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CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC SCHOOL KNIGHTLINE

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Christ the King School Newsletter

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Mission Statement

Christ the King Catholic School is committed to upholding Catholic faith and tradition and in partnership with families, helping students develop academically for a life of faith, integrity and service."

Dear Friends and Alumni of Christ the King School,

Thank you for your continuous support of our school. We are blessed with such a wonderful community of people who value Catholic education. Your time, contributions and prayers benefit our students and faculty on a daily basis and we appreciate it greatly. Our commitment to promoting our mission statement and making Christ the King School the best academic institution it can be is priority at all times. We are fortunate to have outstanding teachers who strive to engage students in meaningful learning each day. They are able to do this because of the many resources that are made available to our school. Many of these resources are accessible because of the generosity of all of you. We would welcome the opportunity to show you our fantastic facilities and introduce you to some of the amazing people that make up the Christ the King School community. Blessings to all and thank you once again for your continued support.

Amy Feighny – Interim Principal

Robert Crump – Interim Principal

Congratulations to our newest alumni, The Class of 2016

Graduation Mass was celebrated on May 19, 2016, for our 49 Class of 2016 graduates.



2016 Christ the King Graduates

Baily Abrams, Deborah Agorua, Noah Ballas, Benjamin Basey, Miguel Brown, Kathryn Cline, Blake Dolan, Connor Donovan, Hannah Grundy, Emma Haley, Raney Hardberger, Preston Hargis, Emiline Henderson, Katherine Hill, Thomas Hosty, Holden Husbands, Duncan Ille, Evan Ille, Elizabeth Jantzen, Mason Kelley, Claire Knudtson, Max Kriegel, Lydia Lytle, Barrett Maberry, Jacob Marino, Joseph Meyer, Emma Mossauer, Charles Novak, Abby Pace, Carter Pierce, Coleman Pierce, Connor Quigley, Jacoby Reamer, Georganna Reed, Cole Resetar, Zachary Schmit, Ashley Schwarz, Sterling Senner, Scot Sigler, Piper Smith, Jack Spanier, Sophia Tefertiller, Meg Tidholm, Jack Turk, Riley Ufolla, Louis Ward, Slater Ward, Chase Weitzel, Jered Wilkins (Photo by Jan Foisey)

Dear Friends and Alumni of Christ the King School,

It has been a very busy and fruitful year here at Christ the King School. Thanks to your generosity we were able to add to our school endowment, which allowed for more scholarships to be given to students who would not be able to afford to attend Catholic school, and is a great blessing and part of our mission. We also were able to add the laptop computers for our seventh grade this year and eighth will be added in the following year, putting us at a great advantage in the technological field. Another wonderful gift that came from your generosity is a new classroom for our SOAR program. I know that in these times of a down oil and gas industry some of you have experienced layoffs and we are certainly praying for you. In times like these charitable giving may be the first to go. Just remember that there are no gifts that are too small or too large. This will be our fourth year for the annual fund and it has done fantastic and we have been able to do many things that we would not have been able to do without your help and generosity.

As the pastor I have to say that we are so very blessed with two awesome interim principals, assistants, faculty and staff that truly all work together to create such a wonderful a positive environment for the

students to learn and thrive. Many of our students go on to high school and college and will tell us that the preparation that they received here helped them academically and spiritually. Recently 20 of our graduates were named AP SCHOLARS and another former graduate, Ryal Reddick was chosen as a NATIONAL MERIT semi-finalist and last year Noah Baker was one as well. Another blessing of our school is the faith aspect that is not present in other schools. The future of Catholic Education is key for the future of the Church and the reality is that for us to survive in the ever increasing competition for students, we will need more endowments and programs that we have been blessed to have here at Christ the King, but we can never be content to sit where we are. We always have to be striving to improve for the sake of our students and Catholic Education. Without your help many of these things would not have been possible.

I hope that many of you will again help us this year but thanks for all that you have done to make this a wonderful place to worship and learn.

May God bless you all,
Fr Rick



THANK YOU FOR CHEERING US ON!

