



The Patriot Times

Brought to you by the students of Charlton Heston Academy

Merry Christmas NO SCHOOL - December 22, 2014-January 4, 2015 **Happy New Year**

BASKETBALL SEASON KICKS OFF



Boys High School Basketball

Left to right: Ryan Marshall, Josh Lisieki, Kaiyden Walsh, Zach Allen, Tyler Curns, Morgan Smith, Brandon Hatfield, Anthony Peters, Patrick Fink



Girls High School Basketball

Left to right: Breanna Timmons, Julia Balamenti, Morgan Ludwig, Morgan Simmons, Taylor Sinischo, Lexi Chapman, Hailey Cooper, Keena Romps, Felicity Kimball, Felicity Soares, Faith Kimball Not pictured: Dana Burns



Boys Middle School Basketball

Left to right: Michael Stockman, Matt Bennett, Luke Richards, Devon Austin, Brandon Austin, Kyle Franzen, Tyler Lorenz



Girls Middle School Basketball

Back row left to right: Samantha Jarosz, Logan Backus, Maddie Huntley, Jessie Wilson, Danielle Marshall. Coach Evans Front row left to right: Lea Sadler, Skye Ritchings, Isabella Adair, Alyssa Koler, Desiree White

Celebrating Christmas

by Kaylee Bryzelak
Christians celebrate Christmas Day as the anniversary of the birth of Jesus of Nazareth, a spiritual leader whose teachings form the basis of their religion but, other people celebrate it in other ways. Some of the popular customs include exchanging gifts, decorating Christmas trees, attending church, sharing meals with family and friends and, of

course, waiting for Santa Claus to arrive.

December 25 (Christmas Day) has been a federal holiday in the United States since 1870. Christmas is one of the major holidays in America, and it is celebrated by many people. Breanna Meir said that "All of my family comes over and we have dinner and listen to Christmas music." Kyle Bee said "We check out the

stockings then we open up all of our presents." Amanda Hart celebrates Christmas by "putting up the Christmas tree, and opening up a few presents." Alexis Emerick said "We wake up early in the morning, [then] annoy our parents until they wake up, and eat breakfast. We open up presents and we eat candy." Have a merry Christmas, everyone!



Join the fun at the St. Helen Christmas Parade December 5th

by Danielle Marshall
Attention every one of all ages! You are invited to the St. Helen Christmas Parade. The St. Helen Optimist Club organized this event. It will take place on December 5, 2014. Line up begins at the Veteran's Memorial at 5 p.m. It kicks off at six though. One hour to get ready for the show! Best in theme, best in parade, and best spiritual float are the 3 different categories. Maybe you could be awarded one. This year's theme is "Frozen" as in the

movie. They don't have any entry fee or pre-registration.

The Optimist Club president Tim LaVere can help with any questions you might have. (Phone Number: 389-7222) The parade will be ending at the Richfield Township Hall. Everyone will be able to go inside being treated to cookies, hot chocolate, face painting, and to have a chat with the ol' St. Nick. You will also be treated to a free picture with Santa Claus. "Past years have been a success!" Kaleena

Graham an 8th grade CHA student said. She has been a part of the parade multiple times. She also said that she likes how people decorated their vehicles just to be a part of the Christmas parade.

Many Charlton Heston Academy students participate in this holiday event such as Angel Brethauer. Last year she was dressed as an angel for a Christmas float.

Hope to see everyone there! This year will be fun, and Santa Claus wants to see people of all ages.

"Box Tops" and "Labels for Education" contest underway

by Kaylee Bryzelak
From October 1 to December 18 there is a labels contest going on in Charlton Heston Academy. The class with the most Labels from each color wins a popcorn Day. The

overall class who collects the most labels in their entire school, wins a pizza party. To turn in labels they can be turned into your homeroom teacher. After winter break winners will be an-

nounced. People participating may bring in Box Tops and Labels of Education. Reminder, no expired labels will be used.

For more details on what labels are collected see page 3.

