



GSL eNews

Monday, October 11, 2021

CALENDAR PREVIEW

Next 4 Weeks

October

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Classes Resume

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

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Spirit Wear Sale, 3-6 p.m., Anchor Center Lobby

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Required COVID testing for all 5/6 football players
and unvaccinated 5/6 athletes in other sports,
Trezevant Hall, 9-11 a.m.

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All School Red & White Dress Down Day
Honoring Fall Sports!

School Picture Make-Up Day

All-School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.,
Chapel Talks by Addison Epps and Finn Church

Middle School Pep Rally, 2:15 p.m.,
Lemaster Playground

Final Home 7/8 Football Game, 6 p.m.,
Snowden Field (2233 Harbert)

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

Celebration, 8:05 a.m., hosted by Ellyse Woolard

Required COVID testing for all 7/8 football
participants and unvaccinated 7/8 athletes in other
sports, Trezevant Hall, 9-11 a.m.

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SPIRIT
WEAR
SALE!

TUES., OCT. 12, 3-6 PM
ANCHOR CENTER

Spirit Wear Sale Tomorrow!

**Tuesday, October 12 from 3-6 p.m.
Anchor Center Lobby**

Many of our popular items are back in stock such as GSL caps, the St. Bernard and the Bullet bus t-shirts, plus some great new items that you don't want to miss! We have packs of new Styrofoam cups, ponytail holders, bracelets, & awesome sweatpants! **We are also selling as a PRE-ORDER ITEM: a long-sleeve cotton holiday shirt to be delivered by November 18.** Perfect for our annual Red & Green Dress-Down Day on December 17! **Click here to order** your holiday shirt today - the order deadline is Friday, Oct. 22.

REMINDER!



COVID-19
Testing Days

COVID Testing This Week

Monday, Oct. 11: FREE voluntary testing Grades 1-8

Wednesday, Oct. 13: FREE mandatory 5/6

ISSE Testing for GSL 8th Graders,
Anchor Center, 8 a.m.

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

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PS Speech & Language Screenings, 9 a.m.

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Dress Uniform for Grades 1-8 for St. Luke's Feast Day

Preschool Coffee Connection with Cynthia Hill,
7:30-8:30 a.m., Anchor Center ACE Room

All-School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.,
Chapel Talks by Betsy Halliday and Henry Thompson

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Celebration, 8:05 a.m., hosted by Juan Roncal

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

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Flu Shots & Nasal Mist at GSL for parents &
students 4 years and older, 7:30-9:30 a.m.

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Required COVID testing for all 5/6 basketball
participants and unvaccinated 5/6 athletes in other
sports, Trezevant Hall, 9-11 a.m.

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All-School Chapel, 8:05 a.m.,
Chapel Talks by Skylah Gregory and Thomas McGoff

Middle School (and 4th Grade) Mad Scientist Day
Lower School (SK-3rd) Wacky Socks Day

Preschool Halloween Parade, 9:30 a.m.

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Black & Orange Dress Down Day

Celebration, 8:05 a.m., hosted by Kimberley Morrison and Carmen Navarro

Middle School Hearing Screenings, 8 a.m.-Noon,
Music Room

Required COVID testing for all 7/8 basketball
participants and unvaccinated 7/8 athletes in other
sports, Trezevant Hall, 9-11 a.m.

November

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

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

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Celebration, 8:05 a.m., hosted by Annie Chisholm

athlete testing as outlined at left
Friday, Oct. 15: FREE mandatory 7/8 athlete testing as outlined at left

Important reminder: Even if your child tested before with the PCR tests, we need you to re-register before we can test your child with the free antigen tests. [Click here to register.](#) You will only have to register once, but we do need to get your permission for this test. See email sent Friday, Sept. 17 with full updates on which athletes are required to test. Other October testing dates listed in calendar at left.

RED & WHITE DRESS DOWN DAY @ GSL!

**+ LAST 7/8 FOOTBALL
HOME GAME!**

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 14
6 PM AT SNOWDEN FIELD**

GO SAINTS!!!