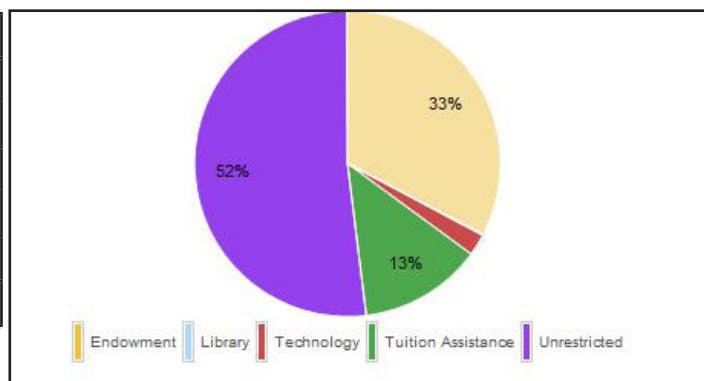
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PreK invited Father Rick to their birthday circle to celebrate his birthday.



2015 - 2016 ANNUAL FUND

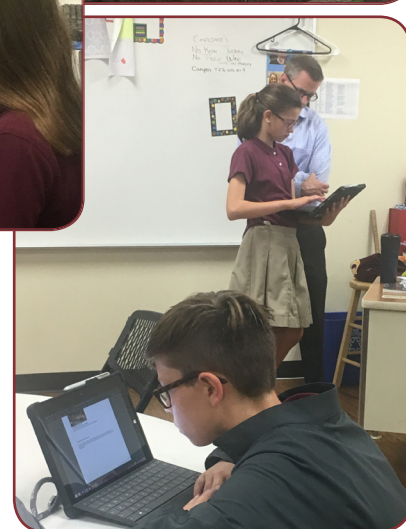
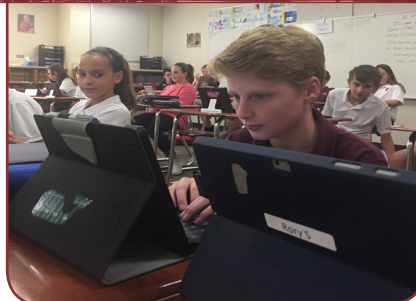
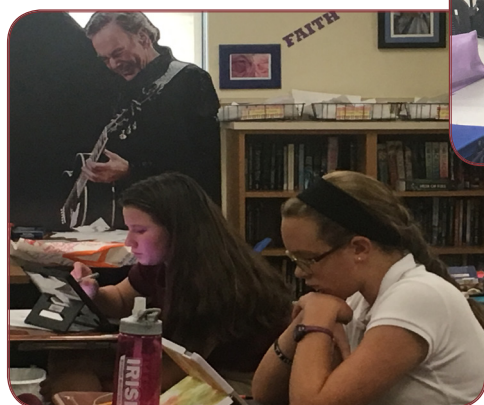
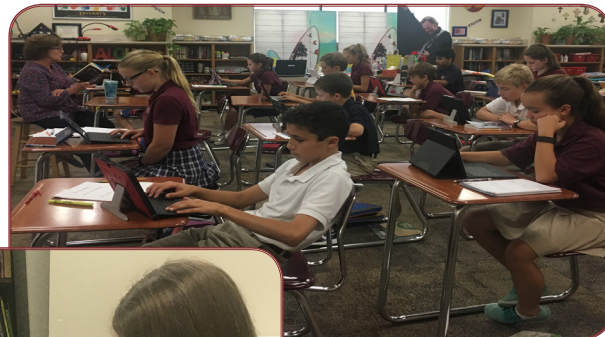
2015 - 2016 Annual Fund	
Unrestricted	\$ 66,673.00
Endowment	42,050.00
Tuition Assistance	16,105.00
Technology	2,925.00
Library and Drama Club	375.00
Total*	\$128,128.00



This year your generosity helped the Annual Fund raise a total of \$128,128.00. This allowed us to increase the School Endowment Fund by \$42,050.00, increase the Scholarship Endowment Fund by \$16,105.00 and offer additional tuition assistance to families for the 2016 -17 school year. We contributed \$28,341.00 towards the renovation of the classroom for the new SOAR program and \$27,892.75 for the One to One Technology Program which now includes 6th and 7th grades. \$125.00 was donated to the library and \$250 for use by the Drama Club. Thank you for your investment in Christ the King Catholic School!

ONE to ONE PROGRAM

We were able to expand our One to One technology program this school year to include 6th and 7th grades with the help of our Annual Fund donors. and P.T.O. Our first year was a success and we are excited to continue to build our program. Next year we plan to expand to include 8th grade. The students have embraced the technology and our teachers continue to find new ways to incorporate the use of the tablets in their daily lessons. Thank you for your continued support of this program which places us on the cutting edge of the latest in educational technology!



