



# Christian Academy Schools Eagle Vision

May 15, 2026

### Mission Statement

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

Please join our Graduation Celebration  
**TONIGHT 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.*



**Valedictorian**  
Emmalee Carter

Daughter of Ryan & Nikki Carter



**Salutatorian**

Rebecca Keller

Daughter of Jerome & Andrea Keller

### Class Verse

*"Be joyful in hope,  
patient in affliction,  
faithful in prayer.  
Romans 12:12"*



### Class Flower - Daisy

New beginnings  
and hope

### Guest Speaker

Tom & Andi Ahl  
Owners of Tom Ahl Family  
of Dealerships in Lima

### Class Motto

*"Hardships often prepare ordinary  
people for an extraordinary  
destiny."*

### Join us for the 2026 Graduation "After Party"

Please join us following graduation for a time of celebration

*Congratulations, Class of 2026!  
CAS is Proud of You!*



Left to right: Peyton Smith, Emmalee Carter, Rebecca Keller, and Noah Bundy

### Kindergarten Celebration

Christian Academy Schools, Mrs. Dray, and the Kindergarten Class of 2025-2026 will be holding their “Kindergarten Celebration” on **Tuesday, May 19<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30pm** in the school gymnasium. Please help us celebrate a year of learning and growing.

### Awards Chapel for Grades 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>

On **Wednesday, May 20<sup>th</sup>** elementary students will be receiving awards for their achievements during the 2025-2026 school year. Grades 1 - 5 awards chapel will be held beginning at **9am**. **Students are to wear chapel dress**. Come and join us as we celebrate all the great things your student(s) have accomplished.



### Elementary Field Day

On **Thursday, May 21<sup>st</sup>** is field day for grades K-5<sup>th</sup> beginning at **8:50am**. The students will enjoy kickball, 4-square volleyball, music, bubbles, relay races, and knock out. Lunch will be pizza, vegetables, and fruit. Please send a beach towel with each K-5<sup>th</sup> grade student. **The schedule is:**

8:50am until lunch – Field Day Activities	1pm – Kindergarten Ribbon Celebration
11:20am – Lunch & Recess for K-2 grades	1:10pm – 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Clap Out
11:50am – Lunch & Recess for 3-5 grades	1:30pm – School Dismissed for the Summer

There will be **NO** aftercare on **Thursday, May 21<sup>st</sup>!!!!**

### Middle School & High School Award Chapel **Wednesday, May 20<sup>th</sup> at 2:10pm**

ALL middle school and high school students are to wear event dress. This means no jeans or hoodies, young men need to wear a collared shirt etc. Families are welcome to attend the middle school & high school awards chapel.

### Attention! 9<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> Grades & Parents

**Tuesday, May 19<sup>h</sup> thru Thursday, May 21<sup>st</sup>** are final exams for 9<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> grades. Please **do not** schedule appointments during those days. It is important that your student is in attendance. *What can parents do to help?* Make sure your student receives plenty of sleep, eats a nutritious breakfast, and is encouraged to do his/her best.

### 11<sup>th</sup> Grade Physics Class to Visit Airstream

Mrs. Berning’s 11<sup>th</sup> grade Physics class will be traveling to Airstream Manufacturing in Jackson Center on Tuesday, **May 19<sup>th</sup>**. They will be leaving the school at approximately **12:20pm** and returning at **3pm**. The purpose is to learn about physics in the automotive/recreational business.

## Attention, Parents of Next Year's 5<sup>th</sup> Graders

The future of the CAS Band program is almost here, and we are so excited to invite you and your student to our "Future Band Parent Meeting and Instrument Tryout Night" on **Tuesday, May 19<sup>th</sup> @ 4pm**. The meeting will be held in the band room. The meeting will last approximately 30 minutes, but it will be packed with helpful information and excitement about beginning the incredible journey of being in band! If you are unable to attend, feel free to contact [dominic.lehman@caseagles.org](mailto:dominic.lehman@caseagles.org) or call 937-417-7959. You can also contact Mr. D anytime for information or questions about joining band next year.

## End of the Year Reminders!

If you owe tuition, book fees, sport fees, lunch charges, library fees, volunteer hours please pay **as soon as possible**.

**ALL** medicines need to be picked up **by parents** no later than **Friday, June 5<sup>th</sup>**. If it's EpiPen's, inhalers, or needed daily meds, they will need to wait until the last day of school so that their students have what they need.

