



Good Shepherd Charger News

“Not Ashamed” Romans 1:16

All School Newsletter
January 28, 2022

Charger Headlines...

Calendar of Events

Saturday, January 29

- Boys Pee Wee Basketball 8:30-9:45 a.m.

Sunday, January 30

- Prospective Student Open House
Preschool-Gr. 8 1:00-3:00 p.m.

Monday, January 31

- Papa John’s Pizza Night

Tuesday, February 1

- Boys Basketball A Team Conference
Tournament @ Holy Cross vs. Holy Cross
7:30 p.m.
- Girls Basketball A Team Conference
Tournament @ Holy Cross vs. Holy Cross
4:30 p.m.

Thursday, February 3

- Chapel 8:25 a.m. Gr. 3-8
- Chapel 8:50 a.m. ECC-Gr. 2
- Boys Basketball A Team Conference Tourn.
- Spring Pictures @ 8:25, ECC & Kdg.

Friday, February 4

- Boys Basketball AC @ Holy Cross,
Collinsville 6:00 p.m.
- Spring Pictures @ 8:25, Gr. 1-8
- Winter Sports Pictures:
A Boys 7:00 a.m.; A Girls 7:10 a.m.;
CD Boys 7:15 a.m.; CD Girls 7:20 a.m.

Saturday, February 5

- Boys Pee-Wee Basketball 8:30-9:45 a.m.
- ReSale Shop 9:00 a.m.-12:00 Noon

For more information:

gslcs.org/calendars



FACE COVERINGS

Parents, please make sure your child has a face covering **before you leave home** and has an extra one or two in their backpack. If you are so inclined, we would welcome donations of masks, especially child size. Your help is greatly appreciated.



OPEN HOUSE

This Sunday, January 30th from 1:00-3:00 p.m. Good Shepherd will be holding an Open House for prospective students in Preschool through Grade 8. Invite your friends and neighbors to tour the school, meet our teachers, and find out more about Good Shepherd and all it has to offer! (Safety guidelines will be followed.)



GOOD SHEPHERD NIGHT AT PAPA JOHN’S (Beltline Location)

Order from Papa John’s on **Monday, January 31st** and up to 25% of your order will be donated back to our school! Offer valid only at the 501 Beltline location. Call or order online at PAPAJOHNS.COM. Enter our promo code online, SSG005, or mention Good Shepherd when ordering. (See flyer attached for coupons.)



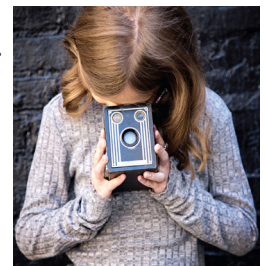
CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR SPELLING BEE WINNERS!

1st Grade - Joel A.; Annalynne C., Alternate
2nd Grade - Aiden L.; Jed S., Alternate
3rd Grade - John A.; Hunter M., Alternate
4th Grade - Myla G.; David K., Alternate
5th Grade - Maria A.; Jack Z., Alternate
6th Grade - Henrick G.; Lily W., Alternate
7th/8th Grade - Gavin R.; Kristina M., Alternate



LIFETOUGH SPRING PICTURES

Lifetouch will be taking spring pictures on Thursday, February 3rd of our Preschool and Kindergarten students. Grades 1-8 pictures will be taken on Friday, February 4th. Standardized dress is **not** required for these pictures. You can order online using our school ID - EVTGG8Z8J



Winter Sports pictures will be taken before school at the following times:

A Boys 7:00 a.m.; A Girls 7:10 a.m.; CD Boys 7:15 a.m.; CD Girls 7:20 a.m.

Charger Headlines Continued...

PASTOR'S CORNER

Join us for this Sunday's Adult Bible Study: Jesus and the Demons at 9:15 a.m. in the Lower Level. You can also watch it via Livestream. Why did Jesus encounter so many demoniacs? Is it possible to be demon possessed today? Is evil real or is it just something we imagine? We'll be discussing these and other questions.



GSLs RESALE SHOP

Saturday, February 5th the GSLs Uniform Resale Shop will be open from 9:00 a.m. to noon in the school cafeteria. Setup will be on Friday, February 4th at 6:30 p.m. We look forward to seeing you. Thank you in advance! Please contact Debra Downing at 314-809-4258 or debradowning2008@gmail.com with questions or to volunteer to help.



