

Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

**Psalm 23:4**

## Upcoming Events

- December 22 - January 2: No School | Christmas Break
- January 5: Late Start | 9:40a
- January 6: Viking Village Meeting | 6:30p
- January 8: Stay N Play | 8:30a
- January 13: Eat & Earn | [Salt + Smoke](#) | 4-8p
- January 15: Spelling Bee | 8:30a
- Junior Winds Concert | LuSo | 7p

## Viking Village Meeting

Mark your calendars to join us for the next Viking Village meeting at **6:30p on Tuesday, January 6th** at Green Park. Viking Village is our parent volunteer organization dedicated to supporting our students, teachers, and school. All parents are invited to attend the upcoming meeting to find out more about what we are doing and how you can help!

***Cheers to Retirement!***

**Mrs. Cibulka and Mr. Rusert are retiring!**

Before their retirement celebration, we invite current and past families, alumni, church members, and friends to send cards or emails with personal notes, memories, or well wishes.

Send cards to:  
Green Park Lutheran School  
c/o Stephanie Torbeck  
4248 Green Park Rd  
St. Louis, MO 63125

Send emails to:  
[retirement@greenparklutherschool.org](mailto:retirement@greenparklutherschool.org)

**Cards are due by 5/1**

A retirement celebration will take place in late May or early June. Formal invitation to follow!

**SAVE THE DATE**

**A Night FOR OUR Vikings**  
GREEN PARK LUTHERAN SCHOOL  
DINNER AUCTION

**APRIL 24, 2026**  
ORLANDO GARDENS  
4300 Hoffmeister Ave. | St. Louis, MO 63125

**HOW CAN I HELP?**

- ✓ **Reserve your table of 10 today!** Purchase a full table and save \$100. Don't know 10 people? No worries! GPLS has an amazing community of supporters, and we'll thoughtfully arrange table settings. All are welcome! Table assignments will be shared closer to the event.
- ✓ **Become a sponsor of the auction**
- ✓ **Donate an item** for the silent or live auction - if you need ideas check out the Auction Amazon Wish List on the website
- ✓ **Invite local businesses/vendors** to purchase an ad through program advertising

Scan the QR code to learn more & explore additional ways to support 'A Night for our Vikings' or visit [greenparklutherschool.org/auction](http://greenparklutherschool.org/auction)

Questions or want help navigating how you can help? Please contact Michelle Brugere, Auction Chair [gplsauction@greenparklutherschool.org](mailto:gplsauction@greenparklutherschool.org)

## Green Park Viking Dash 5K



Save the date for the Green Park Viking Dash 5K on **April 18th from 8a-12p**. [Click here](#) for more information, to sign up, or to volunteer.

We are currently looking for sponsorships for this event. If you would like to be a sponsor or you know anyone who might be interested, please contact [fundraising@greenparklutherschool.org](mailto:fundraising@greenparklutherschool.org).

**PARENT WORKSHOP:**  
**DIGITAL SAFETY STRATEGIES**

DIGITAL SAFETY STRATEGIES FOR THE FAMILY, APPS TO LOOK OUT FOR, AND HOW TO EFFECTIVELY MONITOR KIDS' DEVICES.

**JAN 22  
6:00PM  
GREEN PARK GYM**

CHILDCARE PROVIDED BY GREEN PARK STAFF

**RESOURCES ON DIGITAL SAFETY AND WELL-BEING FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY.**

**TIPS FOR ENGAGING YOUR YOUNG CHILD, TWEEN, OR TEEN ABOUT STAYING SAFE ONLINE.**

**ACTION STEPS TO TAKE IF YOU THINK YOUR CHILD HAS BEEN APPROACHED OR HARMED ONLINE.**

**GREEN PARK LUTHERAN SCHOOL**

**STAY -n- PLAY**

[GREENPARKLUTHERANSCHOOL.ORG/PLAY](http://GREENPARKLUTHERANSCHOOL.ORG/PLAY)

**FREE OPEN GYM** | **8:30-10:30am**  
Second Thursday of each month  
**10/9 11/13 1/8 2/12 3/12**  
All children 5 & under accompanied by an adult welcome