



## Summer Newsletter

Wednesday, July 21, 2021

Shepherd of the Hills Families,

We hope that everyone is enjoying a safe and rejuvenating summer vacation! The break from school gives us all some time to reflect, recharge and get excited for the opportunities that lie ahead.

Mrs. Knuth will not be returning to Shepherd of the Hills for the 2021-22 school year. We thank her for her years of service to SOTH and wish her the best! We are still interviewing for our 5K and part-time Spanish teacher positions and hope to have good news to share with you soon!

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### Welcome Mrs. Kelly Schisel to Shepherd of the Hills!

*Hi, my name is Kelly Schisel, and I am the new 3K/4K teacher at Shepherd of the Hills Catholic School.*

*I graduated from Silver Lake College in 2005 with bachelor's degrees in Early Childhood and EC Special Education. I taught preschool and 4K at the Marian University Early Childhood Center in Fond du Lac from 2008 to 2017. I had the incredible opportunity to work for Dr. Darold Treffert at the Treffert Center from 2018-2021. There I taught 3K and 4K, specializing in integrating children who have autism into the classroom.*

*I live in a beautiful house by the dam in Kiel with my husband John. I have two step-sons, Johnnie and Bradley, who are both living on their own now, also in Kiel. It is so nice to have them close by! I also have a beautiful Pomeranian named Lillianna.*



*I am part of the youth leader team at my church, teaching bible studies and mentoring middle school girls. In my free time I like to go for walks, play the ukulele, write music, watch movies (especially musicals) and paint. I am so excited to start this new journey at Shepherd of the Hills.*

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There are a couple of Shepherd of the Hills community activities, organized by some awesome parent and faculty volunteers, that will give us a chance to reconnect as well as introduce potential families to our school and other families. Please try to attend to support these events to celebrate Shepherd of the Hills!

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## Early Childhood (3K, 4K, 5K) Information Meeting - Thursday, July 29 at 6:30 pm

Join us on Thursday evening, July 29 at 6:30 pm for the Early Childhood Parent Meeting at Shepherd of the Hills. Parents of children who will be attending 3K, 4K, or 5K are encouraged to attend. Tour the school, meet the teachers, and learn more about our early childhood programs! Help us grow -- [share the flyer](#) with your family, friends, and neighbors with early childhood aged children!

## Eden Parade - Sunday, August 1, 2021 at Noon

We are looking for school families to participate in the Eden Parade on Sunday, August 1. We will have the SOTH bus and a horse wagon pulled by a truck in the parade. We need students to ride the wagon and parents to hand out candy. Meet at 11:30 Rahn's Gas Station. Wear maroon, gold, or any spirit wear.

Please message or email Sarah Desiderio [sarahdesiderio@yahoo.com](mailto:sarahdesiderio@yahoo.com) or Barb Grzywinski [barbg91@gmail.com](mailto:barbg91@gmail.com) if you can participate!

## Fond du Lac Dock Spiders Game - Tuesday, August 10, 2021 at 6:35 pm

Take me out to the ball game! Join SOTH at the FDL Dock Spiders Game on Tuesday, August 10 at 6:35 pm when they take on The Lakeshore Chinooks. The Dock Spiders are red hot this season and are currently undefeated in the North Woods League! Come spend an evening with your SOTH friends at the ballpark. Included in the night will be SOTH group recognition on the jumbotron, SOTH student participation with on-field events between innings, and it is "Bang for Your Buck Night!" \$1 - hot dogs, pizza, & sodas. In addition to all of the fun, this is also a FUNdraising opportunity with a portion of the sale of each ticket going back to SOTH school! Tickets are only \$12 each. Invite a friend, Grandma & Grandpa, Aunts & Uncles, Cousins, etc! The more the merrier.

Please complete this form <https://forms.gle/6uCX3Wj92vYaZZEf7> by Tuesday, July 27 to secure your seats!

## SOTH Outdoor Movie Night - Friday, August 20, 2021 at 8:00 pm

Shepherd of the Hills Home & School is hosting the first Outdoor Movie Night on Friday, August 20! Arrive at 8:00 pm. The movie will begin at 8:30 pm on the north side of the building. Bring lawn chairs, blankets, bug spray, snacks, and drinks. The Home & School will provide popcorn, water, and glow sticks! The Yearbooks are here and will be available for pick up that night. *All children must be accompanied by an adult.* Please RSVP by August 13 to Miss Colwin at [ncolwin@sothparish.org](mailto:ncolwin@sothparish.org). In case of rain, the movie will be shown in the Gym.

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## Other School Year Dates and Activities:

- Thursday, August 26 - School Supply Drop Off & School Pictures 3:00 - 6:00 pm
- Monday, August 30 - New Student Welcome! 9:00 - 10:00 am
- Tuesday, August 31 - First Day of School (Drop Off starts at 7:30 am)
- Wednesday, September 1 - All School Parent Meeting 6:00 - 7:30 pm (Start in Church)
- Saturday, October 2 - Run for the Hills 5K Fun Run & Walk
- Saturday, October 16 - Family Mass & Steak Fry (4:00 pm Mass, 5:00 pm Steak Fry)

Servers for Mass will be back for 2021-22! Training will occur with Fr. Mark for all interested in the first week of school.

## [2021-2022 SOTH School Calendar - UPDATED!](#)

## [Back to School Forms & School Supply Lists](#)

Keep watching for our Facebook posts and more back to school information. Enjoy our July Smiles!



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