ANNUAL BENEFIT AUCTION

The auction donation deadline is Friday, February 18, so we have less than a month to bring in more donations! Please drop off items at the school office or send with your child for the class baskets. Items can also be picked up at area businesses with advance notice. Gift Cards, themed baskets, spirits, services, experiences, cabin/home rentals, and more all make great auction items!

-We need auction sponsors! Let the school office know if your business is able to sponsor the auction this year or if you know of a business who might be willing to sponsor.



Find more information and the auction forms at <https://www.gslcs.org/support-our-school/auction/>

Thanks for your help in making our largest annual fundraiser a success!

Please contact Rob or Jennifer Pickerell, Auction Co-Chairs, at 618.830.8121/ jpickerell@charter.net with questions.

GSLs SCIENCE FAIR

Congratulations to our 5th and 7th Grade Science Fair participants! We appreciate and admire the hard work you put into creating experiments and models. See the attached Final Results List.



In Our Prayers This Week

Each week the faculty will be praying for our students and their families. Next week we will lift up Savannah G., Camy H., Francesca H., Maddox J., Isla J., Joseph K., and James K., Aiden L.

We invite you to remember these and others in your prayers.

Something to Consider...

When We're Afraid

When bad things happen, it's understandable that we might feel afraid. In fact, it's good to be afraid if our fears keep us from behaving foolishly. When our troubles or the world's troubles leave us fearful, we should discuss our concerns with the people who love and care for us. Parents and grandparents can help us understand our fears, and they can help us feel better. That's why we need to talk with them.

We should also discuss our worries with our Heavenly Father. God is always ready to hear our prayers, and He can give us comfort when we feel afraid. Whenever we're uncertain about what lies ahead, we can share our concerns with God and we should.

It's okay to be afraid, all of us are fearful from time to time. And it's good to know that we can talk about our fears with loved ones and with God. When we do, we'll discover that fear lasts for a little while, but love lasts forever.

Don't be afraid, because the Lord your God will be with you everywhere you go. – Joshua 1:9

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.

2022-2023 LESA SCHOLARSHIP

Scholarship applications for LESA's Building Blocks Assistance is open. A Virtual scholarship application event is being held on February 22 from 12:00-8:00 p.m. to assist families with the application. Anyone needing assistance with the application, have application questions, or have questions about required documentation for the application is encouraged to sign up for a 30 minute virtual meeting by clicking this link: <https://www.wejoinin.com/sheets/srjlm>



CLASS AUCTION BASKETS

3 year old Preschool = Art Club (arts and crafts)
4 year old Preschool = Friends of Animals Club (anything pet related)
Kindergarten = Future Builders Club (building blocks, Legos, Magnatiles, etc.)
1st Grade = Gamers Club (games and puzzles)
2nd Grade = Science Club (anything science related: books, experiment kits, slime kit, etc.)
3rd Grade = Adventure Club (camping equipment, hiking supplies, etc.)
4th Grade = Drama Club (anything for movie lovers; snacks, movies, gift cards, etc.)
5th Grade = Sports and Rec Club (anything sports related: footballs, basketballs, jump ropes, sporting goods, bleacher seat cushions, etc.)
6th Grade = Community Club (gift cards to your favorite local restaurants, shops, local goods, etc.)
7th Grade = Home-Ec Club (baking and cooking gear, recipe books, cooking utensils, etc.)
8th Grade = Gardening Club (gardening gloves, knee pads, pots, seeds, garden decor, etc.)



**DONATE
AUCTION
ITEMS**

METRO-EAST LUTHERAN HIGH OPEN HOUSE

Metro-East Lutheran High School invites you to an Open House on Sunday, Feb. 6, from 1 p.m.-3 p.m. Come find out more about our school community, take a tour of our campus, meet our teachers, visit with our administrators and get answers to your questions about everything from academics to extracurriculars to tuition assistance. For more information, call the school office at 618-656-0043 or email admissions@melhs.org.



