! For more information or to choose Parkview as your school on your Red card go to <http://www.target.com/redcard/mai> and go to Take Charge of Education.

Amazon - Support Parkview when you shop online at Amazon! Parkview Christian Academy is now a part of the Amazon Smile program, where Amazon donates 0.5% of the price of eligible Amazon Smile purchases to Parkview. Sign your account up to donate to Parkview using the link below! If you have any questions contact the office [630-553-5158 ext. 10](tel:630-553-5158). AmazonSmile is the same Amazon or Amazon Prime you know. Same products, same prices, same service. <http://smile.amazon.com/ch/36-4153985>.

Athletic Dates

December 12th - 4th-6th Grade Basketball Game at PCA vs. Cross Luth at 4:15
7th-8th Grade Basketball Game at PCA vs. Cross Luth at 5:15
December 13th - 4th-6th Grade Basketball Game at. Aurora Christian at 9:00
7th-8th Grade Basketball Game at. Aurora Christian at 10:00
December 15th - 4th-6th Grade Basketball Game at St. Paul's at 4:30
7th-8th Grade Basketball Game at St. Paul at 5:30
High School Basketball Game at Helmar vs. HSRC at 5:00
December 16th - 7th-8th Grade Basketball Game at PCA vs. Somonauk at 4:00

Upcoming Dates

- December 8-12 –Book Fair
- December 16-19 – Final Exams
- December 19 – End of 2nd Quarter – 1:30 dismissal – BAC available with RSVP
- December 20-January 4 – NO SCHOOL – Christmas Vacation
- December 27-January 2 – Haiti Mission Trip
- January 5-9 – Winterim
- January 15 – Parkview Open House 6:00-7:30
- January 19 – NO SCHOOL – Martin Luther King Day – NO BAC available
- January 26-30 – Skateweek