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Hey IASC! We hope you all had an amazing first semester of school as we move towards the final half of the 2024-25 year. In this edition of The Reporter, you will gain some information over everything state conference related, including the theme, service project, and more!

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Letter from the President

Dear members of the IASC,

First, I would love to congratulate and offer my support to all the districts. I have attended a few conventions and events hosted by districts, and they have been absolutely wonderful. Our districts are amazing and doing great things for our state! Also, I reiterate, please contact me whenever you like. There is nothing I love more than getting emails and messages from district board members, or anyone who wants to be in touch. I think it is the most important thing. All and any questions or comments are welcome!

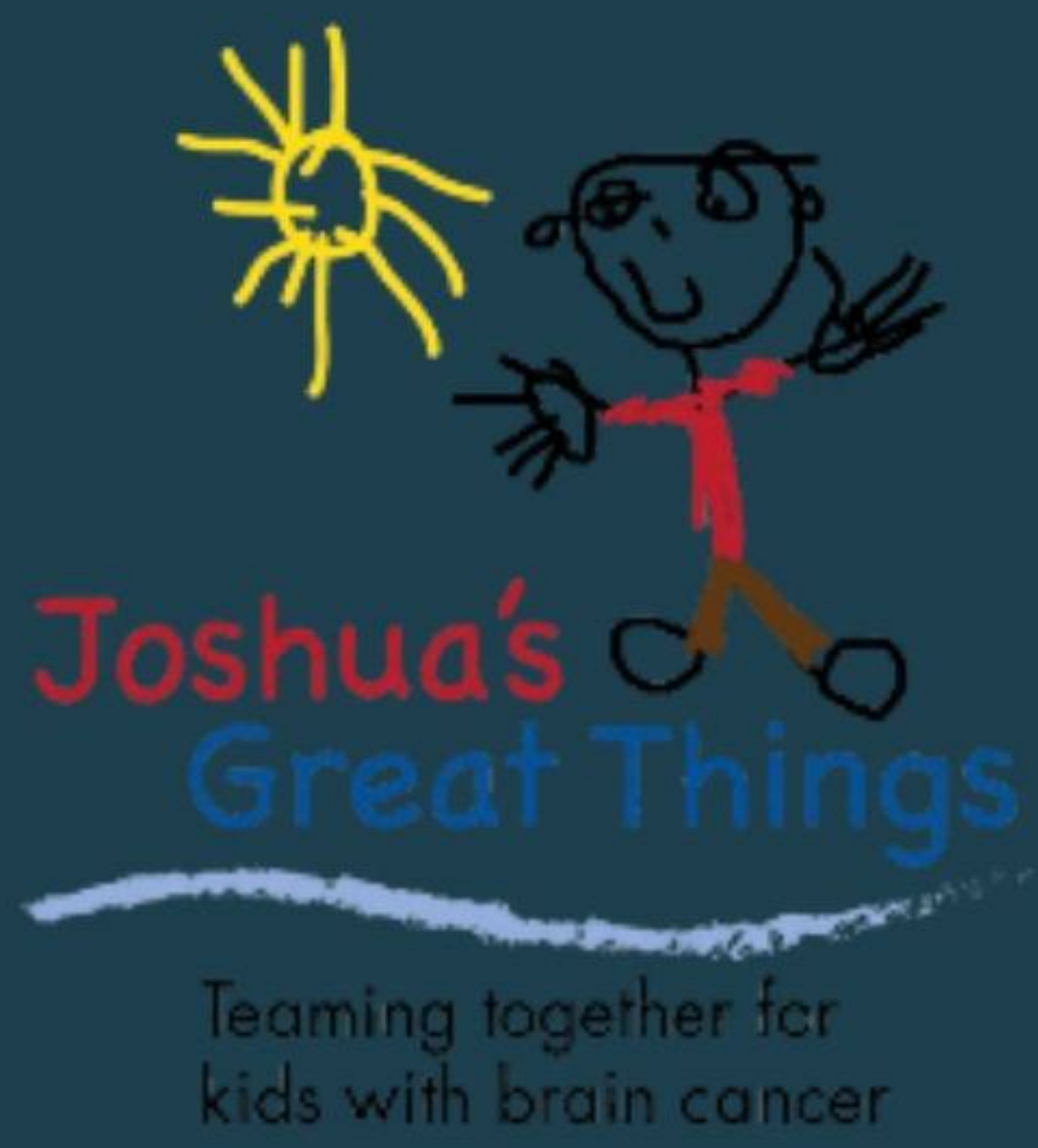
As you all know, our state service project has been selected as Joshua's Great Things. The website has been updated with information and our video. I ask you all to make attempts to raise money for this wonderful foundation. Our school did a line dancing night, in which we raised hundreds of dollars for the foundation. You can do the same!! Finally, I encourage you all to submit your school and/or district events to our Instagram as well. We have seen some cool things posted to our Instagram and I cannot wait to see more this semester. Prom and other second semester activities would be a great submission to our page. Keep doing amazing things, and I cannot wait to see you all at state.