GIRL SCOUTS

What is Girl Scouts? Girl Scouts isn't just a moment in a girl's life, it's a movement dedicated to building girls of courage, confidence, and character who make the world a better place. Girl Scouts Registration Night is Tuesday, February 15 from 6:00-7:30 p.m. at the Blum House in downtown Collinsville. (See flyer for details.) <https://www.gsfsi.org/en/our-council/join.html>



LESA PASSPORT ON SALE, BUY ONE, GET ONE FREE! MAKES A GREAT VALENTINE'S DAY GIFT!

The 2022 Passport provides access to more than \$200 in beverages, menu items and special discounts at more than 25 of your favorite breweries, distilleries, wineries, restaurants and other venues, like Main & Mill Brewing Co., Public House Brewing Co., [Missouri Beer Co.](#), Rockwell Beer, St. James Winery, Wood Hat Spirits, [Steve's Hot Dogs](#), [Fallons Bar & Grill](#) and more. **These offers do not expire until October 9, 2022.** Passport sales provides critical assistance to our 34-member Lutheran schools as well as local businesses that have been hit hard by the pandemic all year long.



LUTHERAN SCHOOLS WEEK

Thank you for the variety of ways you supported participation in celebrating Good Shepherd and all Lutheran schools. It was a wonderful week and we continue to have much to be thankful for and to celebrate!

Celebrating **38** Years of Christian Education

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**Good Shepherd Lutheran School 2021-2022
SCIENCE FAIR RESULTS**

Experiment Division- Grade 5

<u>Name</u>	<u>Place</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Category</u>
Brayden Brunton	1-H	Resistance Fruitlle	Physics
Cooper Italiano	1-H	Plop ... Plop ... Fizz ... Fizz	Chemistry
Reeve Mueller	1-H	Flying Popcorn	Materials Science
Meghan Maske	1-H	Crumbley Cookies	Chemistry
Chance Stults	1-H	Growing Crystals	Chemistry
Rory Davidson	1-M	Baking Cookies Using Different Kinds of Fats	Chemistry
Ezra Clary-Loepker	1-M	How Does the Temperature Affect How High a Golf Ball Bounces?	Materials Science
Hunter Schubert	1-M	The Eggxact Science of Water Density	Materials Science
Caleb Moye	1-M	Microwaved Water	Botany
Jake Robinson	1-M	YEASTY	Chemistry
Cali Wycoff	1-M	Does Temperature Affect How A Basketball Bounces?	Materials Science
Alyssa Sidener	1-L	YMMUY COOKIES	Chemistry
Robert Atchisson	1-L	Can Electricity Move Through Water?	Electronics
Nolen Pickering	2nd	Golf Ball Drop	Materials Science

Model Division- Grade 5

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>
Maria Adle	Butterfly
Calvin Dixon	Volcanoes
Liam Downing	AWESOME Volcanoes
Brodie Forcha	Forcha's Bridges
Caroline Franklin	The Amazing Solar System
Kaleb Garcia	The Internal Combustion Engine
Elle Johnston	The Mechanical Hand
Sydney Lewis	The Eight Planets of Our Solar System
Aaron Roberson	Volcanoes
Noah White	The Formation of Rock
Jack Zika	Windmills

Experiment Division- Grade 7

<u>Name</u>	<u>Place</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Category</u>
James Adle	1-H	What materials best protects an egg	Materials Science
Ava Guerra	1-H	Comparing the level of red 40 in fruit drinks	Chemistry
Dean Hemmer	1-H	For the Birds	Behavioral Science
Emily Kober	1-H	Hot Cupcakes	Chemistry
Jacob Staake	1-H	Slippery Slopes	Physics
Kaitlyn Pickerell	1-H	Baking Soda and Brownies	Chemistry
Bradley DeWitt	1-H	Do Color Filters alter the amount of heat	Physics
Grayson Gorney	1-H	Guess Hue?	Behavioral Science
Andrew Lingafelter	1-H	Zooming	Physics
Alex Ruth	1-H	Tooth Stain 'Egg'periment	Health Science
Grace Parker	1-M	Floating Eggs	Chemistry
Natalie Thompson	1-M	How much Iron is in Different Cereal	Health Science
Kaitlyn Peterson	1-M	Gummy Worm Osmosis	Chemistry

Experimental Division – Grade 7

Name	Place	Title	Category
Austin Koth	1-L	Color Stimulations	Zoology
Isaak Broekemeier	1-L	Can Dogs understand us?	Zoology
Connor Skelton	1-L	Energy transfer relative to pandimeter	Chemistry
Hayden Spudich	1-L	Will it Fizz?	Chemistry
Serena Pruitt	2nd	Magic Milk	Chemistry
Caleb Dixon	2nd	So Bouncy	Physics
Autumn Wolf	2nd	Gummy Bear Osmosis	Chemistry
Lilly Goodwin	3rd	Strawberry DNA	Biology
Aiden Emmerich	3 rd	How does air affect a ball?	Physics

It's
time to
press
play.



