

GSL eNews

Monday, March 28, 2022

CALENDAR PREVIEW

Next 4 Weeks

March

Now-April 22

Pull Tab Collection Campaign at GSL

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7th/8th Second Trimester Art Show

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Italian Dinner T-Shirt Dress Down Day

Voluntary LL-8th COVID Testing 9-11 a.m., Trezevant Hall

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Middle School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

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

Lower School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

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Lower School Parents' Coffee with Marti McCloud 7:45-8:30 a.m., Anchor Library

All-School Chapel, 8:05 a.m. Chapel Talks by McKenzie Welch, Jack Barger, and Dar Zafer

Clergy Visits Preschool Classrooms, 8:45 a.m.

Voluntary LL-8th COVID Testing 9-11 a.m., Trezevant Hall

Lower School Spelling Bee 9:30 a.m., Saints Gym

Italian Dinner Bake Sale 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Anchor Center



It's Showtime for Fiddler on the Roof, Jr. – Opening Thursday!

GSL's Middle School thespians are excited to bring you this special adaptation of the nine-time Tony Award-winning Broadway musical! *Fiddler on the Roof, Jr.* tackles the universal theme of tradition in ways that reach across barriers of race, class, nationality, and religion.

Tickets are \$12 and tend to sell out quickly, so please limit your purchase to 8 tickets per show, max of 2 shows. Ticket links for each performance follow below. Seating is general admission, but Performing Arts Booster Club members are seated first; click here to join the Booster Club today!

Thursday, March 31 @7:30 pm: Ticket Link

Friday, April 1 @7:30 pm: Ticket Link

Saturday, April 2 @10 am: Ticket Link

Saturday, April 2 @7:30 pm: Ticket Link

Questions? Email us at

GSLPerformingArtsBC@gmail.com.

Opening Night for *Fiddler on the Roof, Jr.* 7:30 p.m., McClure Hall

April

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Fiddler on the Roof T-shirt Day (with regular uniform pants/skirts)

Silent Auction Online Bidding Opens, 8 a.m.

Honor Society Inductions 8:05 a.m., hosted by Ellen Hendry Reception for families to follow in Trezevant Hall

Spring Musical: *Fiddler on the Roof, Jr.* 7:30 p.m., McClure Hall

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Spring Musical: *Fiddler on the Roof, Jr.* 10 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., McClure Hall

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Lost & Found Items on Display

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7th Grade Trip Parent Meeting 7:15 a.m., McClure Hall

Voluntary LL-8th COVID Testing 9-11 a.m., Trezevant Hall

8th Grade Parent Presentation 6:15 p.m., Snowden Field (Rain Date, April 6)

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Middle School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

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4th Grade Citizenship Breakfast 8 a.m., Trezevant Hall

Lower School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

Rain Date for 8th Grade Parent Presentation 6:15 p.m., Snowden Field

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Preschool Gardening Day

All-School Chapel, 8:05 a.m. Chapel Talks by Isla Morin, Carlos Orbegoso, Amelia Simpson

Voluntary LL-8th COVID Testing 9-11 a.m., Trezevant Hall

2nd Grade Spring Musical Performance 6 p.m., Anchor Gym

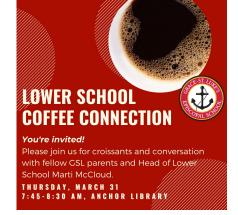
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Celebration, 8:05 a.m., hosted by Katherine Consola

Anchor Auction 6:30 p.m., Children's Museum of Memphis Silent Auction Online Bidding Closes at 8 p.m.

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Voluntary LL-8th COVID Testing 9-11 a.m., Trezevant Hall



Lower School Parents Coffee

Thursday, March 31, 7:45-8:30 a.m. Anchor Center Library

Join us for coffee, croissants, and conversation with the Head of Lower School on March 31!



GSL Annual Anchor Auction

Friday, April 8 at 6:30 p.m. Children's Museum of Memphis

The Anchor Auction is the Parents' Association largest fundraiser for GSL, and this year we are excited to offer both virtual and in-person bidding!

Details on how to bid online will be shared in a separate email tomorrow – be on the lookout!

Everyone who plans to attend the auction in person is encouraged to purchase tickets today. The deadline to purchase tickets is this Thursday, March 31 at 5 p.m. Tickets are \$85 per person. Click here to purchase!

The Auction is Friday, April 8. Doors will open at 6:30 p.m., and the live auction will start at 8:30 p.m. Join your fellow GSL community members to enjoy an exciting evening of fun and fundraising!

Parents from each grade have been hard at work putting together fabulous Themed Baskets for the Anchor Auction! Check them out below and get ready to bid:

Little Luker – Family Day Survival PK – Travel Package JK – Memphis Arts/Culture/Nightlife SK – Illuminate Yourself Basket Middle School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

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Lower School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

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Maundy Thursday Dress Uniform Day for Grades 1-8 Stations of the Cross presented by Third Grade, 8:05 a.m., Lower School Circle Drive

Rain Date for Preschool Gardening Day

Clergy Visits Preschool Classrooms, 8:45 a.m.

Voluntary LL-8th COVID Testing 9-11 a.m., Trezevant Hall

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Good Friday - No School

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Easter Monday - No School

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Middle School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

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Lower School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.

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

Clergy Visits Preschool Classrooms, 8:45 a.m.