Mitten tree set up at CHA

by Alyssa Davies
CHA has decided to keep all of the students this winter nice and warm. Tracy Richards has helped put up a small Christmas tree in the walk in right when

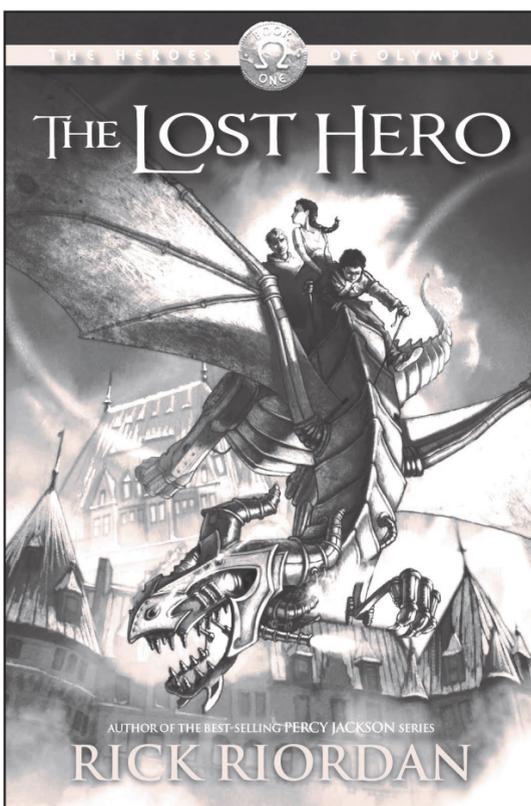
you get to school. She decorated it with mittens, hats, and scarves. Students are allowed to take a pair of mittens or hat as they need them. Lexia Sutton said " I like the

mitten tree because kids that are cold can get warm with mittens." How wonderful is this. Remember staying warm is very important.



Left to right: Emma Phovemire (grade 2), Fiona Kimball (grade 2), Khloe Bohm (grade 1), Mason Hodnett (grade k), and Owen Romancky (grade 1)

Book Review-The Lost Hero



Of Olympus" book series, which follows the events of the former series. The first book, "The Lost Hero", introduces new characters, story, and even an entirely new group of demigods. It starts with this demigod, Jason Grace, waking up on a field trip bus of a school, not remembering who he is and where he came from. After being attacked by Venti, Jason and two other new characters travel to Camp Half-Blood. And all the way, a new enemy more powerful than the previous Kronos is beginning to awaken. If you like exciting books that keep you in suspense amidst their plots, then "The Lost Hero" and the other "Heroes of Olympus" books are just right for you.

by Dryden Pierce
I'm sure most of you are familiar with Rick Riordan's "Percy Jack-

son & The Olympians" series, right? Well recently, Riordan released "The Heroes

Parking lot changes for safety

by Ryan Marshall

There is an expansion of parking space that has opened on the south side of the parking lot at CHA.

There is still plenty of work that continues for the new driveway system, which will separate cars and busses.

Parents are advised to pay attention to the no parking signs. When you park at the sidewalk, you create a dangerous blind-spot because it is hard to see small children when trying to make their way through the parking lot. The no parking signs are very visible and should not be ignored. Obey the law and keep kids safe.

The new driveway system should be done in the spring.



Phone technology changing

by Lilly Tucker

We all know technology has changed very much in the past 30 years. In the 1980's most kids only had 1 house phone in the whole house. It was

only used for calling! Just imagine trying to talk to your best friend while your dad is trying to make a business call. Nowadays our families have a phone per person. And even a

house phone along with your own cell phone! Our new iPhone or iPad or cell phones would have been a fantasy to 1980's kids and now we have them!

Then and Now



November Patriots of the Month



Charlton Heston Academy has nominated the November 2014 Patriots of the Month

Back row left to right: Zach Allan (grade 10), Gavin Estep (grade 6), Corbin Smith (grade 3/4), Garrett Hardenburgh (grade 7), Roseann Johnson (grade 9), Coach Mark Huntley; Middle Row left to right: Hudson Stevens (grade 5), Jevon Dodson (grade 3), Makayla McDaniel (grade 1), Daniel Hardenburgh (grade 4) Front row left to right: Navaeh Martray (grade 1), Brock Lamie (grade k), Dillon Teed (grade 2), Karissa Hawkins (grade k), and Ava Lamie (grade 2). Not pictured is Alyson Ambler (grade 8), Easton Huntley (grade pre-k), and Shelby Recker (grade pre-k).

Box Tops and Labels for Education continue throughout the year so be sure to save them and bring them to school. Here is a resource page that will show you many of the brands and/or products that you can find Box Tops and Labels for Education on. You can visit either website for more details.



