



# BRACKEN CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

# THE WEEKLY WARRIOR

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## NEWS FOR ALL FAMILIES

### BOARD NOMINATION FORM

Dear Bracken family ,

The Board of Directors at Bracken Christian School would like to express our sincere appreciation to Paula Stakes and her service to the Bracken Board.

Paula has served for over four years and the Lord has truly worked in and through her life as she has served the Bulverde and Bracken communities.

While we are excited to see all that the Lord will do through her life, a relocation created a vacancy in our Bracken Board. Bracken Christian School is seeking to add an additional board member to our Board of Directors. If you have a passion for Christian education and are interested in contributing to the governance and strategic direction of our school, we invite you to consider this volunteer opportunity.

**[READ THE FULL LETTER HERE](#)**   **[BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEMBER NOMINATION](#)**

## JOIN US! COLLEGE & CAREER FAIR

**OCTOBER 17TH  
9:30-11:00 AM  
BRACKEN GYM**

COLLEGE &  
CAREER FAIR –  
SAVE THE DATE!

**COME TALK TO COLLEGE AND  
CAREER REPRESENTATIVES  
FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTRY!**

**PLEASE EMAIL  
CANDACE.TOLENTINO@  
BRACKENCHRISTIAN.COM WITH  
ANY QUESTIONS!**



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### FEED THE NEED

#### "LET'S BEGIN - WITH PURPOSE"

Feed the Need is coming to Bracken Christian School and we're stepping into something bigger than ourselves.

It's more than just raising funds. It's about growing in compassion, strengthening our school, and coming alongside local and global communities facing real need.

As our students prepare to pack meals and raise support, pray with us. Walk with us. And join us as we pursue this mission—together.



### GET INVOLVED HERE

### PACKING PARTY!

**Thursday, September 25th - September 26th!**

### Coffee in the Library

**Coffee in the Library will resume Thursday, September 18th from 8:15-9:00 AM.**

This event offers a wonderful opportunity to connect in an intimate setting and hear directly from Bracken leadership, including Administration and members of the BCS Board. It's a time to receive updates directly from those shaping the school's future and to engage in meaningful dialogue about Bracken.

Don't miss this awesome opportunity to be a part of investing in the mission and vision of Bracken and uplifting the school.

**The next meeting will be in November.**





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### The Warrior Clay Shoot is BACK!

**Our Clay Shoot will be held on November 13th!**

## WARRIOR CLAY SHOOT

**NOVEMBER 13TH  
GOOD BULL RANCH  
SPRING BRANCH, TX**

We're building our Clay Shoot Committee, and we want YOU to join us in making this year's event our best yet.

**Next Committee Meeting: Friday September 5th from 8 am to 9 am**

500 Bldg. Conference Room –  
check in with receptionist first

*Taking Aim for Campus Safety*

Your involvement makes **ALL** the difference. Don't miss the chance to help create an event that supports Warrior students and strengthens our community.

**REGISTER AND DONATE NOW!**

➤ **REGISTER HERE!**

**Can't make the meeting but  
interested to know more?**

Contact  
[verlyn.maldonado@brackenchristian.com](mailto:verlyn.maldonado@brackenchristian.com)



Homecoming Week | SAVE THE DATE

**November 3<sup>rd</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> – Spirit Week**  
**November 7<sup>th</sup> – Homecoming Pep Rally**  
**November 7<sup>th</sup> – Football game**  
**November 8<sup>th</sup> – Homecoming dance**



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### VALUES NOMINATION FORM

Our new **Values Nomination** link below. We would love for people to share the "stories" of how our values are being demonstrated by students, faculty/staff/families on campus and in the community. We will be doing a monthly highlight of these stories

**SUBMIT YOUR VALUES NOMINATION HERE!**

## WEEKLY CAMPUS PRAYER WALK



Please join us **every Tuesday** at 8:00 am to cover our campus and students in prayer!

We will begin at the secondary side parking lot of campus to hear some prayer points, and then you can walk at your own pace along the perimeter of campus while you pray.

Please don't forget to check-in at one of the offices to get your visitor badge before you begin your prayer walk.



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### Boots & Ballgowns | LOOKING FOR NEW COMMITTEE MEMBERS



We are looking for more committee members to join our team!

Contact [\*\*bootsandballgowns@brackenchristian.com\*\*](mailto:bootsandballgowns@brackenchristian.com)

to ask any questions and to learn more about the Spring event!

### First S.A.L.T. Chapel of the school year!



Bracken's S.A.L.T. (Servants And Leaders Together) program is a mentoring opportunity for middle and high school students to share their lives, experiences, and love with BCS elementary students.

Throughout the year, S.A.L.T. partners exchange gifts, notes of encouragement, and enjoy special school events together.





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### Helping Hands Volunteers Needed!



Volunteer for “Helping Hands Committees 2025–26”  
Select the event(s) you’d like to help with, share your contact details, and we’ll be in touch as soon as the committee starts meeting.  
Thanks for stepping up to volunteer!

**[SIGN -UP TO VOLUNTEER HERE!](#)**



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## SECONDARY

### Secondary Chapel

**September 12th–**

First S.A.L.T Chapel of the school year!

