

FAITH KNOWLEDGE SERVICE

Alumni Echo

June 2023

Message from the President Jeffrey Twomley - Class of 1980

Greetings! Summer is here, and before you know it, Alumni Weekend 2023 will be upon us! Lots has been happening behind the scenes to ensure a solid program for you. I hope everyone is making plans to join us Oct. 13 & 14 at Indiana Academy.

My prayer is that all of us are preparing for that big reunion in heaven. Jesus wants every one of us to be with Him for eternity. But until that day, we can enjoy the fellowship He has provided here on earth! See you soon!

Golf Outing Update Bill Summit - Class of 1982 Alumni Golf Chair

The golf committee has been busy putting some finishing touches on our annual golf classic this coming homecoming weekend. While we are still negotiating with a couple of different courses, the plan as it stands right now is to change the venue from the Tipton Municipal course to another location, with the goal of upgrading the facility. This upgrade will include having accommodations on site to host our after golf lunch and awards ceremony. By next newsletter, these details should all be worked out.

One of the main reasons for the change is to attract more golfers. Over the past few years our attendance has been steadily declining, and while the Covid restrictions played a big part of that, we are looking to again grow the participation of the event. As always, the proceeds are provided to the academy for student assistance, and is a way to give back and have a fun time in the process.

The golf committee has set a lofty goal of 72 golfers this year. Once the announcement is made as to the course we will be playing, I anticipate the teams filling up quickly. For more information, or to lock your team in now, please contact me at <u>iagolfclassic@gmail.com</u>.

ALUMNI WEEKEND SCHEDULE 2023

October 13 - Friday

Golf Outing Haystack Supper Vespers New Location information coming soon – 8 am IA Cafeteria – 5:30 pm IA Chapel – 7:30 pm

October 14 - Sabbath Morning/Gymnasium

Registration - 8:30 am Sabbath School – 9:30 am Awards & Scholarships – 10:30 am Worship Service – 11:00 am

October 14 - Sabbath Afternoon/Evening Fellowship Dinner - Gym – 1:00 pm

> Hall of Memories - Ad Building – 2:00 pm Music Vespers - Chapel – 5:30 pm Business Meeting & Supper - Cafeteria – 6:30 pm Ball Games - Gym – 8:15 pm

ALUMNI COMMUNICATION DETAILS

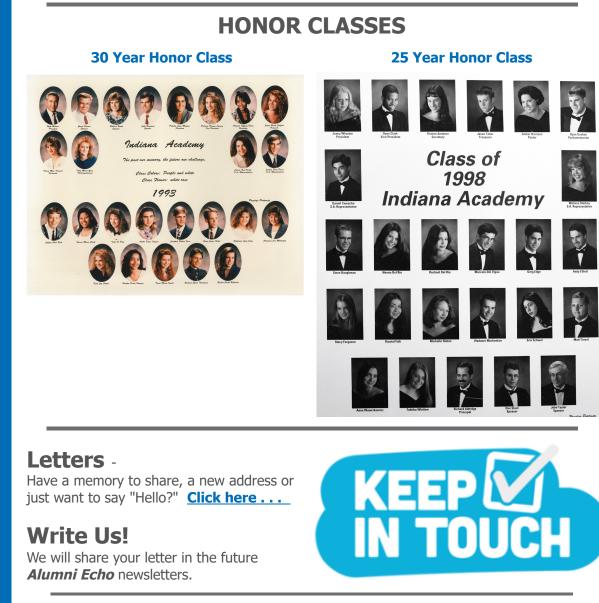
Please take a moment to update your personal **contact information** at this link: <u>https://www.iasda.org/alumni</u>

We invite you to post a **fun IA memory** or picture on our Facebook page that depicts IA life during your time there. Let's share what IA was like through the years and flood our page with fun memories!

If you have a name to recommend for the **Hall of Remembrance**, please email Kathy Griffin at <u>kathyagriffin@gmail.com</u> or fill out the information at this link: We look forward to reviewing each name and choosing a candidate for Alumni Weekend 2023.

If your class would like to have a **reunion on campus**, please contact Jeff Twomley at <u>jltwom@hotmail.com</u>. He is also coordinating honor class weekend responsibilities, so please contact him with questions regarding these details.

Please send your \$25 **alumni dues** to Martin Kendall, IA Treasurer: 154 Carrick Glen Blvd., Pendleton, IN 46064. We rely on these funds to cover expenses for alumni weekend!