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ANNUAL FUND DONORS 07/01/15 - 06/30/16

The Pastor's Roundtable

Legacy Level : \$20,000 and up

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Christ the King School P.T.O

Excalibur Level : \$5,000 - \$9,999

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Bill and Jean Smith

Sword and Shield : \$1,000 - \$4,999

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William and Kristie Buerger

Jerry and Carleen Burger

Jim and Vicki Connelly

David '58 and Cathey Cooper

Chuck and Anne Covington

Jeremy and Cody Dunnington

James and Jessica Sine '97 Earley

*in Memory of Richard Earley*Mary Fong *in Memory of George Fong*

Tim and Tyler Haley

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David and Shannon Hill

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Rev. Richard Stansberry

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in Memory of King Ulmer '66

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Timothy and Nicole Andrews

Dan '88 and Emily Buckelew

Ron and Elise Buckelew

in Memory of Dr. Richard Stansberry

Elliot and Arlene Chambers

Christ the King School P.T.O.

*in Honor of Rev. Richard Stansberry and**in Memory of Dr. Richard Stansberry*

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Jessie Emerson

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John and Jacqueline Hobbs

in Memory of Dr. Richard Stansberry

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Frank '83 and Meg Ille

in memory of Bernie Ille

Rob and Colleen Johnson

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in Memory of Dr. Richard Stansberry

Nora Rapp Medley '67

in Honor of Ernest & Genevieve Rapp

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Kim and Joe O'Connor

Colin and Brianna Osborne

Nelda Ramsey

Michael '00 and Leah Reel

Anthony and Veronique Sebastian

Jay '92 and Crystal Shidler

Meg '08, Kate '11 and Beth '13 Sine

Kent and Jeriann Smith

in Honor of Cate & Lizzie Carter

Christopher and Marci Stellman

Gus and Amanda Tietsoort

Rodney Turner

Special thanks to our Annual Fund Leadership Committee members : Marian Jeter, Debbie Cooper Jones '73, Carrie Leonard, Nora Rapp Medley '67, Gayle Lucas Semtner '66, Freddie Ufolla, Father Rick Stansberry, Amy Feighny, Robert Crump and Advancement Director Mary Schrantz.

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The Knight's Circle (continued)

School Spirit Level : \$100- \$249

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 Martin and Florene Berend
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in Memory of Dr. Irwin Brown
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in Memory of Dr. Richard Stansberry
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and in Memory of Dr. Richard Stansberry
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in Honor of Mia Margaret Muller
 Darrell and Mary Meadows
 Mark and Renee Miller
 Shirley Miller
in Memory of Dr. Richard Stansberry
 Frank and Carmela Peragine
in Memory of Our Parents
 Christy Pham
 Bryan and Keri Pierce
in Memory of Dr. Richard Stansberry
 Pablo and Mary Pinzon
in Memory of Dr. Richard Stansberry

Marcelo and Whitney Puiggari
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 Stephen and Sue Reel
 Derek and Jenny Airington '89 Richard
 Ray and Sharon Rose
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 Diane Dresser
in Honor of Hank Dresser
 Thalia Eddleman
 Vonda Evans
in Memory of Judy Litchfield

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in Memory of Dr. Richard Stansberry

Marcia Powell
in Honor of Carson & Caroline Powell
 Robert and Amber Purser
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in Memory of Dr. Richard Stansberry
 Dori Riel
in Honor of Ayden & John Brooks Barringer
 Janet Rosell *in Honor of*
Armando Jr., SarahAnn & Lucianna Rosell
 Adam and Lauren Schappaugh
 William and Catherine Shaw
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 Ryan and Jenn Tupps
 Darlene Wynne *in Memory of Judy Litchfield*

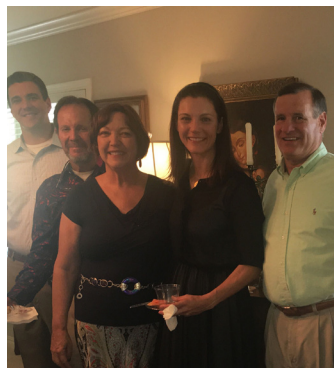
2016 - 2017 ANNUAL FUND - FAITH IN EDUCATION

We hope you will consider supporting our 2016 – 2017 Annual Fund in this coming year. Your gift to the Annual Fund helps to ensure that Christ the King School will continue to provide the highest quality Catholic education available.

