



# Christian Academy Schools Eagle Vision

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Our Mission is to  
"Equip and Inspire Students to be a  
New Generation of Christ-Centered Leaders"

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## From the Desk of Head of School



### The Angels Rejoicing

Many years ago, when I accepted the Lord just before graduating from high school it was often said then and I along with many others have through the years said the same phrase, "The greatest decision you will ever make for eternity is to receive Jesus Christ as your personal Savior." That one decision changes our eternal destiny and our daily values impacting everything we say, do and think.

Today I had one of our elementary teachers bring one of her students to me with something she wanted to share. This young lady shared with me that she had accepted Jesus Christ as her personal Savior. I rejoiced with them of this news and immediately thought of the verse in Luke 15:10 and the words of Jesus, "I tell you there is rejoicing in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents." Today there was a whole lot of rejoicing going on!

It has been said that "if you aim at nothing you will hit it every time." Daily we are aiming in our classes, chapels, and all that we do to point our students to Jesus and His Word. I think of one key item for this during the past couple of weeks and then in our elementary chapel this week where the kindergarten class learned through a simple glove and five recognizable colors how to share the simple truth of the gospel.

The students did a great job on this project then shared in front of the entire chapel body the truth of the gospel. At the conclusion of their presentation the audience gave them a huge round of applause. This is something that you would not see or hear in our public schools and even many private schools. But this week and today in particular there was rejoicing over one who repented! This is just one of the reasons why so many people love Christian Academy.

God Bless,

*Dick Dray*

#### Mission Statement

*"To Equip and Inspire a New Generation of Christ-Centered Leaders."*



## Kindergarten Screening

Saturday, March 20

9 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. or 11 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

If you have a child or you know someone who has a child entering kindergarten this upcoming school year

Please have them call Mrs. McPherson at 492-7556 to schedule an appointment.

We look forward to meeting new students and welcoming them to Christian Academy Schools.

***Parents, Get the Word Out about CAS Kindergarten 2021-2022!***

## March is Re-enrollment Month for the 2021-22 School Year

March is re-enrollment month here at CAS. As God leads you to continue your child's education with Christian Academy in the 2021-2022 school year, we want to help you in that process. The re-enrollment fee is \$25 per student or \$40 per family when you re-enroll your student(s) by March 31<sup>st</sup>. After March 31, 2021, the re-enrollment fee increases to \$100. ***All that is necessary from you is to fill out the information on the form in the email that was sent or request a form be sent home with your child and return with your payment to the front desk by March 31<sup>st</sup>.*** You can also call or email the school to let us know you would like to re-enroll your student and send the payment in. It's that simple!!

## CAS Refer a Friend

PARENTS of presently enrolled students can have \$250 toward their school bill. This will be granted when the new student has been enrolled for 1 semester and is in good standing on their bill. (Example – if a CAS parent who presently has a child in K-12 refers a family with two children enrolling in CAS, that parent would receive a tuition discount of \$500 as long as the referred students remain enrolled for 1 semester). Only one referring family can be cited by a prospective family. Parents who are already receiving scholarships for tuition will be able to apply towards book fees or their family service hours. There is no cash value with this program. The amount applied to the family's account cannot exceed their balance. So... tell your family and friends about CAS!

## Seniors to Leave on Mission Trip on Sunday, March 14<sup>th</sup>

This year's senior class will be travelling to the Keyser, West Virginia area to serve with YWAM (Youth with a Mission). Students will participate in a variety of ministries working with local youth, the homeless and a women's shelter. Students will also be challenged in their faith journey through teaching, worship, and prayer. Our trip is **March 14<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup>**. Please pray for the students (JP Adkins, Jeffrey Blackford, Brooke Fishback, Zach Carter, Laurel Chalfant, Estella Hainline, Addison Morris, Cassidy Rhoades) and chaperones (Jett Blackford and Sheryl Ditmer) and those we come in contact with.

## Come One, Come All to a **Workday** at Christian Academy

Saturday, April 10<sup>th</sup>  
8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

You will be working outdoors so dress according to weather.

