



Good Shepherd Charger News

"Jesus has Overcome" - John 16:31-33

All School Newsletter
August 16, 2019

Charger Headlines...

Calendar of Events

Saturday, August 17

-Installation of Faculty 5:30pm

Sunday, August 18

-Installation of Faculty All Services

Monday, August 19

-Baseball at Maryville Christian
4:00pm

Wednesday, August 21

-Baseball Home vs Unity-JJK
4:00pm

Thursday, August 22

-Chapel 8:25am

-Girls AC Volleyball at Edwardsville
6:00pm

Friday, August 23

-Baseball at Edwardsville 4:00pm

For more information:
gslcs.org/calendars



Welcome—Name to a Face

I would like to welcome all of our new school and returning families to Good Shepherd for our 36th year of offering a quality Christian education. I ask that you would continue to support and partner with us so we can continue to achieve our mission.

Please take the opportunity to welcome and meet every family so they feel that Christian welcome and feel apart of the Good Shepherd Family! How are you with names and faces?

Automatic Tuition Program

All families should have their tuition agreements completed and submitted to TADS at this time. Please note that if your tuition agreement was submitted after your August payment is due based on your payment plan selection, you must initiate this payment. It will not automatically deduct and if the payment is not made it will incur a late fee! Please contact TADS with any questions at 800-477-8237.

Athletics Parent Volunteers

Athletic parents who did not make it to the Athletic Meeting, please stop by the school office to sign-up to volunteer at home games. All GSLS sports require that you must sign up for to volunteer for five slots before your student can participate. The sign up sheets will be available in the school office. Please contact Mr. Mayhew with any questions.

Chapel

Just a reminder to everyone, please no shorts/capris on Thursdays for chapel. Any noncompliance will be mentioned to the student and parent first. Repeated times will result in a note or phone call from the school office with further consequences. Your support and partnership is truly appreciated!

Re-Sale Shop

Thank you to everyone who donated clothing, worked and shopped at the Standardized Dress Re-Sale Shop. Thank you to Mrs. Gower for heading this year's event and all the volunteers who assisted. This year's sale was another great success due to everyone's generosity!

T.R.A.C.K.S. Director

We welcome Mrs. Dixon as our new director for the Before and After School Care Program at Good Shepherd Lutheran School. Enrollment for TRACKS can be found through Tads.

Charger Headlines Continued...

Standardized Dress

The dress code and visual pictures are available on the website with frequently asked questions with answers. Please help us maintain this by viewing and supporting the dress code.

Piano Lessons

Please contact Mrs. Jarabak at 618-593-2259 or Mrs. Fuhrmann at 618-402-3098 for more information on available piano lesson spots.

Classroom Newsletters

Teachers are again providing a newsletter online designed for their classroom. This will provide communication from the teacher to the families in each room. Our hope is this will enhance our partnership with each family in education.

Boxtops and Labels Program

Hello! My name is Noelia Quiroz and I'm the volunteer Box Tops & Labels Program Coordinator at Good Shepherd Lutheran School. I'd like to welcome you to an exciting year at GSLS and share with you a little bit of information about the Box Tops & Labels program. This year, our school will be participating in the Box Tops for Education program and the Tyson Project A+ program. Box Top program is in the process to go digital-only.

Charger Bucks-Scrip

Weekly orders will be processed on Monday, August 19. (have your order in the school office by 9:00a.m.)

Walk-up sales will resume on Fridays from 3:00 - 3:30 p.m. and will continue on Sunday mornings between services. Please remember to fill out a new registration form for this school year along with your first order!!!! The Scrip Program is a tuition reduction program for Good Shepherd Lutheran School families and friends. We strongly encourage all Good Shepherd families to purchase their groceries, gasoline, clothing and other goods and services using the SCRIP gift certificates. 50% of your credits earned may go toward the reduction of your tuition or you may donate your credits toward Good Shepherd Lutheran School's General Fund. Tell your family & friends about this program.

Important Lunch Program Updates

Information regarding the Hot Lunch Program will be coming out next week.

