

Green Isle Community School

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End-of-Year Newsletter - Wednesday, June 10th, 2009

ENJOY THE SUMMER!

SUMMER EVENTS: Over the summer we would like to encourage you to participate in a **parade** (or two) to get the word out about GICS. The schedule is listed under the Calendar of Events on the back of this newsletter. If you are interested in attending, please come about 15 minutes prior to the parade and look for our schoolhouse float in the parade route. **GICS Marketplace** will be held **every Thursday from 4-7pm** on the lot across from the Country Corner. Stop by to browse, visit or buy some summer goodies. This summer we will hold our **3rd Annual Community Gathering on July 10th**. We can use your help at this event. If you are interested, please contact the school to sign up. We will have our 3-day **Summer Fun Camp July 7-9**. We will have art activities, music, cooking, games and a lot of fun! Look for flyer in this packet for more information. We will also have a booth at the **Sibley County Fair in Arlington - July 29th - August 2nd**. We need families to sign up to give out information at the booth especially during the day. Please call the office if you can help for a couple hours.

SCHOOL OFFICE SUMMER HOURS: The GICS office will be staffed by Mary Kay Donnay on **Tuesdays & Thursdays from 9am-12pm**. Kirsten and Jo will be available via phone throughout the summer. Please leave a message with Mary Kay and we will return your calls.

GOOD-BYE... It is bittersweet that we 'really' have to say good-bye to Kacy Honl, our Preschool teacher/GICS Para. You may recall that Kacy was going to move away from us last summer. Because of a change in plans, we were able to have her stay on with us this past year. Kacy, we will miss you and all you've done to help the students at GICS. Luck and love to you on your new adventure!

Green Isle Marketplace Looking For Vendors & Customers

Intersection of Hwy. 25 & 5
**EVERY Thurs.,
4-7 PM**

If you are a crafter, have a large garden with extra veggies, a baker, a candlestick maker, a woodworker, make jellies & jams, play a musical instrument or have something that you think others would be interested in purchasing...

Come make a little money & socialize with the community. Bring your lawn chair and stay a while!!!

Sponsored by GICS,
with all of the \$5 vendor fees
going to the School.

Vendors Call 507-326-5124

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GICS SUMMER HOURS

Tuesday & Thursday
9am-12pm





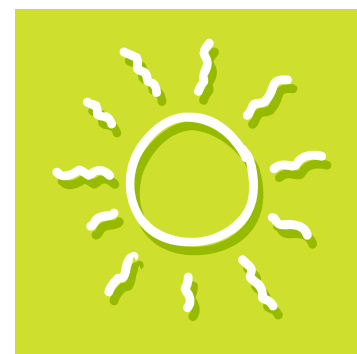
2009-2010 SCHOOL CALENDAR - SCHOOL START DATE

The board will be approving next year's calendar at our upcoming meeting. Based on survey responses, GICS will be starting prior to Labor Day on Tuesday, September 1st. Thank you for responding and being open to this. We understand that some of you will be on vacation. Please let us know if your child will be absent and when you will return so that we know that your child will be attending GICS in the fall.

GICS CALENDAR OF EVENTS	
JUNE 2009	
Friday, June 19 th	Happy Birthday, Mary Kay Donnay!
Friday, June 19 th	Breakfast on the Farm - Francis Bigaouette, Jr. Farm, Arlington
Sunday, June 28	Henderson Sauerkraut Days Parade - 12:00pm
JULY 2009	
Tuesday, July 7 - Thursday, July 9	GICS Summer Camp
Friday, July 10	GICS Community Gathering
Saturday, July 18	Belle Plaine BBQ Days Parade - 12:00pm
Wednesday, July 29 - Friday, July 31	Sibley County Fair - NEED FAMILIES TO HELP WITH BOOTH! :)
AUGUST 2009	
Saturday, August 1 - Sunday, August 2	Sibley County Fair - NEED FAMILIES TO HELP WITH BOOTH! :)
SEPTEMBER 2009	
Tuesday, September 1	First Day of School
Tuesday, September 16	First Day of Preschool

* GREEN ISLE COMMUNITY SCHOOL STAFF *	
Administrative Assistant	Jo Liebhard
Director	Kirsten Kinzler
Kindergarten	Terry Kroehler
Grades 1-3 - Meath	Julie Grams
Grades 1-3 - Meath	Kristy Konopacki
Grades 4-6 - County Cork	James Alcorn
Reading/Math/Phy-ed Specialist	Kristen Strauss
Special Education	Kristine Schwartz
Library/School Volunteer	Mary Kay Donnay
Library	Holly Harjes
Extended Day	Ida Dissette
Preschool	Ann Czarnecki
Paraprofessional	Karen Ritsema
Paraprofessional	Ashley Danielson
Business Manager	Keith Johnson
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PLEASE SAVE:
 Campbell's Labels
 Boxtops for Education
 Kemps Milk Lids
 Our Family UPC's
 Ink Cartridges
 Pop Can Tabs
 Drop off at the
 school office!



Mission: Green Isle Community School will foster a positive and respectful multiage environment that promotes educational excellence, service learning, community connections, and responsible citizenship.