GHS Announcements

Friday, April 6, 2018

MISC

Congratulations to the following winners in the LHC art show. Kayli Mackin - 1st in Photography with Lost in the Ride, Zoe Dill -  2nd watercolors with Unity, Jessi Ahrens - 2nd Ink Drawing with Waiver.

All 1st and 2nd tri art students need to pick up artwork before April 13th. After that date it will be disposed of. Please do not come while a class is going on.

Surveys are on their way! The Integrated 3 classes are performing some studies, and may be sending out some surveys in the near future. Please respond to any surveys you might receive so that they have as much data as possible. Thanks for your cooperation!

Love Community? Love Education? Love to make a difference? Apply for the 2018 Grinnell AmeriCorps Partnership Summer AmeriCorps Positions! 40 Summer Learning Corps member positions now available. Join the Summer Learning Corps Team and make a difference in the lives of Grinnell kids. Submit an application and a resume by TODAY to [americorps@grinnell.edu](mailto:americorps@grinnell.edu" \t "_blank) Click here for applications & information: [Summer Learning Applications](https://www.grinnell.edu/about/offices-services/community-enhancement/grinnell-americorps-partnership" \t "_blank). Questions??? Contact [Liz Hansen](mailto:hansenel@grinnell.edu" \t "_blank) at the Grinnell AmeriCorps Partnership.

SENIOR PARENTS: It’s not too late to purchase a Recognition Ad for your senior. Please contact Janet Ahrens for details on prices and materials at [janet.ahrens@grinnell-k12.org](mailto:janet.ahrens@grinnell-k12.org" \t "_blank). Checks can be made payable to GHS Yearbook—the deadline is TODAY.

PROM will be held in The Steve Kriegel Gym on April 21st. The Dance starts at 9:00pm, following Promenade. Tickets are $10.00 each. We Will be set up outside of the cafeteria the week of Prom on Wednesday - Friday during lunch hours or you may contact Shelly Lacina at [shelly.lacina@grinnell-k12.org](mailto:shelly.lacina@grinnell-k12.org" \t "_blank) or Kasandra Moore at [kasandra.christina@grinnell-k12.org](mailto:kasandra.christina@grinnell-k12.org" \t "_blank). We are asking any Junior/Senior students and/or parents to volunteer their time to help setup and decorate the week of Prom. Please contact Shelly or Kasandra for information on times to volunteer. We really want this to be an unforgettable, fun and safe night for all and would like for students and parents to be involved in making this happen! Thank you!

The GHS Prom Dinner sign up is now available in the office!  Make your plans with your group to attend the GHS Prom Dinner at the Joe Rosenfield Center, 8th Avenue, on the Grinnell College campus the evening of Prom, April 21.  The social time begins at 5:30 p.m. and the dinner is from 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.  Tickets will be sold the week prior to Prom and will be $20 each.  It’s going to be a great time that you won’t want to miss!  Tables are set up for parties of 8.  This is a popular event and SPACE IS LIMITED!  The instructions and the menu choices are on the cover of the yellow folder located in the office.  RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED to attend!  Get your groups together and reserve your table today! If you have any questions, contact Nancy Guinane at [guinanen@grinnell.edu](mailto:guinanen@grinnell.edu" \t "_blank).

ATHLETICS

The Grinnell Boys soccer team won their opening match of the season defeating South Tama 3-1. The boys worked hard, communicated well, and shared the ball nicely. The Tigers had three different scores from three different players, six players earned their first points of the season. On the first goal, Sergio Perez-Valentin slotted a delightfully weighted ball behind the defense for Isaac Comstock to tuck into the lower right corner. Gavin McFarland cut the ball back at 45 degree angle towards the top of the 18 yard box to Wyatt Dillon who unleashed a left footed thunderous strike to the right upper 90 for the game winning second goal. In the second half, we sured up our defense and secured the win with the third goal from Aidan Brownell. Erik Hektoen hit a low driven shot which hit off Andrew Cogley settling the ball nicely for Aidan Brownell to roof the ball from about six yards out. We look forward to our home opener on Tuesday, April 10th vs Oskaloosa.

The varsity girls’ tennis team defeated Saydel Tuesday night 11 to 0. Junior varsity girls tennis defeated Saydel 15 to 1.

The varsity boys’ tennis team lost to Saydel last night 4-5.  The JV team won 4-2.

Attached is the T-shirt order form for the Girl's Soccer team. They are due by Wednesday, April 11th by 5:00pm and can be turned in to Awards Unlimited.

COUNSELING OFFICE

PSAT 10 - Students who have signed up to take the PSAT 10 should report to the Media Center at 7:45 on Tuesday, April 10.  Bring a #2 pencil and a calculator.  If you haven't picked up your Study Guide yet, stop by the Counseling Office.

U.S. Service Academy Open House - Mon., April 30 (5:00 - 7:00 p.m.) at the Cedar Rapids Library.  Joni Ernst will be in attendance. Students must have a congressional nomination to be considered.  The Service Academies are highly selective colleges:  US Air Force Academy; US Naval Academy; US Military Academy; and US Merchant Marine Academy.  (US Coast Guard Academy does not need a nomination)  It is important to start EARLY (Sophs & Juniors) if you are considering a Service Academy.  Contact your counselor for more info about the Open House (and how to RSVP).

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Iowa Girl's High School Athletic Union Good Sportsmanship/Good Citizen Award  - $250 Scholarship for a graduating female senior who displays good sportsmanship & citizenship.  Application is available in the Counseling Office or can be printed from the Counseling webpage. Due -May 7, 2018

New!  Local - Donald & Carol D. Kaisand Scholarship - $500. Applicants must attend Iowa State University and possess financial need. The recipient must successfully complete his/her first term at ISU.  To receive the scholarship money, the recipient must show proof of continued enrollment to a GPCF representative at the Ahrens Foundation.  Due - May 7, 2018.  Application is available in the Counseling Office or can be printed from the Counseling webpage.

CLUBS/ACTIVITIES  
HELP TAKE AWAY HUNGER! Please help the Outdoor Adventure Program put together a 12-person team to participate in Take Away Hunger day on April 15th.  This is an opportunity to package meals that are sent to areas in need.  These meals will be sent to the hurricane areas of Texas, Florida and Puerto Rico.  This is a great opportunity for community service.  Anyone interested, please sign up at Ms. Meyer’s room.  Our group will be packaging from Sunday, April 15th at 1:45-2:30 at the Elks Lodge.