Fun with friends. New adventures. Making a difference.
You're ready to go and Girl Scouts is ready for you.

**It's Not Too Late To JOIN!
Girl Scout Cookie Season Is Here!**

"Every Cookie has a Mission-To help Girls do Great Things"

Collinsville/Maryville/Caseyville

Girl Scouts Registration Night

BLUM HOUSE

414 West Main St.-Collinsville

Tuesday, February 15, 2022

6:00PM until 7:30pm

Adult Leaders are needed for
Kindergarten thru 5th grade Troops

For more information contact:
www.customercare@gsfsi.org

1.800.345.6858



SUPPORT YOUR SCHOOL

ORDER FROM PAPA JOHN'S ON

Monday, Jan 31

AND UP TO 25% OF YOUR ORDER WILL BE DONATED BACK TO YOUR SCHOOL.



Good Shepherd Lutheran School

YOUR SCHOOL'S PROMO CODE SSG005

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*Must Use School Promo Code

when ordering on the app, by phone or online for school to receive credit.

*Achieve \$150 in sales and your school will be awarded a class PIZZA PARTY.

DONATION PERCENTAGES

SALES AMOUNT	DONATION %
0 to \$300	15%
\$301 to \$1,200	20%
\$1,201 & up	25%

MORE SPECIAL OFFERS AVAILABLE AT PAPAJOHNS.COM

LARGE SPECIALTY
(or up to 4 toppings)
\$24⁰⁰
& **LARGE 2-TOPPING**

PROMO CODE: 24S2T



Offer Valid through May 31, 2022. Valid at participating Papa John's locations.

EPIC STUFFED CRUST
1 Topping
Pizza
\$13⁰⁰

PROMO CODE: ESC13



Offer Valid through May 31, 2022. Valid at participating Papa John's locations.

Offers good for a limited time at participating U.S. Papa John's restaurants; prices may vary. Offer may require the purchase of multiple products. Limit ten toppings on original to ensure bake quality. No triple toppings or extra cheese. Certain toppings may be excluded from special offer pizzas or require additional charge. Additional toppings extra. Not valid with any other coupons or discounts. Limited delivery area. Delivery may require a minimum purchase and delivery fee; delivery fee is not subject to discount. Customer responsible for all applicable taxes. © 2022 Papa John's International, Inc. All Rights Reserved.



Tuition Assistance

Step 1: Complete Application online at FACTS

- <https://online.factsmgt.com/ga/inst-application/inst/4FG82>
- One application per household
 - * Includes Lutheran High Schools
 - * Divorce families must complete separate applications if both parents are paying tuition

Step 2: Submit payment for application (\$35)

Step 3: Submit **ALL** 2021 tax documents - by **April 10, 2022**

- Applicant and co-applicant must submit tax docs
***Tax documents do not have to be filed; but must be prepared and submitted to your application
- **CHECK EMAIL.** FACTS representatives will email if documentation is missing. Please respond to the FACTS representatives if they contact you and check your junk folder for any FACTS emails.
- Documents can be uploaded to your application via PDF or picture taken with your mobile device
***Tips on uploading a document can be found at lesastl.org

Deadline: April 10, 2022

Have Questions???

FACTS customer service: 1.866.315.9262

Monday—Thursday 7:30-7pm; Friday 7:30-5pm

LESA office: 314.200.0790

lesastl.org

Do I qualify?

Many families will qualify for some level of assistance from LESA if **at least 10% of income** from 2021 is used to cover the cost of their child/children's Lutheran K-8 **net tuition**.