Information will be mailed out soon but you can donate any time by contacting our Advancement Director, Mary Schrantz @ mschrantz@ckschool.com or (405)242-4580, or by donating online through our website at www.ckschool.com under the Support CK tab. You can go directly to our online donation page at <https://54310.thankyou4caring.org>

PARISH ROUNDTABLE RECEPTION

The Pastor's Roundtable Reception was held on October 2, 2016, at the Christ the King Rectory to honor those who contributed \$1,000 and above to our 2015 - 2016 Annual Fund.



SCHOOL MASS



We hope that you will join us during the school year for our school mass on Thursdays at 8:15 a.m.



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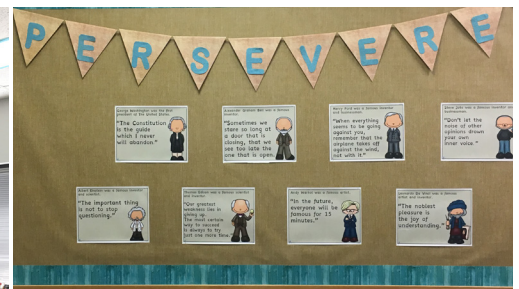
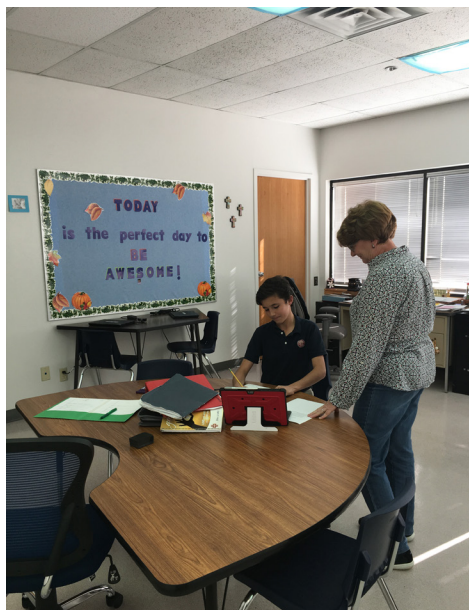
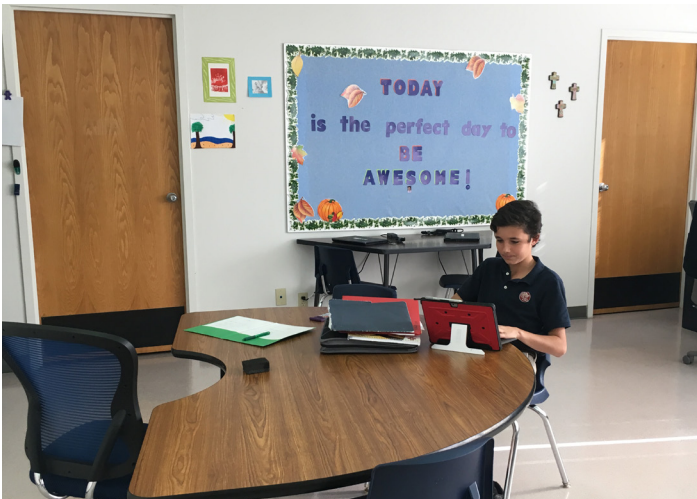
Thanks to the generosity of our Annual Fund donors we were able to assist in creating a new SOAR classroom. SOAR is an exciting new program which was launched this year at Christ the King. Our SOAR (Supplemental Opportunities for Academic Readiness) program allows us to better serve the students and allow more coordination with classroom teachers and our SOAR teachers, Doreen Fredrickson and Cheri Crabtree.



SOAR

Supplemental Opportunities for Academic Readiness

- Offers assessment and remediation in academics for those students who are in need of an alternate style of learning to be successful
- Offers learning in a smaller quieter environment.
- Offers small group/ one-on-one instruction.
- Offers individualized goals and modifications.
- Certified Special Education Teacher
- Certified Reading Specialist
- Serves students Pre-K through eighth grade.



F.R.O.G.

We will greatly miss our principal, Karen Carter, who retired at the end of the school year. But her influence and inspiration will continue to live on at Christ the King Catholic School. She has inspired students, parents, faculty and staff to live by her favorite philosophy "Fully Rely on God" - F.R.O.G. When she walked in to her last school mass and saw the entire school wearing F.R.O.G. t-shirts she was truly surprised and amazed. We will miss you, Karen, but your legacy will live on here and in the lives of the students that were blessed to have you as a teacher and a principal during your 25 years in Catholic education.



Karen was also surprised with a Greg Burns print of Christ the King Church which included signatures of all of the students in the school. Please see page 11 for more information regarding these limited Greg Burns prints.

