



CAI CONNECTION

The mission of Christian Academy is to develop students with a heart for God who grow as Jesus did in wisdom, stature and favor with God and men.

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Kingdom Education

Principle #9: The education of children and youth must lead to true wisdom by connecting all knowledge to a biblical worldview frame of reference.

“The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom, and knowledge of the Holy One is understanding.” Proverbs 9:10

“The heavens declare the glory of God; the skies proclaim the work of his hands.” Psalm 19:1

“For since the creation of the world God’s invisible qualities – His eternal power and divine nature – have been clearly seen, being understood from what has been made, so that men are without excuse.” Romans 1:20

“In whom are hidden all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge.” Colossians 2:3

“God created the entire universe – including every fact found in every subject one studies. Scripture makes it clear that God reveals His very character and nature to us through our understanding of His created world. The education that we provide our children must not merely give our children knowledge but must lead to true wisdom and understanding by causing children to see the God-intended meaning found in everything they learn. If any part of our children’s education is presented as if it is spiritually neutral, it results in causing our children to think that God is irrelevant to some aspects of life. This will lead to them dividing their lives into two compartments – the secular and the sacred.” (Kingdom Education, Glen Schultz)

Athletic News

Please [click here](#) for the latest Warrior Update. Past issues are always available [here](#) on the Warrior website.

Our Varsity Boys and Girls Track and Field Team and Girls Tennis Team will be headed to Sectionals!
GO WARRIORS!!

Come on over to Our Armory Store and check out the END OF THE YEAR CLEARANCE RACK!

Library News

Accelerated Reader-One of our biggest annual elementary library events is the Accelerated Reader (AR) Reward Store for students in 2nd-5th grades. This year it will be held the morning of **Tuesday, May 23rd**. We could use some extra hands to help students make their purchases with their earned points from reading. Would anyone be available to join us for that exciting morning event? Any amount of time you could offer would help! We'll start right when school starts! Contact Marilyn Hock, at mhock@caschools.us. The last day for students' points to count for the AR Reward Store is **Friday, May 19th**. The elementary library is open daily until 3:30. Students may continue to take AR quizzes throughout the remainder of May and during summer library hours to earn a summer reward bag of goodies.

Christian Academy School System Summer Reading packets; “Paws & Read” are being sent home this week and early next week with students in grades K-4 and any JA Full Day students who have enrolled for kindergarten next school year. Look over the whole packet as soon as possible. You may start on it beginning May 30th.

Students color the “paws” on the game board as they read or for completing optional enrichment activities as a family. Students who participate at any level will earn prizes. Those who complete the **entire 40 space game board** will earn a lunch in the library in addition to other prizes. If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Hock by email at mhock@caschools.us or phone at 812-944-6200 x5017.

CAI Elementary Library Summer Hours:

Wednesdays 9am-12 noon

June 7, 14, 21, 28 and July 12

In addition to our CAI summer reading program, the librarians from **NAFC Public Library** came to CAI this week and invited our students to join them in their summer reading club. A calendar and flyer were sent home this week describing some fun events at NAFC Library this summer. All students are welcome to participate since they are students in Floyd County. NAFC Library gives generous prizes and incentives for those who meet the reading goal of 10 hours or 25 books. Students will earn a packet of coupons and a FREE BOOK! In addition to the Summer Reading Club offered to elementary students, they also offer a reading club for students going into grades 6-12 and one for adults! The link for New Albany Library summer reading sign-up is <https://nafclibrary.beanstack.org>. Have FUN with reading this summer!

“Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the first and greatest commandment. And the second is like it: Love your neighbor as yourself.” Matthew 22:37-39

Elementary News

Chapel-This week the 5th grade band blessed us with a concert. Next week we will have a combined chapel at 8:15 with the 4th graders performing on their recorders. We will also have the Race for Education awards. Chapel will be in the elementary gym.

Next week's lunch will be week 2.

Spring Program-Our 3rd-5th grade students blessed us with song at their Spring Program Thursday evening.

Kindergarten Program-Our Kindergarten Program will be held Thursday, May 18, at **8:15 am** in the auditorium. Students should arrive in their classrooms at their normal time and be dressed in their chapel uniform.

