

Courier - 04/19/2021

General News

Financial Aid

Families who need assistance with tuition may apply for financial aid through FACTS Management. The financial aid application system is open through May 1st. A completed school enrollment for your children must accompany the financial aid application for eligibility. Families will be contacted by June 15th via email with the amount of aid awarded.

http://www.geneseechristianschool.com/uploads/1/1/9/2/11927967/facts_aid_flyer.pdf



Bible Project & Bucks for Bibles

The Bearing Precious Seed Bible project will take place on Monday and Tuesday, April 26 and 27 in the MS/HS gym. We will be assembling 50,000 John and Romans in Portuguese for Brazil. When these are complete, GCS will have assembled 715,000 Scriptures in the last 25 years!!! Praise the Lord!

BOTH of these work days will also be **Bucks for Bibles** days, as we are still fundraising for this project. Any donation you would like to make would be greatly appreciated.

2021 Auction Update

Several post-auction donations have come in bringing our 2021 fundraising grand total to \$75,000! This also brings our 12 year cumulative auction earnings to over \$1M! We are so thankful to the Lord for using the auction to meet our needs over the years.

Comfy Sport Slides for Sale

Just in time for summer! The Junior class will be selling GCS sport slides for \$30 as a class fundraiser. **This sale will end on April 23rd, don't wait to order!** Show your school spirit and support the Junior class at the same time! <https://genesee.itemorder.com/>

Picture and QR code to order:

http://www.geneseechristianschool.com/uploads/1/1/9/2/11927967/shoes_slides.pdf

Little Leaders/DayCare

Latchkey Update

Due to staffing, please contact the daycare office if your child will need am or pm latchkey on a drop-in basis. This will help us with social distancing and keeping students and staff safe.

Elementary

Summer Math and Reading

Each spring we encourage students to stay sharp on math and reading skills over the summer so they are ready to dive in when we return in the fall. We have math fact sheets available to print off under the Parent Resources/ Frequently Used Forms section of the website. BJU Press also offers a summer workbook called Vacation Station that offers 2 pages of academics each day (with an answer key). Click on the link to print out an order form and turn in before May 3. \$15 each.

<https://www.bjupress.com/resources/pdfs/vacation-stations/student-form.pdf>

Middle/High School

AACS National Testing

We have a winner! Congratulations Jonah Causin on placing FIRST place nationally in United States History and Geography.

AP Testing

AP Testing will take place at the high school.

May 3, 8 AM - Government

May 4, 8AM - Calculus

May 5, 8AM - Eng. Lit

May 14, 8AM - Biology

May 20, 4PM - Psychology (online test at school)

June 2, 12PM - U.S. History (online test at school)

Testing Dates – Important - Grades 6th - 11th

April 20, 21, & 22 ---- 6th – 8th grades - Iowa Testing

April 27 --- 9th grade PSAT

April 28 --- 10th grade PSAT

Dress Code Reminder

With warm weather just around the corner, many of our young ladies would like to wear skirts and dresses to school. Skirts and dresses are considered dress code, but skirt/dress hemlines must be below the knee. Boys will need to continue to wear collared shirts or approved spirit wear, hair length should not touch the eyebrows or ears, and faces must be clean shaven. Additionally, students may not wear flip-flops or beach sandals to school. The student handbook may be found on the GCS website (pages 30-31).

http://www.geneseechristianschool.com/uploads/1/1/9/2/11927967/student_handbook_updated_2017_24.pdf

Seniors

If you need an official transcript sent to a college/university/foundation please drop off the **complete address** to Student Services or email both majors@geneseechristianschool.com gcs@geneseechristianschool.com .

ACT & SAT scores are listed on the transcript, but must be **sent from** the College Board to a college or university. GCS cannot order testing scores for students. Students will need to login to their College Board account and order those results and send them to the college or university of their choice. AP scores may also be ordered from the College Board site.

Yearbooks for 6th - 12th Grade

The 2021 yearbooks are on sale now! Cost: \$35.00

You will receive the yearbook before the end of this school year.

To order follow the link: <https://link.entourageyearbooks.com/my/gcs2021>

Honor Society Induction

We will be meeting on May 6, 2021 at 2:00 pm in the high school cafeteria to induct the new members of the GCS Honor Society. Parents - please mark your calendars for this important event. Contact Mrs. Heath with any questions

kheath@geneseechristianschool.com

Student Council

If you will be a 7th-12th grade student NEXT YEAR and are interested in helping to plan Homecoming, Winterfest and more, join the GCS Student Council. See Mrs. Heath for an application packet. kheath@geneseechristianschool.com

Greenfield Village

Permission slips went home for the annual 6th - 7th grade Greenfield Village trip which is taking place on Thursday, May 13. Please return the form and money to Mrs. Heath by Friday, April 30.

Mackinaw Trip

Final payment for the Mackinac Trip is past due. Please send your payments to Mrs. Heath as soon as possible.

Athletics

High School & Middle School Sports :

Please see updated calendars on the school website.

<http://www.geneseechristianschool.com/athletics-schedules.html>

Middle School Girls Soccer: First game is scheduled for tomorrow (4/20) here at GCS.

GCS Baseball Hats for sale: See athletic office to purchase. S/M, L/XL \$18

Sports Fee Reminder:

Sports fees are per athlete per sport and are due before the first game.

Middle school baseball and girls soccer: \$50

Varsity baseball and girls soccer: \$75

4th - 6th Grade 3 v 3 Intramural Program

When: April 19th - May 15th

Where: Genesee Christian High School Gym

Who: 4th - 6th Grade Girls and Boys

Cost: \$30 Proceeds go to Soldier Hoops



Details: Skill Development on Mondays for the boys from 3:15 - 4:15 at High School. Skill Development on Fridays for the girls from 3:15 - 4:15 at the High School. Games are played on Saturdays starting April 24th 10:00AM - 2:00PM. Each team will play 2 games a Saturday at the High School Gym from April 24th through May 22nd for a total of 8 games. No games on the 15th. Games will be two 8 min running halves. Games will be played on the side hoops running full court in the high school gym. Games will be 3 v 3 with 1 sub for each team. Teams will be made up of 4 players from all age groups 4th - 6th Grade. Teams will be chosen after the skill development on the first Monday and Friday. We will do our best to make the teams as even as possible. Teams will consist of just boys and just girls.