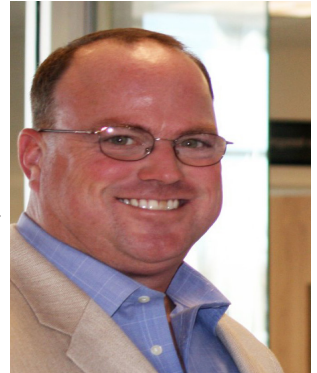


2016 Distinguished Alumnus

Christ the King Catholic School is in its ninth year of honoring a distinguished alumnus and presents the award annually to an accomplished graduate, one who has contributed to the school, to the community and to his or her own professional or volunteer opportunities. The 2016 recipient of this award was Frank Allen Ille '83.



Frank graduated from Christ the King Catholic School in 1983. Frank attended Bishop McGuinness High School where he excelled in the classroom and on the field. He earned a degree in economics from Princeton University where he played fullback and quarterback for the football team. He subsequently earned a Masters in Business Administration from the University of Oklahoma. Frank has worked at Love's Travel Stops his entire career and has served as their Store General Manager, Travel Stop District Manager, Manager of Special Projects and Manager of Development.



Frank has devoted his adult life to family, work, and to the community in which he was raised. Frank is married to Meg. All three of their children attend Christ the King. Evan ('16), Isabelle ('18) and Alexandra ('20) happily roam the halls their father did as a young boy with his siblings, Meredith and Les. Frank believes "Christ the King is at the top of the list when it comes to providing academic quality and a fun filled education. I feel so lucky that I am able to provide the same educational experience for my kids that I enjoyed at their age."



Frank is a Co-Founder, National Board member and the Oklahoma City Regional President of PlaySmart. This organization was founded by Frank and his classmates from Princeton who recognized the profoundly positive impact athletics had on their development as young adults and seeks to help kids reach their academic and life potential through sports. Frank and his wife, Meg, organize a charity event each year to raise money for this worthy cause. Frank is also a Co-Director of the Rodney Gabriel Benefit Fund. Frank organizes this event to raise money each year to support his former teammate and assist with the financial hardships Rodney has endured as the result of his accident as a young adult which left him paralyzed.

Frank devotes countless hours to the Christ the King community. He is the current Athletic Director, a volunteer position, at Christ the King and has served in this capacity since 2011. He is also the President of the Catholic Grade School Athletic Association. Frank is a Bishop McGuinness Athletic Hall of Fame Inductee and served on the Bishop McGuinness Alumni Association Board from 2006-2013 where he served as President for two years. His favorite memory of Christ the King is being allowed to be a very young altar server (too young for training) for his mother's conversion to Catholicism. Frank embodies the values taught at Christ the King and has distinguished himself as a valuable member of the Christ the King family since his graduation in 1983. His dedication to the community, the parish, and the school is worthy of emulation and is a testament to his rich character.



Frank is pictured with the members of the School Advisory Council: Brandon Hale, Jenny Chansholme, Principal Karen Carter, Father Rick Stansberry, Ben Williams, Carrie Leonard and Rusty LaForge. Not pictured is Jennifer Bentley.



MISSION TRIP

Spring Break 2016 brought a new adventure for several CK alumni along with their parents and other high school students. Father Rick Stansberry and Christ the King Youth Director Antonio Guzman led the group on a mission trip to Los Angeles, California. After a few travel delays the group arrived safely in L.A. (Father Rick really does not make up his travel stories for his homilies!) Working with the homeless in L.A. provided these teenagers and adults with many opportunities to impact the lives of the homeless and less fortunate in the Los Angeles area. Their trip included volunteering at the following locations: The Center of the Blessed Sacrament, Project Angel Food, Covenant House, Feeding the Homeless at Presbyterian Church, and the Regional Food Bank. Touring Homeboy Industries and getting to meet its founder, Father Greg Boyle was eye opening and inspiring. The students and their parents would like to thank Father Rick and Antonio for providing the opportunity for them to help others and learn an amazing amount about themselves and others. Father Rick and Antonio are leading the next mission trip to New York City in March of 2017.





GREG BURNS PROJECT



For a six-week period during the fall semester eight selected students were mentored by renowned artist and 2013 CK School Distinguished Graduate Greg Burns '61. The students chose their own subjects and worked on their art alongside Mr. Burns, whose subject was Christ the King Church. When the artwork was complete the students visited the printer to learn about the print making process, and each student received a signed print of Mr. Burns' picture of Christ the King. Mr. Burns wanted the project to be a fundraiser from the beginning, but it was the participating students who designated the beneficiary as the CK School Scholarship Fund. We had a wonderful response to these prints and the increase to our scholarship fund was greatly appreciated.



