



## **August 2021 Newsletter**

**August Birthday's: Joyce Hansel, Becky Krenke, Allan Meyer, Larry Pierce, Maggie Rodriguez, and Corrine Talley.**

**Happy Birthday!**

### **New Email Address for GFE**

*Our new email address for GFE is as follows:*  
[GFEducation123@gmail.com](mailto:GFEducation123@gmail.com). The newsletter is always posted online under [www.grandparentsforeducation.org](http://www.grandparentsforeducation.org).

### **Volunteer Opportunity**

*The Owatonna Middle School has requested we help them with school pictures and ID's on Thursday, August 26 from 7:15am to 5:00pm. Shifts are 7:15 – 10:30 (4 people), 10:15 to 1:30 (4 people), 1:15 to 5:00 (3-4 people). Anyone interest please contact me at 507-390-4468 or Email: [GFEducation123@gmail.com](mailto:GFEducation123@gmail.com)*

### **Rustic Mama Craft Sale**

*I'm sorry to say our malt wagon volunteer spot was cancelled, thanks to those that volunteered to help out*

**August Workshop & Orientation**  
*Hopefully everyone can make it August 3. We will be serving a brunch and Mr. Elstad, school superintendent, will be addressing the group.*

*Where: Trinity Lutheran Church*

*When: August 3, Tuesday*

*Time: 10:00*

*RSVP by July 20*

*Topics to be discussed will be school setting compared to last year, and diversity. We would like you to submit topics, concerns, or questions you may have. Please send them to me at [GFEducation123@gmail.com](mailto:GFEducation123@gmail.com) or call 507-390-4468.*

### **Volunteer Opportunity**

*The Owatonna High School has requested our help at the picture days and handing out student schedules.*

*Monday, August 23 from 8:45 to 3:00*

*2 shifts – 8:45 to 12:15, 12:15 to 3:00*

*Tuesday, August 24 from 2:00 to 6:00*

*2 shifts – 2:00 to 4:00, 4:00 to 6:00*

*Please note: 4 people each shift, and you can work the full shift on either day.*

*Anyone interest please contact me at 507-390-4468 or Email:*

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### **Board Meetings**

*We will be having no Board meeting for the month of August, September's will be Monday, September 13 at 5:00 at 5:00; not sure of the location yet.*

## **Homecoming**

*Homecoming is coming October 8, with decorating October 6 at the Radel building on the fair grounds. More to come in September's newsletter but keep the date open to ride the float in the parade that Friday.*

### **Personal Notes:**

*Below is our list of volunteers who are highly vulnerable. Please keep all of these wonderful members in your prayers and drop them a line when you can.*

*Most of these people are on Facebook so please befriend them to keep in touch with their lives.*

*---Sondra von Arb, send cards to 1497 Autumn Drive SE, Owatonna, MN 55060.*

*--Jean Zamboni, send cards to Bridgewater, 125 E. Park St., Room 113, Owatonna, MN 55060.*

*--Sue Jacobsen, send cards and letters to 4650 County Road 180, Owatonna, MN 55060.*

*--Corrine Talley, send cards to 221 South Walnut, Owatonna, MN 55060*

*--Nancy Karsten, send cards to 1995 Raspberry Ridge Pl NE, Owatonna, MN 55060*

*--Mary Overlee-Olson, send cards to 360 Thomas Ave., Owatonna, MN 55060*

*--Marsha Christiansen, send cards to her at: The Commons on Marice, 1380 Marice Drive, Rm 247, Eagan, MN 55121.*

*---Fred Ventura, send cards to 566 Maple Drive, Owatonna, MN 55060.*

*If you know of anyone else who needs our support and prayers through surgery or a long illness, please let me know.*

*Remember if you sign up a new volunteer, you will receive a \$5 gift card from HyVee.*

### **Board Members:**

*Linda Breyer, Chairperson*

*LaGene Akers, Co-Chair*

*LuAnn Lafky, Treasurer, Fin. Advisor*

*MaryAnne Higgins, Secretary*

*Corinne Talley*

*Ron Barth*

*LeAnn Masche*

*Ron and Sondra von Arb, Ex-Officio*