



Courier GCS

General News

SCRIP

SCRIP orders must be placed at **noon** on Thursday and are distributed on Tuesday. GCS families that participated saved over \$3,053 over the past year. Information is on the website under Resources and then click Forms.

Think BIRTHDAYS AND CHRISTMAS. GCS family's order around \$30,000 of SCRIP gift cards at Christmas time!

GCS raises money for Bibles

Our annual Bible bake sale is coming up on October 7. This spring will be our 15th year for our John & Romans Bible project. We are looking forward to another great bake sale to raise funds for the printing of these scriptures. **This year we will be doing 35,000 copies!** Every cookie counts. See the attached flyer.

GCS Vision Endowment

Check out our website tab titled "Eternal Vision" for details about the GCS Vision Endowment. Pass on this information to anyone that may be interested in investing in the future of Genesee Christian School.

2011 Business Directory

The attachment is a list of businesses that have financially supported our school through sponsorship in our golf outing. It is our hope that if you ever need their services that you will support them like they have supported us.

Conferences

The MS/HS teachers are available for conference during the following times:

Oct. 13—2:15-5:00 & 6:00-8:00

Oct. 14 —9:00-11:00

Scheduled appointments are not necessary.

Please see the below announcement regarding Elementary Conferences.

Elementary News

Label

Please label the inside tab of jackets and coats. This way our lost and found can be kept empty.

Parking

Continue to work with us on the north parking lot. If you are coming into the building please park on the east side and walk across the drive with your child. Also please have children getting out of cars on the west side closest to the building walk on the grass and not go behind the car unless an adult is with them.

Homecoming

October 7th is the GCS Homecoming Game. The entire week is filled with fun activities and special treats. A letter including all these activities will be in your

child's folder. Each day we will have a dress down theme and special treats will be served each afternoon. We love to have everyone come to the varsity soccer game at 5:00 p.m. and enjoy the high school floats and halftime activities which include the crowning of the GCS King and Queen.

Conferences

Parent Teacher Conferences are October 13th and 14th this year. We will be scheduling conferences from 2:15 – 5:00 p.m. and from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 13th. Conference times on Friday will be from 9:00 – 11:00 a.m. Please call the elementary office to sign up. If you are unable to attend these days, teachers will be glad to make other times available for you. We are so glad when everyone can come.

Date	Upcoming Events
Sept. 29-30	Teacher Convention NO SCHOOL
Oct. 3-7	Homecoming Week Special Activities for both bldgs
Oct. 7	Homecoming
*****	Picture RE-TAKE day TBA



School Info.

Genesee Christian Elementary

1114 S. Genesee Rd.

Burton, MI 48509

Phone: 810.743.3110

Fax: 810.743.3177

Website:

www.geneseechristianschool.com

Genesee Christian Middle/High School

(Administration)

1223 S. Belsay Rd

Burton, MI 48509

Phone: 810.743.3108

Fax: 810.743.3230

Attendance Line (6th-12th grade)

810.743-3292 (must call before 9a.m.)

MS/HS News

Drivers Training

Segment I— Starting Oct. 24. Students must be 14 years & 8 months old on or before the first day of class.

Segment II—Sept. 19, 20 & 21. Students must have held a level one license for three months and have 30 hours of driving. To sign up for the class please call Mr. Lunney at 810-564-0808.

Washington D.C.

Reminder to all 8th and 9th grade students and chaperones that a deposit of \$305 was due on September 1st. Please contact Mr. Wright with questions, rwright@geneseechristianschool.com

Convertibles

Student Council needs convertibles to use for homecoming night. If you are able to help please call the HS at 743-3108.



MS/HS Student Handbook

Students will be receiving a printed Student Handbook this week for parent reference. Please return the signed Handbook Awareness sheet to the 1st hour teacher by **Friday, Sept. 23th.**

October Testing

Our 7th-11th grade students will be involved in some standardized testing in October .

- 10th & 11th graders will be taking the PSAT on Wed., Oct. 12th.
- 7th, 8th & 9th grades will be involved in various MEAP tests on Oct. 11-19.

More details to come in upcoming Couriers.

Athletic News

Mon	9/19	4:30	JH Girls Volleyball	Away FH @ Hunters Creek
Mon	9/19	follows JH	JV Girls Volleyball	Away FH @ Hunters Creek
Mon	9/19	4:30	Var Boys Soccer	Home against Montrose
Tue	9/20	5:30	Var Girls Volleyball	Home against Faithway
Tue	9/20	4:30	JH Boys Soccer	Away at Davison
Thu	9/22	6:45	Var Boys Soccer	Away at Durand
Fri	9/23	4:00	JH Girls Volleyball	Away at Faith Baptist
Fri	9/23	follows JH	Var Girls Volleyball	Away at Faith Baptist
Fri	9/23	4:00	JH Boys Soccer	Away at Faith Baptist
Fri	9/23	5:15	Var Boys Soccer	Away at Faith Baptist
Mon	9/26	4:30	JH Girls Volleyball	Away at Rochester Hills
Mon	9/26	follows JH	JV Girls Volleyball	Away at Rochester Hills
Mon	9/26	follows JV	Var Girls Volleyball	Away at Rochester Hills
Mon	9/26	4:00	JH Boys Soccer	Away at Bethany Troy
Mon	9/26	5:15	Var Boys Soccer	Away at Bethany Troy
Tue	9/27	4:30	JH Girls Volleyball	Away against Chase @ W. Flint Naz
Tue	9/27	follows JH	JV Girls Volleyball	Away against Chase @ W. Flint Naz
Tue	9/27	follows JV	Var Girls Volleyball	Away against Chase @ W. Flint Naz

Practice and Game Schedule

Be sure to check the www.geneseechristianschool.com website regularly to find the needed information regarding games, practice times, transportation information, etc.

Homecoming—October 8th

Spirit Week—Mon. Oct. 3—Fri. Oct. 7

Theme days at the Middle/High School

Monday **Nerd Day**
* Jeans allowed

Tuesday **Crazy Day**
(undergarments may not be visible)
* Jeans allowed

Wednesday **Coke vs. Pepsi Day**
*Jeans allowed

Thursday **College Day**
Wear your favorite college shirt, sweatshirt or jersey
*Jeans allowed

Friday **Spirit Day**
Dress in Blue & White
Sport players may wear their team jersey or team warm-up shirt (with a t-shirt underneath). *Jeans allowed.

General instruction for the week:

The following apply if participating in theme days. ****If you do not participate regular school dress applies.****

- Girls—Capri's (cut close to ankle **not knee**) & dress pants acceptable.
- Guys — no collar applies all week.
- Hair coloring is allowed, but must be washed out before game time.
- No full face painting at any time.
- If hats are worn, they must be off during class.
- **MOST IMPORTANT—HAVE FUN!**