



**Unity Christian High School
Orange City, IA
Roundtable
Wed., May 12, 2021**

Dear Parents,

This is the final Roundtable of the year. We give thanks to God for a stable and somewhat normal 20-21!

Looking forward, we are excited to send off the graduating class of 2021 into the next chapter of life! They have been a wonderful and fun group of seniors.

We are excited to begin our building project this Fall. The steel has been ordered, and lots of plans are taking shape.

Please pray for Unity as we seek to fill positions that remain open. We are grateful for those who have joined us so far in the hiring process.

Summer is going to be a wonderful time of rest and refreshment. Praying that for you and your students.

In Christ,

Mr. Dykstra

Calendar

Wed., May 12	Senior Awards Assembly/Celebration Chapel
Thur., May 13	11:50 a.m. Dismissal – Tulip Festival 4:00 p.m. State Qualifying Track Meet at West Sioux <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Leave at 2:30 4:30 p.m. Boys Soccer vs. West Sioux at Home
Fri., May 14	11:50 a.m. Dismissal – Tulip Festival 10:00 a.m. Boys Golf Sectional at Sheldon <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bus leaves at 8:15 a.m.
Sat., May 15	FFA Petting Zoo – Downtown Orange City
Mon., May 17	10:00 a.m. Girls Golf Regional at Mapleton <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bus leaves at 7:00 a.m. 4:30 p.m. Girls Soccer vs. Storm Lake at Home 5:00 p.m. Boys Soccer vs. Storm Lake Away <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dismiss at 2:45 p.m. and leave at 3:00 p.m.
Tue., May 18	No Chapel Noon – Moms in Prayer



7:00 p.m. Spring Concert

Thur., May 20 State Track at Drake University
5:00 p.m. Girls Soccer vs. West Sioux Away
Leave at 3:45 p.m.
10:00 a.m. Boys District Golf at Whispering Creek in Sioux City

Fri., May 21 Seniors Last Day of Classes
State Track at Drake University

Sat., May 22 State Track at Drake University

Mon., May 24 Senior Capstones
10:00 a.m. Girls Golf Regional at Hull
Boys Soccer District Tournament – TBA
5:30 p.m. JV/V Softball and Baseball vs. RSM at Home

Tue., May 25 12:00 p.m. Moms in Prayer

Wed. May 26 11:50 a.m. Dismissal
Semester Exams Periods 1,4,7

Thur., May 27 11:50 a.m. Dismissal
Semester Exams Periods 2,6,3
Boys State Golf at Fort Dodge
7:00 p.m. Graduation in the Knight Center

Fri., May 28 11:50 a.m. Dismissal
Semester Exams Periods 8,5, make up slot
5:30 p.m. JV/V Softball and Baseball vs. Gehlen Catholic at Home
Boys State Golf at Fort Dodge

Sat., May 29 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. **FFA End of Year Celebration** in the Knight Center.

Tue., June 1 Girls State Golf at Marshalltown
Boys State Soccer at Des Moines
Girls Soccer Regional Tournament – TBA
11:00 a.m. 9th Baseball Double Hitter at MMCRU
5:30 p.m. JV/V Softball and Baseball vs. Hinton Away

- Bus leaves at 4:10 p.m.

Wed., June 2 Girls State Golf at Marshalltown
5:30 p.m. JV/V Softball and Baseball vs. Akron-Westfield Away

- Bus leaves at 4:00 p.m.

Thur., June 3 Boys State Soccer at Des Moines
5:30 p.m. JV/V Girls and Boys Softball and Baseball vs. HLP at Home

Fri., June 4 Girls Regional Soccer Tournament - TBA
11:00 a.m. 9th Softball and Baseball vs. MOC-FV – Double Hitter

Sat., June 5	Boys State Soccer at Des Moines 12:00 p.m. Varsity Baseball and Softball Tournament at MOC-FV
Mon., June 7	4:30 p.m. JV/V Softball and Baseball vs. Trinity Christian Away <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bus leaves at 3:15 p.m.
Tue., June 8	Girls Soccer Tournament at Des Moines 5:30 p.m. JV/V Softball and Baseball vs. West Sioux Away <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bus leaves at 4:15 p.m.
Wed., June 9	Girls Soccer Tournament at Des Moines

Announcements

Congratulations to Ms. Kris Talsma who received the Iowa History Day, senior division, teacher of the year!

