



## FAMILY FUN

2/1: **Winter Carnival** at the Franklin County Fairgrounds in Hilliard. Click here for all the fun details! [Columbus Winter Carnival 2025](#)

Want to take in a Buckeye **sporting event**? Click here to purchase tickets!

[OSU Men's Basketball](#)

[OSU Women's Basketball](#)

[OSU Ice Hockey](#)

# February 2025

Smart Watches! The CAS policy is that personal cell phones and watches are not to be used at CAS and that children are not permitted to send emails or text communications in any format.

Most smart watches have a 'school time' function. Here is a video that explains how to set access controls on an apple watch: [Setting "School Time"](#). You can also click here to review our [Technology Policy](#) in the Parent Handbook.

The priority registration period for currently enrolled families for the 2025-26 school year will be **March 3<sup>rd</sup>-March 9<sup>th</sup>**. Registration is required if you want your child to attend CAS next school year. You will receive additional details along with reminders as we get closer to the date. Check out our [website](#) for details or send questions to [info@careafterschool.com](mailto:info@careafterschool.com).

## PARENT SURVEY

Each year, we ask parents to take a brief survey about the program. We constantly strive to make CAS a safe and enjoyable place for your children. We sincerely value your input and hope you'll complete the upcoming survey. Please be on the lookout for emails containing the link during the week of February 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup>.



## IMITATING ART

There are so many fun videos for our kids to watch! Silly dances and challenges are a part of growing up today. Talk with your children about what they see online, and what is appropriate in school and after school. We have seen some disruptive behavior consistent with popular videos on social media. We offer many creative outlets and embrace trends with organized activities. We appreciate being able to work with you to help guide our children through this digital age.

## UPDATES NEEDED

If you haven't done so already, please see your Site Director to review your current registration form, and make changes as needed. ***This must be completed and initialed by Feb. 28, 2025.***

## PICK-UP TIME

Please allow a few extra minutes at pick-up time for your children to carry out their end-of-the-day responsibilities. They should put away any supplies they are using, put their clip away, put away their basket, and wash their hands.



# Look what we've been up to!



Bluffsview CAS honored Martin Luther King's dream by making these Unity Wreaths!



This cool activity had the gang at Brookside CAS blindfolded. What a great way to learn about relying on your other senses!



We have a lot of curious readers at Colonial Hills CAS. Our soft space tents are the perfect get-away!



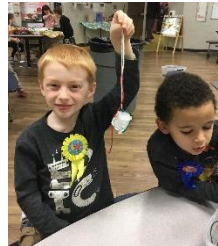
Evening Street CAS had a great time making these dream catchers! Sweet dreams to all!



Granby CAS had a lot of fun with the Cup Stacking kit. Just look at the proud faces on this construction crew!



This group at Liberty CAS enjoyed playing board games together



Slate Hill CAS put a new spin on "Ice Fishing." These guys had a great time thawing their catches!



We had so much fun at our Under the Sea event! Check out this surfing teddy bear at Wilson Hill CAS!



What a memorable activity at Worthington Estates CAS! They're making time capsules!



Worthington Hills CAS had fun with this timeless classic. Who remembers Lincoln Logs?



Look at this cute stuffed penguin! Worthington Park CAS had a lot of fun at their Winter Animals event!

# Wait until you see what we have planned next!