

# KCA CONNECTION

*Bi-Monthly Newsletter for Kingdom Christian Academy*

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### **Hello Fall**

BY CAYLIN HUGHEY & KAYLEIGH MILLER

It's fall y'all, and you know what that means...

The talk about football, the cousins you never knew existed, the family dinners, and the stretchy pants you had to buy after. And we know and love that Thanksgiving break is coming up soon (Starting the 23rd). And remember, the cold weather is coming up so make sure you wear your coats and hoodies! Look around your yards for the lovely red, orange, and of course yellow leaves falling off the trees.

Of course, Thanksgiving isn't even about the food. It's about giving thanks to God and remembering that God is our Savior and Creator. Yes, it's about family as well, but remember it's mainly to give thanks to our Lord and Savior.

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 says, "Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus."

Wishing everyone a Happy Thanksgiving!

## KCA Spotlight

By: Lucas Giacchi & Daniel Shetler

In this issue we will be spotlighting the KCA board members. Board members are Jesse Pezold, Jesse Hutchison, Jenny Johnson, Patty Pipes, Tiffany Cox, and Mike Huff. Some questions to help us get to know this crew!

1. What is your favorite sport? Football got a couple votes. Soccer and Tee Ball (because everyone wins) each got a vote.
2. Do you like animals? Yes, because God made them, dogs won this category.
3. What is your favorite food? A good watermelon, pizza, tacos or any good food!
4. What is your favorite book? Other than the Bible, Wild at Heart, right now Winnie the Pooh.
5. Why did you volunteer for the school board? They were encouraged and to serve God, to serve God and the school in a way that I was able and I know God is taking us into a new beginning with the building and wanted to do my part to see it through. Wanted to serve the school and felt this would be a very rewarding experience and a way to use my time.
6. What's better yogurt or oatmeal? Most said Yogurt with one saying because it's sweeter, one said oatmeal- "the toppings, yum!"
7. Do you have an occupation? If so what is it: Yes, the Callaway Energy Center Operator, Callaway Nuclear Plant Machinist, and Office Manager and Sales Assistant. Not a full time job outside of the home, I volunteer at the school in several ways.
8. Do you prefer warm weather or cold weather? Some liked both but some liked warmer weather. We had two that liked cold weather especially when it snows!
9. What's your favorite Thanksgiving food? Turkey, stuffing, roasted sweet potatoes and pie.
10. Are pancakes better than waffles? Waffles had the majority.

These amazing board members help our school in so many ways. We should be very grateful for these spectacular people. That's all folks! :)

## Building Progress Report

By: Sam Stephens

Progress is still underway for our new building. They've been working to build the gym for the school. Walls are up and they have started on the roof!



## Upcoming Events

Nov. 23 & 24-  
Thanksgiving Break

December 3- Jingle Bell  
Run & Christmas Parade

Dec. 9- Christmas  
Concert

Dec. 13- Board Meeting

Dec. 19-Jan. 2- Christmas  
Break

Jan. 3- School Resumes

## Board Buzz

The KCA School Board meets on the third Tuesday of each month.

Your officers and members are:

Paula Fugaro- Administrator  
Jesse Pezold- President  
Mike Huff, Vice-President  
Jennifer Johnson- Treasurer  
Tiffany Cox- Secretary  
Jesse Hutchison  
Patty Pipes

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## Class Scoop (highlighting what's happening in the classroom)

BY: TESSA HOWARD

Hello, KCA parents and grandparents! I'm Tessa Howard, and I have the privilege of writing this month's class scoop for the KCA newsletter. In the month of October, here are some highlights from the following classes: kindergarten, 1st grade, 2nd grade, 3rd grade, 4th grade, and 6th grade.

Kindergarten-2nd grade went on a field trip to the Fischer Farms pumpkin patch. The purpose of this field trip was to have fun, and they did just that.

Next, here is some information on 3rd grade's field trip and report to the Science Center. The purpose of this field trip was to learn about planets for their project. They watched a video about constellations, and then did a report about their time at the Science Center. According to Hydee Thrower and Mrs. Mealy, the reports went very well.

Now onto 4th grade's insect project. The purpose of this project was to learn about different insects, their body parts and where they're located, etc. The 4th grade students agreed that the hardest part about doing this project was building the legs of their insects. They also said that this project was a lot of fun.