Bring rakes, gloves, and other outdoor items.

Water & light snacks will be provided.

This goes towards volunteer hours.

Contact Mrs. Purple if you can volunteer and help make our school beautiful!





### CAS Yard Signs Available

Would you like to get the word out about CAS? You can...by placing CAS yard signs in your yard. If interested contact Mrs. McPheron (aka: Mrs. Purple) at 937-492-7556 or email [denise.mcpheron@caseagles.org](mailto:denise.mcpheron@caseagles.org).

We are looking forward to communicating with prospective families concerning their children becoming a part of the CAS family for the 2021-22 school year.

### Elementary Students to go Outside for Recess

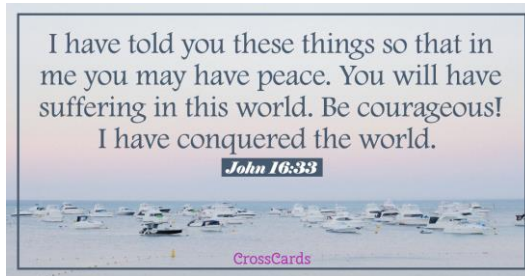
Students will be going outside for recess **when the weather is nice**. The outdoors in winter is enjoyed by the children when are dressed appropriately. There is no bad weather, just bad clothing. We encourage families to have their children wear a hat, gloves, and a coat so they can go outside and get some fresh air and exercise.

### Parents, Please Call...

... before **3 p.m.** if your child has a transportation change for the day. Also, please call the office by **8:30 a.m.** if your child will be absent or is running late for the day. If you will be picking your child up early for the day, you may send a note, send Mrs. Inman an email or give a call **by 9 a.m.** when possible. This is help with making sure your child is ready and has all needed work for the day before you arrive. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

### Upcoming Events

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| Sunday, March 14   | Turn Clocks Forward                      |
| Friday, March 19   | End of 3rd Quarter (1:30 p.m. Dismissal) |
| Saturday, March 20 | Kindergarten Screening                   |
| Spring Break       | March 22-26                              |
| Friday, April 2    | Good Friday (School Closed)              |
| April 26-April 30  | Terra Nova Testing                       |



### Verse of the Week


*“The law of the Lord is perfect, refreshing the soul. The statutes of the Lord are trustworthy, making wise the simple.”*  
*Psalm 19:7*

The Bible can refresh us. Life is hard. But the good news is that we can find refreshing in God’s Word. The Word of God is perfect, and it is there to help you when you need it. Reading your Bible can give you the wisdom and direction you need when life gets hard. So, if you’re facing something tough, or even if you’re not, know this, time spent reading God’s Word is not wasted. It’s there to refresh your soul when you’re tired and when things are hard. So, go to it! Get the refreshing you need to do what God is calling you to do!

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**For the Safety of Our Students & Staff  
 Please Drive Slow in the Parking Lot!**

## WALK-A-THON 2021

### Thursday, May 6, 2021

Brochures will be going home before spring break for students & parents to fill out and mail. There will be 20 brochures sent home for those who have one student enrolled at CAS. If you have two or more students, we are asking you to complete 25 brochures. Be thinking of those you would like to send a brochure to.

This year we have a very unique project in that our 1997 school bus is in need of replacement with a newer bus. We will be using donations from the walk-a-thon to help purchase a newer bus.

More information will be in next week's newsletter.

## CAS Memories



Karli Hiler, grade 10, giving blood for the first time.



Chemistry can be fun in Mrs. Berning's class.



Mrs. Dray loves her coffee cup. When she wants a drink, the head lifts up. Isn't it cute?



We are the Gospel Fuzzies with Good News for You and Me!

### Gospel Fuzzies

**YELLOW** stands for Heaven where I want to be.  
**BLACK** means I'm a sinner and I can't get in.  
**RED** means Jesus died, and He rose again!  
 White means I'm forgiven if I trust in Him.  
**GREEN** means I am growing more and more like Him.  
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