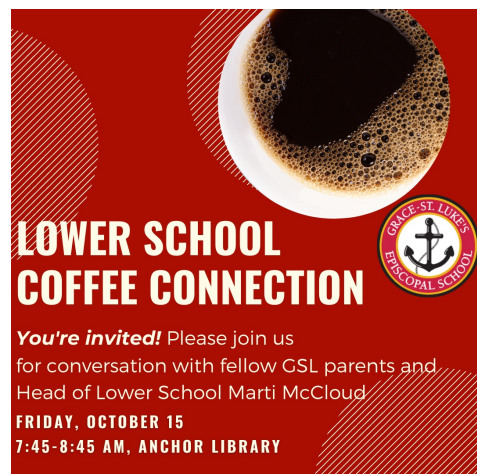
All-School Red & White Dress Down Day Honoring Fall Sports

Thursday, Oct. 14

**6 p.m.: Final Home 7/8 Football Game at
Snowden Field (2233 Harbert)**

Parents \$5; Grandparents/Students \$2


Let's get together and show our Saints Spirit at our final home 7/8 football game this season! Middle School will kick off events with an afternoon Pep Rally, and we invite all families to come to the game at Snowden Field! Concessions will be open and it will be a fun night. Middle School will keep track of how many students from Red Team and White Team attend the game, which will go toward the teams' grand points total at the end of the year!



**LOWER SCHOOL
COFFEE CONNECTION**

You're invited! Please join us
for conversation with fellow GSL parents and
Head of Lower School Marti McCloud

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 15
7:45-8:45 AM, ANCHOR LIBRARY**



Lower School Coffee Connection

Friday, Oct. 15, 7:45-8:45 a.m.,
Anchor Library

Calling all Lower School parents! Please join us for conversation and coffee with fellow parents and Head of Lower School Marti McCloud. We look forward to seeing you!

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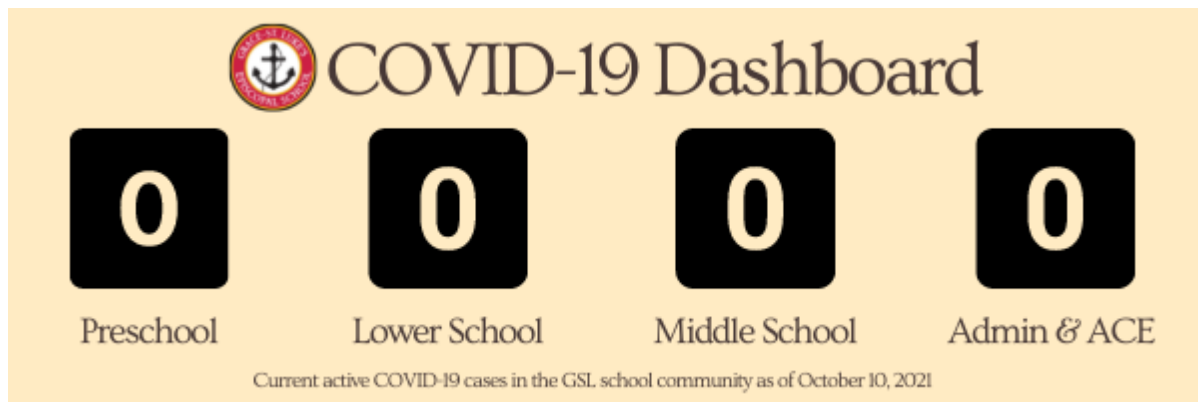
- [Refer a Friend to GSL](#)
- [ACE: After School & Enrichment](#)
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- [Preschool Handbook](#)
- [Lower & Middle School Handbook](#)
- [COVID-19 Parent-Student Handbook](#)

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Contacting ACE After School Hours

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



ACE: Enrichment = Fun!

Now that we are on the other side of Fall Break, new enrichment classes are starting! Be sure to [check out the ACE brochure](#) for the full list of upcoming offerings. Classes include pottery, preschool music, special edition sewing, and more! [Click here to register](#).

Flu Shots/Mist for Parents & Kids

Tuesday, Oct. 26, 7:30-9:30 a.m.
Lower School Multipurpose Room

Flu shots and flu mist* (\$35 each, cash or check) will be offered to GSL parents and children age 4 and up. Please note the following requirements:

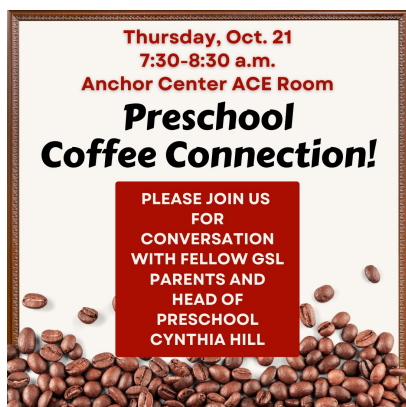
- Anyone getting a shot to be filed on insurance must have [this paperwork](#) completed before arriving on campus, and **must also bring a copy of his/her insurance card AND a copy of his/her driver's**



license to present before getting the flu shot/mist.

