



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”**

Giving God the Glory



Yesterday afternoon I enjoyed going with a few of our students to nearby Dorothy Love Assisted Living where a traveling display entitled “Goliath’s Spear” was on display. Ellie Toms, Becca Keller and Peyton Smith are pictured here showing both how large the spear would have been at over 12 feet long weighing over 33 lbs. as well as how large Goliath would have been at over nine feet tall with the area on his forehead that David would have to have hit at only an area of four inches in diameter. Seeing this in perspective helped to even more make us realize the **incredible act that God performed** through David in 1 Samuel 17.

David even before his encounter with Goliath indicated in verse 45 that he came in the name of the Lord of hosts, the God of the armies of Israel, whom Goliath was taunting. God would be the source of victory for David through the words shared. **During and after the encounter David had with Goliath** the actions would show that God was the source of victory. When David’s stone hit the mark on the giant’s forehead amazingly Goliath fell forward as noted in verse 49 and not backwards as would be expected from the blow from the stone on his forehead.

It can be easy at times when encountering great things that God has done to want to try and directly or indirectly take the credit for what God has accomplished. God’s guiding Spirit in the writing of this great historical event in 1 Samuel 17 made it clear God was and is to be praised. What a wonderful reminder for us all to keep in mind.

Blessings,
Mr. Dray



Thank you and Praise the Lord

During the month of March, we had our annual focus on re-enrollment for the upcoming 2022-23 school year. Know that we never take God’s goodness for granted nor your support for CAS. Our re-enrolled student tallies are once again excellent with just a few situations to finalize. This is a major praise, and we thank the Lord for this even as we know that each year there are a few situations that arise where a student may not return.

Thanks for your prayers as we wrap up the re-enrollment process as well as are now meeting with new families and students that are looking to join our family for the upcoming school year. Remember your words of encouragement to students and families that may be interested attending here are so appreciated. Know also that your words can also result in discounts for your students during the upcoming year. Thank you again.

Mission Statement

“To Equip and Inspire a New Generation of Christ-Centered Leaders.”

CAS Work Day Rescheduled

TOMORROW'S workday has been rescheduled due to the weather forecast. It has been rescheduled for **Saturday, April 23rd** from **9 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.** Volunteers will be working outdoors. Dress according to the weather. Please, bring rakes, gloves, and other outdoor items. CAS will be providing water and light snacks. The hours worked will go towards the family volunteer hours of 20 hours a year. Contact [Mrs. Purple](#) if you would like to volunteer and help make our school more beautiful.

Spring Night on the Town

The 10th, 11th & 12th grades will be going to the Spaghetti Warehouse and Sky Zone on **Saturday, April 23rd**. Students are to arrive at CAS by **4:30 p.m.** and will be leaving at **EXACTLY 5 p.m.** Dinner is on your own but remember the tax and tip. The cost of Sky Zone Glow Night is \$35 which includes a glow in the dark t-shirt and socks. The \$35 is due **NO LATER** than **Thursday, April 14th**. After **April 14th** the cost is \$45. Please give cash or check to [Mrs. Purple](#). Bring jeans or a sweatshirt to change in to after supper.

Formal dress: Chapel dress or nicer. ALL students are to sign a **Student Covenant form**. Return forms to [Mrs. Purple](#). Guests are welcome. They need to have a **Guest Request form** signed by their parents and their school administrator. They are located in the informational rack. Return forms to [Mrs. Purple](#).

Princess Night for K-4th Grades

ATTENTION all princesses in Kindergarten thru 4th grades! You have been invited to a celebration at Christian Academy Schools on **Friday, April 22nd** from **6 p.m.— 8 p.m.** The K-4th girls will have the opportunity to have their hair done, create a crown/wand, have their picture taken in front of the magical castle, enjoy a tea party, and play princess-themed games hosted by the Student Council princesses.

Come dressed in your royal gowns! The admission to this event is **\$5** each. All profits will go toward the Student Council's upcoming events in 2022-2023. You can give your \$5 to [Mrs. Purple](#). Our princesses can't wait to meet you and see your beautiful faces and see your dresses!

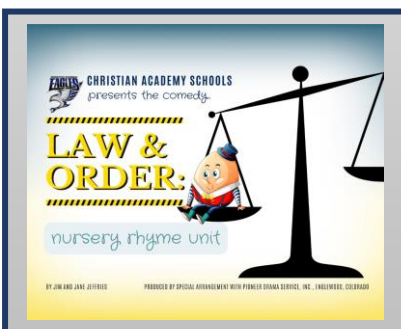


Fellowship of Christian Athletes Banquet

As some of you may know, we were able to start an FCA (Fellowship of Christian Athletes) huddle here at CAS this year! We are off to a good start with 10 members consistently involved in our weekly devotional luncheons. These have led to insightful conversations amongst our members, especially in area of Christian leadership in sports.

FCA (District 8) will be hosting its annual banquet **Sunday, April 24th** at **5 p.m.** in Lima recognizing local student huddle leaders and senior scholarship recipients from several area schools throughout Shelby and surrounding counties. Huddle members and families, coaches, administrators, and local pastors are welcome to attend. It is a dress-casual event. The cost is \$10 for students and \$15 for adults. This is a good opportunity to meet other Christian athletes in our area and see the impact FCA has had on the community by bringing others to know Jesus. If you are interested in attending, please contact Mrs. Berryman at kendra.berryman@caseagles.org by **Thursday, April 14th** for tickets.