Lastly, let's talk about the 6th grade's cell model project. The purpose of this project was to help memorize the locations of the different parts of the cell, and I think it did. Some kids made theirs edible, some made theirs out of clay, and others made theirs out of varieties of things.

That is it for the month of October's class scoop segment of KCA's newsletter! Have a fantastic day, and a great Thanksgiving!



## YOU GOTTA BE KIDDING ME!

By Jack Hoselton

WHAT DID ONE AUTUMN LEAF SAY TO THE OTHER?

A: I'M FALLING FOR YOU

WHAT DID AUTUMN SAY TO SUMMER?

A: MAKE LIKE A TREE AND LEAVE!

WHY DO TREES HATE GOING BACK TO SCHOOL?

A: BECAUSE THEY WERE STUMPED!



\*These jokes are not original and have been compiled from various sources. However, we hope they have made you laugh.

**He will yet fill your mouth with laughter and lips with shouts of joy.**

- Job 8:21



## Monthly Character Trait

October

BY MCKINLEY PIPES

**Thoroughness is our character trait for October. Thoroughness means to follow directions, and to pay attention to everything especially the important things so you know what to do in the present and the future.**

**Whatever you do, work heartily as for the lord and not for men. - Colossians 7:23**



### Animal Fun Facts: Turkey

By Kyle Davison

- Turkey is most common for Thanksgiving dinner but can also be a Christmas dinner.
- Only the male turkey can gobble.
- Did you know that wild turkeys fly?
- In fact turkeys can change colors.
- 46 million turkeys are processed for Thanksgiving.
- Turkeys eyesight is better than humans eyesight.



## Prayer Focus

Please join us in prayer for our building project that will give KCA a permanent home. This has been a dream for many years now.

Our building committee is working hard to put a plan in motion that will give KCA the facility they need.



Picture taken from See You At the Pole 2020

KCA invites you to join us in prayer at 8am each morning as our classes have prayer time. Please pray our school will flourish with enrollment and we each have opportunities to share KCA with others.



# KCA Headlines

BY ELIJAH HUFF

See You at the Pole was on September 28, in the sanctuary. All parents and grandparents were invited to pray with the school.

Grandparents Day was on September 29. This year KCA held Grandparents Day on one day instead of spreading it over two days. Grandparents of the students were able to stay with their grandkids and take them to lunch. Middle school had P.E. with their grandparents while K-5 did rotations making crafts in the fellowship hall leading up to lunch time.

Carnival/Bingo Night was on October 13, in the fellowship hall. This event was led by StuCo. Families were able to play carnival games followed by bingo with prizes.

The Holiday Gala was on November 5, at Callaway Christian Church. The event included a buffet meal as well as live and silent auctions. The StuCo members served drinks to all the guests. KCA raised just over \$34,000 at the Gala!

## Thanksgiving

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Find the following words in the puzzle.  
Words are hidden → ↓ and ↘ .

APPLE CIDER  
CINNAMON  
COOKIES  
FAMILY  
FOOD LAUGHTER

HAM  
HUNTING  
ICE CREAM  
LEAVES  
MASHED POTATOES

PUMPKIN  
PUMPKIN PIE  
THANKFUL  
TURKEY

\*Word Search by Gabriel Johnson



# Sports



By Decker Bacon



As of October the Saints started their basketball and cheer season. Coach Cox and Cox Hutchison are returning to coach Basketball. Coach Bacon and Coach Hutchison are returning to coach cheer. This year the Saints have a coed basketball team. The game schedule thru Dec. 2022 is below:

- Nov. 17- vs Heritage
- Nov. 21- vs. CFS at Fulton\*
- Dec. 1- vs. CFS
- Dec. 6 vs. St. Joseph
- Dec. 8- vs. Heritage at Fulton\*
- Dec. 15- vs. CCA
- Dec. 16- vs. Lighthouse Prep at Fulton\*

\*All home games are played at the Fulton Rec Plex.

## Giving to KCA

To give online please go to the school website:  
**www.kcasaints.org**  
under the "support us" menu.

- There are several funds available to designate your contribution:
- Building Fund
  - General Fund
  - Athletic Fund
  - Scholarship Fund



# Pictures

## FUN AT KCA

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