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CEREAL



- Basic 4™
- Cascadian Farm™
- Cascadian Farm™ Protein Granola
- Cheerios™
- Chex™
- Cinnamon Toast Crunch™
- Cocoa Puffs™
- Cookie Crisp™
- Fiber One™
- Gluten Free Chex™ Oatmeal
- Golden Grahams™
- Honey Nut Clusters™
- Kix™
- Lucky Charms™
- Nature Valley™ Protein Crunchy Granola
- Oatmeal Crisp™
- Raisin Nut Bran
- Reese's Puffs®
- Total™
- Trix™
- Wheaties™

FOOD STORAGE



- Ziploc® brand Big Bags XL (4 ct.)
- Ziploc® brand Freezer Bags
- Ziploc® brand Smart Snap Containers
- Ziploc® brand Storage Bags
- Ziploc® brand Twist 'n Lock Containers
- Ziploc® brand VersaGlass® Containers
- Ziploc® brand Vacuum Freezer System
- Ziploc® brand Zip 'n Steam™ Bags

BAKING & BAKEWARE



- Betty Crocker™ Baking & Cake Mixes
- Betty Crocker™ Brownies & Dessert Mixes
- Betty Crocker™ Complete Pancake
- Betty Crocker™ Create 'n' Bake Cookies
- Betty Crocker™ Frosting
- Betty Crocker™ FUN da-Middles
- Betty Crocker™ Gluten Free Mixes
- Betty Crocker™ Muffin & Cookie Mixes
- Betty Crocker™ Pizza Crust Mix
- Bisquick™
- Fiber One™ Mixes
- Gold Medal™ Flour
- Reynolds® Genuine Parchment Paper
- Reynolds® Non-Stick Baking Pans
- Reynolds® StayBright Baking Cups

PRODUCE



- Green Giant™ Fresh Vegetables
- Green Giant™ Fresh Fruit
- Green Giant™ Fresh Herbs

FROZEN



- Green Giant™ Vegetables
 - Green Giant™ Seasoned Steamers™
 - Green Giant™ Just for One™
 - Green Giant™ Family Size Frozen Vegetables
 - Green Giant™ Valley Fresh Steamers
- Pillsbury™ Breakfast
 - Pillsbury™ Grands! Biscuit Sandwiches
 - Pillsbury™ Pancakes
 - Pillsbury™ Toaster Scrambles™
 - Pillsbury™ Toaster Strudel™
- Old El Paso™ Frozen Entrees
- Totino's™ Party Pizza® & Pizza Rolls® Snacks
- Yoplait Frozen Yogurt Bars
- Yoplait Frozen Yogurt Original and Greek Pints
- Yoplait Smoothies and Greek Smoothies

MEALS & SIDES



- Betty Crocker™ Bowl Appetit
- Betty Crocker™ Hamburger, Chicken & Tuna Helpers
- Betty Crocker™ Helper Complete Meals
- Betty Crocker™ Mac & Cheese
- Betty Crocker™ Specialty Potatoes & Potato Buds
- Betty Crocker™ Suddenly Salad
- Green Giant™ Canned Vegetables
- Green Giant™ Veggie Blend-Ins
- Old El Paso™ Dinner Kits
- Old El Paso™ Bowls
- Old El Paso™ Rice & Beans
- Old El Paso™ Shells & Seasonings
- Progresso™ Panko
- Progresso™ Bread Crumb Mixers™
- Progresso™ Recipe Starters™
- Progresso™ Soup
- Progresso™ Broth

REFRIGERATED & DAIRY



- Alpine Lace® Pre-Sliced Deli Cheese
- Horizon Organic Milk:
 - Milk Plus DHA Omega-3 (18/8 oz)
 - Reduced Fat Milk with DHA Omega-e (3/64 oz)
- Kozy Shack® Pudding
- Land O'Lakes® Cheese Products
 - Chunk Cheese varieties
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 - Land O'Lakes® Fresh Buttery Taste® Spread (Sticks and tubs)
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- Pillsbury™ Grands! Biscuits
- Pillsbury™ Pizza Crust
- Pillsbury™ Cookies
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- Pillsbury™ Pancake Batter
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 - Yoplait® Kids Multipack
 - Yoplait® Trix Multipack

SNACKS & JUICES



- Betty Crocker™ Fruit Flavored Snacks
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- Cascadian Farm™ Granola Bars
- Cereal Treat Bars
- Cheerios™ Snack Mix
- Chex Mix™
 - Bars
 - Brownies
 - Cookies
 - Streusel
- Food Should Taste Good™
 - Food Should Taste Good™ Tortilla & Kettle Cooked Chips
 - Food Should Taste Good™ Pita Puffs
- Gardetto's™ Snacks
- Green Giant™ Veggie Snack Chips
- LARABAR™ (multipacks)
 - ALT™
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 - LARABAR™
- Larabar™ RENOLA Grain Free Granola
- Mott's® Applesauce products
- Mott's® Juice
- Mott's® Medleys Fruit Flavored Snacks
- Nature Valley™ Bars
- Pillsbury™ Baguette Chips
- Ocean Spray® Fruit Flavored Snacks

