



# Good Shepherd Charger News

“Rooted in Christ” Colossians 2:6-7

All School Newsletter  
April 19, 2024

## Charger Headlines...

### Calendar of Events

#### Friday, April 19

- Mid-Quarter
- Gr. 5 Field Trip 9:30 a.m.-1:45 p.m.

#### Saturday, April 20

- Conference Track Meet @ Belleville West H.S. 9:00 a.m.

#### Thursday, April 25

- Chapel Service 8:25 a.m. (Gr 2-8)
- Chapel Service 8:55 a.m. (ECC-Gr1)

#### Friday, April 26

- Kdg. Field Trip 8:00-2:00 p.m.

#### Saturday, April 27

- Belleville Invitational Track Meet @ Bell. East H.S. 10:30 a.m.
- Mrs. Jarabek’s Student Recital 10:00 a.m.

#### Monday, April 29

- GSLS Day @ Papa John’s Beltline Location

For more information:  
[gslcs.org/calendars](https://gslcs.org/calendars)



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### School Auction - May 4, 2024

Have you bought your dinner tickets yet? This year, one of the many perks of being at the dinner auction is being able to purchase a “5 Non-Uniform Days Punch Card” for the ‘24-’25 school year. Buy a card, and your student can choose any 5 days next year to have a free dress day! It’s not too late to get your Dinner Tickets and join the fun! Tickets can be bought with the link through Handbid. <https://events.handbid.com/auctions/2024-good-shepherd-lutheran-school-annual-auction>

### GSLS at Beltline Papa Johns

Order food from Papa John’s Beltline location in Collinsville any time on Monday, April 29th and up to 25% of your purchase price will be donated to our school. You must mention our school’s promo code when ordering on the app, by phone, online, or in store. Our school code is SSG005. See flyer that follows for more details.



### Attention All Parents

As we are nearing the end of the 2023-2024 school year, please check your FACTS account. All payments, lunch balances, etc. need to be current before the last day of school in order to avoid a hold being placed on your child(ren)’s report card. This also includes the 2024-2025 re-enrollment fees. Thank you!



If you have any questions regarding your balance(s), please contact Mrs. Osborn in the school office ASAP. 618-344-3153

### Teachers for 2024-25

We are looking for a PE Teacher and classroom aides to join our faculty and staff for the upcoming school year. If you know of someone who might be interested, please ask them to contact Mr. Mayhew at [gsls1@hotmail.com](mailto:gsls1@hotmail.com) or by calling the school at 618-344-3153 x 231. Thank you!



# Charger Headlines Continued...

## Pastor's Corner -

18 But what God foretold by the mouth of all the prophets, that his Christ would suffer, he thus fulfilled. 19 Repent therefore, and turn back, that your sins may be blotted out, 20 that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord, and that he may send the Christ appointed for you, Jesus, 21 whom heaven must receive until the time for restoring all the things about which God spoke by the mouth of his holy prophets long ago. - Acts 3:18-21 (ESV)



The word for “refreshing” in this passage carries the idea of getting a cold drink and some shade after you’ve been out in the scorching heat of the day. True rest, true refreshment for body and soul is found in the gifts of God as they are given to us in church week in and week out. The Lord gives us the Third Commandment (Remember the Sabbath Day by keeping it holy) for our good. The services at church are first and foremost a time when God comes to us in His Word and Sacraments (baptism and the Lord’s Supper) to give us the forgiveness of sins, eternal life, and salvation. It is only after God has done His work in and for us that we then respond with worship, prayer, and praise. It is in the presence of the Lord that we find the times of refreshing that bring true hope and joy.

## Spring Concert

**Tuesday, May 7th, 2024 6:30 PM** in the Church  
**4th graders (who are in band)**

**ALL 5th & 6th graders (choir and band)**

**7th & 8th graders (who are in choir and/or band)**

-doors open at 6:00 PM

-5th-8th students meet in cafeteria by 6:15 PM

-4th grade students meet in the church by 6:20 PM

-all wear nice dress clothes of any color (school dress or nicer, no denim, no t-shirts, no shorts)



## Blood Drive

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church and School are once again holding a Blood Drive on Thursday, May 16th, from 1:00-6:00 p.m. Impact Blood Center’s Mobile Bus unit will be on the front parking lot. Look for sign-up details in future newsletters.



## 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 Lowen M., Cristiano O., Sebastian H., Rylee P., Vivian S., Dylan S., Cullen S., Auggie W., Kennedy W., Aiden W., and Evelyn Y.

Please join us in prayer.