Notes from Alumnus

Veda (Platt) Logan - Class of 1971 - I am glad to be retired, and enjoy spending time with our daughters/families and grandson - he is almost 17 and our one and only. Sorry we can't make it to homecoming, but I do look forward to seeing pictures from the weekend.

Daniel Weber - Class of 1986 - I am now teaching in the Visual Art, Communication and Design Department at Andrews University. Prior to that I served for 9 years at the North American Division and 10 years at the General Conference.

Tom Durst - Class of 1955 - I spent 1954 - 1955 at IA. One of the highlights of my spiritual journey.

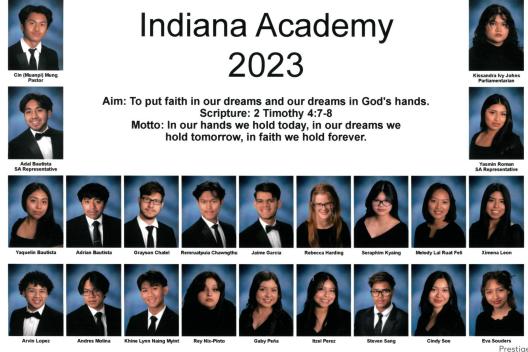
Mark Smith - Class of 1972 - Currently living in Kenya taking care of Vicki who is very sick.

News from around the Campus

2023 Graduates

The IA Alumni Association welcomed 26 new members on Sunday, May 28, 2023. Join us in celebrating the Class of 2023.





Lake Union and North American Division's Office of Education "Caring Heart Award"

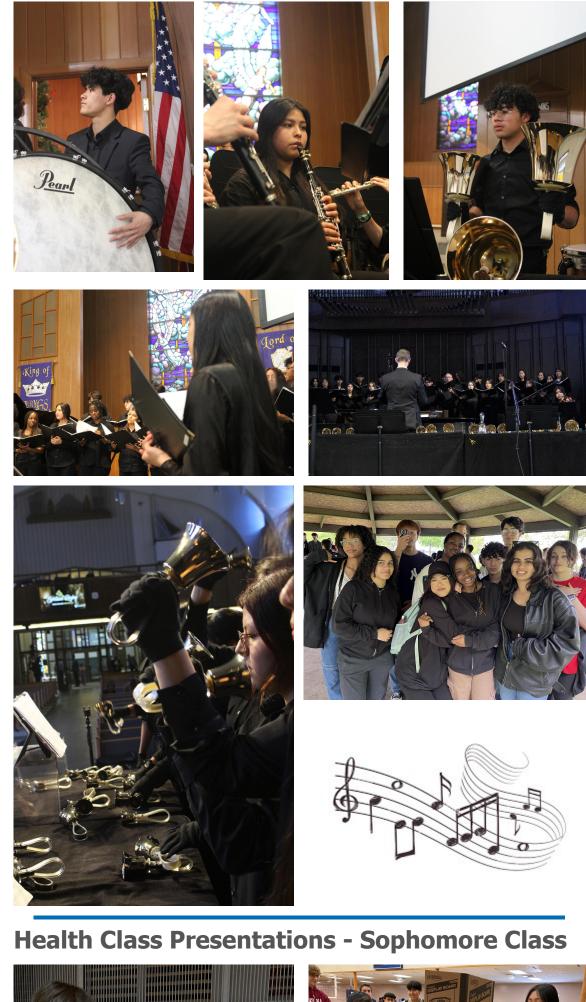
The Lake Union and North American Division's Office of Education believe that teaching young people to be actively involved in witnessing and service activities is central to the educational goals of the school and the mission of the church.

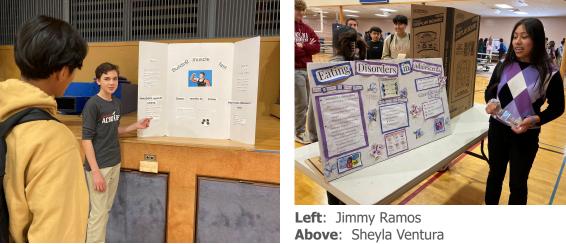
For this reason, the secondary student Caring Heart Award for Christian Service has been established to give recognition to those students who have demonstrated a personal commitment to active service and witnessing activities. <u>Continue Reading ...</u>



Spring Music Tour

The Spring Tour included concerts at Anderson, Kettering and Richmond SDA Churches.