Color Cycle

Please see the attached flier for more information on this exciting way to recycle color markers. Remember, don't throw out that used marker—ColorCycle it!

Trivia Night September 28th

See the attached fliers regarding the up-coming Trivia Night.

Something to Consider...

Welcome to the start of our 36th year at Good Shepherd. The Lord has blessed us richly throughout the years and we give Him thanks! Remember the first great gift we can bestow on others is a good example.

May each child focus on three things:

1. Use the gifts God has given you in all areas of your life.

2. Live by the "Covenant of Respect" Respect.... * God and His Word * Those in authority * For my classmates and other people * For my body and my God-given talents * For the learning process and the classroom environment * For my school, personal property and the property of others

3. Treat others as you would like to be treated.

It would be so helpful if you would reinforce these simple guidelines with your child at home. Together we can help every student experience academic success and God pleasing relationships during this school year!

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.

Charger Headlines Continued...

Arrival and Departure-Safety First

- Patience..... This is the key to safe arrival and departure. Share this with your child's driver.
- Always... Be careful when backing your car some students are not very tall.
- Drive slowly – when arriving and departing. (Remind your teenage driver).
- Drive according to the direction of parking spaces. Use the crosswalks and never walk between cars.
- Please do not... Never, ever pass a car. This is VERY dangerous.
- Do not park along the front of the building – even for a short period of time.
- During dismissal you may park before the entrance to the church, but not after.

Before School...

- Please do not park or have a prolonged stop in the drop off lane (Yellow curb). Pull into a parking spot instead.
- Drop off along the front of school and the J curve only.
- Children can walk the length of the sidewalk to the front door of the school. You do not have to pull directly in front of the school for drop off. This will help so we do not have long lines.
- The front doors will open at 7:45 a.m.

After School...

- It is best to park and wait for your child to come to your car or park and walk to the school entrance to meet your child.
- Please do not honk your horn and remember to be patient!
- Please do not park in front of the church as you wait to pick up someone.

Tardy Slips

All students arriving late to school must have a tardy slip to enter the classroom after the bell has rung. When you sign in your child, they will be given a tardy slip to take to the teacher. Arriving late due to an appointment, please bring an excuse from the doctor's or dentist's office.

Visitors

All parents picking up or dropping off their child during school hours will need to stop in the office and sign out your child. Security for the children is important to us. All visitors who come into the school building during the school hours will be identified by wearing a visitor's badge. When an individual signs in the school office, they will be issued a badge.

Grief Share

HAVE YOU LOST A LOVED ONE THROUGH DEATH? GRIEF SHARE A Grief Recovery Support Group

No matter what the circumstances, grief recovery is a painful process. On Tuesday, September 10, 2019 at 6pm we will begin a new session of GriefShare, a special weekly seminar and support group for people who are grieving the death of a loved one.

Each GriefShare session includes a DVD seminar and group discussion. A workbook assists you with note taking, journaling and grief study. The DVDs feature top experts on grief recovery, reenactments about living with grief and real-life stories of people who have experienced losses like yours. During the small group discussion time, you'll have the opportunity to interact with others who experienced a recent loss, learn about their experiences and share your own.

Please join us for the first session held at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, in the Conference Room. It should last about 2 hours. There will be a \$15.00 fee for the workbook. Scholarships are available upon request. Please register by e-mailing lcookparishnurse@charter.net or phone the church secretary 344-3151. Babysitting is available with notice.

Good Shepherd Lutheran School Fundraising Sponsorship Form



For 35 years, Good Shepherd Lutheran School has been providing a quality Christian education to its students. Today, with 304 enrolled in preschool through 8th grade, our focus remains the same. But as a school that does not receive any public financial support, fundraising is vital. Funds raised are used for major school expenses such as the curriculum, facility upgrades, technology, scholarships, and playground and athletic equipment.

We need your help!



- Become a sponsor by making a cash donation or underwriting an expense.
- Donate an item, gift certificate, tickets or experience, etc.
- Attend the fundraisers!

