



CHILDREN'S SERVICES

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# December 2024 Newsletter



# TIS THE SEASON



### It's almost Christmas!

Thank you to all who have already delivered gifts for our children. If you are still planning on dropping off gifts, please do so by December 17th. Thank you for making Christmas a joyous time for our children!

#### CHRISTMAS GIFT DROP OFF LOCATIONS

December 7 – 9am – noon (central time) AND December 17 - noon - 4pm Campagna Center, 7403 Cline Ave. Schererville, In. 46375

December 13-16 – St. Louis DE Montfort Church, 11441 Hague Rd, Fishers, IN during the Indiana Knights of Columbus state council's mid-year meeting.

Friday, December 13 - 3pm - 5pm Saturday, December 14 - 9am - 11:30am & 2pm - 4pm Sunday, December 15 - 9am - 11am

#### CHRISTMAS CELEBRATIONS

#### Knights Pizza Parties – December 26, 2024 – 12pm – 2pm

The Knights will provide pizza at lunchtime for everyone. After lunch, some quality time will be shared with our children who could not go home for Christmas.

Please email melissa.reed@gibault.com by December 19th if you would like to attend. If you are unable to attend and would like to make a monetary donation, please direct the donations to the below locations.

#### **Terre Haute Campus**

St. Mother Theodore Guerin Council #541 P.O. Box 7062 Terre Haute, IN 47802

> Campagna Campus K of C Council #16008 9640 Kennedy Avenue Highland, IN 46322

## Ladies Luncheon with our Campagna Youth

Ladies from all over Indiana joined our youth at Campagna for our annual Ladies Luncheon. It was a great time of fellowship and crafts. Guests and our children decorated holiday gift bags for our residents at MHCC. Below are more photos from the luncheon. We love and appreciate those who invest in our kids with their time, talent, and treasure!







During our annual Envoy Conference, the Life-Changing Ladies voted to help fund the Michael J. Buske Memorial Scholarship fund at Ivy Tech Community College. The proceeds from the basket raffle and 50/50 raffle also benefited this fund. Collectively the ladies raised \$2,172.50 for the Michael J. Buske Memorial Scholarship! Gibault's Melissa Reed and Keith Madley made a check presentation to Ivy Tech Community College Terre Haute. Ivy Tech's Lauren Arnold was present to receive the check, and Ruoff Mortgage- Terre Haute Branch was represented by its Vice President and Branch Manager Dan Dayhuff. Lauren created the scholarship, and Dan was responsible for using his passion for Gibault, through his previous employment at the school in the 1990's, to create the scholarship to honor Mike Buske. Mike was a former staff member who passed away in July of 2023. Any former student of Gibault at our Campagna or Terre Haute campus is eligible to apply for the scholarship to attend any Ivy Tech campus in Indiana.



# WE OUR KNIGHTS

## Vincennes K of C Council #712 Thanksgiving Dinner

Another wonderful year spent with our Knights in Vincennes. The food was delicious, and the generosity was overwhelming as they presented a check to assist with providing a bright Christmas for our youth. These Knights also support an angel tree and purchase gifts for 30 individual children on our campuses.





K of C Council #9400 members
dropped off much needed hygiene items
and luggage sets to our children, which
are needed year-round. If you would
like to host a drive to
collect these items,
please contact Melissa Reed at
812-243-3030 for more
information on how to do so.

K of C Council #1881 members dropped off Winter COATS just in time for the SNOW! Pictured is Dan Banaszak, Support Services Supervisor, Campagna Campus, and Larry Brady from Council #1881, Rensselaer.



# Campagna Campus Happenings

Our Youth Council set up a food drive and were able to gather a good amount of canned goods that will be donated to the local food bank.

We love to see our kids giving back!

# Terre Haute Campus Happenings

The Terre Haute campus hosted a staff breakfast and lunch for staff appreciation. BHT staff voted for three staff they feel always go above and beyond for our youth. The winners were Ms. Bailey, Mr. Brookins, and Ms. Ornduff. Congratulations!

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

The Indiana Pacers will be on our campus Dec 9th to gift toys to our youth. We are looking forward to their visit!



# 2024 Donations

As 2024 draws to a close, please consider making a donation to Gibault. All donations directly support the youth in our care and are tax deductible. Thank you helping us provide life-changing opportunities.

#### **Donate to Gibault**

Our *Messenger* is available online. Please go to Messenger - Gibault Children's Services to read about all the happenings from the last year.





#### **WE ARE DIGITAL**

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