

GSL eNews

Monday, March 6, 2023

CALENDAR PREVIEW

Next 4 Weeks

March

6-10

Winter Trimester Middle School Art Show Anchor Center Alumni Lobby

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Report Cards Available, 3 p.m.

8th Grade Internship Fair 7 p.m., Anchor Center

7 Middle School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

Winter Trimester Art Show Opening Reception 5-6:30 p.m., Anchor Center Alumni Lobby

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Lower School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

Third Grade Music Performance 8:15 a.m., McClure Hall

9 All-School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

Preschool Chapel, 8:35 a.m.

Lower School Spelling Bee 9:30 a.m., McClure Hall

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Pi Day Celebration Hosted by Ellyse Woolard 8:05 a.m., Anchor Gym (Families are welcome to attend Celebration!)

13-17

Spring Break - No School ACE @ Play Available with Registration



Anchor Auction Friday, April 21 at 6:30 p.m. Grind City Brewing Co.

We are so excited about this year's Anchor Auction! Items are rolling in, and this is going to be a fantastic night for the GSL community. This year will be a hybrid event like last year, where you can bid virtually on silent auction items prior to the event as well as at the event until the silent auction closes at 8:30 p.m. We also have special sell-aseat parties that will only be available for purchase in person at the event, and an awesome band, JamJam1. <u>Click here to buy your tickets</u> today! **The deadline is April 12.**

If you are interested in volunteering to help set up or have other questions, email Event Chairs <u>Kelly Martin</u> and <u>Christina Ross</u>. Many thanks to our Auction Sponsors, who are listed below. (Be sure to also check out our Sponsor Banner on Peabody in front of Anchor Hill!)

Special Thank You to Our Current Anchor Auction Sponsors

75th Anniversary Sponsor (\$5,000) Independent Bank

Saint Sponsor (\$2,500)

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Classes Resume

21 Middle School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

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8th Grade Parents Class Trip Meeting 7:30 a.m., McClure Hall

Lower School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

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All-School Chapel, Featuring Chapel Talks by Anna Ratton and Graham Davis 8:05 a.m., GSL Church

Preschool Chapel, 8:35 a.m.

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Celebration: Air & Space Day at Overton Park (selected grade levels)

28 Middle School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

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6th Grade Parents Class Trip Meeting 7:30 a.m., McClure Hall

Italian Dinner Bake Sale 8 a.m.-3 p.m., Anchor Center Lobby (bring cash!)

Lower School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

Italian Dinner "To-Go" Meal Event (for all who pre-ordered meal kits and/or t-shirts) 4-6 p.m., Circle Drive

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All-School Chapel, Featuring Chapel Talks by Stella Dyer and Stephan Binder 8:05 a.m., GSL Church

Preschool Chapel, 8:35 a.m.

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Celebration: Honor Society Inductions Hosted by Ellen Hendry 8:05 a.m., GSL Church (Families are welcome to attend Celebration!) Rachel's Flowers & Gifts

Luker Sponsor (\$1,000) Indigo Martin Music Paragon Bank

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75 Reasons We ♥ GSL

In case you missed it last week, the muchanticipated 75 Reasons We ♥ GSL video is now available! <u>Click here to view this special video</u> featuring GSL students, faculty, and staff!



Celebration of Giving to GSL Wraps Up

Last week, the Celebration of Giving to GSL was a great success! Gifts continue to come in, and later this month we look forward to sharing with you the final amount raised. If you have not yet given, we hope you will join in to support our amazing school. You may give or pledge online. A

heartfelt thank you to everyone who participated in the Celebration of Giving to GSL!

QUICK LINKS

- <u>Create a Family Library Account</u>
- Refer a Friend to GSL
- ACE: After School & Enrichment
- Lunch Service
- <u>2022-23 Important Dates Calendar</u>
- <u>2023-24 Important Dates Calendar</u>
- Preschool Handbook
- Lower & Middle School Handbook

Weekly eNews Distribution

To add an email address to the eNews distribution list, please email <u>Associate Director of</u> <u>Communications Marci Woodmansee</u>.

