



# 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.

January 13, 2017

## School Closing



Junior Academy-12th grades will be closed on Monday, January 16, for Martin Luther King, Jr. Day. School Age Care will not be available.

## ACSI Piano Festival

On March 17, we are hosting the ACSI Piano Festival on campus during school. If your child is in grades 2-12 and takes piano lessons either on or off campus, he/she is qualified to participate. Registration forms are available at the elementary or high school/middle school front desk and are due by January 23. The fee is \$10 and must accompany the registration form. Please make checks payable to CAI.

If you have any questions, please email Mrs. Smith, the elementary music teacher at [msmith@caschools.us](mailto:msmith@caschools.us).



## Development Department News

Thank you to all of our elementary students and families for their help with bringing in GALA auction items. A letter was sent home last week about themed items per grade level. The deadline for donations is Friday, January 20, and collection boxes are located in the elementary foyer. Thank you so much for your support!

Tickets on sale now for our Christian Academy Gala featuring Mike Huckabee, Friday, February 24, 6:30 p.m., at the Louisville Marriott Downtown Ballroom, 280 W. Jefferson Street. To purchase your tickets, click on this link: <http://caschools.us/gala>. This dinner and silent auction will benefit our entire school. For more information, contact Becki Rucker @ 502-400-5411 or [brucker@caschools.us](mailto:brucker@caschools.us).

## TICKETS ON SALE NOW!



FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24 | 6:30 PM  
LOUISVILLE MARRIOTT DOWNTOWN  
280 WEST JEFFERSON STREET



FEATURING  
**MIKE  
HUCKABEE**



## Library News

Please remember that we continue to accept items for recycling in each library. Your trash is our cash to spend on new books, rewards and library supplies.

We accept **name-brand** inkjet and laser toner cartridges. (HP, Brother, Canon, Dell, Lexmark, Minolta, Panasonic, Samsung, Sharp, Xerox). They can be new or empty.

We also accept cell phones and smart phones, kindles, nooks, iPods, MP3 players, iPads and laptops. They can be working or non-working.

Both libraries have a collection bin in which you may donate your recyclable items. Please ask your families, friends, church and workplace if they would like to donate these items to our library! ~Thank you.

“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-**Jacob Bales, 5th and 6th grade minister at Northside Christian Church, spoke to us about true confidence, which is found when we say, "I can't in my own strength, but through God's strength I can!" He challenged us to be strong and brave because there are no limits with God.

# HS/MS News

**Junior Beta Club CHANGE:** Due to play practice after school and jazz ensemble practice before school, the Junior Beta Club will meet next Wednesday, January 18, 7:30-8:00 am, in Mrs. Stotts' room, 253. Come join us in order to vote for our officers (or if unable to attend, please see Mrs. Stotts prior to that day for a ballot so that every member has the opportunity to vote.)

**Spring sports registration** is now open in RenWeb- <http://caschools.us/2017-spring-sports-registration>.



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**KINDERGARTEN  
ROUNDUP!**

There's nothing like it!  
Enjoy an evening of fun and information as  
your children experience Kindergarten  
activities at Christian Academy firsthand!

When: Tuesday, January 31 at 6:00 p.m.  
Where: Christian Academy of Indiana  
1000 Academy Drive  
New Albany, IN 47150

RSVP: Questions or to RSVP  
Contact Amber Cook  
(812) 944-6200, ext. 5007  
acook@caschools.us  
(suggested but not required)

Library | Art  
P.E. | Computer Activity

Refreshments in the Cafeteria

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## Calendar Highlights

### January

- 16 ML King Jr. Day  
School closed JA-12
- 17 Junior Academy Coffee Talk 7:30 am
- 26 Thespian Society Induction 6:30 PM
- 28 ISSMA Band & Solo/Ensemble
- 31 Kindergarten Roundup 6:00 PM

### February

- 4 ISSMA Instrumental Solo/Ensemble
- 16-17 Teacher In-Service, No School K-12
- 18 ISSMA Vocal State
- 22 Pastors' Appreciation Day
- 24 ACSI Spelling Bee  
Christian Academy Gala
- 25 ISSMA Instrumental State
- 27 6th grade Orientation 6:00 pm  
9th grade Orientation 7:30 pm
- 27-March 10 ISTEP Part 1 Grades 3-8 and 10
- 28 ACT (Juniors only)

**Snow make up day will be Monday, March 20.**