

# WELCOME

## TO GENERAL NASH'S ONLINE SCHOOL DIRECTORY

Dear Parent(s) / Guardians,

Every school year, the General Nash Home and School Association publishes a school wide directory. This directory is a bound book that is distributed via communication envelopes or backpacks in the November time frame to all families in the school. The school directory contains class lists with family contact information to setup play dates, etc.

In the past, we have used a couple of different methods to collect information for all the families in the school. **THIS YEAR, WE WILL BE COLLECTING THIS INFORMATION ONLINE THROUGH A SECURE WEBSITE.** This new directory system will replace our traditional, paper directory.

**PLEASE NOTE:** This is a Home and School directory for informational purposes only. To officially change your child(ren)'s school record, you need to bring proof of address to the school office.

### **ACTION REQUIRED**

#### **INSTRUCTIONS TO ACCESS AND UPDATE YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION**

You will each have your own personal username and password for access. Once logged in, you will have the ability to view and update your own information and search for other parent/students' contact information from a computer or mobile device.

For security purposes, each parent/guardian will need to update his/her own information. Although parents will be able to see each other's information, you will only be able to update your own information.

**YOU MUST UPDATE YOUR INFORMATION THROUGH THIS WEBSITE OR INCORRECT INFORMATION WILL BE PUBLISHED IN THE SCHOOL DIRECTORY. PLEASE UPDATE YOUR INFORMATION BY NOVEMBER 20, 2013.**

To enter our online directory: Go to <http://www.mjsoftware.com/PA/generalnashhsa>

Click where it says, "Not a registered member of your school yet? Click here to register."

Step 1: "Please answer the following questions" - Tab between answers and click on the NEXT button after entering the code at the bottom of the page. Do not use the enter key on this page:

What is our school mascot's name?

What is our nurse's last name?

What are our school colors?

What afternoon snack does 6th grade sell on Wednesdays?

Who is Mr. Martiello's favorite super hero?

What township is our school in?

What is our biggest fundraiser?

What street is our school located on?

What is our Art teacher's name?

What is the name of our school district?

YOU MUST ANSWER 5 OF THE 10 QUESTIONS CORRECTLY TO GET TO STEP 2

Step 2: "Enter Your Last Name" on that page. A list of matching names will appear. It will say, "Are any of these people related to you or your child?" Select the one that represents your family. **NOTE: If you are a new family you were most likely entered into our database as Mr(s) Lastname as we only had access to your child's name and grade when entering the data.**

Then: "Select a Household" on that page. Follow the instructions that look like this:

Every family profile may have up to two households as part of a family unit. Each household may have up to two parents. Please tell us which household you are part of by selecting a name or "slot" under the appropriate household to update with your information.

### Household 1

### Household 2

Mike Smith

Suzie Smith

***\*If your name appears in BLACK, your record already has a username and password associated to it. Please close this registration window and use the "Forgot username or password?" link on the login page to have your password reset and emailed to you.***

Step 3: "Contact Information" – enter all required information on this page.

Step 4: "Create Your User Name and Password" – enter all required information on this page.

**CONGRATULATIONS! Your registration is complete. You will get an email with further instructions:**

**You will need to click on the link in the email to activate your newly created username and password.**

Once activated, we recommend you view your profile by logging in to the site and clicking on the "Update Profile" link in the upper right-hand corner of the home page. In your profile you can do things like:

- Change your username and password
- Hide or Show your personal information to other school members
- Manage your email subscriptions

**IMPORTANT: FOR SECURITY PURPOSES, EACH ADULT MEMBER OF YOUR HOUSEHOLD MUST UPDATE THEIR OWN INFORMATION THROUGH THIS WEBSITE OR INCORRECT INFORMATION MAY BE PUBLISHED IN THE SCHOOL DIRECTORY.** For example, you will not be able to update the information for the other parent/guardian (i.e. spouse) listed in the household profile. This is for your protection.  
**PLEASE UPDATE YOUR INFORMATION BY NOVEMBER 20, 2013.**

Thank you for your time and cooperation. We hope you enjoy using the new, online school directory. If you have any questions or are having trouble with the registration process, you can view a tutorial at the following website:

[www.mjsoftware.com/tutorials](http://www.mjsoftware.com/tutorials) - Please click on the **school member registration process tutorial**.

If you require further assistance or have any questions, you can contact Karen Casey at [kcasey523@verizon.net](mailto:kcasey523@verizon.net) or (215)368-4190.

**One final note:** We will be sending information via e-communications when the directory is published on how to access and search the new directory.



November 2013

Dear Nash Parents:

During the holiday season many parents wish to show their appreciation to General Nash Staff members by offering a gift. While our staff genuinely appreciates these gestures of thanks, we would like to offer an alternative.

What better way to honor someone than giving the “gift” of education? If you would like to honor a staff member, a family member, or a former Nash student, please consider making a donation to the **General F. Nash Elementary School Scholarship Fund** for a graduating North Penn High School senior, who formerly attended Nash Elementary School. This past year our winning recipient chose to attend Temple University as a nursing major. During her years at North Penn High School she was an active member of the Indoor Color Guard and Community Softball. She came back to Nash, as a Career Study Student, working in the first grade classrooms. This student continues to devote her time and energy in raising money for pediatric cancer. Your donation, along with funding from the Nash Home and School Association, will continue to support future deserving recipients in furthering their education.

