

Christian Academy Schools Eagle Vision

September 2, 2022 Volume 18, Issue 5 Our Mission is to "Equip and Inspire Students to be a New Generation of Christ-Centered Leaders" Dick Dray, Head of School Rusty Kirkpatrick, Director of Students

From the Desk of Head of School



Hi Folks,



Observed on the first Monday of September, **Labor Day** is an annual celebration of the social and economic achievements of the American worker. The holiday is rooted in the late nineteenth century, when labor activists pushed for a federal holiday to recognize the many contributions workers have made to America's strength, prosperity, and well-being.

Know that we are so very thankful for all the labors and efforts our families and staff members perform on an ongoing basis to help our school and community be successful. Paul reminded his readers in Colossians 3:23 that "Whatever you do, do your work heartily, as for the Lord rather than for men." Thank you for your "heartily work" for the Lord daily.

Happy Labor Day! *Mr. Dray*

Priority of Safety

Prior to the start of our 2022-23 school year our administrative staff and then our entire staff spent multiple hours in additional training with Officer Stewart from our Sidney Police Department focusing on intruder safety measures on campus. It was an extremely helpful time to focus on information to help keep our CAS students safe.

We also just today completed our annual Sidney Fire Department facility inspection. Lt. Ryan Heitman and another well experienced firefighter walked with Head of School Dick Dray through the inside and outside of the facility with keen eyes evaluating our facility. We are thankful we passed with flying colors and are very grateful for our many great First Responders here in Sidney.

Mission Statement

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

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22-23 CAS MUM SALE



Are you selling mums? You have a great opportunity to take orders this Labor Day weekend. Make sure you tell **everyone** that they are hardy mums, are in a 9" pot and come in a variety of colors. Each plant cost \$12 (checks are to be written to CAS). Proceeds will go to support keeping lunch costs for the entire student body low. **Please, turn in your order form and the correct amount of money Mrs. Purple NO LATER than TUESDAY MORNING, September 6th by 8:30am.** Orders **WILL NOT** be taken after **8:30am**. There will not be any extra mums available. The class with the highest average sales will win a PIZZA PARTY!

Due to exponential increase in participation over recent years, pick up has been moved to **Saturday, September 17**th from **9am-12pm** to ensure the safety of our families and volunteers. Please follow the instructions of volunteers when you arrive. Mums not picked up at the end of the pickup time will be left outside with the order form underneath. There will be no early pickup.

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED! Call 937-492-7556 or email denise.mcpheron@caseagles.org

Thank You First Responders Friday, September 9th

Christian Academy will be hosting some of our local first responders from Sidney Fire, Sidney Police, and the Shelby County Sheriff's Department. Sunday, September 11th is officially Patriot Day, and we simply want to show our appreciation for these great community servants by providing a meal, giving some cards and words of encouragement and some smiles and greetings from our staff and students. If you would like to show your appreciation, simply send a note to these folks by sending your cards or letters with your students to give to them.



Menu Change for Friday, September 9th

"Smokin' Walking Taco Corn Peaches Cookie



Fall Picture Day is Coming Wednesday, September 21st

The information and prices will be sent home for picture day on Friday, September 9th. Paper Orders: Fill out the form completely and return the form on Picture Day. **Checks are to be made out to LifeTouch**. Online Orders: You do not need to return the form on Picture Day if you order online. The website if ordering online is mylifetouch.com. Our Picture Day ID is: EVTTJKFVD. If you have any questions, contact Lifetouch Customer Service at 1-800-736-4753.

Christian Academy to Host a Fall Blood Drive

A Community Blood Drive will be held at Christian Academy on Thursday, September 22nd from 1 p.m.– 5 p.m. Our high school students and their parents have been asked to give the gift of life by donating blood at this high school blood drive. To donate, your child must be at least 16 years old, weight at least 110 pounds, and be in good general health. In addition, if students are 16 years old, parental consent is required. High school blood drives provide a special opportunity for students to learn about community service and the value of selflessly helping others. Students who donate blood in high school will normally continue after graduating. By donating blood, your child has the potential to save 3 lives. Contact Mrs. Purple or www.donortime.com to schedule an appointment.



Labor Day School Closed Monday, September 5th



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Christian Academy Fleece Jackets

Order forms are available for CAS fleece jackets. The jackets will have the CAS logo on the left chest. The jacket colors are true navy, iron grey, deep smoke, and winter white. Sizes range from youth small to x-large and adult sizes small to 6XL. The cost is \$35 for youth and \$36 for adult. 2XL add \$2, 3XL add \$3, 4XL add \$4, 5XL add \$6 and 6XL add \$7.