Congratulations to the following golfers who made All-Conference Teams:

1st Team – Kerri Kroeze, Laura Beltman, Jack Noteboom, Titan Hulstein

2nd Team – Dayton Visser and Lauren Vande Griend

Auditions for the 2021-2022 Concert Choir begin this week. Students desiring to audition must have taken Chorale. Contact Mr. Van Voorst if you have questions or would like to sign up for an audition.

Auditions for The Cast and two one acts will be May 19 after school. Cast auditions will be in the Knight Center with Mrs. Gomez. Sign up in Ms. Van Dyke's room on her door.

The Unity Christian music department will be presenting their Spring Concert on Tuesday, May 18 in the Knight Center. The instrumental portion of the evening will begin at 7:00 with the Orchestra followed by the Symphonic Band. Following a brief intermission, the vocal portion of the evening will begin around 7:45 with Chorale, Mannenkoor, Knightsounds, and Concert Choir performing. The evening will conclude with combined choirs and a string and wind ensemble performing "Behold Our God." A freewill offering will be received for the music department.

Graduation 2021 at Unity Christian High School will be held on Thursday, May 27 at 7:00 p.m. in the Knight Center. The ceremony will be live streamed.

Clean-a-thon: The Unity Christian students and staff braved the drizzly afternoon to clean up 60 miles of Sioux County's roadside ditches. **The Cleanathon** is a fundraiser that blesses Unity's general fund, and it's not too late to donate! Donation forms can be found in Unity's office and are welcome up to May 28.

Summer Office Hours will be from 9:00 – 12:00 Monday through Thursday mornings starting June 1. There may be some mornings when no one is in the office so it is best to call before stopping in. Friday the office will closed. The office will be closing at noon on May 25-28.

Lost & Found: Items that have been left around the school and in locker rooms over the second semester will be on a lost and found table in the Courtyard. The table will be cleared on May 28 and anything left donated to Bibles for Missions.

All library books need to be returned to the library before exams can be taken. For those books not returned to the library, there is a \$15 replacement cost. Thanks! Mrs.Byl

All tuition and lunch fees must be paid before exams this week. Your tuition and lunch accounts can be viewed on JMC. If you have any questions contact bforeman@unitychristian.net

Thank you for the money raised from our Box Lunch Social! \$4,155.00 was raised and was distributed to One Vision Haiti and One Body One Hope Liberia. Great job guys on preparing delicious meals!

Thank you to the Unity Auxiliary and Booster Club for all their work and service they have blessed Unity with this school year!

Job Openings at Unity

Unity Christian High School is looking for varsity assistant football coaches for this upcoming season. We are looking for a JV offensive coordinator (also help with varsity position groups). We are also looking for position coaches. Multiple positions are open and we will assign positions based on best fit. Assistant coaches get a position on each side of the ball. Possible offensive positions include OL, RB, QB. All defensive positions are also open. If you are interested please contact head coach Josh Van Kempen at jvankempen@unitychristian.net.

Full time Art instructor for the 2021-2022 school year. If you are interested in learning more about the position and our hiring process, please contact Wayne Dykstra at wdykstra@unitychristian.net or 712-737-4114.

New paraprofessional position. This hourly position will begin in the 3rd week of August and go through to the end of the 21-22 school year in the 4th week of May. Work hours are expected to be from 8:15 a.m. until 3:45 p.m. each day. To learn more about the position contact Mrs. Dana Broers at 712-737-4114 or at dbroers@unitychristian.net. Applications can be found on our website: <https://www.unitychristian.net/employment>