

THE BEACON



Laramie Christian Academy's Newsletter

For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. Jer 29:11

PARTNERSHIP THROUGH PAIDEIA

Laramie Christian Academy exists to partner with parents to provide students with academic excellence, biblical knowledge and values and a resilient hope in Jesus Christ.

Taking cue from scripture where parents are commanded to bring up their children in the "paideia" (education, upbringing, culture) of the Lord, Ephesians 6:4. This partnership with LCA allows for students to continue throughout their day in the same belief and value system as the one their children experience at home.

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Rather than having to put aside their Bible and never mention their belief in God, while learning about the very world He created, students are taught that two plus two is four because a God of order created it to be so.

Students can embrace God in all and through all that they do through out the school in every subject. On average students spend 35 hours per week at school. When these hours are spent in an environment that agrees with what a child learns at home, students are positioned on a firm foundation for success against life's storms.

Anyone who listens to my teaching and follows it is wise, like a person who builds a house on solid rock. Matthew 7:24

Time spent at LCA not only allows students to listen to Jesus' teaching throughout every aspect of the day but provides an optimum environment for a child's faith to grow solid becoming equipped for the world in which they grow up to live.

ALL SCHOOLS REINFORCE SOME TYPE OF PAIDEIA.

The difference is that classical Christian schools intentionally design their programs to form a Christian paideia. -- classicalchristian.org/what-is-paideia/



LCA students worked with a generous donor to pack shoeboxes for operation Christmas child on October 31. Packing over 53 boxes, students contributed a "wow" item, a small feature toy/item, and worked to organize and fit as many things as possible into the boxes. Each class prayed for the children receiving their boxes and for the opening of hearts to the gospel. Thank you to all for such a great packing party.



VEE BAR RANCH -- FIELD TRIP

FAMILY IMPACT

Our field trip to the Vee Bar Ranch was a splendid fall outing. Breezy and snow speckled weather still could not dampen the enthusiasm of neither the students nor the ranch staff as we headed out, beginning our day with a horse drawn wagon ride. students were given a tour of the hay barn/loft, the cattle truck, and had the opportunity to meet some of the many variety of livestock animals at home at Vee Bar. We then headed to the indoor arena for a presentation by Bailey Kilmer, daughter of Kari and Brent, who taught LCA students about horses, horse hooves and equine husbandry. Our final ranch experience included eating lunch in the guest dining room before we headed back to the Academy for the remainder of our day. LCA is truly thankful to the Vee Bar for their gracious hospitality and the many lessons learned this day.



DATES TO REMEMBER

OCT 20 -- FIRST QUARTER ENDS

OCT 25 -- PARENT TEACHER CONFRENCES

OCT 26-27 -- NO SCHOOL -- FALL BREAK

NOV 06-07 -- NO SCHOOL-- VOTING & DEVELOPMENT

NOV 22-24 -- NO SCHOOL -- THANKSGIVING BREAK

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ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE
BIBLE INTEGRATION
RESILIENT HOPE IN JESUS

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