

Christian Education Leadership Academy

March 15, 2024

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding."-Proverbs 3:5

From the Desk of Mrs. Grindatti...

Shout out to our amazing students for an incredible job in this year's all school musical! They worked so hard and did not disappoint with two outstanding performances! Special thanks to Mr. Nick Clowers, Mrs. Sarah Nienhuis, Mrs. Alyssa Schauz, Mrs. Annina Jest, Mrs. Drager, Mrs. Lange and all of the teachers who helped out this year! It was an incredible example of great teamwork and dedication! Also a huge thank you to all of our families for your support, getting students to and from practices, getting costumes and just being all around amazing! Thank you to our Lion's Pride for their work with the Bake Sale and to all the families that donated baked goods and purchased baked goods!



March/April Events Calendar

* March 15 Re-enrollment Deadline for current CELA students

*March 22-Spirit Day Easter Parties @ 2 pm

*March 25-April 1 Spring Break No Newsletter this week

*April 12 Progress Reports

*April 26-No School Teacher Inservice Day

*April 29-May 3 I:55 Book Fair

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Please scan our CELA Social Media QR code if you haven't had a chance to follow CELA.

Christian Values and Leadership Development March/April Chapel Schedule

| Theme | Date | Led by |
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| Compassion | 3/20/24 | Mr. Hays |
| Honesty | 4/3/24 | Mr. Hays |
| Honesty | 4/10/24 | 1st Grade |
| Teamwork | 4/17/24 | Mr. Hays |



3rd and 2nd Grade Chapel

Last week our 3rd graders delivered a wonderful Chapel on "Wisdom". We learned about King Solomon through their skit. They also read a book about God's wisdom and lead us on two worship songs!

This week our 2nd graders delivered a beautiful Chapel on "Compassion"! They demonstrated how compassion is caring for others by taking action, even when it isn't comfortable or easy. Through songs, skits and video, they really helped us understand the true meaning. They even enlisted our 3rd graders to help! Well done 2nd graders!



CVLD

Christian Values & Leadership Development

Nicole Daniels Director

This week our students will study



Compassion

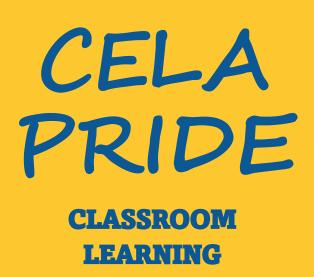
"Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you."

Ephesian 4:32

CVLD Homework

CVLD homework will be discussed in CVLD class every Thursday. Completing CVLD homework with your child/ children is an amazing opportunity to discuss at home the CVLD values we are learning about in school. Please take time each week to help your child learn more about the CVLD values we are studying. Your child will receive a paper copy of the CVLD homework each week. Along with the paper copy, an electronic copy will be emailed to you. Teachers may have the homework due before Thursday, so please check with your child's homeroom teacher for the due date.







3K explored the STEM concept of gravity and engineering through the use of magnetic blocks.

3K



4K

The 4K students started their new theme "Living Things", and they will continue to learn about living things. They talked about what living things need (food, water, air, sunlight, etc.) to grow and started growing their very own beans in the classroom. Some are starting to sprout, and



5K

The 5K students are continuing to work in their leveled reading groups on specific individual skills and strategies. They are continuing to practice sight words and have begun looking at familiar spelling patterns using spelling connections. They also had a mystery surprise day and earned time playing board games.



1st and 2nd Grade

A representative from HAWS came and spoke to our first and second graders about their organization and all it does to help animals in our community. She brought in a little dog named Posey and her message was that even though Posey isn't perfect, she still deserves to be loved. The stu-





5th Grade

The 5th graders did a science investigation where they collected evidence on five different samples of mystery matter to identify each using their physical properties such as color, texture, solubility and more.





4K, 1st and 7th Grade Reading Buddies



6th Grade Science

The 6th graders are finishing up their module focused on the impact of humans on the environment. They also completed their first dissection of the year by looking at the organs of earth worms.











7th Grade Math

The 7th graders are working on probability and starting each class with a probability based game. The students played "knock out" where they try to eliminate each of their chips on the game board by rolling 2 dice before their partner does.

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Our "All School Musical", Aladdin Jr., was a huge success! The students did a fantastic job and we had record number attendance both days!





CELA Middle School Spring Sports

Track & Field practices will be Monday after school from 3:30-4:30pm, starting in April after Spring Break. Meets will start in April and go until late May.

Mrs. Thoele and Mrs. Knoke will be coaching the track team this year!

Meets are Mondays and Wednesdays.

Girls and Boys Track and Field Schedule

Tentative schedule (All Meets at Arrowhead High School)

Monday, April 15 - 5:00 Field, 6:00 Running (Still in question)

Wednesday April 24 - 5:00 Field, 6:00 Running

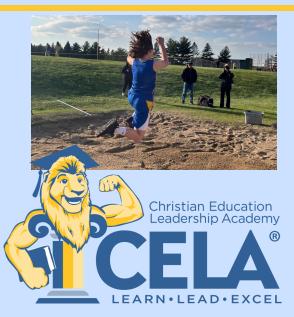
Monday, April 29 - 5:00 Field, 6:00 Running

Wednesday, May 8 - 5:00 Field, 6:00 Running

Wednesday, May 15 is the AHS hosted Grade School Invite - 5:00 Field, 6:00 Running

Wednesday, May 22 - 5:00 Field, 6:00 Running







CELA Families-

Please spread the word about our third "CELA Experience" event! Tuesday, April 16 at 5:30 pm



Come and experience what sets CELA apart from all other schools in the Lake Country and surrounding areas!



- Learn more about our "unique to CELA" CVLD
 (Christian Values/Leadership Development) curriculum
- See our incredible state-of-the-art facility
- Meet our amazing teachers and staff
- Find out what makes us special by getting to know some of our parents, students, and alumni
- Visit classrooms and participate in engaging learning activities for the whole family



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ATTENTION FAMILIES: ARE YOU INTERESTED IN GETTING MORE INVOLVED AT CELA? JOINLION'S PRIDE!

LION'S PRIDE MISSION STATEMENT

"LION'S PRIDE IS A GROUP OF PARENT VOLUNTEERS WHOSE MISSION IS TO FOSTER A STRONG COMMUNITY AMONG CELA FAMILIES AND STAFF BY BLESSING TEACHERS AND STUDENTS THROUGHOUT THE SCHOOL YEAR WHILE SUPPORTING CELA'S THREE PILLARS."

Volunteer Opportunities

Help Throughout the School Year

Library help needed Please contact Lizy Edwards if interested at lizylou3@hotmail.com

Pizza Fridays-servers needed Please contact Lindsay Oksiuta at lindsayoksiuta@gmail.com

The CELA Experience

We are looking for parent volunteers for our third CELA Experience on Tuesday, April 16 at 5:30 PM! If you are interested in helping out at CELA this evening to talk to potential new families, please contact Heather Grindatti at heather.grindatti@celaedu.org. Thank you!



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