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Next Week at GSFS

The Lower School Play Begins Tonight!

This year's Lower School production, "The Best Reasons to Go to Sleepaway Camp," will be performed today, November 14 at 7:00pm and tomorrow, November 15 at 1:00pm. Tickets are \$6 per adult and \$4 per child. They are available for purchase in Hargroves House.



If you have any questions, please contact 3rd grade teacher and Fall Play director [Erica Snowden](#).

Sign Up for Your Parent/Teacher Conference



Conferences will be held on Tuesday, November 25 and Wednesday, November 26. **Please select the time you would like to meet with your child's teacher by clicking [here](#).**

If your child is in Pre-K through Grade 6, your conference should be with his or her homeroom teacher. If your child is in Grade 7 or 8, you should make your conference with his or her advisor, not the specialist teachers.

If you have any questions, please contact [Syreeta Bacon](#).

School is Closed, but ASP is Open!

Monday, November 17

9:30am
1st and 2nd Grade Trip to
the Barnes Foundation

Tuesday, November 18

Costa Rican Student Visit
Starts

Wednesday, November 19

8:30am
Meeting for Worship
Green Street Meetinghouse

Thursday, November 20

8:45am
Admission Open House

Friday, November 21

8:30am
Grades 5 & 6 Tween Parent
Coffee
Kate's 5th Grade Classroom
3rd Floor of the Armat Street
Building

9:15am
Pre-K Trip to the Franklin
Institute

7:30pm
Eighth Grade Dance
Armat Street Auditorium

Keep Connected



Please note that GSFS will close at 11:30am on Tuesday, November 25 and remain closed all day on Wednesday, November 26 for conferences. The After School Program will be open beginning at 11:30am on Tuesday for regular drop-in.



On Wednesday, students must be pre-registered for a special ASP trip to the Wagner Institute of Science to study the subject of skeletons and participate in a scavenger hunt in the science center's gallery.

For more information or to register, please click [here](#). All students must be registered **by Wednesday, November 19**.

If you have any questions, please contact [Amy Fiske](#).

Tweens Coffee for Parents of 5th and 6th Grade Students: Friday, November 21

Parents of 5th and 6th grade students are invited to a Tweens Coffee on Friday, November 21 at 8:30am in Kate's 5th grade classroom (3rd floor of the Armat Street Building).

Join Dean of Middle School Kiri Harris and members of the 5th and 6th grade faculty to discuss ways to show empathy and respect when teaching our children about the changes ahead.



To learn more about the Tweens program at Greene Street Friends School, click [here](#).

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Join the Parents Association for a Night with the 76ers: Saturday, November 29



Come out to support the Greene Street Friends School Parents Association! The PA is selling tickets to the 76ers game against the Dallas Mavericks at 7:00pm on Saturday, November 29.

Lower level tickets are \$40 each and upper level tickets are \$17.

To order tickets, please download [this form](#) and return it to Syreeta Bacon in Hargroves House **by Friday, November 21**. If you have any questions, please contact parent volunteer [Valerie Bey](#).

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5th Grade Canned Food Drive

The 5th grade canned food drive has started! GSFS will be collecting non-perishable foods to donate to St. Vincent's Food Cupboard from now **until Monday, November 24**. There will be a collection box in every classroom.



In previous years, our community has donated over 900 items. Help us break the 1,000 mark!

This effort is part of the 5th grade's class service project. Students will organize and collect the cans, then deliver them and take a tour of St. Vincent's on Tuesday, November 25.

Parents Association Pancake Breakfast: Saturday, December 13



The Parents Association is hosting an all-you-can-eat pancake breakfast fundraiser on Saturday, December 13 from 8:30am to 12:00pm.

If you have any questions or would like to volunteer, please contact PA Co-Presidents [Shayna Bayard](#) or [Janise Lee](#).

Meals are \$5 for children (ages twelve and under) and \$10 for adults (ages 13 and up). To order, please download [this form](#) and return it with payment to Syreeta in Hargroves House **by Thursday, December 11**.

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Head of School Ed Marshall Shares His Vision for GSFS During Annual State of the School Address

Thanks to the parents who joined us for the State of the School on Tuesday! After eating cake in celebration of Ed's 20th year at GSFS, he spoke about his vision for the School's future.

Did you miss the State of the School? You can watch Ed's address online:

Have You Checked the Lost and Found Recently?

Please check out the Lost and Found located in the stairwell of the Armat Street building. The Lost and Found will be moved to the lobby of the Armat Street building during conferences on Tuesday, November 25 and Wednesday, November 26. Please take a few moments to look through it.

SmartLunch Survey

Greene Street Friends School is proud to offer healthy and affordable lunches for our students through SmartLunch. They would like to hear from you! Please complete [this three minute survey](#) so they can better serve the GSFS community in the future.



Safety is Everyone's Business!

Today, Friday, November 14, as part of our ongoing safety drills, we practiced a shelter-in-place drill. The drill went smoothly and students calmly followed the pre-rehearsed instructions.