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Class Verse

Praise the Lord. Praise the Lord,
my soul. I will praise the Lord all
my life; I will sing praise to my
God as long as I live.

Psalms 146:1-2 NIV





Lin-Li

Lin-Li Brett Beadle was born on January 28, 2002. She came to Christian Hills School in fourth grade. Her favorite Bible verse is Psalm 119:108-109, "Accept O Lord, the willing praise of my mouth, and teach me your laws. Though I constantly take my life into my own hands I will not forget your laws." Lin-Li's favorite teacher is Mrs. Strugielski because she is funny and easy to talk to. Her favorite memory at the school was when the girls' volleyball team won first place in all the tournaments. Lin-Li will be attending Lemont High School. The person that has made the biggest impact on her life is her mom because she has helped her in her walk with Christ. In ten years, Lin-Li sees herself doing something with art.



Interview by Daniel White



Katherine

Katherine Elizabeth Bosma was born on July 29, 2002. She has been at CHS since preschool! Her favorite Bible verse is Ephesians 4:32. This verse reads "Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you." Katherine's favorite teacher is Mrs. Strugielski because she is fun and supportive. Her favorite memory at CHS was winning three volleyball tournaments. The high school she will be attending is Community Christian. The person who's had the biggest impact on Katherine is her mom because she always has a positive outlook on life. Katherine doesn't know exactly what she will be doing 10 years in but she sees herself either being a nurse or teacher hopefully.

Interview by Kennedy Stevenson



Shaneve

Shaneve Arie Cal was born on August 2, 2002 and came to Christian Hills School in fourth grade. She loves Proverbs 18:21-22 which says "The tongue has the power of life and death, and those who love it will eat its fruit. He who finds a wife finds what is good and receives favor from the lord." Shaneve's favorite teacher is Mrs. White because she is helpful, nice, and taught her a lot. Shaneve's favorite memory from this school is when she had so much fun with her class. She does not know what high school she is attending yet. Shaneve's mom has made the biggest impact in her life because of how her mom helps her and she just loves her mom. Lastly, Shaneve sees herself in 10 years as a lawyer or actress.

Interview by Morgan Robinson



Faith



Faith Taylor Enokian was born on May 17, 2002 and has attended Christian Hills School since preschool! Faith's favorite Bible verse is 2 Samuel 22:33, which says, "It is God who arms me with strength and keeps my way secure." Faith's favorite teacher is Mrs. Ski because she is really easy to talk to and always has a lot of fun with our class. Faith's favorite memory at CHS is when they made edible volcanoes for science class and they all just feasted on everyone's project. Then Katherine stuck her face in the most gooey volcano. Faith will be attending Carl Sandburg High School. The person who has had the biggest impact on Faith's life is her mom because she always supported and encouraged her no matter what. Faith sees herself as a nurse for a hospital or pediatric building in the future. I learned a lot about Faith and had fun interviewing her.

Interview by Ciara Shefts





Janielle

Janielle Nicole Ford was born on November 13, 2001. She came to CHS in seventh grade. Her favorite Bible verse is Isaiah 43:1 it says, "Do not fear for I have redeemed you I have summoned you by name, you are mine". Janielle's favorite teacher is Mrs. Ski because she is really cool. Her favorite memory is the Christmas play. Janielle will be attending Marian Catholic in the fall. Janielle's mom has had the biggest impact in her life because she encourages her. In ten years, Janielle sees herself becoming a producer.

Interview by Alex Crosen



Gus

Gustavo Pasquale Gamboa was born on March 17, 2002 and has been going to Christian Hills since preschool. His favorite Bible verse is Psalms 100:1 "Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth!" Gus' favorite teacher is Mrs. Bergeron because she's very nice. His favorite memory from CHS was when he used to get honor role in school. The high school Gus will attend is Providence Catholic. The biggest impact in Gus' life is his dad, because he taught him to be strong. In ten years, Gus sees himself owning a business and having lots of money.

Interview by Anthony Brown



Michaela

Michaela Margaret Gomez was born on November 5, 2001 and began attending CHS in seventh grade. Michaela will be attending Chicago Christian High School in the fall. Her favorite Bible verse is Proverbs 18:21. This verse says, "The tongue has the power of life and death, and those who love it will eat its fruit." {NIV} Michaela's favorite teacher is Mrs. Ski because "she's so nice and very supportive." Her favorite memory is "junior high field day because it was really fun and exciting." Michaela's greatest influence is her mom because she's never given up on her and always believes in her. In ten years, Michaela sees herself probably still in college.

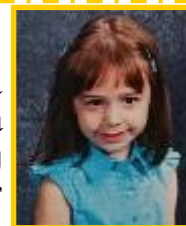
Interview by Brynden Cleveland



Delaney

Delaney Irene Lewis was born on October 4, 2001 and has attended CHS since preschool. Her favorite Bible verse is Psalm 119:9-11 which says, "How can a young person keep his life pure? By living in keeping with your word. Trust in you with all my heart. Don't let me wander away from your commands. I have hidden your word in my heart that I might not sin against you." Delaney's favorite teacher is Mrs Strugielski because she is funny and supportive. Her favorite memory from CHS was going undefeated and winning three volleyball tournaments. She will be attending Carl Sandburg High School. Delaney says her biggest influence is her mother because she is always there for her. Delaney sees herself teaching at a school in ten years.

