



BRACKEN CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

THE WEEKLY WARRIOR

Week of November 3rd - November 9th

NEWS FOR ALL FAMILIES

Bracken's Mission | Vision | Values

Our Mission

Bracken Christian School partners with Christian families through the leadership and guidance of the Holy Spirit to provide an excellent education within the context of a biblical worldview, equipping students to impact their communities for Christ.

Our Vision

We champion students to thrive in the classroom and to come alive in Christ.

Our Values

**Christ-centered | Community | Discipleship |
Compassion | Service**

Here, you are known.



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CAMPUS PREVIEW DAY

ONE DAY. ONE CAMPUS. ONE WARRIOR EXPERIENCE.

TELL YOUR FRIENDS!!!

To Experience Warrior Nation at Bracken
Christian School!

Choosing a school can be a big step, and we
want them to experience what makes
Bracken so special in the very best way
possible:

Our Campus Preview Day!

NOVEMBER 6TH | 9 AM - 10 AM

If anyone you know is interested in Warrior Nation K4-12th grade STREAM and Traditional please invite them to our **First Campus Preview Day** of the school year on **November 6th from 9:00-10:00 am**.

This year we are **changing things up** and will be adding our first ever **Wee Warrior Walk Through** for our incoming **Pre-K4 and Kinder** students enrolling for the **2026-2027** school year.

Families and Students will get to see first hand all the great things our Wee Warriors experience daily.

Wee Warrior Walk Through Experience:

- Themed Lesson "W" for Warriors
- Letter sounds and blending of words
- Spiritual lesson: Armour of God "Shield of protection"
- Craft with the letter "W"
- Teachers will teach for 5-7 Minutes
- Teachers will answer any questions you may have
- Please bring your children so they can experience all that Bracken has to offer!



**REGISTER FOR CAMPUS
PREVIEW DAY HERE!**

Please reach out to the Admissions Office at admissions@brackenchristian.com with any questions!



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CALLING ALL HOMECOMING HELPERS!

11.03 - 11.07

HOMECOMING
Week Helpers

SIGN-UP TO HELP HERE!

**WE NEED YOUR HELP!
HOMECOMING WEEK IS
COMING UP, AND WE WANT
YOU TO BE PART OF THE FUN!**

Homecoming Help Needed!

We're getting ready for an exciting Homecoming week, and we'd love some help from our amazing Warrior families!

Here are a few ways you can jump in:

Monday, 11/3 – Help us **decorate the front gate** to kick off Homecoming week in style!

Friday, 11/7 – We're looking to borrow **8 tents/canopies**.

Friday, 11/7 at 4:00 PM – Calling all dads! We need help bringing **2 Blackstones** and grilling before the big game!

If you're able to help with any of these, please email Helping Hands at
helping.hands@brackenchristian.com



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Bracken HOCO Spirit Week

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Homecoming Spirit Week Dress-up Days

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Bracken HOCO Pep Rally



HOCO PEP RALLY

M E D I E V A L K N I G H T S

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7
DOORS OPEN @ 9:50 AM

BLUE OUT & WARRIOR SPIRIT WEAR



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11.07.25

HOMECOMING

Schedule of Events

5:00 PM TAILGATE BEGINS - FOOD & FUN

5:30 PM PASS + PUNT COMPETITION

7:15 PM ALUMNI PARADE

7:30 PM KICK-OFF

HALF TIME:

- CHEER PRESENTATION
- PRESENTATION OF THE INAUGURAL HOMECOMING WARRIOR COURT



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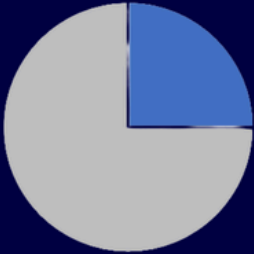
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AFTER THE HOCO FOOTBALL GAME

- ★ FRIDAY, 11.7
- ★ DIRECTLY AFTER THE GAME
- ★ MILK & COOKIES

HOMECOMING

5th  **QUARTER**

GO WARRIORS

FRIENDS-FAMILY-ALUMNI



SEE YOU IN THE
COURTYARD



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Warrior Clay Shoot | 11.13.25



WARRIOR CLAY SHOOT

NOVEMBER 13TH
GOOD BULL RANCH

100 BIRD SPORTING CLAY SHOOT
LIVE AUCTION
SILENT AUCTION
RAFFLE

REGISTER AND DONATE NOW!

