

Good Shepherd Charger News

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All School Newsletter September 30, 2022

Calendar of Events

Saturday, October 1

- Girls PeeWee Basketball 8:00 a.m.
- CC Meet 8:00 a.m.

Sunday, October 2

- Harvest Fest 3-6 p.m.

Tuesday, October 4

Volleyball ACD vs Trinity,
Edwardsville 5:00 p.m. 8th Grade
Night

Wednesday, October 5

 Cross Country Regionals TBA
Winter/ Spring Sports Parent Meeting 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, October 6

- Chapel Service 8:25 a.m. (Gr 2-8)
- Chapel Service 8:50 a.m. (ECC-gr1)

Friday, October 7

- NO SCHOOL, Prof. Dev. Day

Monday, October 10

- NO SCHOOL, Columbus Day

For more information: gslcs.org/calendars



Charger Headlines...

NO SCHOOL

There is NO SCHOOL next Friday, October 7th for a School Improvement Day AND on Monday, October 10th in observation of Columbus Day. Have a safe weekend!



KEEBLER ROAD BACKUP



Dismissal time for our students is 3:15. Coming earlier creates a backup hazard on Beltline Road. All students are easily out of the building in less than 15 minutes so your wait time will be **signficantly** less if you don't come before 3:15. We appreciate your changing your schedule to help everyone!

BO-BO'S FUNDRAISER

BoBo's fundraiser has begun! Thank you for the great start! Sales continue through October 11th. Orders for BoBo's St. Louis-Brand Pizzas, Otis Spunkmeyer cookie dough, desserts, and chocolates are offered. (See attached flyer.)

CHAPEL OFFERINGS

October's chapel offerings will go to the Kellsie's Hope Foundation. Taking up the fight against childhood cancer requires effort, your support will make a difference! Kellsie Marchbanks passed away from Osteosarcoma at the age of 20, this organization was created to make people aware of childhood cancers. We hope you will help raise funds for Kellsie's Hope Foundation. For more information, please visit the website at: www.kellsiehope.com



BLOOD DRIVE

The Regional Blood Drive Bus will be on our parking lot located at 1300 Beltline Road in Collinsville on Thursday, October 13th, from 1:30-6:00 p.m. There is a huge need for blood donations so please consider giving. If we have enough viable donors, the school will receive a grant for P.E. equipment! <u>Click here</u> to schedule your appointment today! (Masks and appointments required.)



WINTER/SPRING SPORTS PARENTS MEETING

Parents of students in grades 5-8 planning to participate in Basketball or Track this school year are encouraged to attend the Athletic Meeting on Wednesday, October 5th at 6:30 p.m. in the gymnasium. Coaches will be mentioned, schedules given out, sign-up sheets will be available to help support the team, and health and safety protocols will be shared. (If your student played a fall sport and you attended the athletic meeting in August or contacted Mr. Mayhew shortly after, you do not need to attend this meeting.) Any questions, please contact Mr. Mayhew or the school office.

Charger Headlines Continued...

PASTOR'S CORNER

New Member Class Forming - We are starting a new member class soon. If you are interested in attending, please email: michaelpwalther@gmail.com. This nine-week class is for anyone who is interested in becoming a member or just wants to know what we believe and teach.

LESA (LUTHERAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION)

Enjoy an afternoon of food and drink in beautiful Francis Park and help your favorite Lutheran school raise money! The 10th Annual "Brew in the Lou" Festival, hosted by the Lutheran Elementary School Association (LESA), features local, regional and national craft breweries, distilleries, wineries, and food tastings. Guests also enjoy live music and opportunities to shop local vendors.

Join us Saturday, October 8th from 1:00-5:00pm at the Lily Pond in Francis Park, located in beautiful St. Louis Hills. Admission includes a commemorative tasting glass to enjoy unlimited beer, spirits, wine & food. Advanced tickets are \$50 and VIP passes are \$100 thru October 5th. A portion of your purchase will go to support Good Shepherd Lutheran School. When ordering your ticket online, list our school under "School Credit" at checkout and our school will earn \$10 per ticket sold. School credit can only be designated on pre-event online purchases.

Tickets at the gate will be \$60/\$125VIP and our school cannot be designated at that time. Don't wait to buy! Last year tickets at the gate sold out in 10 minutes! This event is rain or shine. Tickets are nonrefundable.

Use the link or QR code and support our school today! https://www.eventbrite.com/e/brew-in-the-lou-2022tickets-381693785387

PICTURE RETAKE DAY - OCTOBER 13th

lifetouch If your child **did not have** his/her picture taken earlier this year, they will be taken on October 13th. Forms are available in the school office or you can order online at mylifetouch.com ID: EVTVMVD3X

If you purchased pictures and would like them retaken, please return the pictures to the office or the photographer on the 13th.



In Our Prayers This Week

Each week this school year, the faculty will be praying for the students and their families. Next week we will be praying for Owen C., Roman C., Tinley F., Lola F., Diego G., and Brennan I. Please join us in prayer and thanksgiving.

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.



PASTOR

Something to Consider...

Out of Your Mouth

Do my words really matter?

If you claim to be religious but don't control your tongue, you are fooling yourself, and your religion is worthless James 1:26

What comes out of your mouth shows what is in your heart. Your words show what kind of person you really are. Criticism, gossip, flattery, lying, and profanity are not only "word" problems, but "heart" problems as well. Being more careful with your words isn't enough. You must first have a change of heart, and then good, kind, and healing words will follow.

Wise words are more valuable than much gold and many rubies. Proverbs 20:15

Blessings on your day! Robert Mayhew, Principal



FALL WORK DAY

Please mark October 15th on your calendar to come and help at the Good Shepherd Fall Work Day. We will begin at 8 a.m. until 12 noon. Enjoy some fellowship and help spruce up the school and church properties. Any amount of time you can help is appreciated.







Good Shepherd Lutheran Fundraiser

We are pleased to kick-off our Fall fundraiser and partner up with BoBo's Fundraising. The profits from this fundraiser will be used to directly benefit the students at Good Shepherd Lutheran School.

🛉 Important Payment Information 🔺

Please collect payments as you take orders.

Please make all checks payable to: <u>Good Shepherd Lutheran</u>

Sign up for BoBo's Easy Share Program below to share a digital brochure & collect online payments.

🚖 IMPORTANT DATES 🌟

FUNDRAISER ENDS:

Tuesday, October 11th

DELIVERY: Tuesday, November 8th

3 SIMPLE STEPS TO BOBO'S EASY SHARE PROGRAM

1. Scan the QR code with your smart phone or mobile device.

- 2. Complete the simple registration process.
- 3. Share your unique link with family, friends, & neighbors via email, text, or on social media!

If you are using a computer, you may go to bobosfundraising.com on your web browser and click the **Registration** tab. Then, a new webpage will open for you to enter your School ID, *Good Shepherd*. Next, complete the above Steps 2 & 3.



All online orders will be delivered together to your school on the delivery date above. If you have any questions or concerns regarding your online store, please call us at (314)315-5255.



All prizes are cumulative. The more you sell the more you win!