- Parents must accompany their children receiving flu shots/mist and sign a consent form before a child's shot or mist is administered.
- Non-insurance payments may be made by cash or check.

**Flu mist availability limited to first 50 requests*



Preschool Coffee Connection

Thursday, Oct. 21, 7:30-8:30 a.m., Anchor Center ACE Room (adjacent to Preschool)

Calling all Preschool parents! Please join us for conversation and coffee with fellow parents and Head of Preschool Cynthia Hill. We look forward to seeing you!

Students Invited to Participate in GSL's 2021 Christmas Card Art Contest!



2021 Christmas Card Art Contest

Grace-St. Luke's Episcopal School is seeking currently enrolled students in Little Lukers - 8th grade to design the school's 2021 Christmas Card. Artwork provided by students will be judged by a committee of GSL staff. The first place winner's artwork will appear on GSL's 2021 Christmas Card, which will be mailed to families and friends of the school.

How to Participate:

- If a student is interested in participating in this art contest, please email Brenda Berry (bberry@gslschool.org) and include the name and grade of the student. An art contest packet will be sent home with the student.

Rules:

- All artwork must be submitted on the white, 8.5" x 11" paper provided to the student in the art contest packet.
- Original artwork must be accompanied by a completed art contest entry form. The entry form will be provided in the art contest packet.
- Each entry will have a preassigned number on the back of the paper to ensure an anonymous judging process. Please do not include the student's name or other identifying information anywhere on the artwork.
- All artwork must be authentic and completed only by the student. Art that is traced or taken from other sources will be disqualified.
- The art contest is open to all enrolled GSL students in Little Lukers - 8th grade.
- Only one entry per student will be accepted.

To Submit Artwork:

- Place the original artwork, along with a completed and signed entry form, in the provided envelope and turn it in to the student's teacher/advisor or to the front office at 246 S. Belvedere Blvd.
- All artwork entries must be received by 3 p.m. on Friday, October 29, 2021. Entries received after 3 p.m. on October 29, 2021 will not be eligible for the contest.

Winners:

The 1st Place winner will receive the following:

- The student's artwork will be used on the front of GSL's official 2021 Christmas Card sent to GSL families and friends. The student's name and grade will be noted on the back of the card.
- Thirty copies of the card (and envelopes) for a keepsake and for mailing to family and friends.
- A certificate
- \$25 Novel gift card

The 2nd and 3rd place winners will each receive a \$10 Novel gift card.

All entries will be featured in a special holiday video that is sent to GSL families and shared via the school's social media pages in December 2021.

To request an art contest packet, or if you have any questions, **[email Brenda Berry](#)**. The contest submission deadline is Friday, Oct. 29!

Creative Art with the Art Project

In this class, students will be introduced to a wide variety of art mediums and techniques - painting, collage, watercolor, glue, drawing, Model Magic clay and more! We'll keep the class fun and engaging with a good mix of process based projects and structured projects.

Grades: PK - JK
Day of the Week: Mondays
Dates: October 11 - December 6
Number of Classes: 9
Time: 3:00 - 3:45 p.m.

Instructor: The Art Project
Cost: \$160
[Click here to register today!](#)

Pigment & Paint

Explore the art of painting by learning basic acrylic and watercolor techniques. Experiment with brush strokes, various textures, and color mixing. After practicing the basics of painting, students will create a final mixed media masterpiece on a stretched canvas.

Grades: SK - 1st
Day of the Week: Mondays
Dates: October 11 - December 6
Number of Classes: 9
Time: 4:15 - 5:15 p.m.

Instructor: The Art Project
Cost: \$160
[Click here to register today!](#)

Crazy 8s Math Club

This club encourages students to play with math in the most outlandish way. Explore 3-D shapes in a glow-in-the-dark city, recreate complex designs in a super cube shuffle, and master math facts with a beach ball party. These high-energy activities appeal to kids of all math abilities.

Grades: SK-2nd
Day of the Week: Mondays
Dates: October 18 - December 6
Number of Classes: 8
Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Instructor: Sara Ralston
Cost: \$145
[Click here to register today!](#)

Spooky Sewing: Double Trouble Edition

It's "sew" much fun! Both boys and girls will enjoy learning new skills while making an original project. No needle experience is necessary. Get into the holiday spirit with some fun Halloween-themed sewing projects. Make spooky softies and costume accessories.

Grades: 2nd - 4th
Day of the Week: Tuesdays
Dates: October 19 - 26
Number of Classes: 2
Time: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Instructor: Amie Plumley
Cost: \$50
[Click here to register today!](#)

CLICK HERE TO GIVE TO GSL TODAY!

