

# West Ridge Academy



Feb 4, 2011

## Offering Hope and Healing



### Lady Eagles Basketball



By now many of you know that our girls basketball team recently lost to Christian Heritage by a score of 108-3. This game continues to receive national attention from ESPN, USA Today, Fox News, CNN, Yahoo..etc. There have been hundreds of articles written on the game and thousands of blog posts. We have put a few of these articles and videos on the WRA facebook page for you.

Click on these links <http://www.facebook.com/#!/pages/The-West-Ridge-Academy/125354854201669>.

Once you are on the WRA facebook site, please select "Like" and you will be able to follow all the news.

<http://www.prweb.com/releases/2011/1/prweb8096797.htm>

Inside Edition was here filming the rematch last night along with some local news stations. Nike, who has been a partner with our sports program came and did a halftime program giving out a gift certificate to a lucky free-throw winner and shirts to the crowd. They also gave each of the girls a new pair of shoes and bags. The team leader encouraged the girls to be courageous and when they got tired to give that extra effort that they didn't realize they had. The final score of the game was 62-7.

There's always something to be learned from every situation, whether it be a good one or a bad one. I'm amazed of the good attitude that our girls have, one of them made the comment, "I have nothing to be embarrassed about because I did my best. This is my claim to fame. I'm part of a team that set a new high school record." At least she hasn't lost her sense of humor.

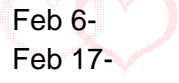
Each year we start with a brand new team. None of our girls have ever played organized basketball before, so they're learning as they go. Christian Heritage has played together for years and have attended summer camps and tournaments. Our girls hold no ill feelings against CHS. I was very impressed with the girls last night that we didn't quit and give up. That shows their character and what they're learning during this season.





## Calendar



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- Feb 6- No Devotional  
Feb 17- Parent Teachers Conference 6:00-7:30  
Feb 18- Parent Seminar-WRA Girls' Spiritual Living Center 8:00-3:00  
Feb 20- No Devotional-Pres Day Holiday  
Feb 21- No School-Pres Day
- Apr 1- 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Ends  
Apr 3- No Devotional Conference  
Apr 4- 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter Begins  
Apr 15 - Spring Gala Fundraiser  
Apr 22- No School- Good Friday  
Apr 24- No Devotional- Easter
- May 8- No Devotional-Mother's Day  
May 23-27- Parent Retreat- This is an overnight camping activity with your child.  
Each therapist and their case load will be assigned certain days to go.  
More details will be coming in the next e-mails.
- May 29- No Devotional-Memorial Day Holiday  
May 30- No School-Memorial Day
- June 10- 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter Ends  
June 13- Summer Quarter Begins  
June 19- No Devotional Father's Day
- Jul 3- No Devotional Independence Day Holiday  
Jul 4- No School Independence Day  
Jul 11-22- Boys' Camp Hanna  
Jul 21-22- Boys' Parent Retreat Overnighter @ Camp Hanna  
Jul 24- No Devotional-Pioneer Day Holiday  
Jul 25-Aug 5-- Girls' Camp Hanna
- Aug 4-5- Girls' Parent Retreat Overnighter @ Camp Hanna  
Aug 19- Summer Quarter Ends  
Aug 22- 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Begins
- Sept 4- No Devotional Labor Day Holiday  
Sept 5- No School Labor Day  
Sept 12-16- Parent Retreat- This is an overnight camping activity with your child.  
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- Oct 2- No Devotional Conference



Oct 20-22- Scarecrow Festival

Nov 3- Parent Teachers Conference

Nov 4- Parent Seminar-WRA Girls' Spiritual Living Center

Nov 24-25- No School Thanksgiving

Nov 27- No Devotional



Dec 25- No Devotional Christmas Day

Dec 26-Jan 1- No School



### **Boys Basketball Schedule:**

Feb 4- @ CHS 5:30/7:00

Feb 9- @ St Joseph 5:30/7:00

Feb 11- Mt Vernon 5:30/7:00

Feb 15- @ SLL 5:30/7:00

Feb 18- @ ICS 5:30/7:00

Feb 22- CHS 5:30/7:00

Mar 2-5- State Tournament TBA



### **Girls Basketball Schedule:**

Feb 8- @ St Joseph's 5:30/7:00

Feb 16-19- State Tournament TBA



### **Parent Seminar**

"Tools for Parenting" is the theme for this Parent Seminar. We'll have a continental breakfast from 8:00-8:30. The presenter's will be Erin Shepherd-The Significant 7, Lori Burt-Positive Discipline, Eric Allred-How Technology Affects Kids, and John Ogden-Positive Assets. They will be discussing the books Positive Discipline by Jane Nelsen and Developing Capable People by H Stephen Glenn and Jane Nelsen. We hope you'll be able to attend, please **RSVP your therapist by Tues Feb 8<sup>th</sup>** so that we can get a count for lunch, thanks.