PAPER PRODUCTS



- Kleenex® Facial Tissues
 - Kleenex® Mainline Flats (160 ct., 195 ct., 230 ct. and multipacks)
 - Kleenex® Ultra Multipacks
 - Kleenex® Anti-Viral
- Scott® Bath Tissue
- Scott® Paper Towels
- Scott Naturals™ Flushable Cleansing Cloths

SCHOOL & OFFICE SUPPLIES



- Boise Polaris® Paper

TABLEWARE



- Hefty® Deluxe™ Plates and Platters
- Hefty® Easy Grip® Cups
- Hefty® Everyday™ Cups
- Hefty® Everyday™ Soak Proof Plates and Bowls
- Hefty® Printed Cups
- Hefty® Style Plates
- Kleenex® Dinner Napkins (50 ct.)

WASTE BAGS



- Hefty® Blackout Tall Kitchen Drawstring Bags
- Hefty® Cinch Sak Large Trash Bags and Lawn & Leaf Bags
- Hefty® Easy Flaps® Tall Kitchen Bags and Large Trash Bags
- Hefty® OdorBlock® Tall Kitchen Drawstring Bags
- Hefty® Renew® Tall Kitchen Bags and Trash Bags
- Hefty® SteelSak® Trash Bags
- Hefty® Twist Tie Tall Kitchen Bags and Trash and Lawn & Leaf Bags
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Day of Discovery for Newspaper Team at 9&10 News Station

by Luke Richards

During November, CHA's newspaper team got to pay a visit to 9 & 10 news station. We got to sit in on the lunchtime program and watch the news team do their thing. Danielle Marshall said "It was amazing!" And

I agree to her statement. Dryden Pierce said "It was a life changing experience watching news professionals do their job." 9 & 10 news goes live all across Michigan as far as Marquette to Mt. Pleasant. The news station is very neat and

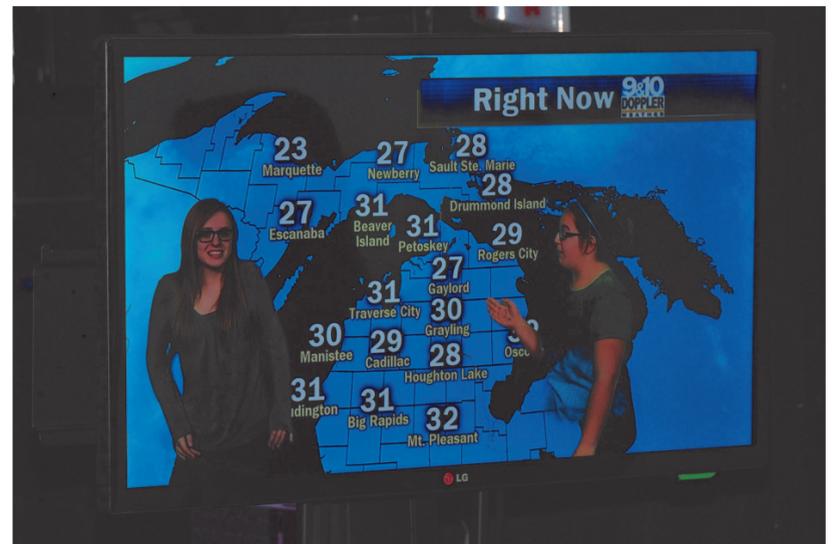
some of the equipment was really cool. This was the second field trip the newspaper team has been on this year, and we are all looking forward to future experiences during newspaper.



Kaylee Brace demonstrates what happens when you wear green in front of the green screen for showing the weather forecast



Our host Trisha Dodd took the team on a tour of the station. Here she shows the many awards the station has received.



Lilly Tucker and Alyssa Davies team up to show the current temperatures in the Northern Michigan area



Michelle Dunaway takes time to get to know the CHA Newspaper Team as she chats with everyone after the broadcast



Nicole Marshall demonstrates the incoming snow on the radar which showed steady snowfall through the afternoon



Weatherman Michael Stevens, Dryden Pierce, Ryan Marshall, Nicole Marshall, Felicity Soares, Lilly Tucker, Michelle Dunaway, Kaylee Bryzelak, Danielle Marshall, Alyssa Davies, Kaylee Brace, Jillian Howell, and Breanna Timmons after the newscast that takes place at noon. The group toured the station to learn about ad sales, reporters, and the tech staff and then sat in the studio to watch the noon segment. Trisha Dood was an exceptional host and very informative to all of our questions