# **ASHA STEVENS HILLSIDE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL**



## MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

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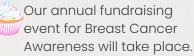


## **Spotlight**

Behind every confident student is a teacher who believed in them first. Your impact is immeasurable, and your work is deeply appreciated. Dear teachers, thank you for all that you do! Happy World Teachers' Day!

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Pink Bake Sales
October 2<sup>nd</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> 2025



\* Pink Friday
October 24<sup>th</sup> 2025
We culminate Breast Cancer
Awareness Month with a dress
down day. Students may wear
pink tops and long jeans.

Staff Enrichment Day October 31st 2025 School will be closed for all students of the Hillside Christian Schools.

Pre -St. Martin Day

Celebration

November 10<sup>th</sup> 2025

Our program will be held from 8:30 am. Students are allowed to dress up in cultural wear, red, white, blue and unity flag colors. Please keep our dress code policy in mind.



# **An October to Remember!**

Dear parents/guardians,

This month, we look forward to continued academic progress, and building stronger connections within our school family. As a school community, annually we celebrate and appreciate our teachers

Thank you to our parents, teachers, and students for your continued dedication and support. Let's make this October one to remember!



We extend our sincere thanks to all the parents who contributed to our Pink

Bake Sales in one way or another.

Whether you donated time, funds, or simply spread the word—your support has made a meaningful impact.

Your generosity and willingness to stand with us in support of this worthy cause are truly appreciated. Together, we are not only raising awareness but also showing the power of community and compassion in action.

Thank you for helping us make a difference.



"School Safety is Everybody's Business"

School Safety Week October 20<sup>th</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup>, 2025

At Asha Stevens HCS, the safety and well-being of our students, staff, and visitors remain our highest priority. We are committed to maintaining a secure and supportive learning environment where every child feels safe, valued, and protected. Our safety measures include regular emergency drills, visitor protocols and staff trained in first aid and crisis response. We also encourage open communication between home and school, as working together helps us create a culture of awareness, responsibility, and care. By fostering a safe environment, we empower our students to learn, grow, and thrive with

Thank You, Community Readers!

We sincerely thank all our community readers for taking the time to share the joy of reading with our students. Your presence, encouragement, and love for literacy make a lasting impact. We are truly grateful for your support!

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# **Character Education**



Theme of the month:

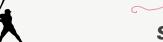
#### **RESPECT**

Treating others the way you want to be treated.

Bible Character. **Nehemiah** 

Scripture verse: 1 Peter 2:17 which says

Honor all people. Love the brotherhood. Fear God. Honor the king.



If your son or daughter is interested in joining any of our teams, please contact Coach Wattley via email at awattley@hcssxm.org or call the school's office.

Come and cheer on our school at the RBC Little League Baseball and Softball School Tournament on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> and Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October at 5:00 pm at the Erwin Baco Richardson Little League Stadium in Philipsburg.

# Photo Highlights





Congratulations to our Hillside Christian School Soccer Team A for winning the SXM Football Federation U13 Elementary School Competition.



Managers and students at the Green Dreams Youth Recyclables Exchange, Payback Center and Upcycling Event.



Students reading under the tree during our Literacy Week.



Students taking part in Reading Musical Chairs as part of our Literacy Week activities.

## **CONNECT WITH US**

Check out our Facebook page and website for upcoming events and pictures of our students.

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# Vacation Schedule 2025-2026

St. Maarten Day - November 11, 2025 Christmas Holidays - December 22, 2025 -January 2, 2026

Midterm Break 2 - February 16 & 17, 2026
Easter Holidays - April 2-6, 2026
Carnival Break - April 27 - May 1, 2026
Ascension Day Break - May 14 & 15, 2026
Emancipation Day - July 1, 2026
Last day of school - July 3, 2026
First day of new school year - August 17, 2026

## DON'T FORGET

School dismisses at 1:15 pm every Wednesday. Please remember to make arrangements to pick up your child on time.



Library bus visits at the Asha Stevens Hillside Christian School for groups 3–8 will continue until June 2026. If your child needs a library card, inform the teacher. Please continue to encourage your child to read. Readers are leaders!