Thank you,

President Kate Easton



State Service Project Info

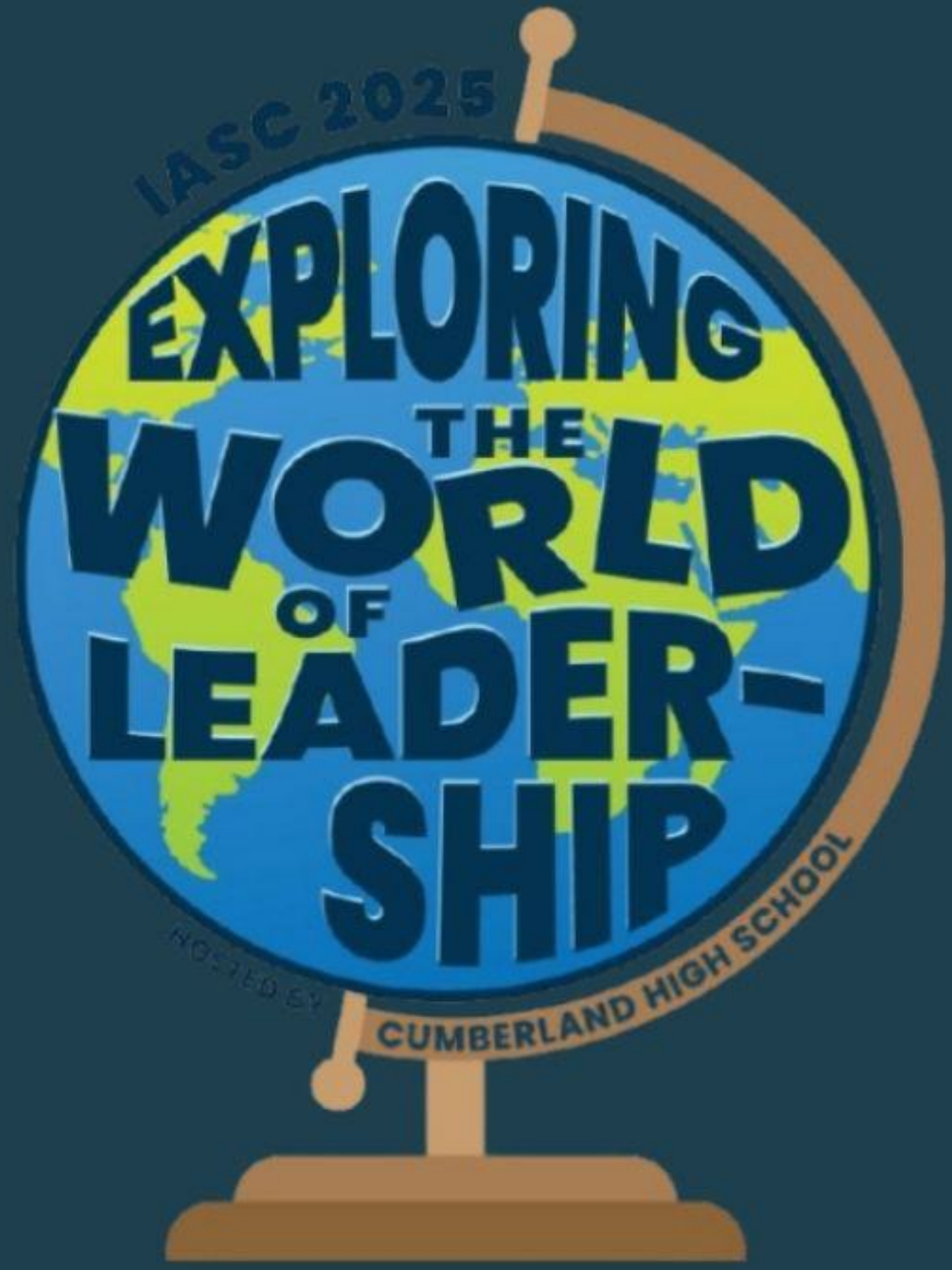


Founded in 2013, Joshua's Great Things was started in memory of Joshua Brown who battled brain cancer his entire life. Joshua lived his life doing Great Things inspiring everyone he met. Joshua's Great Things mission is to raise money for much needed pediatric brain cancer research and to help families when they need it most.

The IASC invites you to help raise awareness and funds for the organization as part of this years' service project. You can donate online at <https://joshuasgreatthings.org/donate>. Upon completion of your donation, please complete and return the Validation Form along with a copy of your donation receipt. All validation forms must be returned by April 27, 2025.



State Convention Info



Cumberland High School is proud to host this year's IASC State Convention, Exploring the World of Leadership, on May 1-3, 2025, at the Westin. We invite your council to join us for the 91st annual convention

91st Annual State Convention

Date: May 1-3, 2025

Location: The Westin Chicago Lombard, Lombard, IL

Theme: Exploring the World of Leadership

Cost: \$50 per student or advisor. You may bring an unlimited number of delegates, advisors, and confirmed honor delegates. Registration due by April 5



IASC Reminders

Honor Council Applications

If your school wishes to submit an Honor Council Book or Mini Book, it's not too late to apply. We will accept applications through February 1 at <https://illinoisstuco.org/app/honordelegates/>. Scorecards, title pages, affidavits, and other documents needed for your book have been posted to our [Documents page](#).

Hall of Ideas and Service Project Honor Delegates

In order to allow more students to take part in this year's state convention, we have reopened the application for Hall of Ideas and Service Project honor delegates. As a reminder, Hall of Ideas students will prepare a tri-fold poster highlighting a unique event that your council participates in, and Service Project students provide a \$25 donation of cash or a gift card.

Applications will be open through March 14 for any students who still wish to apply. Students can submit their applications here: <https://illinoisstuco.org/app/honordelegates/>.

Constitutional Amendments

If your school wishes to submit any proposed amendments to be considered at the state convention, those must be submitted by end of day on Friday, January 10. More details and the submission form are available here: <https://illinoisstuco.org/News/Article?Title=CallforConstitutionalAmendments235>.