Daily Announcements for: Wednesday, October 28, 2026

For PreK-12th Students:

- VIP *(Very Important Prayers)* today: Buddy Groups/Mentoring Relationships
- Thought of the day: "The expert in anything was once a beginner." – Helen Hayes
- Joke of the day: Why do vampires always seem sick? Because they are always "coffin"!
- Random fact of the day: Earwax is a type of sweat.
- **This Week's Lunch Menu and Helpers:**
  Wednesday, Oct. 28: Nachos, Val Kuipers
  Thursday, Oct. 29: Grilled Cheese Sandwiches, Brianna Veurink
  Friday, Oct. 30: BRING YOUR LUNCH
- **Next Week's Lunch Menu and Helpers:**
  Monday, Nov. 2: Breakfast Pizza, Jeanette Pheifer
  Tuesday, Nov. 3: Beef Stroganoff, Lydia Niewenhuis
  Wednesday, Nov. 4: Italian or Broccoli Cheese Soup, Nancy Vander Pol
  Thursday, Nov. 5: Meatloaf, Kirsti Muckey
  Friday, Nov. 6: BRING YOUR LUNCH

For 7th-12th Grade Students:

- Lunch Clean-Up, Friday, November 6: Freshmen
- Alex Daum will be continuing his series this week at youth group. Junior high at 6:30 and senior high supper at 7 with youth group starting at 7:30!

For Preschool-6th Grade Students:

- **Lunch Times:** 11:40 a.m. – preschool; 11:45 a.m. – kindergarten; 11:50 a.m. – 1st/2nd grades; 11:55 p.m. – 3rd/4th grades; 12:00 p.m. – 5th/6th grades

Parents/Readers on the Web:

- NO SCHOOL on Friday, October 30th.
- Want to pre-order Fall Fling Soup or sandwiches? It's easy! Go to https://onecau.se/_ptr881 and place your order. We'll have it ready for you at the Fall Fling on Nov. 7th.
- Mark your calendars! 11th Annual Fall Fling Vendor/Craft fair at Dakota Christian School, Saturday, November 7th from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Bring a friend to shop over 45 vendor booths, eat soup and sandwich for lunch and grab your favorite bake sale/Dutch specialty item. If you'd like to donate a bake sale item, please drop off at the school on Friday the 6th or that day. Hope to see you there!
- Dordt Hunt is November 4-7th. We ask you to offer up prayers for travel and hunting safety for everyone involved. If there are any local land owners willing to offer their land to hung, please contact Randy Niewenhuis at 605-680-5019.
- Region 5B Volleyball Information
  Monday, November 2
  Games played at #6 Seed
  6:00 p.m. – Seed 8 will play Seed 9
  Following – Seed 6 will play Seed 11
  6:00 p.m. at Seed 7 – Seed 7 will play Seed 10
  Tuesday, November 3
  Games played at #1 Seed
  6:00 p.m. – Seed 1 plays the winner of Seed 8 vs Seed 9
  Following - Seed 4 will play Seed 5

Games played at #2 Seed

6:00 p.m. – Seed 2 plays the winner of the Seed 7 vs Seed 10

Following – Seed 3 plays the winner of the Seed 6 vs Seed 11

Thursday, November 5

Games played at Bonesteel

6:00 p.m. – The winners of Seed 1 vs Seed 8 or Seed 9 game will play the winner of the Seed 4 vs Seed 5 game

Following – The winner of Seed 2 vs Seed 7 or Seed 10 game will play the winner of the Seed 3 vs Seed 6 or Seed 11

Absences

Wednesday, Oct. 28

Payton E—leaving at 3:00

Tuesday, Nov. 17

School Excused Dakota BH, Ashlyn E, Allie M, Leo DL

Upcoming Events

Oct. 29 FB 2nd Round Playoffs

Oct. 30 No School

All State Chorus, Rapid City

Oct. 31 All State Chorus, Rapid City

Nov. 2 VB Region Play-In Game

Nov. 3 Pumpkin Chunkin Challenge, finals

VB Region Quarter Finals

Quiz Bowl vs Armour, 9:30 a.m.

5th/6th Boys BB vs. MC & TDA @ Mitchell Christian, 6:00 pm

Nov. 5 VB Region Semi-Finals

5th/6th Girls/Boys BB vs. TDA @ Armour

Nov. 6 FB 3rd Round Playoffs

Nov. 7 Fall Fling

Nov. 9 School Board Meeting, 7:00 pm

5th/6th Girls/Boys BB at Ethan, 4:00 pm

Nov 10 Scrip

VB SoDak 16

Nov. 11 Veteran's Day Program, 10 a.m.

Sr Parent/Student financial aid planning meeting, 11 a.m.

Nov. 12 State FB at Vermillion

5th/6th Girls/Boys BB vs. KWL at Kimball, 6:00 pm

Nov. 13 JH GBB team pictures

Nov. 16 Fellowship Meeting, 5:30 pm

Nov. 17 JH Music Festival in Platte

Nov. 19 VB State Tournament at Sioux Falls

Nov. 20 VB State Tournament at Sioux Falls

Nov. 21 VB State Tournament at Sioux Falls

Nov. 24 HS Gregory Band Festival (Audrey DH, Felicity D, Cheyenne S, Danae F)

Nov. 25 NOON DISMISSAL

Nov. 26 NO SCHOOL, Thanksgiving

Nov. 27 NO SCHOOL, Thanksgiving Break

Dec. 1 ASVAB

Dec. 4 GBB & Basketball Cheer team pictures

PK-12 Christmas Concert

Dec. 7 Build Dakota Road Show, 2:00 pm

Dec. 8 Scrip

GBB at Centerville

Dec. 12 BB DH vs. Platte-Geddes at DC

Pep Band Plays

Dec. 14 School Board Meeting, 7:00 pm
Dec. 15 BB DH at Ethan
Dec. 17 BB DH vs. Gayville-Volin at AC
Dec. 21 Exams for 7th-12th Grades
Dec. 22 Exams for 7th-12th Grades
End of 2nd Quarter and 1st Semester
BB DH at Lower Brule