Required Documentation

Submit by April 10, 2022

2021 Tax Documents

- 1) 1040 form (page 1 & 2)
- 2) W-2s
- 3) Income docs
 - > Schedule 1 – 5, C, E, K, etc.
- 4) Non-taxable docs
 - > Child support, SNAP, Welfare, Social Security
- 5) Corporate, Partnership, &/or trust tax forms
- 6) Other docs may be required
 - > Household bills, daycare, etc



**Good Shepherd Lutheran School's 38th Annual Auction
March 13-19, 2022 (Virtual)**

CONTACT INFORMATION

Business/Donor _____

Contact Name (if different from above) _____

Mailing Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

DONATION

Item/Package Description _____

Approximate Value _____

_____ Item/Gift Card Included with this form

_____ I will send/deliver my donation to Good Shepherd by Friday, February 18, 2022

_____ Please arrange to pick up my donation

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM AND YOUR DONATION TO:

Good Shepherd Lutheran School

Attn: GSLS Auction

1300 Beltline Road

Collinsville, IL 62234

**The donation deadline is Friday, February 18, 2022. Please contact the school office at
618.344.3153 with questions. ***TAX ID: 37-0841452****

WE GREATLY APPRECIATE YOUR SUPPORT!

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church and School

1300 Belt Line Road • Collinsville, Illinois 62234

Church: (618) 344-3151
Fax: (618) 344-3378

www.gslcs.org

School: (618) 344-3153
Fax: (618) 344-3156



Dear Business Representative:

It has been said, "A good beginning has no end." It is the goal of Good Shepherd Lutheran School to provide that vital, "good beginning" to hundreds of Metro-east young people, age three through those in grade eight.

As a successful business person, I am sure you understand the importance of a good education - one which refines the spirit as it challenges the mind.

I invite you to support our cause and the children we serve by contributing toward the Good Shepherd School Virtual Auction. This annual fundraising event will begin on Sunday, March 13 and end on Saturday, March 19, 2022.

May we ask for your help in making this a successful event? You or your company is invited to help us by:

- Donating items, packages, or services to the auction.
- Donating cash for the cause.

Past auctions have included such items as trips (short and long), tickets to sporting and theatrical events, gift cards, products manufactured in the area and much, much more. The value of your donation is tax-deductible, and my office can provide a receipt at your request.

We need to have all items at the school by Friday, February 18, 2022 so that we can effectively advertise your items to the community. Your business name will be listed on our online auction system under your package/item description so that our attendees are aware of your support.

Another way to support our students is to participate in our virtual auction, browse the great items available, and enjoy bidding throughout the week. Please let me know if you would like the link to our 2022 auction.

Please respond to our volunteer representative or contact my office if you feel led to support the Good Shepherd School Virtual Auction.

Sincerely,

Robert Mayhew
Principal

Please visit us! I invite you to contact me at our main campus at 1300 Belt Line Road in Collinsville. You can call the number given above. It would be my pleasure to share with you the school's special mission and provide a guided tour of our facility.

I am the Good Shepherd. The Good Shepherd gives His life for the sheep.

- John 10:11

Pastor:
Michael Walther
618-44-3151

Pastor:
Scott Adie
618-344-3151

Principal:
Robert Mayhew
618-344-3153



Good Shepherd Lutheran School; Collinsville, IL
2022 Virtual Auction
Sunday, March 13 to Saturday, March 19, 2022

Sponsorship Levels

PREMIER PARTNER - \$500

- Featured on the school's two Facebook pages (with a combined list of approximately 1,500 connections) the week before and during auction.
- Featured in one of the weekly school newsletters.
- Listed as Premier Partner on the auction website; bidders view each time they open the website over that week to bid. The site can display a company logo or your business name.
- Premier Partner recognition from auctioneer on March 19.
- Company marketing materials included with each winner's package.

SUPPORTER - \$250

- Listed as Supporter on the school's two Facebook pages (with a combined list of approximately 1,500 connections) during auction.
- Listed as Supporter on the auction website; bidders view each time they open the website over that week to bid. The site can display a company logo or your business name.
- Supporter recognition from auctioneer on March 19.
- Company marketing materials included with each winner's package.

Sponsorship questions? Contact Jennifer or Rob Pickersell, Auction Co-Chairs, at rpickersell@charter.net/618.830.2231 or jpickersell@charter.net/618.830.8121. Deadline to submit sponsor information is Monday, March 7, 2022. **Tax ID: 37-0841452**