



KEEPERS CORNER



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HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR DECEMBER KEEPERS!

Caleb C- 12/12

Carter P- 12/14

Steven W- 12/21

Abbie W- 12/21

Bentley J- 12/31

STRONG SHOWING IN ADIDAS CLASH TOURNAMENT



The Granville Keepers Soccer Club kicked off the 2025-2026 tournament season with a great showing in the Adidas Clash Tournament. Though not all teams were able to participate on the same fields, we were all united with a common goal of having fun and representing the Granville Keepers Soccer Club.

Our 2014 team walked away from the tournament with a 2nd place overall finish in their division! Additionally, our 2015 team took home 2nd place in their bracket, falling just shy of the Championship but a great accomplishment nonetheless! Our older teams worked so hard and showed great improvements as the weekend progressed and we are so proud of the work they put in! We are excited to see the continued growth and teamwork among our athletes as the season progresses.





PAINT NIGHT FUNDRAISER POSTPONED



Due to scheduling conflicts, we have had to postpone the painting fundraiser. We will communicate the new date as soon as it is finalized but we are looking at a January timeframe.

Participants who have already registered will be automatically transferred to the rescheduled date. If the new date is not convenient, please contact your team manager to facilitate any necessary adjustments.

We look forward to enjoying a wonderful event with all of you soon!

NEXT TOURNAMENTS ANNOUNCED

Mark your calendars! We have identified the next two tournaments of the 2025-2026 season. Both tournaments will include all of our GKSC teams and ones we have previously participated in. More information will come as we get closer to the tournament dates.

	<p>MYSA Spring Shootout February 6-8 Mebane, NC</p>
	<p>TUFC Sun & Soccer Spring Bash May 2-3 Asheboro, NC</p>



PLAYMETRICS NOTIFICATIONS

The PlayMetrics platform is our primary tool for communicating important Club messages, schedules, and updates, as well as the best way to directly contact coaches and staff.

We have recently received feedback that some parents have not been receiving important Club communications, including our newsletters. Please note that PlayMetrics does not send email or text alerts by default. These must be enabled manually within your account settings.

To ensure you receive all necessary information, please take a moment to review and update your notification preferences.

- A step-by-step guide on how to set up your app for these critical notifications is available on our website: Granvillekeepers.org.
- All previous communications are archived and accessible in the Inbox section of your PlayMetrics account: [View Inbox Help](#).

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you require further assistance.





My Brother's Keeper



AN ATTITUDE OF THANKSGIVING

MAKE A JOYFUL NOISE TO THE LORD, ALL THE EARTH!

2 SERVE THE LORD WITH GLADNESS!

COME INTO HIS PRESENCE WITH SINGING!

3 KNOW THAT THE LORD, HE IS GOD!

IT IS HE WHO MADE US, AND WE ARE HIS; [A]

WE ARE HIS PEOPLE, AND THE SHEEP OF HIS PASTURE.

4 ENTER HIS GATES WITH THANKSGIVING, AND HIS COURTS WITH PRAISE!

GIVE THANKS TO HIM; BLESS HIS NAME!

5 FOR THE LORD IS GOOD;

HIS STEADFAST LOVE ENDURES FOREVER, AND HIS FAITHFULNESS TO ALL GENERATIONS.

- PSALM 100

When you are out on the soccer field and a good play happens, everyone (at least those in favor of the play) explodes in cheer and applause. The players encourage one another; a short celebration takes place and then the game continues. After the game is over players and fans may reminisce on the same play and more cheering and celebration may ensue. This is the life of cheering for a sports team, when good things happen, we can't help but to be excited and celebrate.