### Fall Campus Tours

**Sophomores through Seniors are invited to join us for campus tours this fall!**

**Hallmark University – Sept 10 |  
7:30 AM–12:00 PM**

**Texas A&M University – Nov 19 |  
7:00 AM–5:00 PM**

**> [CAMPUS TOUR SIGN-UP FORM](#)**

## Upcoming Dates

**October 1st – SAT/PSAT/PSAT 8/9**

**High School and Middle School Retreats:** Seniors (October 6th – 10th), 9th – 11th (October 8th – 10th), 6th – 8th (October 10th)

**October 29th – ACT** (12th grade only, must have pre-registered)



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## ATHLETICS

### SAVE THE DATE

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|-------------|---|
| <b>9.9</b>  | <b>HS VB GAMES AWAY AT SA PATRIOTS JV AT 5:00 PM AND VARSITY AT 6:00 PM</b> |
| <b>9.9</b>  | <b>MS "A" VB GAME AWAY AT MSSA AT 4:30 PM</b>                               |
| <b>9.10</b> | <b>MS TENNIS MATCH AT HOME VERSUS CORNERSTONE</b>                           |
| <b>9.10</b> | <b>HS TENNIS MATCH VERSUS TRUE TENNIS AT T-BAR-M</b>                        |
| <b>9.11</b> | <b>HS VB GAME AWAY AT VICTORIA FAITH ACADEMY VARSITY AT 6:00 PM</b>         |
| <b>9.11</b> | <b>MS VB GAMES AWAY AT ST. GEORGE - B GAME AT 4:30 AND A GAME AT 5:30</b>   |
| <b>9.11</b> | <b>MS FOOTBALL GAME AT HOME VERSUS CASTLE HILLS AT 5:30 PM</b>              |
| <b>9.12</b> | <b>HS FOOTBALL GAME AWAY PLAYING CASTLE HILLS AT 7:30 PM</b>                |
| <b>9.13</b> | <b>MS/HS CROSS COUNTRY MEET AT INGRAM</b>                                   |
| <b>9.16</b> | <b>NEW LETTER JACKET ORDERS AND ADDITIONAL PATCH ORDERS</b>                 |

### FOLLOW OUR WARRIORS ON SOCIAL MEDIA!

CLICK ON THE ACCOUNT YOU WANT TO FOLLOW



@athletics.bcs



@bcswarriors\_football



@bcswarriors\_volleyball



@brackenchristianbaseball



@bcs\_spirit



@bcs\_rackets

[SPORTS PASS LINK](#)

[ATHLETICS CALENDAR](#)





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### ELEMENTARY



A Letter from  
Mrs. Gentry

Good afternoon, Wee Warriors!

What a wonderful start to September! I am so grateful for each of your children and the joy they bring to our campus every day. It already feels like we are settling into a great rhythm for the year, and I cannot wait to see all that the fall season holds.

As we look ahead, I'm especially excited about our upcoming Pep Rally on September 19<sup>th</sup>—our "Warriors Start Your Engines" Race Day! It's always such a fun tradition to come together and celebrate as a school family. I'm also looking forward to cooler evenings and the excitement of Friday night Warrior football games. There's just something special about gathering under the lights to cheer on our teams.

#### A couple of quick reminders as we move into the month:

- Please make sure students are coming to school with hair neatly cut and rubber-soled shoes so they are ready for the day and safe for all activities.
- **September at a Glance**
  - 9/5 – Chicken Chores Author Visit
  - 9/12 – Salt Chapel (9:50 AM)
  - 9/19 – Pep Rally: "Warriors Start Your Engines" (9:50 AM)
  - 9/24 – See You at the Pole (7:30 AM)
  - 9/25 – No PE – Feed the Need Packing
  - 9/26 – Elementary Holiday / Parent-Teacher Conferences

It's a full and exciting month ahead, filled with opportunities to learn, worship, serve, and celebrate together. Thank you for the ways you support our students and staff I am so thankful for this community. If you forgot to order your Chicken Chores book don't worry the author will have some with her on Friday. We are so excited to see all of you there.

Miles of Smiles in Him,

*Mrs. Gentry*

### UPCOMING CHAPELS

**9/12 – First S.A.L.T. Chapel of the school year!**

**9/25-9/26 – Feed the Need packing party**



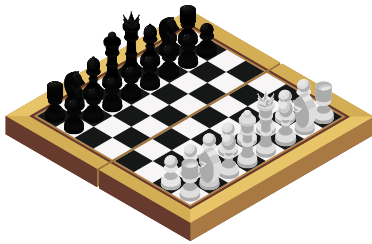
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#### After School Clubs + Activities



**Chess Club** - The registration for the Complete Chess after school program is now open:

**REGISTER HERE!**



LEARN MORE ABOUT **PIANO CLASS HERE** AND **SIGN UP HERE!**

**Additional clubs/activities:** After School Art, Elementary Praise Team, and Tumbling!



### BRACKEN BIKE RODEO

Stay tuned for the next Wee Warrior for details on our upcoming Bracken Bike Rodeo!