



Good Shepherd Charger News

"The Lord is my Shepherd" - John 10:11

All School Newsletter
March 22, 2019

Charger Headlines...

Calendar of Events

Saturday, March 23

- Regional History Fair at SIUC
- Regional Science Fair at SIUE
- GSLC Auction 5:30pm

Sunday, March 24

- New Enrollment Open House
1:00-3:00pm

Monday, March 25

- Scrip Orders Due by 9:00am
- Kdg. - Gr. 8 Achievement
Testing Through 27th

Tuesday, March 26

- Achievement Testing Through
Wednesday 27th
- Boxtops and Labels Turn in Day

Wednesday, March 27

- Lenten Services 4:30 & 7:00pm

Thursday, March 28

- Chapel 8:25am

For more information:
gslcs.org/calendars



News from the Charger Bucks - Scrip Program:

Bucky's gas cards are no longer accepted at the Collinsville location. We are working with them to reimburse/exchange the cards. In Missouri, they have two locations where the Bucky's cards are accepted: 9791 Page and 4504 S. Lindbergh. Watch for updates!!

Prospective Student Open House

Good Shepherd Lutheran School Open House for Preschool through 8th grade is this Sunday, March 24th from 1-3pm. Tours will be available and teachers will be present to answer questions regarding curriculum. Invite your friends/neighbors to attend this Open House to help promote the 2019-20 school year. This is a great opportunity to learn the advantages of quality Christian education, tour our complex and meet our staff! Check us out at www.gslcs.org.

Promoting Good Shepherd Lutheran School

Social media is a great way to help promote a place you are participating or involved in an activity. The following will help GSLC be promoted while you are at an event... "Check in" while you are at GSLC! We encourage our families to use the Location feature on Facebook when posting updates and adding pictures for activities at the school. This is a great way for people to learn more about GSLC. Ideas include a sporting event, concert, musical, talent show, awards ceremony, Science Fair, Spelling Bee, and Robotics, among many others. We appreciate your help in getting the word out about what we can offer other families!

Spring Concert

The Christs Kids Choir along with Children's Music director, Mr. Zach Stegman, will present the musical "Sheep in Heavenly Peace" on Friday, April 5th at 7:00 p.m. and on Sunday April 7th at 2:00 p.m. "Sheep in Heavenly Peace" is about Bethlehem's homes and inns bursting at the seams with travelers for the census, and because of the animals they brought with them, the stable is simply out of control. Camels, donkeys and goats are up to the rafters! What some shepherds expect to be an unglamorous assignment will soon put them face to face with the angel Gabriel, a sky-full of the Heavenly Host, and ultimately the Good Shepherd himself - Jesus! Admission is free! Be sure to attend and enjoy this production of the nativity.

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Students To Regional Science Fair

Seventh grade students: Andrew B., Kylie B., Andrew H., Ava I., Brad L., Alex L., Harry M., Kate M., Nyah R., Davin R., and Meghan S., from Good Shepherd Lutheran School will be participating in the Regional Science and Engineering Research Challenge at Southern Illinois University in Edwardsville on Saturday, March 23, 2019.

GSLs Band to Play at Busch Stadium..Cardinals Tickets on Sale Now!!

GSLs has been accepted this year to sing "Take Me Out to the Ball-game" at Busch Stadium on Thursday, June 20th, 2019 as the Cardinals take on the Florida Marlins! Families may purchase tickets through the school office. All participants must purchase a ticket through the school AND reserve their spot by email to Mr. Stegman in order to participate. The tickets cost \$20.00. Come and help support the GSLs Music Program by purchasing tickets for friends and family now.

17th Annual GSLs Golf Classic

The Good Shepherd Golf Classic is scheduled for Saturday, July 13, 2019. Forms will be available in the school office soon. We hope you can help our GSLs student family!