> **REGISTER YOUR
TEAM HERE!**

> **PURCHASE A
RAFFLE
TICKET HERE!**





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Warrior Clay Shoot Raffle

We are excited to announce the launch of our Warrior Clay Shoot Raffle! This is your chance to win fantastic prizes while making a meaningful impact for our teachers and staff at Bracken Christian School's campus.

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

 **[PURCHASE A
RAFFLE TICKET HERE!](#)**

 **[REGISTER HERE!](#)**

You can still register to join us for the Warrior Clay Shoot on November 13th, we have room for you! Use the link above for registration.



GRAND PRIZE

BROWNING 12 GAUGE
SPORTING GOLDEN
CLAYS EDITION

RETAIL VALUE:
\$6,499



2ND PRIZE

KLEARWERKZ \$5,000
GIFT CERTIFICATE-
TRUCK ACCESSORY
PACKAGE THAT COULD
INCLUDE WHEELS,
TIRES, AND LIFT KITS

RETAIL VALUE:
\$5,000



3RD PRIZE

MICHAEL
KORS PURSE
& WALLET

RETAIL VALUE:
\$698



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VETERAN'S DAY CHAPEL



Veterans Day Chapel 🇺🇸

Join us on Tuesday, Nov 11th at 9:50 AM in the BCS Gym for a special school-wide S.A.L.T. Chapel honoring our veterans.

All Veterans, Parents, and Visitors are warmly invited to attend!

On Tuesday, November 11, the day of our Veterans Day S.A.L.T. Chapel, we will also hold a school-wide dress-up day. Students are encouraged to wear red, white, and blue or military camouflage in honor of Veterans Day.



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COFFEE IN THE LIBRARY | NOVEMBER 20TH



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.

SCHOOL-WIDE DRESS-UP DAY!

ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 11TH, THE DAY OF OUR VETERANS DAY S.A.L.T. CHAPEL, WE WILL ALSO HOLD A SCHOOL-WIDE DRESS-UP DAY. STUDENTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO WEAR RED, WHITE, AND BLUE OR MILITARY CAMOUFLAGE IN HONOR OF VETERANS DAY.



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EDUCATION FREEDOM IS HERE!

EDUCATION FREEDOM ACCOUNTS

**THE NEW TEXAS EDUCATION FREEDOM
ACCOUNTS (TEFA) PROGRAM IS LAUNCHING –
GIVING PARENTS MORE CHOICES THROUGH AN
EDUCATION SAVINGS ACCOUNT (ESA)!**

- **MINIMUM \$10,500 PER STUDENT FOR ELIGIBLE PRIVATE SCHOOL TUITION**
- **COVERS TUITION, UNIFORMS, MEALS, TUTORING, THERAPIES, AND MORE!**

The new Texas Education Freedom Accounts (TEFA) program is launching – giving parents more choices through an Education Savings Account (ESA)!

- Minimum \$10,500 per student for eligible private school tuition
- Up to \$30,000 for students with disabilities (including dyslexia and autism)
- \$2,000 for home-schooled participants
- Covers tuition, uniforms, meals, tutoring, therapies, and more!

Bracken will be hosting a meeting on Wednesday, November 12th at 6:30 PM – more meetings to follow in the coming months!

 **Learn more and sign up for updates:**
<https://comptroller.texas.gov/programs/education/esa/>



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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!](#)

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](#)**



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THE COUNSELOR CORNER | LYDIA ADAMS

"Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever." Hebrews 13:8

Fall is a wonderful reminder of how change, though sometimes uncomfortable, often brings growth, reflection, and new beginnings. In counseling this month, I have been working with students to help them recognize that transitions, both big and small, are part of God's design for shaping our hearts and deepening our trust in Him. My prayer is that each student learns to see change not with fear, but with faith, knowing that as God is changing us, He never changes, and He is faithfully at work in every season of their story.

Need to make an appointment for your student? Please email me or complete this form!

(<https://forms.gle/MKdKda5GmvruYeKo7>)

Please reach out to me with any questions or concerns!