CONTACT INFORMATION

Business/Contact/Donor: _____

Mailing address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

SPONSORSHIP AND UNDERWRITING (attach all necessary information)

_____ **\$1300** Trivia Night: 1 table (up to 8 people), round sponsor (one emcee commercial during the trivia program prior to the sponsored round, name and logo on sponsored round Q&A sheet); Auction: one table (8 tickets), audio/video mentions, two full page ads in the auction book. Optional: handouts at both events (to be provided by the sponsor)

_____ **\$900** Trivia Night: 1 table, round sponsor; Auction: six tickets, audio/video mentions, one full page add in the auction book. Optional: handouts at both events (to be provided by sponsor)

_____ **\$600** Trivia Night: round sponsor; Auction: four tickets; audio/video mentions, half page ad in the auction book. Optional: handouts at both events (to be provided by the sponsor)

_____ **\$300** Audio/Video mentions at both events, two tickets to the auction, 1/2 page ad in the auction book.

_____ **\$150** Trivia Night Round Sponsor

Auction Ad Only _____ Full page \$100 _____ Half page \$60 _____ 1/4 page \$35 _____ Business card \$25

Email ads to vlfeichtinger@gmail.com

AUCTION DONATION

Item description/Cash donation: _____

ERV: \$ _____ Expiration date: _____

_____ Item/Gift certificate included _____ Please arrange to pick-up my item/gift certificate

_____ I will send/deliver my donation to Good Shepherd

RETURN THIS FORM AND YOUR DONATION TO:

Good Shepherd Lutheran School- ATTN: GSLS Fundraising

1300 Belt Line Rd Collinsville, IL 62234

Donation questions? Victoria Feichtinger at vlfeichtinger@gmail.com or 314-687-8627.

TAX ID: 37-0841452

Good Shepherd Lutheran School TRIVIA NIGHT

September 28th, 2019

Columbus Plaza (formerly KC Hall) - Collinsville, IL

Please join us for a fun adult evening and be sure to come representing your favorite superhero!

Cash Prizes for Trivia Winners.

Prizes for best costume and best table décor.



Doors open: 6:00 pm

Trivia begins: 7:00 pm sharp

Teams are welcome to bring treats to share with your table, or see below to order Marco's pizza ahead of time. Pizza will be delivered at 6:30 pm before the event begins.

NO OUTSIDE DRINKS ARE PERMITTED.

- *Mulligans will be sold before the start of the event.*
- *We will have games and a chance to win a fun prize.*
- *Please be early to check in and prepare your team.*

Please complete the registration form below and turn it in to the school office along with a check made payable to: Good Shepherd Lutheran School for \$200.00 for a table of 8 people; or contact Rachel Cross at rcross@gslcs.org to pay by credit card.



Good Shepherd Lutheran School TRIVIA NIGHT

September 28th, 2019

_____ Team Name

_____ Contact Phone

Captain _____

Pre-Order Pizza:

QTY:

_____ **XL (16") 1-Topping Pizza \$15/pizza**

_____ Sausage _____ Pepperoni _____ Cheese

Table Fee: \$200

Total Amount Paid: _____

Turn Markers



Into Energy!

Dear Parents,

I'm excited to tell you about a very special program I'm coordinating at our school in conjunction with Crayola. It's called Crayola ColorCycle – an amazing program devised to repurpose used markers rather than sending them to landfills!

The ColorCycle program has repurposed more than 70 tons of expended markers in the United States and Canada since 2013, and uses the most advanced plastic conversion technologies available today to make wax compounds for asphalt and roofing shingles as well as to generate electricity that can be used to heat homes, cook food, and power vehicles.

All around Good Shepherd, students and teachers will be collecting used markers that are ready to be discarded. Please help support our efforts by sending your kids in with any used markers you may have around the house- even non-Crayola brands! Highlighters and dry erase markers can also be included. Drop-off boxes will be located around the school for your child to deposit the markers.

Thank you in advance for participating! With the help of parents like you across the country, the Crayola Color-Cycle program can continue to keep tons of plastic out of landfills each year.