



The Potter's House

Around The House
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Providing Christ-centered education to children of all ethnic heritages and income levels since 1981

Feed My Hungry Children

On Thursday, September 20, Mrs. Smith's 4th/5th grade class will experience a serving field trip. They have been invited to work with Feed My Hungry Children. The meal prep will involve measuring ingredients, packaging, and assembling boxes of food that will be sent all over the world.

Feed My Hungry Children (FMHC) is a Christian non-profit organization that provides meals to hurting children and families in order for them to become self-sufficient. Feed My Hungry Children's humanitarian projects are committed to helping children and their families around the world.

Students are excited and understand that this is a big responsibility. Their class has been chosen to represent The Potter's House for this service project in the hope that all 4th – 8th grade students will be able to participate in a future event.

The class will have the opportunity to pray over all of the food boxes before they are shipped!

El jueves 20 de septiembre, la clase de la Sra. Smith de 4to / 5to grado experimentará una excursión de servicio. Han sido invitados a trabajar con Feed My Hungry Children. La preparación de la comida incluirá la medición de ingredientes, el embalaje y el ensamblaje de cajas de alimentos que se enviarán a todo el mundo.

Feed My Hungry Children (FMHC, por sus siglas en inglés) es una organización cristiana sin fines de lucro que proporciona alimentos a niños y familias que sufren para que sean autosuficientes. Los proyectos humanitarios de Feed My Hungry Children se han comprometido a ayudar a los niños y sus familias en todo el mundo.

Los estudiantes están entusiasmados y entienden que esta es una gran responsabilidad. Su clase ha sido elegida para representar The Potter's House para este proyecto de servicio con la esperanza de que todos los estudiantes de 4^o a 8^o grado puedan participar en un evento futuro.

¡La clase tendrá la oportunidad de orar por todas las cajas de comida antes de enviarlas!

Calendar

September 17-22, 2018

Monday, September 17, 2018

- 1:00 – 3:15 p.m. Cho Class Trip – Frederik Meijer Gardens, 1000 E Beltline
- 5:00 p.m. JV Volleyball @ Holland Calvary, 518 Plasman Ave Holland

Tuesday, September 18, 2018

- 4:00 p.m. 7th Volleyball vs. Tri Unity
- 4:00 p.m. JV Soccer vs. West MI Heat, Salvation Army Kroc Center 2500 Division Ave
- 4:00 p.m. JV Volleyball vs. Tri Unity
- 4:15 p.m. MS Soccer vs. Tri Unity at Marquette Park, 1251 Marquette St SW Wyoming
- 5:00 p.m. 8th Volleyball vs. Tri Unity
- 5:00 p.m. Varsity Volleyball vs. Tri Unity
- 5:45 p.m. Varsity Soccer vs. Tri Unity, Salvation Army Kroc Center 2500 Division Ave

Wednesday, September 19, 2018

- 8:30 – 10:30 a.m. TPH Mailing, Church

Thursday, September 20, 2018

- 12:00 – 2:30 p.m. Smith Class Trip, Feed My Hungry Children Hudsonville
- 2:00 – 3:30 p.m. 8th Grade Career Awareness, Dr. Mancini
- 4:15 p.m. MS Soccer @ Hudsonville Hornets, Searchlight Min. 4020 22nd Ave Hudsonville
- 4:30 p.m. JV Soccer @ Hope Academy, Salvation Army Kroc Center 2500 Division Ave
- 4:30 p.m. JV Volleyball vs. Barry Co Christian
- 5:30 p.m. 7th Volleyball vs. Barry Co Christian
- 5:30 p.m. Varsity Volleyball vs. Barry Co Christian

Friday, September 21, 2018

- 4:30 p.m. MS Soccer @ Lee, Football Complex 1824 Godfrey Wyoming
- 4:30 p.m. Varsity Soccer vs. Fruitport Calvary Salvation Army Kroc Center 2500 Division Ave

Saturday, September 22, 2018

- 9:00 a.m. JV Volleyball Tournament @ Black River, 491 Columbia Ave Holland

Help Needed

There are many ways to help at The Potter's House. Basically every volunteer job that you do for the school will count toward your 25 service commitment hours, and your service will help you to get connected and cut operational costs for the school. Remember to complete a *Service Commitment Voucher* (available in the offices), and turn it in to the office when you're done. This is the only way that the business office will be able to deduct hours from your total. Here are just some of the ways that we need help:

Trash Removal

Elementary / Middle School Campus: Daily after lunch and/or at the end of the school day. Contact Mrs. Rodriguez at crodriguez@tphgr.org.

