

# Board Briefs

**FORT WORTH CHRISTIAN SCHOOL  
BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING  
November 10, 2009**

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Mike Chase at 7:08 p.m. All board members were present except for Keith Pickett. Jay Goin led the devotional.

After approval of the September 9, 2009, minutes, Kelly Moore gave the President's Report.

The calendar for 2010-2011 was presented and approved. A copy of the calendar is on page two of this report.

The Board approved the proposal from Hahnfeld Hoffer Stanford to provide us with a base assessment of the condition of the Cardinal Gym, high school, middle school, and elementary school buildings. They will also help develop a master plan of what, where and when we could construct additional buildings in the future.

Brian Miller, Colin Madding, and Brooks Kennedy gave a presentation on how we are using new technology in our high school classes to deliver electronic instruction. Mr. Madding showed how this mode of teaching encourages the quieter student to participate, and meets all students where they are – online. Mr. Miller explained that in addition to supplementing classroom learning, we could also offer online courses to accommodate transferring students who need more credits, or students who need to work, etc... We can expand this to include home schooled students, parents, etc... Goin concurred that it could, in fact, become nationwide. Seminars, such as the one on internet safety that Kathy Ford recently presented, could be broadcast online. The possibilities are endless. We will continue to investigate and learn how to incorporate technology in and out of the classroom.

Next Board Meeting –January 12, 7:00 p.m.

# FORT WORTH CHRISTIAN SCHOOL CALENDAR 2010-2011



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Classes Begin: August 17  
Classes End: May 27

**Student & Staff Holidays**

Sept. 6	Labor Day
Oct. 11	Fall Break
Nov. 22-26	Thanksgiving Break
Dec. 20-31	Christmas Break
Jan. 17	M. L. King Day
Feb. 4, 7	Family Break
Feb. 14	Presidents' Day
Mar. 14-18	Spring Break
Apr. 22, 25	Easter Break

**Bad Weather Make-Up Days**

Feb. 7	Apr. 25
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**Student Noon Dismissal**

Aug. 17 (Elem)	Dec. 17
Sept. 15	Apr. 6
Oct. 13	May 26-27
Nov. 19	

**Staff Development (no school for students)**

- August 11 (new teachers)
- August 12, 13, 16
- January 3
- May 31

**Reporting Periods**

- Aug. 17-Oct. 8 (38)
- Oct. 12-Dec. 17 (44)
- Jan. 4-Mar. 11 (45)
- Mar. 21-May 27 (48)

**HS/MS Semester Exams**

Dec. 15-17	May 25-27
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**Special Dates**

Nov. 19	Grandparents' Day
May 22	Baccalaureate
May 27	Graduation

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