There are still some small prints (8.75"x11.5") of this beautiful watercolor, pen and ink picture of Christ the King available through the school office for \$35. Please contact Advancement Director Mary Schrantz at mschrantz@ckschool.com or at (405)242-4580 if you would like to purchase one. All proceeds will continue to benefit the scholarship fund.

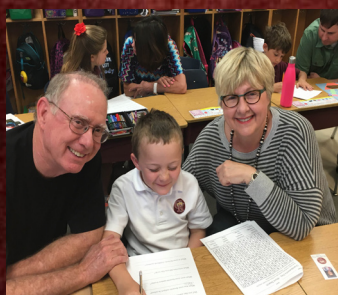
GRANDPARENTS DAYS

Christ the King hosted two wonderful Grandparents Days in the spring. Preschool hosted their grandparents on March 9. The preschool students were so excited to have grandparents in class with them. They loved showing off their class to their grandparents and showing off their grandparents to their class!

Kindergarten through 8th Grade hosted their Grandparents Day on April 28. Grandparents had the opportunity to spend time in their grandchildren's classrooms and were invited to stay for school mass. It was truly a blessing to have so many that were able to be here with their grandkids.

Mark your calendars for our next Grandparents Days! Preschool Grandparents Day is scheduled for **May 10, 2017**. Grandparents Day will be **May 11, 2017**, for Kindergarten-8th Grade. Our CK grandparents are an important part of our school community and we hope many of you will be able to join us. If you are not able to make it please know that you are always included in our prayers.





A LEGACY OF LEARNING AND LOVE

Nine cousins are privileged to attend Christ the King School this year because of the legacy of their great-grandmother, Mrs. Bue Cooper. Mrs. Cooper taught 4th grade for fourteen years from 1956-1971, instructing, guiding and influencing more than 450 students at Christ the King School.

Mrs. Cooper began her career in a one-room country schoolhouse and also taught at Britton Elementary. She was a dedicated educator and extremely proud of her profession, knowing the importance of her role in the lives and the futures of her students. Even now, her former students tell family members of her enthusiasm, the fun classroom atmosphere she created, and the positive impact she had on their lives both personally and academically. Bue and her husband Dan were founding members of Christ the King Church and School in 1949. They continued to be very active members of the parish for many years. At least one Cooper child has been in attendance at CK School for 61 of the 67 years that the school has been in existence, and this year Mrs. Cooper's legacy lives on in nine CK students.

When Mrs. Cooper's nine great-grandchildren were gathered for their picture, it was remarkable that not one of them complained about being pulled off of the playground or out of their classroom Valentine's parties. They were all so happy to see one another, and one of them commented with delight that he didn't realize he had so many cousins in the school. The grace and graciousness of their great-grandmother is evident in her great-grandchildren. She would be very proud of each of them.



Five of Mrs. Cooper's grandchildren, some of whom are parents of "the nine," also graduated from CK School. They have chosen to provide their children the opportunity to receive an excellent education and to grow and mature spiritually in the Catholic Faith. Parents of the nine cousins are Rob and Sarah Wienecke, Jonathan and Kasey Simms, Matt and Gemma Cooper, Tim and Erin Cooper, and Brian and Rebeka Simms.

Other CK School graduates of Mrs. Cooper's legacy include two of her children, David Cooper (CK Class of '58) and Diane Cooper Timmerman ('66); seven of her grandchildren, Debbie Cooper Jones ('73), Steve Cooper ('74), Susan Cooper ('76), Catherine Cooper Vaughn ('77), Rebecca Cooper ('78), Michael Cooper ('82), and Erin Cooper Jerger ('92); seven great-grandchildren, Adam ('04), Elaine ('06), Claire ('12) and Ann ('14) Cooper, Olivia Glazner ('07) and Ryan ('09) and Corey ('11) Jones. They will be joined by the nine currently attending, pictured above (back row left to right) Cooper Simms (7th), Dylan Simms (3rd), Luke Wienecke (8th), Jeffrey Wienecke (5th), (front row left to right) Will Cooper (Pre-K 4), Kate Simms (Pre-K 4), Elise Cooper (1st), Keira Cooper (Kindergarten) and Adele Cooper (Pre-K 4).

