

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"

Parent/Teacher Conferences

Parent Teacher Conferences for parents of kindergarten thru 12th grades will be **February 20th – 23rd**. Parents can request a conference if they feel it is needed. Teachers will be contacting the parents to schedule appointments they deem necessary.

Christian Academy Enrollment Informational Night

The 2024-25 school year will be here before you know it and planning is already happening to get set for another great year. You or someone you know may be considering Christian Academy for their K-12 aged students for the upcoming year. To help folks interested get more information will have an Informational Night at the school on **Tuesday**, **February 27**th **at 6:30pm** More information will be coming soon! **SPREAD THE WORD!**

Tell Others about the EdChoice Scholarship

If a family's household income is at or below 450 percent of the Federal Poverty Level, they will be awarded the maximum scholarship amount. If a family's household income is at or above 451 percent of the Federal Poverty Level, the student's scholarship award will be prorated based on their specific percentage of the Federal Poverty Level. 100% of Ohio families will qualify for the Ed Choice Scholarship.

Archery Tournament

The archery tournament will be held on **Friday**, **March 8**th from **12pm- 3:15pm**. The archery students will be receiving an archery t-shirt, awards, and pizza.

Christian Academy to Host a Blood Drive

A Community Blood Drive will be held at Christian Academy on Monday, March 11th from 1pm – 5pm. 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, weigh 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. Coverstone or <u>www.donortime.com</u> to schedule an appointment.**



Kindergarten Screening

On **Saturday**, **March 16**th we will be having our Kindergarten Screening for the 2024-2025 school year. If you have a child who will be in kindergarten next year and would like to have them in our 2024-2225 kindergarten class <u>or</u> you know someone who is interested in enrolling their child in kindergarten, please call the school at 937-492-7556 to schedule an appointment.

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CAS Gearing Up for Our Spring Play!!

This year's comedy is called "Space Princess Wars," and it is a fast-paced, comedic mash-up of "Star Wars" and "The Princess Bride." So many characters you'll recognize right away – and some guest appearances that'll crack you up! We will be performing Friday, April 26th, 27th, and 28th at the Historic Sidney Theatre. The show times are 7pm nightly with a 2pm matinee on Saturday as well. Tickets will be available for pre-order soon! Be watching for more information!

Advertise Your Business and Help Us Put on a Great Play!!

We'd love for you, a family member, a friend, or the business you work for to consider sponsoring our Spring Play. Sponsorship donations of the following amounts will receive coordinating ad sizes in our full color, professionally designed playbill (it's pretty amazing!). Feel like donating more than what you see below? Text or call Miss Kelinda at 419-234-5553! We're trying to raise \$11,000 to buy much-needed wireless microphones!

- ♦ Donation of \$50 1/4-page ad
- ♦ Donation of \$100 1/2-page ad
- ◆ Donation of \$150 full page ad

CAS is Closed for the Eclipse on Monday, April 8th

Yes, you read this right. CAS is closed for the Eclipse. This is for the safety and concerns of CAS families. Traffic is going to be really congested, motels are full, and many people will be in our area viewing the eclipse. Special glasses for the eclipse will be sent home with your student. The glasses are provided by Mrs. Gish.

Middle School & High School Small Groups

On **Wednesday**, **February 14**th is small groups for the 6th thru 12th grades. On days of small groups the middle school and high school students do not have to wear chapel dress! Jeans are permissable.

Calendar Reminders

Friday, February 16 Monday, February 19 Tuesday, February 27 Wednesday, March 6 Friday, March 8 Monday, March 11 Saturday, March 16 No Classes (Staff will be doing accreditation preparation) School Closed (Presidents Day) Informational Night @ 6:30pm (Parents interested in CAS) National Honor Society Ceremony @ 2:30pm Archery Tournament from 12pm – 3:15pm Blood Drive from 1pm-5pm Kindergarten Screening from 9am-12:30pm



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Americanism and Government Test Winners

Christian Academy Schools would like to Congratulate seniors Evan Michael, son of Ted and Janay Michael of Sidney, and Josalin Morris, daughter of Joe and Amanda Morris of Botkins for being state winners of the American Legion's Americanism and Government Test. Evan and Josalin's scores have won them a trip to Washington DC, which they will go on the end of February. Christian Academy is proud of you!

Verse of the Week

"Perseverance must finish its work so that you may be mature and complete, not lacking anything." James 1:4

Today's Bible verse talks about patience. The choices and attitudes we display while we are waiting show the character of our heart. Patience isn't easy. It would be easier if the problems we had in our life would just go away and we were immediately successful. However, it's often when we're waiting that we have opportunities to develop godly character. So today, if you're not where you want to be, stay encouraged. Trust God and trust the process. Learn to be patient and content knowing that in this time of waiting, you're building the character that will set you up for success later in life. Copied from studentdevos.com

January Middle School & High School Students of the Month



Keegan Blackford Grade 6



Evan Michael Grade 12



Hey, Mr. Streb & Mrs. Mertz, we know you are excited about the new music wing, but it's not done yet!



Mrs. Ashby, dressed like the Cat in the Hat, came to CAS to read to the elementary students during Love to Read Week.