Above: Sheyla Ventura **Below** (L-R): Gavin Chatel, Keily Zapata, Janelle Diaz



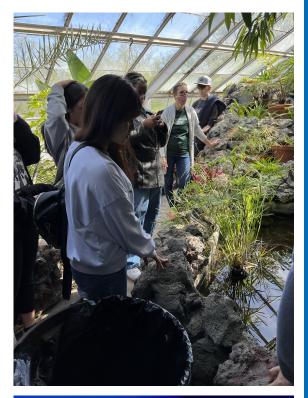




Left: Elux Medina **Above**: Mary Htwe

Sophomore Biology Trip













Senior Class Trip







Trip to Turkey Run



Youth Rightly Trained by Kaili Kimbrow, Student Evangelism Director & Recruitment

Indiana Academy has been in existence for 121 years, and God continues to do a new thing in this school and in the lives of each student. May God change us all into His image, a reflection of Him. <u>Continue Reading ...</u>

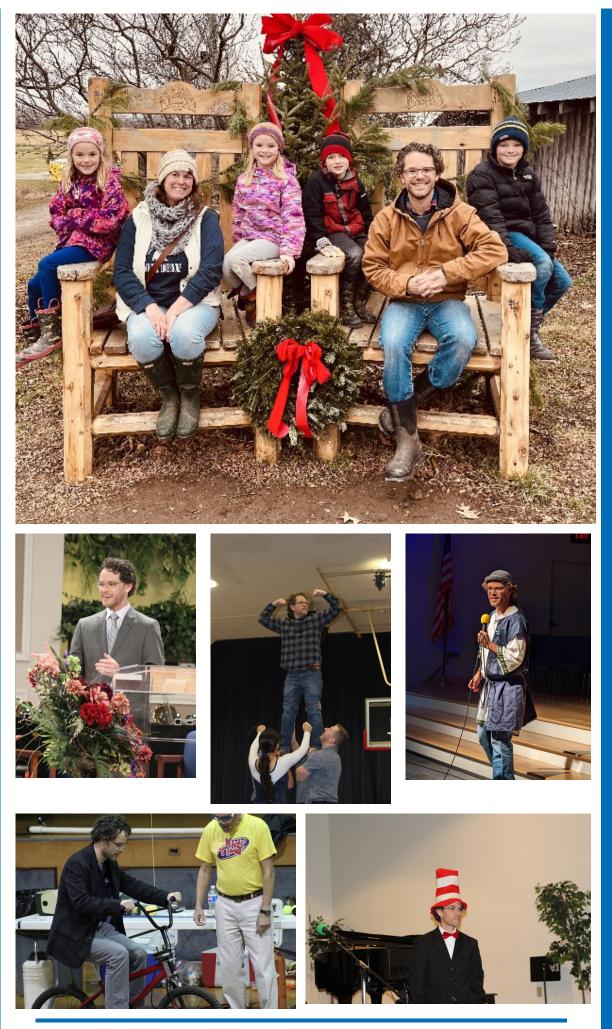


Saying Goodbye to the Baughman Family

Steve, Janelle, Milo, Lucy, Emmaline and Oliver

In July 2013 Steve, Janelle and Milo Baughman joined the staff of Indiana Academy as our new Principal. During the past 10 years students and staff alike have come to know and love the Baughman family. It has been very evident to all who have interacted with the Baughman's, they have a passion for Adventist Education and a desire for all students to be successful at IA and beyond. More importantly their desire to help students develop a lifelong relationship with Jesus.

It is hard to believe that the Baughman's will be saying "see you later" to the IA family and moving to Michigan. We want to thank them for their many years of dedicated service to Indiana Academy and our Cicero community.

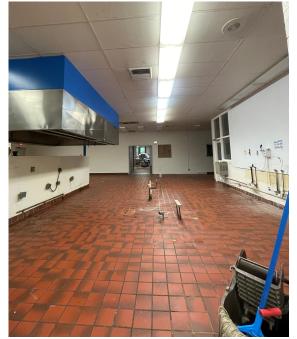


Kitchen/Cafeteria Renovation has begun We need your Support!!

There is a lot to be excited about happening at Indiana Academy. From renovations in the cafeteria to supporting students who are seeking the life-changing opportunity to call Indiana Academy "home", you know from first-hand experience that it takes a community of supporters to make a difference at our dear, old IA.

Renovations have begun on this very important and needed project. This includes the new paint and removal of the tile in the lobby and kitchen. We continue to need your financial support to complete all of the work that needs to be done.

Thank you for your continued support of our Dear, old IA and for your generous giving towards this project.





The Kitchen has been emptied and painted in preparation for the flooring to be replaced.



Kitchen and dining room being protected while the dining room is painted.







Contractors have begun the removal of the tile.



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Mission Statement

Educating the whole student to know and serve God in their community.









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