GSLs Golf Classic
Saturday, July 13, 2019
Arlington Greens Golf Course
200 Arlington Dr., Granite City, IL
Check-in.....7:00am - 8:00am
Shotgun Start.....8:00am



Congratulations

We would like to congratulate Sophi T. for her achievement at the SIJHSAA State Bowling. She took 6th out of 100 with an average of 171 for 6 games.

Olympiads

Congratulations to our Olympiad Team having earned 14th out of 36 schools at the competition. The participants from GSLs were: Elliot J., Ellie M., Tyler H., and Jakob F. Mr. Voss was our staff representative.



In Our Prayers This Week

Each week this school year, the faculty will be praying for the school families. Please remember these and others in your prayers. The families of: Amelia R., Amelia B., Gavin G., and Angelo T.

Something to Consider...

Be strong in the Lord and in the power of His might. –Ephesians 6:10

When a hurricane hits the coastal waters, winds and waves batter waterfront homes. That's when the strength of a home's construction is put to the test. A solid foundation, attention to accuracy in its construction, and the quality of materials used to build it will all help determine whether the home is still standing when the wind subsides.

When personal storms batter your life, your strength will become evident in much the same way. The truth you've built your life upon, the attention you've given to growing in your faith, and the extent to which you've let God develop the unique qualities He's built into your character will all help you stand strong when the winds begin to blow.

The weaker we feel, the harder we need to lean on God and the harder we lean, the stronger we grow.

Robert Mayhew, Principal

The purpose of Good Shepherd Lutheran School is to provide each student with a quality Christian Education. We recognize that this begins with the premise that Jesus Christ is our Lord and Savior and in Him we have eternal life. The curriculum and all activities are developed around this premise.

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GSLs Summer Fun 2019

GSLs Summer Fun is open for children age 3years old to entering 8th grade. The eleven one-week sessions are from May 28th through August 9th.

A \$40 registration fee per child is due at sign up.

Half Day 8:15-11:30am

Full Day 8:15am-3:15pm

Extended Day 6:00am-6:00pm.

You may sign up for individual days (2 day weekly minimum).

The weekly charges are to be paid in full the first day your child attends in a given week.

For your convenience, the registration form and additional information is available in the school office.



School Enrollment

GSLs is in the process of enrolling students for the up-coming school year. Please contact Mr. Mayhew if financial challenges prevent your child's pre-registration or enrollment at this time. You can go to the school website at gslcs.org under prospective students for enrolling.

Box Tops and Labels

Our next Box Tops and Labels collection date will be Tuesday, March 26th. Thanks for participating and all of your help in keeping this program successful! Remember, only box tops that have a current or future date will be accepted. Keep up the great work CHARGERS! When you see Mrs. Crivello, please thank her for heading this program for our school!



Variety Show

Attention students, the Variety Show is Tuesday, April 9th. Entry forms are available in the school office. Participants may be in an individual act, a group act, or both! You may be in no more than two acts. All the entries will be previewed by Mrs. Daniels and Mrs. Maske. Each person must have an entry form turned in with the parent signature. We hope you have been thinking about what you might do for the Variety Show!

GSLs Auction Tomorrow Night

Tomorrow night, Saturday, March 23rd, our 35th Annual GSLs Benefit Auction will be held at the Knights of Columbus, 1 Columbus Plaza in Collinsville.

Doors open at 5:30pm Silent Auction is from 5:30-7:30pm.

Buffet Dinner from 6:00-7:00pm Live Auction at 8:00pm

Charger Bucks

Scrip Weekly Orders will be processed on Monday, March 25, April 1, 8, & 29. The green order sheets need to be turned in to the school office by 9:00am on Mondays to be processed that week. Walk-up sales will be after school on Fridays and will continue on Sunday mornings between services.

Your profits can go to a specific family of your choice to assist families with tuition.

If you have a student who attends MELHS, you can earn tuition credit by purchasing scrip through our Charger Bucks program at Good Shepherd. The ordering process is the same and your tuition credits will be posted to your MELHS account.