**GHS Announcements**

**Wednesday November 8, 2017**

**MISC**

Yearbook:  Reminder for seniors that yearbook will be taking your picture during seminar today.

Lifetouch will also be taking retake pictures today. Order forms are in the office.

The contents of the Davis Time Capsule are now on display in the Media Center. Check it out!

Trimester finals will be on Thursday & Friday, Nov. 16th & 17th.

There will be an organizational meeting for the **FRC TechTigers** on Friday, November 10th, at 7:45 in Room 33.  Join the team as we compete in the 2018 season.  *You can check out the 2017 and 2016 robots just outside Mr. Winkleblack's classroom in the display cabinet.*

**ATHLETICS**

Congratulations to the award winning GHS Competition Cheer Squad on your fantastic performance at the State Championships on Saturday! Your performance was the best you have ever done and you should all be proud of your amazing season! We would like to thank all the fans who came out to cheer us on this season and we look forward to showing off the routine to our home crowd at a basketball game this winter.

Reminder to Volleyball girls: Your end-of-season banquet is Sunday, Nov. 12 at 6:00 pm in the H.S. cafeteria. Freshmen and Sophomores – Main Dish & Side, Juniors and Seniors – Main Dish & Dessert.

Any students planning on participating in Off-season Lifting this winter should sign up on the weight room door.

**COUNSELING OFFICE**

Matt Lageveen Character Award - Students/Staff, do you know students who build others up?  Are they positive, respectful, kind, and true to self?  Please nominate them for a Matt Lageveen Character Award.  Character Awards will be given at the first Pride Assembly in late Nov/early Dec.  (Sophomores-Seniors are eligible for the Award)  Applications are available [here.](http://www.grinnell-k12.org/vnews/display.v/SEC/Grinnell-Newburg%20High%20School%7CCounseling%20Office%3E%3EMatt%20Lageveen%20Character%20Award%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank)  **Please submit by Friday, November 1​0​.** Email completed applications to Mrs. Allen in the Counseling Office.

**CLUBS/ACTIVITIES**

Powderpuff volleyball will be put on by FCA on November 10th! Mark your calendars!  Teams of at least 6 are needed and it is $3 per person.  Sign up your teams with Cici Dugas (dugaschl@grinnell-k12.org).  Get practicing guys!

The **Outdoor Adventure Program** will be hosting their 4th annual *Winter Surviva*l weekend on December 8-10.  Come join us as we learn outdoor skills necessary to survive outside during the winter months.  Learn fire building, navigation, shelter building, night hike and more.  Build your own shelter to sleep in on Saturday night. There is no cost and no limit on how many can attend.  The outing will begin at 8:00 am on Saturday, December 9th and will run through to Sunday 9:30 am December 10th.  Friday, December 8th will be an extra camping night in tents for those who dare.  All meals will be provided.  If interested, sign up at Ms. Meyer’s room by Wednesday, December 6th.