Parents, please have your student return the form that will be emailed (hard copies are also available) with your student before **Friday**, **September 16**th. Contact Mrs. Baughman if you have question by calling 937-492-7556 or emailing kristina.baughman@caseagles.org. If you would like to see what they look like, samples of the men's and women's sizes are available to look at.



Dress Code Reminders

Girls:

Form Fitting Pants - If "Form Fitting Pants" (leggings, jeggings, etc.) are worn, the student's top must not be more than three (3) inches above the knee in the front and back when standing. Pants without zippers, pockets, and buttons fall in this category. Any pants with zippers, pockets, and buttons are considered jeans.

Chapel Dress – Dress pants are acceptable for chapel. No t-shirts, sweatshirts, coats, or outside jackets will be worn to chapel. A sweater or dressy fleece is acceptable. No neckties are to be worn by ladies. Dresses or skirts with blouses are optional dress for chapel. On chapel days, girls are required to be in chapel dress for the entire day.

Boys:

Chapel Dress – Dress pants are to be worn on chapel days. This includes khakis (no jeans or cargo pants of any color). Dress shirts are to be collared shirts and must be tucked in.

Verse of the Week

"Peace, I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives.

Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid." John 14:27

God doesn't want you troubled by the cares, concerns, and worries of life. God doesn't want you concerned about the friends at school that aren't being nice to you. He doesn't want you troubled about the unrest in the world around you. We are wired to want to worry. It's easy to want to take the troubles of the world around you and let them cause you to be upset. However, that isn't God's best for you. God wants you to rest in Him, and to walk in His peace. So regardless of what is going on around you, you can be at peace knowing that God will take care of you and watch after you.

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Christian College Fair Monday, September 19 6pm-8pm



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Upcoming Games - Come Out and Cheer

Saturday, September 3 Junior High Volleyball vs. Dayton Christian (home) 12pm Varsity Volleyball vs. Dayton Christian (home) 1pm Tuesday, September 6 Junior High Volleyball vs. Dominion (home) 5pm Varsity Volleyball vs. Dominion (home) 6pm Junior High Soccer vs. Wright Bros (home) Thursday, September 8 5pm Varsity Soccer vs. Belmont (home) 6:30pm Saturday, September 10 Junior High Volleyball vs. Calvary (home) 9am Junior High Volleyball vs. Royal (home) 11am Varsity Volleyball vs. Royal (home) 12:15pm Varsity Volleyball vs. Calvary 3pm

Sporting Events Ticket Prices

Adult Tickets: \$6 Family Tickets: \$20 CAS Students & Staff: Free Students & Senior Adults: \$4

Junior Eagles Running Club for Grades 1 thru 6

Junior Eagles will be practicing on Wednesdays after school until **4:15pm** beginning **Wednesday, September 7th**. If it rains, the running club will go to the gym. The last practice will be **Wednesday, October 5th**. Please wear gym clothes and gym shoes for practice. A permission slip was sent home with the students. There are extra forms in the informational rack. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Kirkpatrick at 937-492-7556 or email bethany.kirkpatrick@caseagles.org.



Burger or a Hot Dog?



Last Friday night we had a great turnout here at the school for our fellowship picnic and hundreds of people were asked the question of "Do you want burger or a hot dog?"

Hamburgers were the choice by a 2/1 margin, and all enjoyed the extra side dishes along with some great fellowship in a warm (literally) and friendly atmosphere.

Saint, Classic Petra Resurrection, Les Carlsen, Fear Not, Deny the Fallen, Chaotic Resemblance

1st Annual Immortal Christian Rock Festival

September 2nd – 4th
791 E. Main St. Versailles
Contact 937-526-9544
BMIEventCenter.com for more information

Barren Cross, Sacred Warrior, Whitecross, Daniel Band, Human Code

Summer Volleyball Conditioning









Creating CAS Memories

First Day of Kindergarten in Mrs. Dray's Class





A CAS parent presented this awesome cookie to her child's teacher.



Mrs. Sherwood is shown walking her 3 children off on the first day of school.



Middle School students putting their supplies in their lockers.



A kindergarten student is saying "good-bye" to her mom on her first day of school.



Our new 5th grade teacher, Mrs. Mays, is greeting her students on the first day.



Middle School & High School students waiting to be dismissed to their homeroom.



Mr. K's first day of kindergarten. Do you believe that? NO!



High School students catching up from their summer fun before going into their homeroom class.



Karli Hiler & Kole McAlexander from kindergarten to being the 2023 senior class. Enjoy your senior year!

