



Christian Academy Schools Eagle Vision

May 3, 2024

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

From the Desk of Head of School



Running on Empty

"But those who wait on the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary, they shall walk and not faint." Isaiah 40:31

Have you ever run out of gas and been stuck on the side of the road? It's important to recognize when your car is almost out of fuel and to stop by the gas station to refill the tank. All athletes recognize the importance of keeping their bodies fueled with food and water, or else they won't have the strength to finish the game.

In a similar way, when your soul feels spiritually empty, return to God for a refill of His wisdom and endurance. Having feelings of emptiness can be a sign that God wants an opportunity to fill you with His Spirit. That filling comes from spending time in prayer, Bible study, praise, and worship. A void can creep into your life when your faith is running on empty due to neglect of busyness. God will supply what you need but be alert to receive it. Respond with attention and energy when feeding your soul. God will arrange for your journey, refill your tank, and give you direction. Show up with humility and the willingness to chart new territory.

Written by Dr. David Jeremiah

I WILL LOVE THEE, O LORD, MY STRENGTH
THE LORD IS MY ROCK, AND MY FORTRESS
AND MY DELIVERER; MY GOD, MY
STRENGTH, IN WHOM I WILL TRUST; MY
BUCKLER, AND THE HORN OF MY
SALVATION, AND MY HIGH TOWER. I WILL
CALL UPON THE LORD, WHO IS WORTHY TO
BE PRAISED: SO SHALL I BE SAVED FROM
MINE ENEMIES.
PSALMS 18:1-3

Mission Statement

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



CAS Spring Concert Tuesday, May 7th 6:30pm



Come enjoy a night of Christian Academy musical talent on **Tuesday, May 7th** at **6:30pm**. Enjoy listening to our band, orchestra, and elementary students singing praises to the Lord. Make sure you let the whole family know and invite friends. Let's show off our CAS students and this great school.

Middle School & High School Final Small Groups Chapel

Wednesday, May 8th @ 2:30pm

Walk-a-thon 2024 Next Week

The CAS Walk-a-thon will be held on **Friday, May 10th** at Marmon Valley Farm. Students will be eating a sack packed by our famous "CAS Kitchen crew." **Parents: Please bring your own bottle of water and sack lunch if you have signed up to attend.**

Here's How We are Doing as of Friday, May 3rd

Kindergarten: 94%	1 st Grade: 100%	2 nd Grade: 100%	3 rd Grade: 93%	4 th Grade: 87%	5 th Grade: 100%
6 th Grade: 88%	7 th Grade: 88%	8 th Grade: 67%	9 th Grade: 90%	10 th Grade: 100%	11 th Grade: 71%
12 th Grade: 63%	Staff: 91%				



Attention: Economics Entrepreneurial Sale

Proceeds of the sale will go to the Gideons for Bibles and CTI (Luke Elie's sports ministry).

Students of all grades are welcome to participate by bringing a couple of dollars to school to purchase one or more of the following products created by the juniors and seniors in Economics Class:

1. "B & B for 3" - cookie and brownie combined and a clay bracelet. The combo for the low price of \$3 or sold separately for \$2.
2. The Persistent Pencil, a writing utensil made from metal, with breadlines as a grip. No need for lead again, and eraser included. Sale price is \$4.
3. Super Surplus of Super Sticky Stickers - Stickers of all varieties are brought to you for various low prices by the Sticker Store.
4. Tahiti Splash is a fruitful, citrus taste of the tropics, combining the flavors of limes, raspberries, and lemons for the low price of \$.50 a cup.
5. Join a group known as "The Noble" by purchasing a card with the company name and a Knight Pencil Holder. These items signify belonging to a group for the cost of \$5.

These items will be on sale next **Thursday, May 9th**, at lunch and recess time. Please send some money to school on that day if you want your child to participate in purchasing any of these items. *Thanks, The CAS Economics Class*

CAS BOYS' VOLLEYBALL GAMES

Boys Volleyball

Monday, May 6	Boys Volleyball vs. Dominion (home)	6pm
Saturday, May 11	Boys Volleyball @ Dominion (away)	11am
Tuesday, May 14	Boys Volleyball @ CHESS (away)	6pm



Senior Night to be Held for Boys Volleyball

On **Monday, May 6th** we will be recognizing our senior boys' volleyball players. The seniors being recognized are Isaiah Abbott, Cade Crawford, James Looker, and Colton Smith. Come on out and celebrate with us!



CAS Staff Appreciation Week!