Contacting ACE After School Hours

To connect with ACE after school hours, call the Auxiliary Programs line at 901.677.2245.



Winter Trimester Art Show Reception Tuesday, March 7

5-6:30 p.m., Anchor Center Alumni Lobby

The rescheduled opening reception for the Winter Trimester Art Show is this Tuesday at 5 p.m. Thank you for your patience! Please join us in celebrating our Middle School arts block students and their work!

News from ACE

Register for Spring Break ACE @ Play! March 13-17, 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. \$50 per day

Spring Break is fast approaching – do you need a fun plan for your kids that week? Then register now for ACE @ Play! We're going to have lots of fun and we'd love you to join in. Our theme is experiencing the magic of ACE at night... but



during the day! We'll explore the solar system, discover mysterious nocturnal creatures, enjoy glow-inthe-dark fun, and cozy up in pajamas at the end of the week. <u>Click here to register</u>, deadline March 10.

And remember, we still have openings in ACE: Enrichment this spring! Featured options follow below. Click here to register today!

Pokemon Club

Join Ms. Canon and Ms. Hamilton on this adventure where students will play the Pokémon Trading Card Game, crowning a league champion at the end of each session. Each week, we will focus on one type of Pokemon and create our own version. Students are recommended to bring their own cards, but some will also be provided.

Grades: SK-4th Dates: Wednesdays, March 22 -May 3 Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m. Cost: \$150 Registration will end on 3/17/23

Kinder Crafts Craze!

Arts and crafts is a great creative outlet. Through art, children can express themselves freely, improve confidence and self esteem, fine motor skills, as well as develop planning and organizational skills. Join Ms. "O" as she leads you through this creative process

Grades: SK-3rd Dates: Thursdays, March 23 -April 20 Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m. Cost: \$155 Registration will end on 3/21/23

Grizzlies Game Time

Enjoy a 'real' game experience with Ms. "O!" Try your luck at scoring points, take a photo with the stadium backdrop, visit the concession stand, design your own Grizzlies poster, and watch winning Grizzlies highlights! Participants receive a headband, basketball sticker, and a wristband to take home.

Grades: SK-3rd Date: Thursday, April 27 Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m. Cost: \$100 Registration will end on 4/25/23



Sewing Club Stuffed Animal Clinic Drop-off Box, Lower School Multipurpose Room

Do you have a friend that needs mending? Lower School Sewing Club Enrichment is here to help. Drop off at the Lower School Multipurpose Room (and be sure to fill out the intake form). Accepting new "patients" in need of TLC until Tuesday, March 21.

Donate Recyclables to Lower School iLab

Our Lower School iLab can use your recyclables! Please donate clear plastic fruit packaging containers, plastic water or soft drink bottles, paper towel rolls, and toilet paper rolls to the Lower School iLab!



DONATE RECYCLABLES TO LOWER SCHOOL ILAB!

Spring Musical Performances

Third Grade Music Performance Wed., March 8 at 8:15 a.m., McClure Hall

Coming Soon! 2nd Grade: April 5 at 8:15am in McClure Hall 1st Grade: April 26 at 8:15am in McClure Hall SK: May 3 at 8:15am in McClure Hall 4th Grade: May 10 at 8:15am in McClure Hall 5th/6th 3rd Trimester: May 11 at 6pm in McClure Hall

Please save the date for your child's performance!

Report Card Special Offer from Victory Bicycle Studio 2549 Broad Ave, victorybicyclestudio.com

Fine Arts Update: Spring Musical Performances!

From now until March 31, GSL students can bring in a new report card for 20% OFF a new bike (and GSL will get 20% back as well)! This is part of Victory Bicycle Studios' continuing effort to get #morekidsonbikes and further their investment into the Memphis community. Victory is excited to offer this promotion and get more bikes cruising around the GSL campus. Questions? Email Victory's <u>Clark Butcher</u> or call 901-746-8466.



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