

Good Shepherd School

Coach's Corner

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

Girls volleyball coaches set. Gianna Bargetto of the Good Shepherd Class of 2007 will be coaching the 5th grade girls volleyball team this season. Also on the 6th grade coaching staff is her volleyball teammate from Scotts Valley High, Breanna Waite, and Heather Devencenzi.

The other coaches in the program are Jennifer Farley, 8th grade; Kate Butler (Class of 2004), 7th grade; and Natalie Foley (Class of 2006) and Lolita Garcia, 6th grade.

Practice begins starts January 20.

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

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.

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.

Neddi tops 'em all

Neddi Gleitsmann was all smiles following Saturday night's Junior High Hot Shot Contest at the Santa Cruz Civic Auditorium. And why not? She had just won the championship of the girls 8th grade division, beating out 11 other 8th-graders from Santa Cruz County in the process.



It was the second championship in the past four years for Good Shepherd, whose Frank Barcells won it all in the boys 8th-grade division in 2005. The event is held annually before, and at halftime of, the championship game of the Santa Cruz Dads Club Tournament.

Gleitsmann had no margin to spare in the final round as she finished with one more point than the runner-up in a battle between four finalists. She got off to a strong start in the 30-second round by swishing her first shot, a 3-pointer from the top of the circle, and then went on to make eight more shots from the area around the block on the left side of the lane.

Each participant had 30 seconds to try to score as many baskets as they could while shooting from different spots on the floor worth a different number of points based on their distance from the basket.

Gleitsmann also had the most points in the first round with nine to lead a quartet of qualifiers into the final, even though the opening round didn't start well for her when she air-balled her opening 3-point attempt.

"I was worried I wasn't going to do well," said Gleitsmann, who explained she was up until midnight Friday. "I didn't want to go out there and be horrible."

She wasn't.

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>
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
15-Jan-09	Thursday	7	BBK	Tournament	Mission Hill	TBA
16-Jan-09	Friday	8	BBK	Practice	O'Donnell Gym	2:45-4:15
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

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22-Jan-09	Thursday	8	BBK	Tournament	Holy Cross	TBA