June 20, 2024

Crusader Chronicles

Good Shepherd Catholic School

Congratulations to our T3 Honor Roll Students!!

First Honors

- ★ Elizabeth Boyd
- ★ Andrew Cox
- ★ Savannah Erickson
- ★ Rosemary Fongemie
- ★ Delaney Geppi
- ★ Everly Keane
- ★ Andrew Lorandeau
- ★ Stella Rouse

Second Honors

- ★ Armand Baumann
- ★ Lillian Boyd
- ★ Ben Burton
- ★ Mallory Collette
- ★ Falcon Cothin
- ★ Kate Cox
- ★ Araceli Escoto
- ★ Peyton Flemmens
- ★ Clare Frank
- ★ Elliana Keane
- ★ Sean Kelly
- ★ Lucy Tapera
- ★ Zerah Villar
- ★ Anabel Wein
- ★ Kevin Zhang

Summer Office Hours

The office will be open from 9-2 for the remainder of June and 9-12 on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday starting July 1st.

As summer unfolds with its long, sunny days and adventures, we find ourselves in a season of growth and renewal. Just as the earth flourishes under the warmth of the sun, we too have the opportunity to grow in our faith and strengthen our communities.

Summer is a time for connection and service, a perfect reminder that we are all called to be builders of the Kingdom of God. Through acts of kindness, compassion, and generosity, we can reflect God's love in our everyday lives. Whether it's helping a neighbor, volunteering at a local charity, or simply sharing a smile with a stranger, each small act of goodness contributes to the greater good.

As we enjoy the beauty and bounty of summer, let's remember to nurture not only the physical world around us but also the spiritual community within us. Together, let's use this season to sow seeds of faith, hope, and love, building a world that mirrors the Kingdom of God, one kind act at a time.

Let Us Build the Kingdom of God



Report Cards for T3

Report cards were sent home today through the PowerSchool Parent Portal. If you have any questions, please contact your child's teacher.

Congratulations to our Trimester 3 Honor Roll students! We look forward to celebrating more student success next school year!

Chromebook Orders & Repairs

Chromebooks are required for junior high students and optional for intermediate students. Please check your child's chromebook to ensure that it will last through the school year. If you need repairs, please contact us as it takes time to send these out. Chromebook orders are due by July 17th. Below is the link to the order form. Chromebook Order Form

School Calendar-at-a Glance

We are looking forward to next school year already! Click here to get a calendar at a glance and save the dates for our many fantastic events! School Year-at-a-Glance

Summer Book Projects

Books can take us on many adventures and we hope that our students take both reading and family adventures this summer! Summer book projects were sent home with students. If you need an additional copy of the project, please contact the office. Book projects are due on the first day of school, **August 26th**.

School Supply List for 2024-2025

Being prepared for school is one way to help students be successful! Click here to get the school supply lists or visit the Parent Resources section of our webpage. School Supply List 2024-2025

Uniforms

Be sure to order uniforms from Rush Uniform early to ensure the delivery before school opens. Here is the link for ordering from Rush. Rush Uniform

Staff Changes

As we bid farewell to the school year, we would like to wish much luck to Mrs. Meyer, Mrs. Taylor, Mr. Sweet, and Mrs. Henrich as they are moving on to new adventures. We appreciate all the lessons they have helped us learn and wish them all the best in their new endeavors!

We are thrilled to welcome Ms. Herr to our staff as our 2nd grade teacher. She comes with several years of experience teaching second grade in Catholic schools as well as a classroom assistant in early childhood classrooms. We would also like to welcome Ms. Richardson as she has accepted the English Language Arts position for grades 3-6. She brings several years of experience teaching English Language Arts in Harford and Cecil County public schools. Their enthusiasm and fresh ideas are sure to add to our school community!

This summer, we'll continue to search for more amazing educators to join our teaching team and continue to build our little corner of the Kingdom of God. If you know anyone interested in joining our team, please have them contact the office. Stay tuned for updates as we bring in the best teachers to enrich our students' lives.

A Moment to Chuckle

Q. Why do fish like to play piano during summer vacation?
A. Because they love to tune-a!

Q. What do you call a fancy watermelon?
A. A melon-aire!

Upcoming Dates & Events

New Family Orientation- Aug 22
Welcome Back Ice Cream Social- Aug 22
First Day of School- Aug 26
Labor Day (No School)- Sept. 2
Back to School Night- Sept 9

Good Shepherd Catholic School develops successful students with the support of the entire community. Our students reach their maximum academic and personal potential in a safe and nurturing environment, leading them to be people of faith, socialization, and character through study and service.

A Message from Our New Principal

Dear Good Shepherd Family,

I want to thank you so much for your very warm welcome into this community, I feel so incredibly blessed. I have loved getting to know each and every one of you! I wanted to take this opportunity with the publication of the last Crusader Chronicles of this school year to pass along my regards and give you a way to reach out. As I shared with the parish community during my Mass visits, I bring with me 13 years of diverse teaching experience, including working with students who have learning differences as well as providing advanced math enrichment for those needing extra challenges. One of my proudest achievements is the math support program I initiated, developed, and sustained at my previous Catholic school. I have also been an active member of several school committees, which has further enriched my experience in educational leadership. I am truly devoted to Catholic education and believe in its strong lasting impact it can have. With that being said, I understand that change can be scary. I know that there are some recently announced changes to the faculty at Good Shepherd but I want to assure you that we have been working diligently to find the best possible candidates to fill these positions. I am eagerly excited to journey with you next school year as we work together to help our children be disciples of Christ. Please do not ever hesitate to reach out to me if you ever have any questions or concerns!

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