All contributions will be greatly appreciated. Should you choose to make a donation please use the form below. The staff at General F. Nash sincerely thanks you for your thoughtfulness and generosity.

With our sincere appreciation,

Nash Staff

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Please detach and send in this form along with your contribution to school with your child. Checks are to be made payable to Nash Home and School Association. Also, indicate on the “memo” portion of your check “Nash Scholarship Fund”.

Child’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Contributions to the General F. Nash Elementary School Scholarship Fund \***



# MARKET DAY

Market Day Orders are due on Wednesday, November 27, 2013 and pick up is Tuesday, December 3, 2013 from 5 – 6 p.m.

Visit [marketday.com](http://marketday.com) (the account # for General Nash is 14671) **Free 1 lb Pork Tenderloin with \$90 purchase – Free 7 oz. Sample of Kraft Mac & Cheese with ANY purchase**

**LAST MONTH OUR SALE EARNED \$228.83 – A SPECIAL THANK YOU TO ALL WHO PURCHASED PIES – LOOK FORWARD TO THE HOLIDAY SING ALONG WHERE MR. MARTIELLO HAS AGREED TO BE “PIED” BY THE MARKET DAY WINNERS !! ☺**

If you have any questions, please contact us:

Karen Copestick (215-361-1844 [kcopestick@aol.com](mailto:kcopestick@aol.com))

Michelle Corman (215-393-5948 [michelle\\_corman@yahoo.com](mailto:michelle_corman@yahoo.com))





We are trying something new at the Breakfast with Frosty and Holiday Shop Event. We are planning to have a silent basket auction. We are getting donations from local businesses and other fun attractions. We are also planning to have baskets by grades from the Nash children.

### **Breakfast with Frosty Silent Basket Auction**

**Grades K-2 Theme: Kid Fun**

**Grades 3-4 Theme: Family Fun Night**

**Grades 5-6 Theme: Sports**

If you can help, please send in a small item or gift card by Tuesday, December 3, 2013 please label Frosty Donation and drop in box in lobby.

Suggested Items by Grade:

**K-2 Grades: Kid Fun (small toys, little prizes, craft items, ...)**

**3-4 Grades: Family Fun (games, puzzles, snacks...)**

**5-6 Grades: Sports (Nerf football, baseball cards, ...)**

Any Questions? Please contact: Emma Hodgson at [quilteremma@gmail.com](mailto:quilteremma@gmail.com)

# MARCH-a-THON



## MARCH-A-THON WRAP-UP

Thanks to everyone who helped make our Second Annual March-A-Thon a success! We owe special thanks to Miss Johnson, who worked closely with the March-A-Thon committee to set up the route and the fun stations, and also to our wonderful group of parent volunteers. The kids had a great time, and even the rain delay did not dampen their enthusiasm!

Thank you also to our generous donors. To date, we have raised slightly over \$9,000 in donations, and when the matching donations come in we think that our total should be approximately \$10,000! As a reminder, it is not too late to check with your company to see if they will match donations made to General Nash. All matching donations are tax deductible, and copies of the necessary 501(c)(3) papers will be provided upon request to any company agreeing to match.

We look forward to next year!

General Nash Home and School

Please contact Sue Zima at 215-362-1027 or [susanzima@zoho.com](mailto:susanzima@zoho.com) with any questions.

**ORDER**

**DEADLINE**

**November 20**

# Nash Holiday Clothing Order Form



**T-Shirt in Royal Blue & Pink**



**Girls Pinnies**



**Nash Jersey Blanket**



**Pullover Hoodies in Navy & Pink**



**Zip Hoodie shown in Purple**



**Coed Pinnies**

\*\*\*\*\* GET YOUR NASH SPIRIT \*\*\*\*\*



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# Nash Spirit Order Form

STUDENT NAME:

TEACHER:

Item	YOUTH SIZE	ADULT SIZE	2X/	YOUTH	ADULT	2X/3X
	(Circle)	(Circle)	3X	Price	Price	Price
Solid T-shirts	YS YM YL	AS AM AL AXL	2X 3X	Royal / Navy / Pink	\$ 12	\$ 14 \$ 16
Blanket				Royal Blue / Pink	\$	24.50

Zip Hoodies	YS YM YL	AS AM AL AXL	2X 3X	Navy / Purple	\$ 27	\$ 30 \$ 33
Pullover Hoodies	YS YM YL	AS AM AL AXL	2X 3X	Navy / Pink	\$ 25	\$ 29 \$ 31

Girls Pinnies	Girls S/M, L/XL	Ladies: S/M, L/XL	2X	(order up a size)	\$ 16	\$ 17 \$ 17
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Boys/Coed Pinnies	YS YM YL	AS AM AL AXL	2X 3X	Navy	\$ 16	\$ 17 \$ 19
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Number of Items	
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Total Cost	
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Checks Payable to **Nash H&S**  
 Return Forms to: **Nash school, Attn: Nash SpiritWear**  
 Estimated Deliver **Monday, December 16, 2013**  
 Questions: **Karen Lindsay or Tricia Rhubright at nashspiritwear@gmail.com**