Lydia.Adams@BrackenChristian.com



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SECONDARY

Fall Campus Tours

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

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

[!\[\]\(de95854c7ee024cfadc48187bbb781b2_img.jpg\) CAMPUS TOUR SIGN-UP FORM](#)

Upcoming Dates

HOMECOMING WEEK:

NOVEMBER 3RD - 7TH - SPIRIT WEEK

NOVEMBER 7TH - HOMECOMING PEP RALLY

NOVEMBER 7TH - FOOTBALL GAME

NOVEMBER 8TH - HS HOMECOMING DANCE

VOLUNTEER SIGN-UP FOR HOMECOMING, **[CLICK HERE!](#)**

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 21ST 8:00 AM. - SECONDARY OUTREACH SERVICE DAY



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SECONDARY

HOCO Dance | Saturday, November 8th!



ATTENTION BRACKEN HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS!

The homecoming dance is just around the corner and tickets are officially on sale! Please purchase your tickets ASAP from Mrs. LaRocca or Mrs. Mires in the main secondary office.

Physical tickets are available for those who want them! Don't forget to fill out a date info card if you're bringing a date who does not go to Bracken. **Tickets will be \$25 per person!**

Date info cards must be filled out, signed by your date, and returned to Mrs. LaRocca or Mrs. Mires **by Friday, October 31st**. Get ready for a night of FUN!

NOTE: Medieval themed attire is NOT required. Wear whatever style you like, as long as it adheres to the dress code guidelines.



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SAVE THE DATE

- 11.4** POSSIBLE HS AREA VOLLEYBALL GAME - TBD
- 11.4** HS BOYS BASKETBALL HOME GAME VERSUS IDEA EWIG AT 6:00 PM
- 11.7** HOMECOMING PEP RALLY AT 9:50 AM
- 11.7** HS BOYS BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT AT CASTLE HILLS
- 11.7** HS HOMECOMING FOOTBALL GAME VERSUS SAN MARCOS ACADEMY AT 7:30 PM
- 11.8** POSSIBLE HS REGIONAL VOLLEYBALL GAME - TBD
- 11.8** HS HOMECOMING DANCE 8:00-11:00 PM
- 11.8** HS BOYS BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT AT CASTLE HILLS

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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ATHLETICS INFO



Our Warrior athletes give their all, and the Bracken Backers | Athletic Booster Club helps fuel their success on and off the court/field. It's not too late—purchase your membership today by [clicking the PDF link](#) and turning it into one of our front offices or emailing to bcsbackers@gmail.com. To learn more about how to support our athletes in other ways, email us at bcsbackers@gmail.com.

**GET EXCITED FOR
HOMECOMING!! WE WILL HAVE A
NEW SPIRIT WEAR DROP AND WE
CAN'T WAIT TO SHARE!**

ATHLETIC COACHING POSITIONS AVAILABLE:

- Middle School Boys' Assistant Basketball Coach Needed
- Middle School Girls' Assistant Basketball Coach Needed
- MS and HS Track & Field Assistant Coach Needed

If interested, please contact Terri Sanders at
terri.sanders@brackenchristian.com



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Good afternoon, Wee Warriors!

We have had some exciting days on campus, and it has been such a joy to see our Wee Warriors learning, laughing, and growing together in community!

This week in chapel, I will be sharing a message about "staying in our hula hoop" focusing on what we can control, taking responsibility for our own choices, and choosing encouragement over tattling. It's a great reminder for all of us to be helpers and encouragers who build one another up.

Our Pre-K students enjoyed a wonderful trip to H-E-B, where they learned about healthy eating and got a behind-the-scenes look at how the store operates. We are so proud of their curiosity and good manners on the trip!

Looking ahead, November brings our Thanksgiving classroom celebrations, which teachers will communicate directly. And, believe it or not, Christmas programs are right around the corner! Please keep an eye on the school calendar, as those will take place during the daytime this year.

We're also gearing up for Homecoming Week! Below you'll find the themed dress-up days for the week let's show our Warrior spirit and have some fun leading up to our big game against San Marcos Academy on Friday, November 7th. We can't wait to see our Warriors shine on and off the field!

Thank you for your partnership and joy in making Bracken such a special place to learn and grow.

Miles of Smiles in Him,

Mrs. Gentry

A Letter from
Mrs. Gentry

UPCOMING DATES

Homecoming Week:

November 3rd - 7th - Spirit Week (see next page for daily themes)

November 7th - Homecoming Pep Rally at 9:50 am

November 7th - Football game at 7:30 pm against San Marcos Academy



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