## Do You Know Parents Interested in CAS?

If you know of parents interested in enrolling their child(ren), at Christian Academy Schools, encourage them to contact us at 492-7556 or stop in during the summer. We would love to have them be a part of Christian Academy. Our mission is to "Equip and Inspire Students to be a New Generation of Christ-Centered Leaders."

## 2025-2026 Yearbooks Are Now Available to Preorder

The time has come to order your 2025-2026 Yearbook! Orders are being taken online this year. Go to [ybpay.lifetouch.com](http://ybpay.lifetouch.com) and enter our yearbook ID code of 14912126. The yearbooks are \$35 and include a hard cover and all color pages. The deadline to order is **Tuesday, June 30<sup>th</sup>**. Don't miss out! **School Memories from Cover to Cover**.

## Verse of the Week

*For some say, "Paul's letters are demanding and forceful, but in person he is weak, and his speeches are worthless!" 2 Corinthians 10:10*

It's a challenge to not focus only on our weaknesses. Most of us are very aware of all the ways we fall short. Here's the truth, however, if you focus only on weakness, it can stop you from doing what God has called you to do. So today, don't let your weaknesses hold you back from doing the things that God has called you to do. If you learn to rely on God and His help, you'll always succeed in whatever you put your hand to. **Don't Let Weakness Hold You Back from What God Has Called You to Do.**

[www.studentdevos.com](http://www.studentdevos.com)

## Reader's Choice Awards "Best of the Best"

The Reader's Choice voting ends on **TOMORROW, May 16<sup>th</sup> at midnight**. Go to [www.sidneydailynews.com](http://www.sidneydailynews.com). Vote for Christian Academy Schools by going to the right side of the screen push on Vote Now Reader's Choice Awards. Do the survey!

## Congratulations Elementary Students of the Month

Amiyah Alspaugh  
Kindergarten



Ellabrie Scholl  
Grade 1



Kendall Freisthler  
Grade 4





### Christian Academy Welcomes Our New Athletic Director

Christian Academy Schools is happy to announce that starting June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2026, Mrs. Kayla Zimmerman will be taking on the role of Athletic Director here at CAS. She has been a very special part of our coaching and teaching staff, and her husband Jordan and son Daniel have also been a welcome sight here at many school events.

Kayla comes with a long personal history of success in athletics at St. Mary's HS as well as Cedarville and Wright State Universities. She also has been coaching the past 12 years at St. Mary's HS and then the past two years here at CAS. She has done all this while being an administrator at Only Believe Ministries.

We are grateful for all the work that Mr. Dominic Lehman has provided this past year in the AD role, and he will continue here at CAS teaching and coaching. Both Mrs. Zimmerman and Mr. D will be working together for a smooth transition. For any questions related to our CAS Athletics please contact Mrs. Kayla Zimmerman at [kayla.zimmerman@caseagles.org](mailto:kayla.zimmerman@caseagles.org).

# LITTLE LADY EAGLES CAMP

We will be going over basketball fundamentals and learning the game. There will be games and competitions each day!

**22-25 June**      **CAS Gym**

**UPCOMING 1ST-5TH GRADE GIRLS**  
10am -12pm

Please bring a water bottle and athletic shoes with laces.

CONTACT KAYLA ZIMMERMAN FOR MODRE INFORMATION  
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# SUMMER OPEN GYM

TRAIN. GROW. EXCEL.

**FOR UPCOMING 6TH-12TH GRADERS**

**PROGRAMS FOR:**  
 BASKETBALL  
 SOCCER  
 VOLLEYBALL  
 STRENGTH TRAINING  
 AGILITY TRAINING  
 AND MORE!

**INDIVIDUALLY FOCUSED.**  
Work on your skills, your way, at your time.

**EVERY FRIDAY**  
9AM - NOON  
JUNE - JULY

**YOU PICK THE TIME. YOUR FOCUS.**

**CONTACT KAYLA ZIMMERMAN**  
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**TRAIN WITH PURPOSE. BUILD FOR HIS GLORY.**

2026-2027 Student Council	
President	Serenity Abbott
Vice President	Kelsi Hiler
Treasurer	Mackenzie Graham
Secretary	Joey Bleininger

## Civil War Day Held on Friday, May 8<sup>th</sup>



## Marmon Valley Was Enjoyed by K-2 on Tuesday, May 12<sup>th</sup>