## Something to Consider...

**You can depend on God!  
Does God Hold Your Future?**

**God said, “Be strong and very courageous. Be careful to obey all the law my servant Moses gave you; do not turn from it to the right or to the left, that you may be successful wherever you go.”**

**Joshua 1:7**

**The desires of the diligent are fully satisfied.**

**Proverbs 13:4**

**In his heart a man plans his course, but the Lord determines his steps.**

**Proverbs 16:9**

**Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make your paths straight.**

**Proverbs 3:5-6**

**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**

**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...

## GSLs Summer Sports Camps

Charger Basketball and Volleyball Camp forms are available on the [website](#), in the school office and follow this newsletter. You can click each camp name and you will be linked to its form. Please return the completed form along with payment to the school office.



### Boys Basketball - Grades 3-8

June 3-7                      Students entering gr. 3-4 8:30 - 10:00 A.M.  
                                     Students entering gr. 5-8 10:00 - 12:00 NOON

### Girls Basketball - Grades 3-8

June 10-14                  Students entering gr. 3-4 8:30 - 10:00 A.M.  
                                     Students entering gr. 5-8 10:00 - 12:00 NOON

### Girls Volleyball - Grades 3-8

June 17-21                  Students entering gr. 3-5 8:30 - 10:00 A.M.  
                                     Students entering gr. 6-8 10:00-NOON

## Chargers-SCRIP

Shop for spring's special moments: Teacher Appreciation Week, Mother's Day, Father's Day, graduations, and weddings—there's something for all special occasions. Check out the new SCRIP GIFT GUIDE [here](#). Use the [Raise Right app](#) to shop gift cards right from your phone. **50% of your credits earned go towards the reduction of your tuition or you may donate your credits toward Good Shepherd Lutheran School's General Fund.** Any questions, call the office 344-3153.

## GSLs Golf Tournament

Please save the date for the 21st Annual Good Shepherd Golf Classic at Arlington Greens Golf Course. The tourney is Saturday, July 13th at 8:00 a.m. The cost is \$80 per golfer which includes 18 holes of golf, driving range, carts, meal, plenty of refreshments, and a chance to win cash prizes for lowest team score (multiple flights), closest to the pin, longest drive, and more. More details can be found on the school [website](#). Here is the [link](#) for your use: <https://www.gslcs.org/support-our-school/golf-classic-scramble/>



## Summer Fun 2024

Our Summer Fun program for Good Shepherd students age 3 to entering Grade 8 will begin May 29th for ten weeks. The details and registration forms are now available. Click the [Summer Fun](#) link to review the information which is on our [website](#). Forms are also available in the school office.



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**April 29th, 2024**

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local school

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**YOUR SCHOOL'S  
PROMO CODE** **SSG005**

**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.**

Fundraiser valid at the below participating locations:

**501 Belt Line Rd 618-345-4444**

<b>DONATION PERCENTAGES</b>	<b>SALES AMOUNT</b>	<b>DONATION %*</b>
	<b>0 to \$300</b>	<b>15%</b>
	<b>\$301 to \$1,200</b>	<b>20%</b>
	<b>\$1,201 &amp; up</b>	<b>25%</b>



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LIST OF THEME BASKETS BY GRADE FOR THE  
40<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL GSLS BENEFIT AUCTION – May 4, 2024  
Firemen’s Hall, Collinsville, IL

- PK3 – Baby Theme Basket
  - Ideas: Onsies, Bottles, Décor, Books, Stuffedies, Toys, Diapers, Monitor, Gift Cards
- PK4 – Family Fun Day Basket
  - Ideas: gift cards to local attractions: Edisons, Trampoline Park, Childrens Museums, Magic House, City Museum;
- K – Future Builders Basket
  - Ideas: Legos, Magnatiles, Building Blocks, Puzzles
- 1 – Camping and Smore’s Basket
  - Ideas: Sleeping Bag, Lawn Chairs, flashlight, camping accessories, smores kits, campfire kits
- 2 – Coffee & Hot Chocolate Basket
  - Ideas: Mugs, Coffee, Syrups, Local Coffee Gift Cards, Hot Chocolate, Marshmallows,
- 3 – Summer Theme Basket
  - Ideas: Beach towels, bubbles, Chalk, Water bottles, grilling accessories, tiki theme stuff,
  - summer décor
- 4 – Dinner Date Night Basket
  - Ideas: Restaurant Gift Cards; Weekly Menu Board
- 5 – Spa / Wellness Basket
  - Ideas: bath salts/bombs, yoga mat, candles, journal, Water bottle, small weights
- 6 – Movie Night Basket
  - Ideas: Popcorn maker, Popcorn, bowls, snacks, cozy blanket, AMC gift card, Chef shoppe
  - gift card
- 7 – Sunday Morning Brunch Basket
  - Ideas: waffle maker, pancake mixes, Breakfast restaurant gift cards, recipes, Coffee
- 8 – Baking Basket
  - Ideas: Baking utensils, dessert recipes, mixing bowls