Mrs. Cooper was honored in 1974 as the Catholic Woman of the Year and dedicated more than 2000 hours of her time volunteering for the Centenarian Club of Oklahoma. She established the Volunteer Auxilliary for St. Ann's and Wilshire Nursing Homes. Her legacy of service also lives on in her children and grandchildren, who are dedicated to participating in the life of the community and parish. We are confident that Bue's great-grandchildren will continue to be life long learners, placing their God given gifts in service to their parish and community.

Mrs. Cooper died in January of 2010 at the age of 98. We believe that she is so happy and grateful that her family continues to choose Christ the King School, the place where she dedicated countless hours of her time and talent and which she loved so dearly. (Original article appeared in the Spring 2016 issue of CK Magazine.)



ALUMNI NEWS

Class of 1972

Congratulations to Chris Engel who was honored as the Bishop McGuinness Catholic High School 2016 Alumni of the Year.



Class of 1990

Shannon (Sarber) Love '90 lives in Oklahoma City with her husband Michael and two girls, Drue and Reese. She started working for the Wes Welker Foundation in 2015 and loves the impact that it makes on local Oklahoma City public schools' athletic programs. She also finds time to fulfill her lifelong love of photography with her local company Shannon Love Photography.

Class of 1990, '92 and '97

David '90, Chris '92 and Paul '97 Neumann have been a part of the Christ the King family and the Oklahoma City community for generations. They are excited to announce that they are bringing Goldfish Swim School to Edmond in 2017. Goldfish is a premier learn-to-swim facility aimed at teaching kids 4 months to 12 years old to be safer in and around the water. The Neumanns can't wait to make Goldfish a part of the Oklahoma City community!

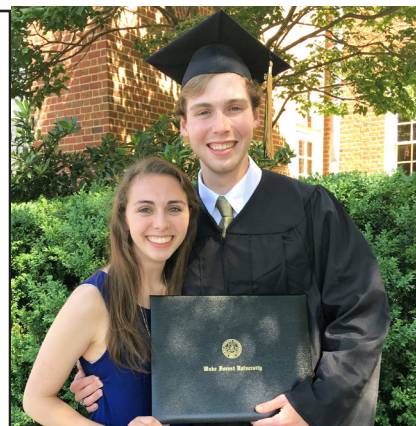


Class of 1998

Brittany Graves (Riesenberg) '98 recently moved to Houston with her husband, Mark, and daughter, Anna. Mark is working for Phillips 66. .

Class of 2008

James O'Geary graduated with honors from Wake Forest University in May, earning a B.A. in sociology while completing a minor in psychology. He earned membership in Alpha Kappa Delta International Sociology Honor Society and Mortar Board National College Senior Honor Society. He was also a member of the Screamin' Demons Spirit Committee, serving on the executive board, and a volunteer for the women's basketball team. He was named to the university's Dean's List repeatedly, including the 2016 spring semester. James is pursuing a master's degree in clinical counseling, with certification in trauma counseling, at East Carolina University. James received the CTK 2008 Reverend Gerald K. Mayfield Award.



Class of 2012

Devon O'Geary graduated in May from Lakeside High School in Augusta, Georgia with honors and meritorious status. She was a member of the National Honor Society, Rho Kappa Social Studies National Honor Society, English National Honor Society, Science National Honor Society, and Société Honoraire de Français. Devon contributed more than 300 community service hours, earned a cumulative 3.9 GPA, and is an AP scholar. She was an officer in the English National Honor Society and the Rho Kappa Social Studies National Honor Society. She was also a nominee for the Governor's Honors Program in the field of social studies. Devon was a member of the junior varsity basketball team for two years and the varsity basketball team for three years. She received the 2016 LHS Panther Award for sportsmanship and leadership. Devon received a scholarship from the American Institute of Architects for her work on President Woodrow Wilson's boyhood home and is pursuing a degree in architecture at Clemson University. Devon received the CTK 2012 Reverend Gerald K. Mayfield Award.

ALUMNI NEWS**Class of 2012**

Congratulations to Christ the King Catholic Church Boy Scout Troop 120's newest Eagle Scouts. 8 dedicated young men were awarded scouting's highest rank. Troop 120 is led by alum Matt Jackson '88. Front Row : Conor Maguire, Liam Kelley and Michael Hogsett
Back Row : Kyle Fitzgerald, Nick Ballas, Matt Mudd, Drew Heinen and Sam Jones

**Class of 2012**

Congratulations to Noah Baker, Class of 2012, who was honored as the Bishop McGuinness Catholic High School 2016 Co-Valedictorian.



