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February 2024 Newsletter





Campagna Campus One Year Anniversary

Gibault celebrates one year anniversary of merging with Campagna. This has been a great year of continuing the Campagna mission of restoring hope and building dreams. To celebrate, the staff were honored with a day of festivities including breakfast, lunch, ice cream and door prizes. The staff also participated in training conducted by Michele Madley to ensure we are providing quality care.

Holy Cross Knights Basketball secures win!

The Terre Haute campus has a travel basketball team. The Holy Cross Knights defeated Indy Pride 55-44 on January 25th in their first game. The team will travel to Indianapolis for a rematch on February 6th for their second game. This has been an incredible experience to watch the kids work hard, have fun, and display good sportsmanship.

A very special thank you to our team uniform sponsors, **Kroc's Butcher Shop** and **Amanda Adamson State Farm**. Their generous donations have provided home and away uniforms for the travel team. We would also like to thank Chances and Services for Youth for allowing us to host the game at their renovated gym.



Holy Cross Knights Coaches



Pre-game pep talk



Our fans



New uniforms



Michael J. Buske Scholarship

Dan Dayhuff, of Ruoff Mortgage – Terre Haute Branch, and former Gibault employee, has created a scholarship fund for Gibault Alumni. The scholarship will cover two years of tuition at any Ivy Tech Community College in Indiana for a Gibault graduate.

Mike Buske's passing last summer left the community at a loss. As a former Gibault employee, teacher, and coach, Mike loved mentoring children. A scholarship established in his name will provide a legacy for his dedication to youth and education.

Please join us on Thursday, February 22nd, from 7am-11am at the Sycamore Country Club for a pancake

breakfast to help support the Michael J. Buske Scholarship. If you are unable to attend, you may also donate online at http://impact.ivytech.edu/Buske.

New Albany K of C Council #1221 to the rescue

A huge round of applause to New Albany K of C Council #1221 who rallied and provided a very special Christmas to one of our families. Prior to Christmas, our Aftercare Supervisor was contacted by the mom of a kiddo who was recently discharged. She was looking for help in providing a bed for her son, as well as a little help with Christmas. We reached out to Mike Carter, Past Grand Knight of Council #1221 to see if they could provide guidance. Within 14 minutes of our email, the Knights wanted to step in and partner with us to help the family. After some coordination, we had a brand-new bed and a very nice Christmas for the family. Thank you to the Knights for always rising to the challenge. We are truly blessed to partner with you in providing life-changing opportunities.

Campus Business ...

The administrative team at both the Terre Haute Campus and the Campagna Campus are preparing for our upcoming four-year Council on Accreditation survey.

IT is preparing to purchase two additional servers. This will ensure that both the Terre Haute Campus and the Campagna campus will operate under our own internal IT department. Currently, Campagna is under contract with Impact until 2025.

We are adding PHLYSENSE from the Philadelphia Insurance Company to both campuses. PHLYSENSE is risk management protection that provides sensors to monitor water and temperature threats. The system provides both text and email notifications in the event of a potential loss.



Valentine's Day is around the corner.

Help us spread the love for Valentine's Day. If you would like to send Valentine cards or treats to our children, or residents at McGivney Health Care Center, please contact Melissa Reed at 812-298-3030.

SAVE THE DATE Mark your calendars for our upcoming events in 2024.

> May 16th Gibault's 28th Annual Golf Scramble

September 5th Fr. Campagna Birthday Celebration and Spaghetti Dinner

> September 21st 39th Annual Envoy Conference

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