NEXT WEEK: May 6th – May 10th is CAS Staff Appreciation Week at Christian Academy. We are blessed with tremendously caring and intelligent staff. In addition to the academic instruction, spiritual guidance, and life’s lessons they provide to our children, they have a heart of service. Be thinking of ideas you would like to do for your child’s teacher and support staff. If you would like ideas, Mrs. Purple has a list of individual teacher’s favorite flowers, food, snacks, stores, etc. Daily themes are:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Flower Day Can bring in flowers, plants, seeds, etc.	Gift Card Day Can bring a staff member food, grocery, gas, etc. gift cards	Sweet Day Bring in any kind of “yummy” sweets.	Note Day Parents or students can write a note to a staff member.	Anything Day Bring any kind of gift to a staff member.
Prayer	Prayer	Prayer	Prayer	Prayer

Suggested Miscellaneous Ideas

- **Home Cooked Dinners** – Arrange a home-cooked meal for the teacher or support staff to take home. Even something as simple as a pasta casserole and a green salad will make their day of appreciation carry over to her home. (or a gift card for a restaurant)
- **Morning Surprise** – Every morning a different parent can bring a staff member or/and support staff a steamy “cuppa joe” and breakfast treat. They will be boosted with enough energy and love for the rest of the day.
- **Lounge-O-Plenty** – a family or families can bring in an array of baked goods and fruit to keep in the lounge totally packed with goodies all through the week.

CAS Staff

Kitchen Krew: Mrs. Abbott, Mrs. Barhorst, Mr. Moeller, Mrs. Morrow, Mrs. Woodward. **Recess Monitors:** Mrs. Hiler & Mrs. Morris; **IT & Computer:** Miss Emma, Mrs. Blackford & Mr. Woodward. **Orchestra/Band:** Mrs. Mertz & Mr. Streb. **Staff:** Mrs. Barger, Mrs. Berning, Mrs. Boss, Mrs. Dray, Mrs. Fryer, Mr. Heeter, Mrs. Jacoby, Mrs. Keller, Mrs. K, Mr. D, Mrs. Mays, Mrs. Michael, Mrs. Myers, Mrs. Naumann, Miss Rose, Mrs. Sherwood, Mrs. Wiltheiss. **Administration:** Mrs. Baughman, Mr. Dray, Mr. K. Mrs. Sherwood. **Front Line:** Mrs. Coverstone, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Purple.

Verse of the Week

Do not be misled: “Bad company corrupts good character.” – 1 Corinthians 15:33 (NIV)

Have you noticed that who you hang out with makes a difference in your life? Take an honest look at your relationships. Do you have some friendships that are pushing you toward bad habits and choices? If so, ask God if you need to step back from those relationships. Choose to spend time pursuing relationships that challenge you to grow in your relationship with God and make good choices.

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Please join our Graduation Celebration
Friday, May 17th at 6:30pm

*We’ve grown together... Spiritually, physically, intellectually.
 We’ve prayed, we’ve laughed, we’ve loved, we’ve cried.
 Through it all we became a family, as we grew in the Lord.*

We know graduation may seem like an ending, but to us it’s just a new beginning.

BMI Event Center in Versailles
Classic PETRA Resurrection with Special Guest Russ Taff



Saturday, May 11th
Doors Open at 5pm
Concert Begins @ 7pm



791 E. Main St. Versailles
Call: 937-526-9544

Go to www.bmieventcenter.com to purchase your tickets

Tell your church, youth group, friends, and family!

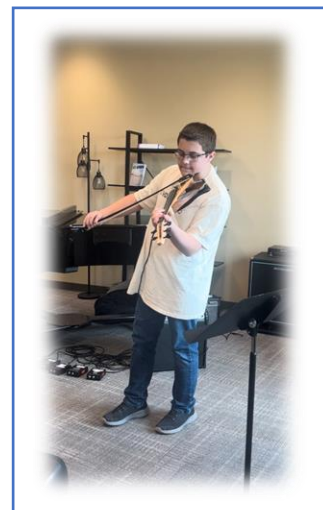


Congratulations, Jackson Doolittle

Jackson Doolittle, grade 7, competed in the Ohio Youth Ministries Fine Arts Festival Competition along with around 1000 other students from Ohio on Friday, April 26th.

Jackson performed "You Say" by Lauren Daigle. He placed 2nd in strings solo, and he scored a superior with an invitation to the National competition this fall in Columbus.

Congratulations! CAS is proud of you!



Josalin Morris, 5th row right.
Evan Michael, 6th row left.



Josalin had the honor of laying the wreath
at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.



Americanism and Government Test Winners
Traveled to Washington DC

Seniors Evan Michael and Josalin Morris were state winners of the American Legion's Americanism and Government Test. Evan and Josalin traveled to Washington DC at the end of February.