



Around the Academy

News from the CAL-SW Saints—September 30, 2022

A MESSAGE FROM MRS. CARSON

Southwest Family, we are nearing the end of the first quarter! What a blessing to have started school this year and to see the smiles, missing teeth, and faces. Also, the season of fall is full of blessings and praises to our great God. I don't know about you, but I love the autumn colors, cooler temperatures, and warm foods (soups, chili, hot apple cider, and hot chocolate). God is amazing!

Parents, your partnership is essential. Read your teacher communications and the ATA. Continue to have conversations, expectations, and accountability with your child. Whether they are in kindergarten or eighth grade, they are developing. God has made them and they will find their true purpose in Him. Growing up is a joy and challenge, so keep the conversations and expectations ongoing, pray for them and with them, attend church together, and be in God's Word. The book of Psalms is full of praise. Look at Psalm 146-151 and be reminded who, how, why, and when to praise the Lord. He is worthy! Praise is simply exalting the Lord for who He is and what He does. Thanksgiving is thanking Him for how He blesses us, and I don't know about you, but I praise Him for His mercies that are new every morning! I thank Him for so many blessings in my life, and one of those is this place. What an honor to be here and see your children each day and see eternal education happening each and every day.

Psalm 146:1-2 says, "Praise the LORD. Praise the LORD, O my soul. I will praise the LORD all my life." He is worthy. Praise Him today and every day!

PTO NEWS



Box Tops for Education is now entirely online! Download their app, scan your receipts with your phone, and our school will be credited for your Boxtops-eligible items. No more clipping box tops! Visit www.boxtops4education.com for more information and to download the app.

Please make sure that your Kroger Plus Card is registered for Community Rewards for our campus. Each time that you shop at Kroger, a portion of your purchase is donated to our PTO! Enroll your Kroger Plus Card online at www.kroger.com/communityrewards and choose Christian Academy of Louisville-SW PTO or #RP963.



Join the PTO Facebook group! This is a great resource to connect with other CAL-SW families and share advice, ask questions, and learn more about our campus. This Facebook group is for current parents and grandparents of CAL-SW only. Find us on Facebook by searching "CAL-SW PTO".



Our next PTO meeting will be on Monday, October 24 at 6:30 PM in the media center. We need your help! Please let us know how you can volunteer throughout the year - there are many opportunities and lots of different ways! Scan the QR code here and fill out the Volunteer Form!



Please continue watching this newsletter and Facebook Group for forthcoming details regarding: Fall Family Tailgate - Friday, October 14, 6-8 PM (see the ad on the next page)

Texas Roadhouse Gift Card Kickoff - Monday, October 17

- Get a head start on Christmas shopping!
- Buy for your own use, and benefit our school at the same time. Christian Academy receives a portion of ALL gift card sales.
- You receive a \$5 off coupon for every \$30 in gift card purchases!

CHANGE THE WORLD FOR CHRIST WEEK TOTAL

Thank you so much to everyone that participated in our recent Change the World for Christ Week as we raised **\$1,027.00** that benefits the ministry of the Jackson family as they serve in southeast Asia!

UPCOMING EVENTS

OCTOBER

10/06-10/07—No School for JA-8th Grade: Teacher Inservice Day
10/08—Cross Country Meet in LaGrange
10/10-10/11—No School for JA-8th Grade: Fall Break
10/13—Grandparents Day Service and Classroom Visits 1:00 PM
10/14—End of Quarter 1
10/14—PTO Fall Family Tailgate 6:00-8:00 PM
10/17-11/18—Texas Roadhouse Gift Card Fundraiser
10/19—Kindergarten Field Trip to Thomas Family Farm
10/20-11/17—Quarter 2 Service Project for Operation Christmas Child
10/20—Fall Open House for prospective families 6:00-8:00 PM
10/21—Quarter 1 report cards emailed to all parents
10/24—8th Grade Students to CAI HS Kickoff

QUARTER 1 REPORT CARDS

On Friday, October 21 all parents in Kindergarten through 8th grade will receive an individualized email from Mrs. Wilson in the office for each of your students. The email will contain a link that will take you to a PDF version of your child's report card. You can save the PDF to their files or print it at home for your records. Please contact Mrs. Wilson if you have any questions.

PTO FALL FAMILY TAILGATE FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14 FROM 6:00-8:00PM Please join us for a "Tailgate Experience"!



Bring Your Own Everything | Think of tailgating as hosting a small picnic in the parking lot - behind your car! Bring everything you need to make it work - food, drinks, chairs, blankets, small grill, napkins, small heater, etc. Don't have a grill, or time to make ahead? We will have a *limited* quantity of hot dogs prepared, along with buns, ketchup, and mustard.

