



The Christ Courier

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A Roaring Good Time" Auction Saturday, April 26, 2025 The Fredonia Hotel

Auction chairs, **Carrie Gilcrease** and **Jena Rhodes**, and their committees, are hard at work preparing for our 2025 Auction. Please come and join us! All tickets are **\$50 each**. Fill a table with your child's classroom parents! Fill a table with friends and family! If you would like to donate to the auction in any way or have any questions about it, please contact the school at 564-0621.

Inside PE



Coach Cat has been creative during the cold winter weather spell and has created fun PE activities inside in the Bailey Room. Students have been enjoying obstacle courses, work out challenges, and fun games. The children are loving it!



"Next Step Up" Open House!



Parents, grandparents, and children came on Monday night, January 27th, to visit their next grade level classrooms and to meet with teachers. They learned about what next year's grade will be like and what to expect. We were so excited to have present and future families at CES!

Thank you, CES - PA!

Thank you to our **CES-PA** for the purchase of our brand new water fountain and water bottle filler! This will be used by students and faculty alike to fill water bottles throughout the day. A wonderful addition is its green ticker that counts and displays the number of plastic water bottles we will

save because of the reuse of everyone's own personal water bottle. This is important to our planet and it reduces waste in our landfills. It will also ease the process of filling water bottles on hot days before and after PE and recess.

Many thanks to those of you who sold and or purchased the delicious apples from the **Rocky Mountain Chocolate Factory**.



PRIORITY REGISTRATION



CES will hold its **priority registration** for **CES families** and **Christ Church families** during the week of **February 18th - 21st**. Open registration will begin the following week on Monday, February 24th. Please spread the word of our amazing school! We would love to have a number of new students to fill our classes next year!

Mission Statement

Christ Episcopal School is a diverse community of learners who participate in an enriched academic program in a nurturing Christian environment which fosters a dedication to service to others and a love of lifetime learning.



Tropical Rain Forests



Mrs. Bisping's 2nd grade students are learning about the tropical rainforests of the world. They have researched rainforest animals, drawn art to show the different layers of the rainforest, and made their own terrariums to help them observe the stages of the water cycle on Earth. Rain Forest presentations will take place on **Tuesday, February 11th**, from 10:55-11:25 am. Come and learn from the students!



2nd Nine Weeks



Honor Roll

Grade Three

A Honor Roll:

**Olivet Middlebrook, Elizabeth Nixon,
Andrew Payne, Kastan Shade,
Ava Shelkey, Lucas Shelkey**

A/B Honor Roll:

Beckett Lee

Grade Four

A Honor Roll:

**Ele Beam, Kit Deppisch, William Gooch,
Austin Miller, Myles Murphy, Silas Stovall**

A/B Honor Roll:

Cadence Glazener, Sebastian Gonzalez

Grade Five

A Honor Roll:

**Egan Gibson, Quinn Gilcrease,
Caroline Nixon, Graham Warner**

A/B Honor Roll:

Bryan Rhodes

February Calendar of Events

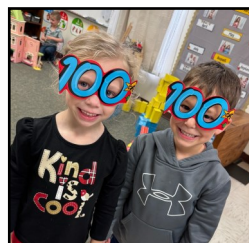
Sunday, February 2	Groundhog Day
Wednesday, February 5	Mid-9 wks. reports sent home Faculty Meeting, 3:30 pm CPR Training, 4:30 pm
Friday, February 7	Auction meeting, 12:00 noon, CES Library
Tuesday, February 11	Rain Forest presentations, 10:55 - 11:25 am, 2nd grade classroom Board Meeting, 6 pm
Wednesday, February 12	Caramel Apples Arrive
Friday, February 14	Valentine's Day
Monday, February 17	Presidents' Day Holiday, NO SCHOOL
Tuesday, February 18	Priority enrollment begins
Saturday, February 22	Sweetheart Dance, 5 - 7 pm, Tobacco Warehouse
Monday, February 24	Open enrollment begins
Monday, February 24 - Friday, February 28	Pre-K Conferences

100th Day of School!



Pre-K students,
kindergarten

students, and 1st grade students all celebrated the 100th day of school in different ways. Pre-K made cupcakes to celebrate. Kindergarteners came to school with their own creations made with 100 items and paraded around the



First graders participated in the Great Cookie Caper and used different skills to solve a mystery. They used alphabetical order, sequencing, long and short vowel sound identification, fact and opinion differentiation, and vocabulary building. With the help of 5th grade students, they discovered who the thief was.