**Good Shepherd Lutheran School  
Annual "Chargers" – Boys  
Basketball Camp - 2024**

**Dates:** Monday, June 3 – Friday, June 7  
8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. – Grades 3-4  
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 – Grades 5-8

**Site:** Good Shepherd Lutheran School  
1300 Beltline Road  
Collinsville, IL  
Office: (618) 344-3153

**Participants:** All Boys entering grades 3-8 for the coming year.

**Fee:** \$45.00

**Deadline:** May 20, 2024

**Mail to:** Chargers Basketball Camp  
% Robert Mayhew – Athletic Director  
1300 Beltline Road  
Collinsville, IL 62234

\*\*\*\*\* **CAMP FEATURES** \*\*\*\*\*

- Fundamental instruction
- Developing basketball interest
- The opportunity to learn and improve
- Transition basketball
- Individual offensive and defensive skills
- Defensive techniques
- Daily shooting
- Competition 3 on 3, 5 on 5, 1 on 1
- Contests
- Free T-shirt for every camper
- Enjoyment of the game

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**Please Return Form and Check To Mr. Mayhew By May 20**

Camper Name \_\_\_\_\_ Entering Grade \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT PERMISSION FORM**

I am aware that participating in any sport involves some risks of injury. I hereby release Good Shepherd Lutheran School and all instructors at the 2024 basketball camp from all liabilities and claims that may result from camp. I give my daughter/son permission to participate in the basketball camp on June 3-7.

Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

T-shirt size: Youth M \_\_\_\_\_ L \_\_\_\_\_  
Adult S \_\_\_\_\_ M \_\_\_\_\_ L \_\_\_\_\_ XL \_\_\_\_\_ XXL \_\_\_\_\_

**SUGGESTION: ORDER SIZES BIG, 50/50 MATERIAL**

**Good Shepherd Lutheran School  
Annual "Chargers" – Girls  
Basketball Camp - 2024**

**Dates:** Monday, June 10 – Friday, June 14  
8:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. – Grades 3-4  
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 – Grades 5-8

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Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

T-shirt size: Youth M \_\_\_\_\_ L \_\_\_\_\_  
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# GOOD SHEPHERD VOLLEYBALL CAMP-2024

**Camp dates:** June 17-21

**Time:** 8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. - Grades 3-5  
10:00 a.m. -12 noon - Grades 6-8

**Participants:** All girls entering 3-5  
All girls entering grades 6-8

**Deadline:** May 20, 2024

**Cost:** \$45.00 (make checks out to Good Shepherd Lutheran School) This year, all participants will receive a shirt to take home.

## **Camp Features:**

### **Grades 3-5**

This session is designed to emphasize the basic volleyball skills such as: serving, passing, setting, receiving, offense and defense. They will be introduced to proper player positions. They will learn the proper volleyball terminology. Individual skills as well as team play will be stressed. Enjoyment of the game will also be stressed.

### **Grade 6**

This session is designed to emphasize the basic volleyball skills such as: serving, passing, setting, offense and defense.

They will be introduced to proper player positions such as: setter, outside attacker, middle attacker, etc. Team play will be stressed.

### **Grades 7 & 8**

This session is designed for girls to prepare them for Jr. High level of play when the season begins. We will stress the basic skills such as: serving, passing, setting, digging and team play. We will also introduce drills that will help them become more proficient at these skills along with attacking, blocking, multiple offenses, and multiple defenses. They will learn proper positioning for setters, attackers, and back line players.

## **Registration:**

Registration forms need to be turned into school office by May 20.

**Equipment:** Please come dressed in a T shirt and shorts, bring knee pads, and carry in your shoes.

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PLEASE RETURN FORM AND CHECK TO SCHOOL OFFICE BY MAY 20.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ GRADE NEXT YEAR \_\_\_\_\_

## PARENT PERMISSION FORM

I am aware that participating in any sport involves some risks of injury. I hereby release Good Shepherd Lutheran School and all instructors at the 2024 volleyball camp from all liabilities and claims that may result from camp. I give my daughter permission to participate in the volleyball camp on June 17-21.

Parent's signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

T-Shirt Size: Youth (M)\_\_\_\_ (L)\_\_\_\_  
Adult (S)\_\_\_\_ (M)\_\_\_\_ (L)\_\_\_\_ (XL)\_\_\_\_ (XXL)\_\_\_\_