Christ the King Catholic School
Bishop McGuinness Catholic High School 2016 Graduates



Congratulations to one of CK's favorite former teachers and current grandparent, Bishop McGuinness Principal David Morton. David was honored by Catholic Charities with the 2016 Green Tie Gala Ambassador Award.

ALUMNI NEWS

Class of 2012 and 2013

Bishop McGuinness Catholic High School and Christ the King Catholic School are pleased to announce that twenty of CK's alumni were named to the AP School Scholar roster.

Class of 2013

Tate Hammersley, Caleb McDonald, Ryal Reddick and Caroline Slay were selected to participate in Youth Leadership Exchange as high school seniors. Congratulations!

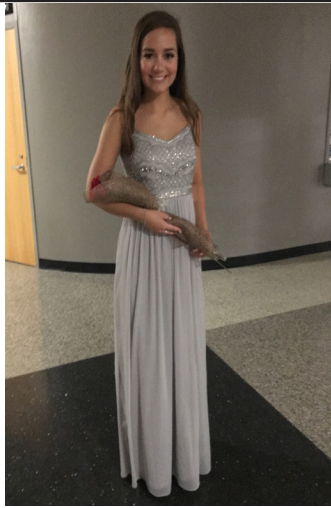
Class of 2013

Congratulations to Ryal Reddick on being named as a Semifinalist in the 62nd National Merit Scholarship Program. Ryal is a senior at Bishop McGuinness Catholic High School.

CK Class of 2013 included on the Bishop McGuinness High School Junior Homecoming Court : Zeke Downs, Roni Schrantz, Anna Kakish, Josh Berney, Matt Chancellor and Ryal Reddick. Matt and Ryal had to hurry back to play in the basketball game. The crown bearer, Cy Naifeh, is the son of Blake Naifeh '94, and the flower girl is his cousin Brynn Cronic, who is a current CK student and daughter of Danielle Naifeh Cronic '91.



CK Class of 2013 alumni included on the Bishop McGuinness High School Senior Homecoming Court : Camden Parrott (crowned Queen), Frances Novak, Clay Morris, Tate Hammersley and Rubell Goe.



Camden '13 and Alex '15 Parrott (daughters of Laynie Patterson '89) with cousins Ellie, Parker, and Jake Patterson (children of Kelly Patterson '91).



The eighth grade Class of 2017 in their class tshirts on the first day of school.

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CK FUN RUN

On a beautiful, sunny morning, the last Saturday in September, 483 runners and dozens of volunteers gathered at Christ the King School and Church for the Inaugural CK Run – a 5K, 1 Mile and Toddler Dash through the streets of Nichols Hills. All races started and finished in front of Christ the King Catholic School. The event brought together generations of Christ the King runners and walkers, alumni and students, parents and grandparents, neighbors and volunteers – a true celebration of the entire CK Community. What a fun and successful event! Thank you to all our dedicated volunteers. Congrats to all our participants and to our top runners which included Top Male Alum Clay Axton '90 and Top Female Alum Lauren Connelly Creevey '99. Thank you to our amazing PTO for organizing and putting on such a wonderful new event in addition to the auction, golf tournament and everything else that you do for Christ the King students, parents, faculty and staff!



MRS. AIRINGTON



Beloved preschool teacher, Linda Airington, retired last May from Christ the King. Prior to her tenure at CK, she owned the Little Red Schoolhouse Preschool for 25 years. During its heyday, Little Red Schoolhouse, which was located around the corner from CK on Greystone and Guilford, saw hundreds



of young students graduate from its program and continue on to attend Christ the King School. The two schools have always shared a special relationship. In 2010, Little Red Schoolhouse merged with Christ the King School, CK bought Greystone Presbyterian Church (in which Little Red was housed for 25 years) and our current junior high building was built in its place. Linda was a tireless advocate for young children and she elevated the profession of early childhood education through her example. Linda's three daughters – Jenny '89, Jill '91 & Jolie, '93 all graduated from Christ the King. Linda and her husband Ancel have been married over 40 years. Her eldest daughter, Jenny Richard followed in her mom's footsteps and is a preschool teacher here at CK. Thank you, Linda, for playing such an important role in so many children's lives!



Several teachers who have taught with Linda at Little Red and Christ the King were here for her last preschool concert.





CHRIST THE KING SCHOOL

GRADE 6

1954-1955



Thank you to James Telcocci '57 for sharing these priceless class pictures!



CHRIST THE KING SCHOOL

GRADE 8-1

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