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December 2023 Newsletter



Every day is Giving Tuesday at Gibault. Please go to our website at www.gibault.org to make a donation that directly supports our programs and services. This is a great opportunity to make a monetary Christmas gift for our children on our campuses.

Foster Care Donation Tax Credit

If you are considering an end-of-the-year donation or you have already made a donation to Gibault, we have great news for you. Your donation may be eligible for a tax credit on your Indiana tax return. The maximum amount of credit that will be granted is 50% of the donation up to \$10,000 for all donations to one or multiple approved foster care organizations during any one calendar year. The tax credit approval is on a first-in, first-out basis. Complete the [Foster Care Donation Application](#) and submit to the Indiana Department of Revenue, along with proof of the donation. The application can be found on our website.



Christmas at Gibault

We are inviting the Councils of Indiana to come together and help the children at Gibault celebrate Christmas! With your help, Saint Mother Theodore

Guerin Council #541 is proud to host the Gibault "Day After Christmas Party", this year at the Terre Haute campus.

Please direct your monetary gifts to St. Mother Theodore Guerin Council #541, P.O. Box 7062, Terre Haute, IN 47802 if you would like to help purchase items for this party.



We would also like to invite the Councils of Northwest Indiana to come together and help the children at Gibault celebrate Christmas! With your help, St. Pope John Paul II Council #16008 is proud to host the Gibault "Day After Christmas Party" on the Campagna Campus in Schererville.

Please direct your monetary gifts to K of C Council #16008, 9640 Kennedy Ave., Highland, IN 46322 if you would like to help purchase items for this party.

Please notify Melissa at 812-298-3030 or melissa.reed@gibault.org by **December 19th** if you or a group can attend on Tuesday, December 26th, from 12:00 noon - 2:00 pm, at either campus location.



Campagna Campus Happenings

The girls of Campagna hosted their first ladies' luncheon in November. In preparation for the big day, the girls sent invitations, planned the menu, and decorated the dining hall. The day of the event was filled with Christmas bag decorating (photos above) for the McGivney Health Care residents, speeches by a few of the girls, and overall fun and laughter by the group.

Terre Haute Campus Happenings

Aside from the enthusiasm in preparing for Christmas, we have a few other exciting events happening in Terre Haute. The Independent Living students have been cooking for different staff groups. This is a great way for the kids to showcase their newly learned skills, as well as interacting socially with the staff.



In addition, the human resources staff are looking for energetic individuals to join our recreation staff. We are currently in the process of revitalizing the recreation program for the children on campus.

Gibault on Tour



Michele Madley and Rob Sturm headed to Washington, D.C., in October to meet with seven Senate offices to gain support for a bill that would prevent children from losing their Medicaid when placed in residential care.

Michele Madley, Rob Sturm, Kara Jones, Alex Maderas, and Ashley Jackson traveled to sunny St. Petersburg, Florida to attend the National Association of Children's Behavioral Health (NACBH) annual conference in November. Michele gave the welcoming remarks as the new president of NACBH.

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