

Good Shepherd School

Coach's Corner

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<http://www.gsschool.org/athletics.html>

Girls volleyball will have four teams. Recent signups by girls in both the 5th and 6th grade have insured that each class will have enough players to field a team, rather than having one combined team.

Practice begins starts January 20.

The 6th grade team will be coached by 2006 Good Shepherd graduate Natalie Foley, who took a year off last year after guiding the 6th grade team to a championship in 2007. She will be assisted by Lolita Garcia.

Though we have a couple Good Shepherd alums interested in coaching the 5th grade team, as of now no one has been put in place. Heather Devencenzi will assist whomever coaches the team.

Jennifer Farley, who coached four Good Shepherd teams to championships during her first tenure with the Rams, returns to the program after a two-year hiatus to coach the 8th grade team.

Kate Butler, a member of Farley's championship team in 2004, is back for her fifth year on the coaching staff and will coach the 7th grade team this year.

We are still taking signups, as most of our teams have only seven or eight players. If you're interested in playing, or volunteer coaching, please contact [Coach Greg](#) at 476-1292.

Sports Awards Night needs funds. The Athletics department is raising funds for our annual Sports Awards Night and needs \$950 to reach its goal of \$2,100. Please contact [Coach Greg](#) at 476-1292 for more information.

Please check the website regularly for updates to the sports schedules, which will be available only on line, as the Athletics Department has gone completely paperless.

On the [Athletics page](#) you will find schedules, rosters, forms and directions to local venues.

Uniform bags are on sale in the Athletics Department. We have 5 bags available for immediate delivery.

The cost is \$35 with your child's name embroidered on the bag or \$30 without it.

Soccer coaches, players needed

The Good Shepherd coed soccer program is in need of players and volunteer coaches for the coming season, which begins the week of January 20 and runs for two months.

Currently, there are only 15 players signed up for two teams, meaning we will only be able to have one team of 5th through 8th grades unless more players sign up. The 5th-6th grade team has seven players signed up and the junior high team has eight.

Also, we have no coach yet for either team.

Go to the [Athletics page](#) on the school web site if you would like to know who has signed up.

If you're interested in coaching or playing, please contact [Coach Greg](#) at 476-1292.

Coaches, to have results published, please email to Coach Greg at glathrop@gsschool.org by 10 a.m. Wednesdays. Please limit length to three paragraphs.

This week's sports schedule

<i>Date</i>	<i>Day</i>	<i>Grade</i>	<i>Sport</i>	<i>Opponent</i>	<i>Place</i>	<i>Time</i>
09-Dec-08	Tuesday	8	BBK	Practice	O'Donnell Gym	2:45-4:30
11-Dec-08	Thursday	5-6	BBK	Gateway	Circle Church	4:00-5:00
11-Dec-08	Thursday	8	BBK	Gateway	Circle Church	5:00-6:00
12-Dec-08	Friday	7	BBK	Practice	O'Donnell Gym	2:45-4:15
15-Dec-08	Monday	7	BBK	Waldorf	Circle Church	3:30-4:30
16-Dec-08	Tuesday	5-6	BBK	Green Valley Christian	Green Valley Christian	4:00-5:00
16-Dec-08	Tuesday	8	BBK	Green Valley Christian	Green Valley Christian	5:00-6:00
05-Jan-09	Monday	7	BBK	Practice	O'Donnell Gym	2:45-4:15
06-Jan-09	Tuesday	8	BBK	Practice	O'Donnell Gym	2:45-4:30
07-Jan-09	Wednesday	5-6	BBK	Gateway	O'Donnell Gym	3:45-4:45
07-Jan-09	Wednesday	7	BBK	Gateway	O'Donnell Gym	4:45-6:00
08-Jan-09	Thursday	8	BBK	Kirby	O'Donnell Gym	4:30-5:30
09-Jan-09	Friday	5-6	BBK	Spring Hill	Vintage Church	3:45-4:45
12-Jan-09	Monday	5-6	BBK	Holy Cross 5th	O'Donnell Gym	3:45-4:45
12-Jan-09	Monday	7	BBK	Tournament	Mission Hill	TBA
13-Jan-09	Tuesday	8	BBK	Practice	O'Donnell Gym	2:45-4:15
13-Jan-09	Tuesday	7	BBK	Tournament	Mission Hill	TBA
14-Jan-09	Wednesday	5-6	BBK	Montessori	O'Donnell Gym	3:30-4:30
14-Jan-09	Wednesday	7	BBK	Tournament	Mission Hill	TBA
15-Jan-09	Thursday	8	BBK	Practice	O'Donnell Gym	2:45-4:15
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16-Jan-09	Friday	7	BBK	Tournament	Mission Hill	TBA
20-Jan-09	Tuesday	8	BBK	Tournament	Holy Cross	TBA
21-Jan-09	Wednesday	8	BBK	Team Photo Day	O'Donnell Gym	12:25-12:30
21-Jan-09	Wednesday	7	BBK	Team Photo Day	O'Donnell Gym	12:30-12:35
21-Jan-09	Wednesday	5-6	BBK	Team Photo Day	O'Donnell Gym	12:35-12:40
21-Jan-09	Wednesday	8	BBK	Tournament	Holy Cross	TBA
22-Jan-09	Thursday	8	BBK	Tournament	Holy Cross	TBA