Coordinate with Other Families | Tailgating is all about sharing and sampling. Make enough food to give some away, if you'd like. It's a community thing! Coordinate with other families ahead of time and turn it into a potluck!

Bring the Fun With You! | Have a cornhole set, ladderball toss, giant Jenga game, or washer toss? Please bring them! We will be set up on the large parking lot at Southeast next door to our school so that we have plenty of room for everyone. This is a great opportunity to meet other school families and enjoy a fall evening!

CASHBOOK FUNDRAISER

Our Cashbook coupon sale is well underway! Cashbook has hundreds of dollars in local savings and Christian Academy of Louisville – Southwest Campus will profit 60% from every sale made. The cashbook will save you money all year long and they also make great holiday gifts. You can support Christian Academy of Louisville – Southwest Campus for just \$20.00 and the cashbook pays for itself. The cashbook is not free. Your child brought home a large white envelope with a cashbook and order form. **This sale ends on Wednesday, October 5.** Please make sure the envelope and cashbook are returned. We must have every student's envelope returned either with payment or the cashbook sample in order to track our sales.

SCHOOL NOT IN SESSION

There is no school on Thursday, October 6 and Friday, October 7 for Junior Academy through 8th Grade due to Teacher Inservice Days. Junior Academy through 8th Grade will also be out of school on Monday, October 10 and Tuesday, October 11 for Fall Break.

OPEN HOUSE FOR PROSPECTIVE FAMILIES THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20

We are excited about our upcoming Open House and the opportunity to share what Christian Academy offers, especially in regards to our student's growth in wisdom, stature and in favor with God and men. We sometimes call Christian Academy, "education with a **Higher purpose**," because we know there are more important things than academics or activities that will create your child's future. Our purpose is to go beyond teaching and help shape our students to make a difference for God's Kingdom. It is our passion. It is our calling.

When we meet with prospective families they often tell us that you encouraged them to come visit with us. We are asking for your help! Would you be praying and thinking about who you might invite to our Open House on Thursday, October 20, from 6-8 PM? As the Lord brings people to mind, would you consider reaching out to them to invite them or, even better, bring them to Open House. Not to grow a school, but to grow God's Kingdom and prepare the next generation of Christian leaders.

We are excited about God's purpose for Christian Academy and ask for your prayers for us in that journey. We pray and strive towards our goal of making God's higher purpose evident in your students and your family!

LUNCH					OCTOBER					Christian Academy OF LOUISVILLE SOUTHWEST CAMPUS	
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Monday	Tuesday
Baked Potato Broccoli Tropical Fruit Salad Sugar Cookie	Mini Corn Dogs Green Beans Peaches	Frito Pie Corn Pineapple	Professional Development	Professional Development	SCHOOL CLOSED	SCHOOL CLOSED	Southern Style Chicken Breast Mashed Potatoes Green Beans	Hot Dog Smiley Fries Grapes	Pizza Fresh Vegetables Fruit	SCHOOL CLOSED	SCHOOL CLOSED
Chicken & Cheese Crisпитos Corn Pineapple Cinnamon Grahams	Fish Bites Macaroni & Cheese Tropical Fruit Salad	Chicken Alfredo Peas Peaches Roll	Chicken Patty Sandwich Peas Applesauce Rice Krispy Treat	Pizza Fresh Vegetables Fruit	Hot Pocket Tossed Salad Pears	Chicken Tenders Buttered Noodles Green Beans Peaches	Penne Pasta w/ Meat Sauce Tossed Salad Pears Garlic Toast	Grilled Cheese Sandwich Banana Chips	Pizza Fresh Vegetables Fruit	Hot Pocket Tossed Salad Pears	Chicken Tenders Buttered Noodles Green Beans Peaches
Baked Potato Broccoli Tropical Fruit Salad Sugar Cookie											

8-ounce 1% white milk, skim chocolate milk or water available daily. Menu subject to change.


CAFETERIA NEWS

Lunch menus for the Southwest Cafeteria are always posted online at caschools.us/sw and can be found under the Cafeteria tab at the top of the page. Menus for each month are posted at least one week in advance of the start of the new month. Please discuss the menu with your children to determine when they would prefer to purchase lunch or bring a lunch from home. The only alternative to the listed menu entrée is a peanut butter and jelly sandwich, in which there is a limited supply daily – first come, first served.

If you have additional questions, please refer to the Parent Letter that was included with your student's Back to School packet, or contact our Cafeteria Manager, Heather Martin at hmartin@caschools.us

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