Lunch Servers

Elementary / Middle School Campus: Monday-Friday 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Contact Ms. Carrillo at ccarrillo@tphgr.org.

Office Receptionist

Both Schools: School days with flexible hours (give them a lunch break). Contact Mrs. Rodriguez crodriguez@tphgr.org at the elementary or Mrs. Rich crich@tphgr.org at the high school.

Hay muchas maneras de ayudar en The Potter's House. Básicamente, cada trabajo voluntario que haga para la escuela contará para sus 25 horas de compromiso de servicio, y su servicio lo ayudará a conectarse y a reducir los costos operativos para la escuela. Recuerde completar un comprobante de compromiso de servicio (disponible en las oficinas) y envíelo a la oficina cuando haya terminado. Esta es la única forma en que la oficina de negocios podrá deducir horas de su total. Estas son solo algunas de las formas en que necesitamos ayuda:

Eliminación de basura

Campus de escuela primaria / secundaria: diariamente después del almuerzo y / o al final del día escolar. Póngase en contacto con la Sra. Rodríguez en crodriguez@tphgr.org.

Servidores de almuerzo

Campus de la escuela primaria / secundaria: de lunes a viernes de 11:00 a.m. a 1:00 p.m. Póngase en contacto con la Sra. Carrillo en ccarrillo@tphgr.org.

Recepcionista de oficina

Ambas escuelas: días de escuela con horarios flexibles (dales un descanso para el almuerzo). Póngase en contacto con la Sra. Rodriguez crodriguez@tphgr.org en la escuela primaria o la Sra. Rich crich@tphgr.org en la escuela secundaria.

Girls Who Code

Girls Who Code (GWC) is an after-school club hosted at Calvin College by female students majoring in Computer Science. It is free, and it starts on Monday, September 17th. Girls can attend Monday, Tuesday, or Wednesday from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. It is tailored for girls 7th -12th grade. The club starts next week, so sign up now.

For more information and a link to the sign-up page go to:
cs.calvin.edu/documents/girls_who_code_club

What?

Programming, and learning about technology in a fun environment. Beginners are welcome – no prior knowledge required!

- Learn how technology works.
- Meet and get to know other girls with similar interests.
- Some social time and some learn-about-technology time each week.
- Learn how to create real-world software programs, including mobile apps and games.
- Design and build a software system that will make a difference for someone in your local community.

Why?

Because technology is awesome! Using technology to build things and solve problems is fun.

Where?

At **Calvin College**, in the **Systems Lab (Room 337)**, located on the 3rd floor of the Science Building (1734 Knollcrest Cir SE, Grand Rapids MI 49506).

The Mayor's Youth Council

The Mayor's Youth Council is comprised of students in the 9th -12th grade who are city residents. The Council members serve a one-year term from October to May. Council Members broaden the scope of youth leadership in city government by discussing policy issues that affect them. The Mayor, City Commission, and staff, will gather input from area youth and promote awareness of the strengths and abilities of youth. They also coordinate with other local and national organizations.

Applications can be found at:
<https://ourcommunityschildren.com/portfolio-item/mayors-youth-council/>

8th Grade Babysitting Nights

Here are the upcoming dates for your calendar, so that you can plan for a night out:

September 14, 2018

October 12, 2018

November 16, 2018

December 14, 2018

January 18, 2019

February 15, 2019

March 15, 2019

- Time: 6:00-9:00 p.m. at the elementary.
- Who: Children potty trained to 11 years.
- Cost: \$5 per child or \$20 per family.
- Proceeds support the 8th grade trip to Washington, D.C.