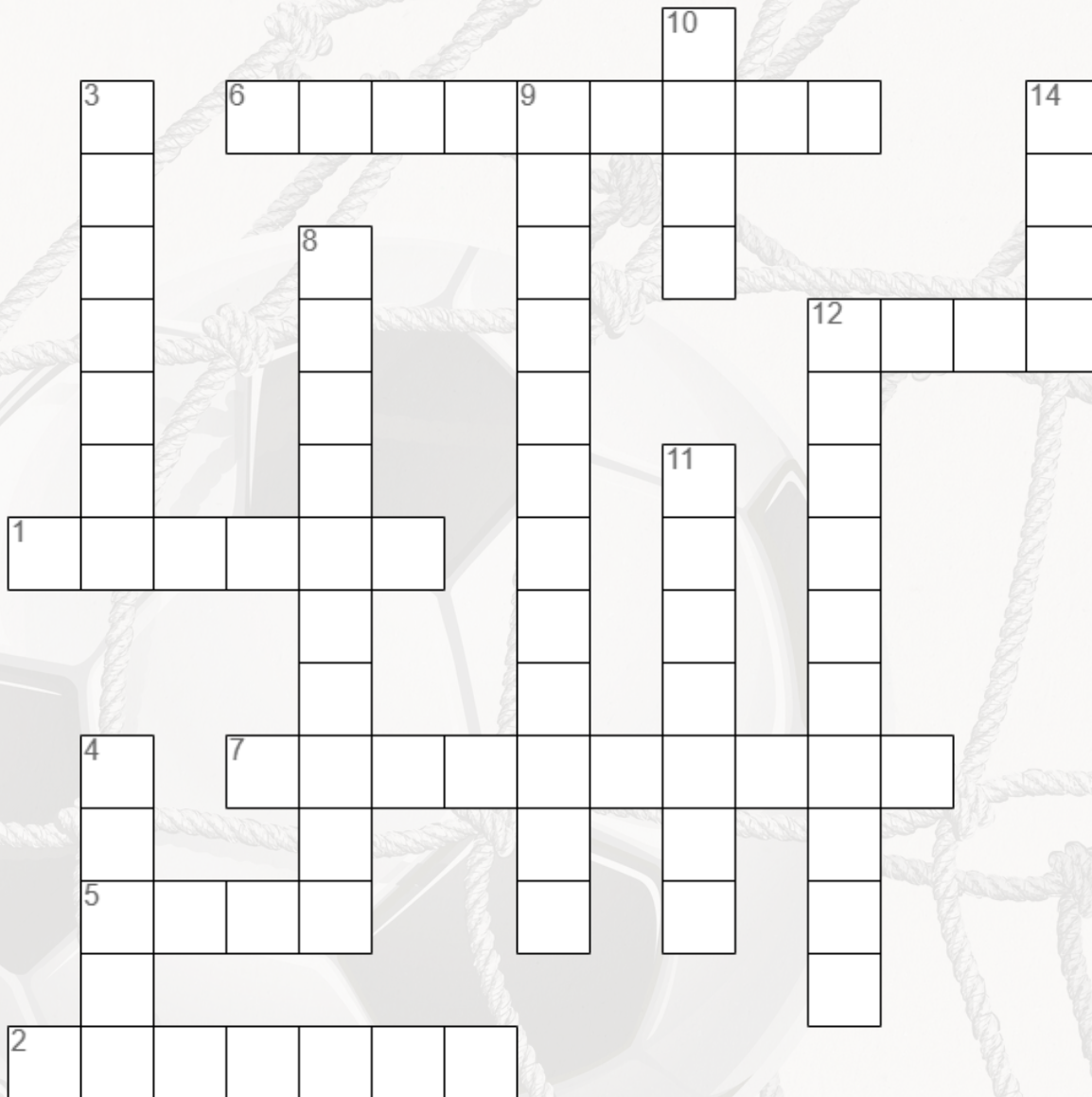
The same thing should happen when we recognize and see what God has done for us. Psalm 100 was written as a song of praise for what God has done. The Psalmist recognizes who God is and what He has done and that leads him to sing and shout and thank God for what He has done. When we think about God, we should spend time thanking Him for the many blessings He has given us. When we see Him working in our lives we should celebrate and praise Him. May we take time often to thank God for all that He has done.

As always, if you have any questions about your faith or how to have a relationship with Jesus, I would love to talk with you about it!

-Coach Nick



LETS HAVE SOME FUN



ACROSS

- 1. Hitting the ball with the head in soccer
- 2. Moving the ball with the feet in soccer
- 5. A common action in soccer
- 6. Word puzzle
- 7. A position in soccer
- 12. Where points are scored in soccer

DOWN

- 3. A rule in soccer
- 4. Creator
- 8. Corner kick
- 9. Stoppage time
- 10. A violation of the rules in soccer
- 11. A type of foul in soccer
- 12. A position in soccer
- 13. Round object used to play soccer



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