Interview by Matthew McLean





Gina

Gina Majorie-Elizabeth Mejia was born on May 14, 2002. She began attending CHS in fourth grade. Her favorite Bible verse is Proverbs 31:25. The verse says "She is clothed with strength and dignity; she can laugh at the days to come." (NIV) Gina's favorite teacher is Mrs. Ski because she is fun and good at explaining things. Gina's favorite memory at CHS was all the concerts she has been in. Gina will be attending Chicago Christian High School. The biggest influence on Gina is her mom because she is always there for her. In 10 years, Gina sees herself finishing medical school.



Interview by Kennedy Stevenson



Julia

Julia Fay Mooncotch was born on December 31, 2001 and began attending CHS in kindergarten. Her favorite Bible verse is Exodus 14:14. This verse states, "The Lord will fight for you; you need only to be still." {NIV} Julia's favorite teacher is Mrs. Ski because "she's fun to talk to, and she's fun and understanding." Her favorite memory from CHS was "last year's Christmas play because it was fun and awesome." Julia will be attending Marist High School in the fall. Her greatest influence is her mom because she is her role model. In ten years, Julia sees herself in medical school getting her doctor's degree.

Interview by Brynden Cleveland



Hope

Hope Alexis Shapiro was born December 28, 2001. She began attending CHS in sixth grade. Her favorite Bible is Philippians 4:6. This verse says, "Do not be anxious about anything but in everything by prayer petition with thanksgiving present your request to God." (NIV) Hope's favorite teacher at CHS is Mrs. Ski because "she is really cool and personal and explains things really good." Her favorite memory at CHS was all the basketball seasons. Hope will be homeschooling for high school. Hope says her parents have the biggest influence in her life because "they taught me everything I know". In 10 years, she hopes to have her own restaurant.



Interview by Cidney Jones

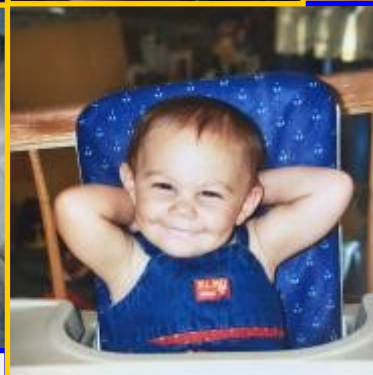




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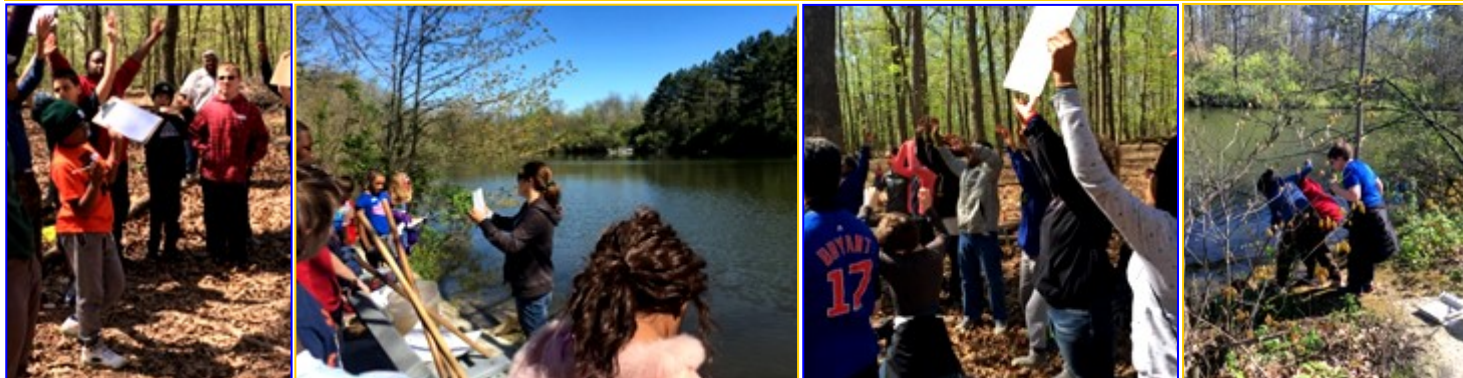
Environmental Learning Center Field Trip

On May 3rd, fifth through eighth grade students and teachers traveled to the Environmental Learning Center in Mokena. This field trip was made possible by a Grant from the Illinois Department of Natural Resources. We are very thankful to The Daniel F. and Ada L. Rice Foundation as well as Independence Tube Corporation for the generous funds that made this grant opportunity possible.

Students investigated two areas. The first area was the forest. The leader coordinated many interactive activities to teach about the forest. Topics included the life-cycle of a tree and layers of a tree trunk, the layers of the forest, the role of fungus in the ecosystem, decomposers, and forestry/conservation and tree identification. Students are now able to identify red oak versus white oak by the shape of their leaves. A few of the favorite activities were identifying a tree while blindfolded and rolling over logs to catch and identify decomposers. Attention was paid to the role of the forest in our economy and ways to conserve and protect this Illinois resource.

The pond study was the favorite investigation of the students. Students were taught about indicators of pollution and the layers of the pond. The leader taught the students how to be a citizen scientist by showing them how to use D-Nets, buckets, trays and microscopes to catch and identify pond organisms. They also learned how to use identification guides and dichotomous keys and to carefully release their organisms back to the pond. Pond study also included an understanding of how much freshwater is available for our use and the importance of water conservation. Everyone had a great day!

by Mrs. White



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