

## **Good Shepherd Charger News**

"Rooted in Christ" Colossians 2:6-7

All School Newsletter September 29, 2023

#### **Calendar of Events**

#### Friday, September 29-Friday, Oct. 13

- BoBo's Pizza Fundraiser

#### Saturday, September 30

- Girls PeeWee Basketball 9:00-10:00

#### Sunday, October 1

- 1st & 2nd Gr. sing in 8:00 a.m. church
- 3rd and 4th Gr. Sing in 10:30 a.m. church
- GSLC Harvest Fest 3:00-6:00, Wagon Parade and Band Plays @ 4:00 p.m.

#### **Tuesday, October 3**

- Cross Country Regional Tournament
- Volleyball ACD Home vs. Zion Staunton 5:00 p.m.

#### Wednesday, October 4

- Cross Country Regional Tournament
- Volleyball ACD @ Holy Cross, Collinsville 5:00 p.m.

#### Thursday, October 5

- Chapel Service 8:25 a.m. (Gr 2-8)
- Chapel Service 9:00 a.m. (ECC-Gr1)

#### Friday, October 6

- NO SCHOOL - CID/SID Teachers Conference @ GSLS

#### Monday, October 9

- NO SCHOOL - Columbus Day

For more information: gslcs.org/calendars



#### **Charger Headlines...**

Where Do I Find?...Helpful School Links **Health Forms** Athletics Volunteer Signup

**Website** 

**Charger Bucks-Scrip** 

#### October is Church Worker Appreciation Month

During the month of October, the LCMS recognizes all of our church workers including teachers and pastors. We recognize their important work and thank them for their labors. We would also like to thank you for raising your child in the Christian faith and entrusting them to the care of our teachers. Thank you for making God's Word and prayer a part of your life. God's richest blessings to you and your child(ren) as we live in God's kingdom now and in eternity.

#### 35th Annual GSLS Invitational Volleyball Tournament

A sincere thank you to all who helped make the tournament a success this past weekend. You are instrumental in allowing Good Shepherd to provide these type of opportunities for our athletes. This link will provide you with the results of the tournament. It's a great day to be a Charger!

let your heart give you joy in the days of your

https://www.gslcs.org/extra-curricular/athletics/volleyball/

#### Good Shepherd Harvest Fest - Sunday October 1, 2023, 3:00-6:00 pm

Hope to see you Sunday! Food, games, bounce houses, chili cook-off and family



fun! Wagon Parade begins at 4:00 p.m. with our school band playing. The theme for this year is Through the Decades. Pick your favorite decade and decorate a kid-sized wagon to show some of your favorite memories of that decade. Wagons can be pulled by kids or adults. Time to make memories!

#### **Peer Tutoring**

There will be **NO** Peer Tutoring next Thursday, October 5th in preparation for hosting the teacher's conference Friday. Peer Tutoring will resume October 12th.

#### **Blood Drive**

It's not too late to help! The Regional Blood Drive bus will be on our parking lot on Monday, October 2nd, from 2:00-6:00 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! Click here to schedule your appointment today! See flyer that follows.



#### **BO-BO'S Fundraiser**

BoBo's fundraiser has begun! Order brochures were sent home this week. Orders and money should be turned in by Friday, October 13th. Delivery will be to the school on Wednesday, November 8th. Orders for BoBo's St. Louis-Brand Pizzas, Otis Spunkmeyer cookie dough, desserts, and chocolates are offered. See flyer that follows for sales prizes.



#### **Charger Headlines Continued...**

#### Pastor's Corner -

Join us for Bible Study for All Ages this Sunday from 9:15-10:15 a.m.

- \* Infants, Toddlers, & Parents meet in the Church Nursery, on the Lower Level of the Church
- \* 3's, 4's, & Kindergarten meet in the Tracks area on the Lower Level of the School
- \* 1st 6th graders meet in the School Cafeteria before dividing for the lesson.
- \* Junior High meets in the church conference room
- \* High School meets in the Youth room in the lower level of the school.
- \* Adults meet in the church lower level for "Marriage By God's Design" and in the Sanctuary for "The Book of Ruth"

#### Picture Retake Day - October 12th

If your child was absent or has not yet had his/ her picture taken for the yearbook, Lifetouch will be back to school on Thursday, October 12th to do



retakes. Forms are available in the school office or you can order online at mylifetouch.com ID: EVTM3D464

If you purchased pictures and are unhappy with them, please return the pictures to the office or give them to the photographer on Retake Day, the 12th. Any questions, please contact the school office.

#### Save My Scholarship

Please help save this important Illinois scholarship by calling and emailing your legislators! You can go to <a href="https://www.SaveMyScholarship.org">www.SaveMyScholarship.org</a> and click on the "Contact Your Legislator" button or text the number "52886" with the message "RTS" to get signed up directly. Finally, you can use and share this link <a href="https://p2a.co/gmgrehi">https://p2a.co/gmgrehi</a> Thank You!!

#### Touch-A-Truck

Bring your kids to the Edwardsville Airplane Park on Saturday, September 30th from 10-2 p.m. for the 9th Annual Touch-A-Truck event. Over 40 unique vehicles, including construction vehicles and first



responders will be available to experience. There will also be activities and food trucks to enjoy.

#### Something to Consider...

Can you depend on God?
Promises about Who God is....

#### **God is Loving:**

You are a forgiving God, gracious and compassionate, slow to anger and abounding in love.
Nehemiah 9:17

The Lord is gracious and compassionate, slow to anger and rich in love.
Psalm 145:8

Because of the Lord's great love we are not consumed, for his compassions never fail. They are new every morning; great is your faithfulness.

Lamentations 3:22-23

Take the opportunity to share God's promises from holy scripture and allow the holy spirit to work in them.

Blessings on your journey!

**Robert Mayhew, Principal** 



#### **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 Alison B., Owen C., Logan C, Vivian C, Paisley H., Andi H., Brennan I., and Daniel L. Please join us in prayer.

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.



SUNDAY

OCT 1ST

3:00-6:00 PM

JOIN US FOR A

**FUN TIME** 



SUPPORT OUR YOUTH AND BUY MUMS FOR \$15 EACH

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH

1300 Beltling Rd. Collinsville, IL Lower Parking Lot

# Through the Decades Harvest Fest Wagon Parade October 1<sup>st</sup> 4:00pm

The theme this year is sharing your favorite decade. Pick your favorite decade and decorate your Kid-size wagons to show your favorite memories of that decade.

Wagons may be pulled by kids or get the whole family involved. Everyone can

join in the fun.





Questions? Contact Lynn Sengele' - Isengele@gslcs.org

# BLOOD DRIVE

**BLOODCENTER.ORG** 

### **Good Shepherd Lutheran Church**

Monday, October 2 2:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Donor Bus 1300 Belt Line Rd

Masks optional. Appointments required.

To schedule an appointment, scan QR code,
email Peggy Rincker at princker@gslcs.org
or online at www.bloodcenter.org/group; use group #9887



#### SAVING LIVES IS IN MY BONES!

Give & get your choice of a gift card or bonus points to shop our store for our new Halloween shirt & more.







#### 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: Good Shepherd Lutheran

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



#### **FUNDRAISER ENDS:**

Friday, October 13th

#### DELIVERY:

Wednesday, November 8th 3:30pm-5:30pm

#### 3 SIMPLE STEPS TO BOBO'S EASY SHARE PROGRAM

- 1. Scan the QR code with your smart phone or mobile device.
- Complete the simple registration process.
- 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.

#### **APPRECIATION PRIZES**

















75 items = 8" Portable Boombox Speaker