Voluntary LL-8th COVID Testing 9-11 a.m., Trezevant Hall

3rd Grade Spring Musical Performance 6 p.m., Anchor Gym

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Thespian Society Inductions 8:05 a.m., hosted by Leslie Reddick

4th-8th Grade Father-Daughter Dance 7:30 p.m., Lemaster Playground (Anchor Gym in case of rain)

1st – Taco Tuesday 2nd – Shelby Farms Fun 3rd – Shopping/Material Girl 4th – Wine Down

5th – Poolside Fun 6th – Memphis in the Fall

7th - Memphis in May MusicFest Package

We are still accepting new sponsors! If you would like to join the special group below and become an Anchor Auction Sponsor, click here or contact Gina Brewer!

A very special thank you to our current Anchor Auction Sponsors!

Venue Sponsors: (\$2,500)

Jim Keras Subaru Hacks Cross & Jim Keras Subaru Covington Pike June Wren Flowers

Art Sponsor: (\$750)

Paragon Bank

Food & Beverage Sponsors: (\$500)

Burch Porter & Johnson, PLLC Cantrell Custom Pools Duncan Eye, PLLC Gerber Taylor Jack Morris Auto Glass Mary and Will Maddox Memphis Children's Clinic

Live Auction Sponsors: (\$250)

Glo Medical Aesthetics Joe and Vickie Clark Sullivan Branding Zachary Johnston DDS Family & Cosmetic Dentistry

Dessert Sponsor: (\$200)

Gina Brewer

Photo Booth Sponsors: (\$150)

The Art Project Charles Vergos' Rendezvous Mind/Body HAUS

Want to help?

Contact <u>Ashley Adams</u> or <u>Amy Golden</u> to donate an auction item!

Questions? Contact <u>Sherry Emerson</u> or <u>Emily Merrell</u>. We look forward to gathering for this annual event and can't wait to see you there!

QUICK LINKS

- Report Student Vaccination Status
- Create a Family Library Account
- Refer a Friend to GSL
- ACE: After School & Enrichment
- Lunch Service
- 2021-22 Important Dates Calendar
- 2022-23 Important Dates Calendar
- 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 Communications Marci Woodmansee</u>.

Contacting ACE After School Hours

To connect with ACE after school hours, call the Auxiliary Programs line at 901.278.2685.



Italian Dinner T-shirt Dress-Down TODAY! Bake Sale this Thursday!

Thank you again to EVERYONE who supported our fantastic Italian Dinner Thursday night. The dress-down is TODAY for anyone who bought a shirt. And please remember, the Bake Sale is this **Thursday, March 31**, **11** a.m.-1:30 p.m. in the Anchor Center. Cash only!

Questions? Email Event Chairs <u>Kathleen Behnke</u>, <u>Natalie Davis</u> or <u>Amanda Wilson</u>. Thank you for

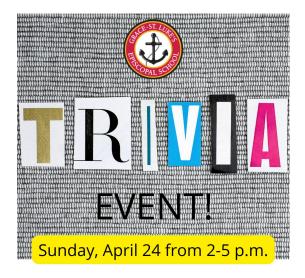
supporting the GSL Class of 2022, and GO, SAINTS!!!

6th Annual Parents' Association "Afternoon of Trivia" Event

Sunday, April 24 from 2-5 p.m.
Memphis Made Brewing Company
(768 Cooper)
\$280 for a team of 8 people
Ages 21+ only; no children

REGISTER HERE NOW for our 6th Annual Trivia Afternoon, which will be held at Memphis Made Brewing Company, rain or shine. Yes, this is a P.A. fundraiser, but it is also a fun afternoon of GSL camaraderie!

Table themes and costumes have been encouraged in the past, but this year we ask that you simply come as you are and enjoy!



THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW

- Location: Memphis Made Brewing Company, 768 Cooper
- Food: The Green Beetle food truck will be available for food purchases, or bring in your own snacks
- Table Sales Only: Max number of seats at the table is 8, and only 18 tables are available. No need to tell us who's joining you just purchase a table, recruit a team, and join us!
- Bring cash so you can purchase mulligans and raffle tickets. There will be fun raffle prizes and a grand prize trivia team winner!
- · Deadline to register is April 14 or until we are sold out.

We look forward to cheering you on!

Questions? Contact your 2022 Trivia Event Hosts, Jennifer Hagerman, Shannon Malone, or Lindsey Myers.

SummerFest 2022

See our entire <u>brochure of offerings</u>, then <u>click</u> <u>here to register</u> on UltraCamp.



Upcoming COVID Testing

Monday, March 28: Free voluntary testing Grades LL-8 Thursday, March 31: Free voluntary testing Grades LL-8 Click here to register to test and select preferred test day.

Update Vaccination Status

Please **click here** to update your child's vaccination status.



Featured ACE: Enrichment Classes

Tinker Lab with Miss Kelsey

Each class, Lukers will stretch their brains to think outside the box and tinker using a wide variety of materials. We will be creating with recyclables, performing science experiments, exploring nontraditional art materials, and solving special STEM challenges.

Grades: SK - 1st

Day of the Week: Thursdays

Dates: April 7 - 28 Number of Classes: 4 Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Instructor: Kelsey Beagle

Cost: \$100

Click here to register!

Pottery & Painting

Celebrate Earth Day by working with some earth - clay! Get hands-on in this two-part special class hosted by Seize the Clay. On the first day, learn to work clay into a special project. Your design will be professionally baked in a kiln and returned to you so that you can paint your design on the second day.

Grades: SK - 1st

Day of the Week: Thursdays

Dates: April 14 & 21 Number of Classes: 2 Time: 4:15 - 5:15 p.m.

Instructor: Seize the Clay

Cost: \$60

Click here to register!

CLICK HERE TO GIVE TO GSL TODAY!







