**GHS Announcements**

**Thursday November 9, 2017**

**MISC**

*Attention fellow students:  As part of my Senior Captsone, I am collecting items for [Operation Gratitude](https://www.operationgratitude.com/%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank). The following items are acceptable for this project:  1) toothpaste, 2) small bottles of mouthwash, 3) Chapstick, 4) drink mix packets.  Please drop these items off to Mr. Laidig in the ILC by Wednesday, November 15. Thanks!  -Kyle Rauch*

The We Care After Prom is holding a Scratch Cupcake Fundraiser.  If you wish to order, please send orders to: andrea.zhorne@grinnell-k12.org, becky.shaffer@grinnell-k12.org, or paula.simon@grinnell-k12.org. Orders are due by Tuesday, November 21st.  Payment due at time of order and checks can be made payable to: We Care After Prom. Delivery is Wednesday, December 13th.  Thank you for your continued support! Here is the link: [http://www.scratchcupcakery.com/fundraising/delivering-smiles](http://www.scratchcupcakery.com/fundraising/delivering-smiles%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank)

Trimester finals will be on Thursday & Friday, Nov. 16th & 17th.   Our finals schedule is as follows:

\*  Thursday:  Period 1 (8:30-10:00), Period 3 (10:15-11:45), & Period 5 (12:30-2:00)

\*  Friday: Period 2 (8:30-10:00), Period 4 (10:15-11:45), & Period 6 (12:30-2:00)

There will be an organizational meeting for the **FRC TechTigers** TOMORROW 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**

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.

**COUNSELING OFFICE**

**Local Scholarship**- Clifford & Marilyn Strovers Scholarship - Applicants must attend a trade school or community college, have financial need, and have had a job while in high school.  $2000  Due Feb. 9, 2018.  (Application attached and on Counseling website)

**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.