Law Day Essay-Congratulations to Audrey Brieschke, Kaylen Crane, and Leyden Pavlica for being selected as finalists in the Law Day Essay Contest, "Proud to be an American." They were invited to attend the final competition where they read their essays to a panel of judges from Clark and Floyd Counties. Leyden Pavlica came in 2nd place in the final competition!



Art Camp with Mrs. Richards- Registration is now open for the July 10-14 summer art camp! This year's theme is "ALL KINDS OF WAYS TO MAKE ART." We will be making projects including clay, paint, sculpture, drawing, and textile. We will take a field trip to the Payton Glass Center in Louisville where we will be making our own glass piece! Look for more information coming home with your student next week. The class size is limited to 24 this year as there is only one session meeting from 9 am –12 pm.. Come join the creative fun!

Calendar Highlights

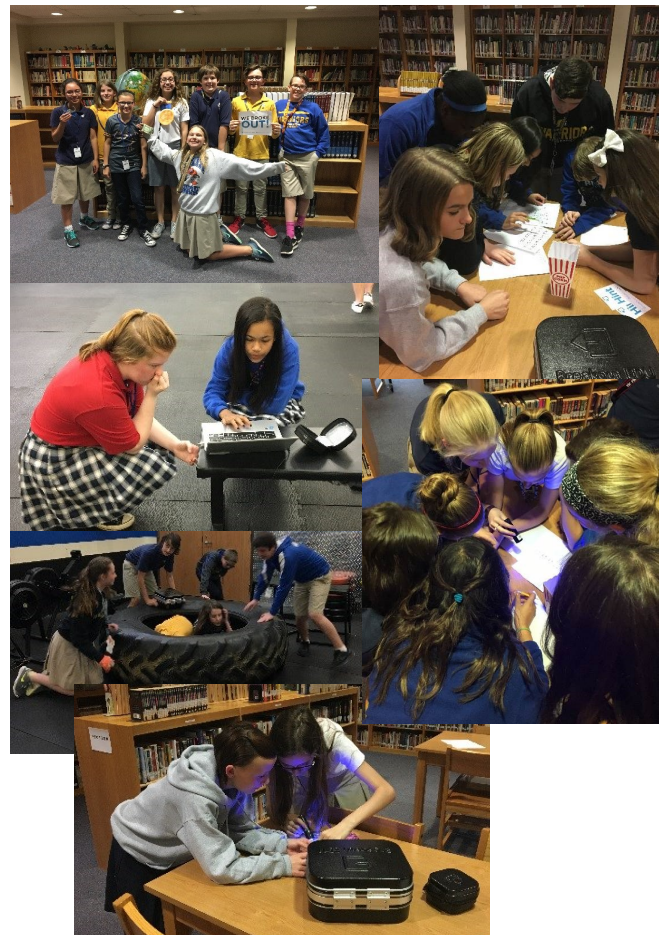
May

- 12 Elementary Mother-Daughter Tea 6:00-8:00 pm
- 12-13 MS Band/Choir to Kings Island
- 15 5th Grade, MS and HS Band Concert 6:30 pm
- 18 Kindergarten Program 8:15 am
- 19 8th Grade Bridge Ceremony 8:30 am
- 20 Prom
- 25 5th Grade Celebration 8:15 am
Piano Recital 6:30 pm
- 26 Elementary Field Day
- 26-31 HS/MS Final Exams
- 27 Commencement 7:00 pm
- 29 **Memorial Day, School Closed JA-12**
- 31 Last Day of School

HS/MS News

Indiana Sheriffs' Association Youth Leadership Camp-The Youth Leadership Camp is a program provided by Indiana Sheriffs for boys and girls who are currently in the 7th or 8th grade and are interested in learning more about a possible career in law enforcement. The camp provides a very meaningful experience and relationship with other campers from throughout the state and sheriff's officers who serve as counselors and instructors. The camp will be held July 5-7 in Brown County. Contact Mr. Wilson at kwilson@caschools.us for more information.

Breakout EDU- Last week the 6th and 7th grade students completed a Breakout EDU session. Breakout EDU is based off the popular "Break Out" Rooms, but tie in educational concepts. In Breakout EDU games, players work collaboratively to solve a series of critical thinking puzzles in order to open a locked box. There are numerous games to choose from, with a variety of subject areas and age ranges. It is a great way to reinforce a lesson being taught or to begin a unit.



Piano Recital

The piano recital will be Thursday, May 25 at 6:30 pm in the auditorium.