We are looking forward to our students keeping up with their huddle devotionals over the summer and being able to reach more people in sharing the Gospel!



CAS Spring Play Law & Order: Nursery Rhyme Unit

Come out and see our Spring Play at the Historic Sidney Theater on **Friday, April 29th @ 7 p.m.**; **Saturday, April 30th @ 2 p.m. and 7 p.m.**; and **Sunday, May 1st at 7 p.m.** This year, we'll be producing "Law & Order: Nursery Rhyme Unit," a play of c-rhyme and pun-ishment! Our key detective and his pun-slinging sidekick are called to investigate a crime scene where a Mister Humpty Dumpty has been found shattered (and foul play is suspected). They have one hour to solve the crime and bring justice to our world of crazy nursery rhyme characters. Tickets will be on sale SOON!

WALK-A-THON 2022 Thursday, May 12th at Tawawa Park

The CAS Walk-a-thon will be held on **Thursday, May 12th** at Tawawa Park. We are looking forward to a fun-filled day of walking, games, prizes, fun, and food. This year we will be using donations from the walk-a-thon for our parking lot and playground equipment.

Adventure Days Scheduled as a Reward for Students Completed Brochures!

On **Friday, May 13th**, all elementary students will enjoy a day of celebrating their accomplishment of mailing their brochures. The students and teachers will be traveling to Marmon Valley Farm in Zanesfield, Ohio. Students are to bring their disposable lunch and drink.

Middle School & High School Adventure Day will be held on **Tuesday, May 17th** for students who mailed their brochures. Students will receive a fun day at Western Ohio Christian Camp in Houston. A few of the activities will be volleyball, kickball, octa ball, basketball, and much more. Lunch will be provided.

Are You Completing Your Brochures?

Families are sending out their brochures and donations are coming in. If you have not given Mrs. Pu your brochures do so by these dates for your child to receive these awards:

- 👉 **April 11-April 22:** 1 short pass, candy bar with a chance to win up to \$20, Adventure Day.
- 👉 **April 25-May 6:** Candy bar with a chance to win up to \$20, Adventure Day.
- 👉 **May 9-May 12:** Adventure Day

Here's How We are Doing as of Friday, April 8th

Kindergarten: 83%	5 th Grade: 82%	10 th Grade: 64%
1 st Grade: 82%	6 th Grade: 100%	11 th Grade: 67%
2 nd Grade: 100%	7 th Grade: 50%	12 th Grade: 75%
3 rd Grade: 100%	8 th Grade: 86%	Staff: 87%
4 th Grade: 93%	9 th Grade: 88%	

Mrs. Purple Says,
"Let's get 100%
participation in all grades.
I know we can do it!"

Verse of the Week

"Walk with the wise and become wise; associate with fools and get in trouble." Proverbs 13:20

If you choose to make smart friendships, you'll find that you'll be challenged and avoid a lot of trouble in your life. It might be hard to say no to a bad friendship or relationship but realize that you're worth it. Your future is important enough to say no to a bad relationship. Choose today to walk with wise people. Get advice from wise people and have close relationships with those who challenge you to be better and get closer to God. [Copied from studentdevos.com](http://studentdevos.com)



Lots and Lots of Lost Items

Coats, jackets, shirts, pants, water bottles, and much more have been lost by your children! The items will be located on tables located in the school hallway on **Wednesday, April 13th** and **Thursday, April 14th**. Following Easter break the lost items will be gone forever. Parents are welcome to stop in and go through the items on those two days listed above.



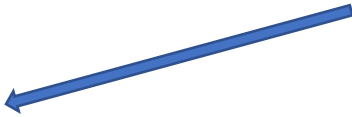
On Thursday, February 24th, Christian Academy competed in the Math by Mail Olympics. CAS competed against four other ACSI schools. We had three third graders who had qualified to compete in the reasoning category - Alexa Blackford, Landon Fugate, and Izzy Sherwood. Grading is now complete, and the results are in for this timed test. Alexa placed fourth in her age and category, thus, receiving a fourth-place ribbon. Congratulations to Alexa and to the others who competed.



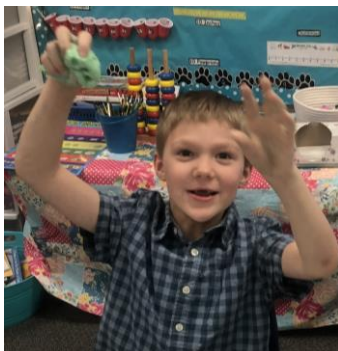
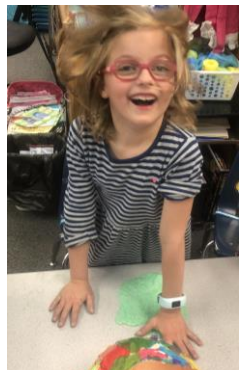
Here are pictures of the giant cookie the third graders won for learning all of their spring concert music and singing their best week after week!



The 5th Grade Love to Read with the Kindergarten Students!



The kindergarten class is practicing for the 1st grade.



The kindergarten students enjoyed playing with slime!