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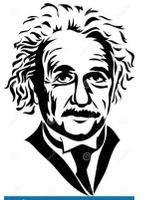
May, 2025

Thank You

WHAT AN AMAZING YEAR THIS HAS BEEN! I HAVE THOROUGHLY ENJOYED ANOTHER YEAR AS HEAD OF SCHOOL AND HAVE NO DOUBTS THAT CES IS INDEED THE BEST SCHOOL AROUND. THE SUPPORTIVE AND ENGAGED FACULTY MAKE THE STUDENTS' DAYS FILLED WITH LEARNING AND LOVE. I WANT TO SINCERELY THANK ALL OF THE ENCOURAGING BOARD MEMBERS, FACULTY, PARENTS, AND STUDENTS THAT MAKE THIS SCHOOL SO INCREDIBLY SPECIAL. GOD HAS CERTAINLY BLESSED THIS PRECIOUS SCHOOL, CHRIST EPISCOPAL SCHOOL, AND HAS BLESSED ME AS WELL.

CATHERINE F. OLIVER
HEAD OF SCHOOL

5th GRADE WAX MUSEUM



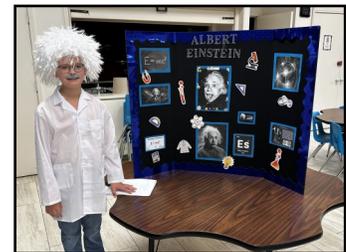
Mr. Hanes' fifth grade class presented an interactive **Wax Museum** project on famous American historical figures. Students chose their person and then conducted research to find out important facts about them, wrote a report, and designed a tri-fold presentation. On Friday, April 25, students dressed as their historical figure and presented their reports and tri-folds to 5th grade parents and to Kindergarteners through fourth graders in the School Hall.



Thanks to the hard work of the auction chairs, Jena Rhodes and Carrie Gilcrease, their families, their committee chairs, and their committees, the 2025 "A Roaring

Good Time" Auction was a huge success! A special thanks goes out to

Wendy Montes, decorations chair, and Terri Eastep, slideshow chair, for their incredible work. Thank you to donation chair, Vanessa Hancock, and to moms Maggie Berry, Kelley Davis, and Becca Lee for their help. Thanks to Sydney Kroll who coordinated the wine pull. Thank you also to the many parents who sponsored tables, solicited items, donated items, and others who attended and brought friends. Also, thank you to the teachers whose class projects were all so creative and special. The class baskets were another wonderful way of supporting the school and many thanks to the parents who donated to these and to Anna Dunn, class basket chair, for putting them together. Lastly, thank you to the community members who volunteered, donated, or attended this grand event, and to those who purchased items while there! It definitely was a "Roaring Good Time!" for all who attended. To those who baked, made, bought, and brought yummy desserts, thank you too!



Mission: 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.



LADYBUGS



Mrs. Unger's kindergarten class have been watching ladybugs grow from the larva stage in their classroom for weeks now. Recently, the adult ladybugs emerged from their pupa stage and the students released them outside in our CES gardens to rid the plants from aphids. The kindergarteners have also been raising butterflies and have been watching them through their stages of metamorphosis. They began as caterpillars, entered their pupa stage, and are now coming out of their cocoons as beautiful adult painted lady butterflies. They will soon be released outside.



SPRING GARDEN

Mrs. Kurtz's first graders planted strawberries and tomatoes in their summer garden. They also planted zinnia seeds which have already sprouted. Everyone is enjoying watching the garden come alive!



CES Field Days

Thursday, May 8

PreK 3 & 4, 9:00 - 10:00 am

K, 10:30 - 11:30 am

1st, 1:30 - 2:45 pm

Friday, May 9

2nd & 3rd, 9:00 - 10:00 am

4th & 5th, 11:00 am - 12:15 pm

Parent volunteers needed!

Important Dates in May

- May 1st or 15th** First Tuition payment for 2025-26 due
- Wed., May 7** Faculty Meeting, 3:30 pm, School Hall
- Thurs., May 8** PreK Field Day, 9:00 – 10:00 am
K Field Day, 10:30 – 11:30 am
1st Field Day, 1:30 – 2:45 pm
- Fri., May 9** Field Day,
2nd & 3rd, 9:00 – 10:00 am
4th & 5th, 11:00 am – 12:15 pm
- Mon., May 12 -** Muffins with Mom, 7:30 - 8:15 am,
PreK-5th - School Hall
- Tues., May 13** Board Meeting, 6:00 pm, School Hall
- Mon., May 19** Celebrating God's Gifts Awards,
Christ Church,
K - 2nd, 8:15 am
3rd - 5th, 9:30 am
- Tues., May 20** - Last day for Pre-school
- Last day of Extended Day (PreK - 5th)
- Wed., May 21** - 5th Grade Graduation, Christ Church,
9:30 am
- Early Dismissal, 11:30 am (K-5th)
- Report Cards go home
- Thurs., May 22** Teacher Workday
- Mon., May 26** Memorial Day Holiday