Good Evening Jamestown Middle School Families!

This is Dr. Vernon calling with a few reminders for the upcoming school year.

The first day of school is on Monday, August 23rd.

Our Open House will take place next Tuesday, August 17th from 2:00 until 7:00. This is a floating event. You can drop in at any time during the open house. As a reminder, all students, staff, and families will be asked to wear a mask while they are in the building.

Most students in 7th and 8th grade will also receive their laptops at Open House. If your student is a recent enrollee their laptop may not be available until the first week of school.

Student schedules are being emailed today to student email addresses and parent email addresses that we have in PowerSchool. If you do not receive a schedule, it will be available at open house. Although we have tried to ensure that every schedule is accurate, if you discover an error please contact the guidance office at (336) 819-2102.

This year, GCS is requiring all students to wear One Cards at all times they are on campus. There will be scanning stations installed at the school entrances and students will scan their cards as they walk into the school building. Students will receive their cards the first week of school. All GCS staff members will also be required to wear their GCS ID badges.

Football tryouts begin immediately after school on the first day of school. Girls volleyball and boys soccer begin on Tuesday, August 24th. Cheer packets can be picked up in the front office during school office hours and at open house. Completed cheer packets are due no later than Friday, August 27th.

An optional football summer workout for 7th and 8th graders will be this Saturday, August 14th 10:00 – 12:00 at the JMS football field. Wear workout clothes and cleats if you have them and bring your own water bottle (water will be provided). All students must have a completed physical and concussion form **prior** to any workout or tryout.

I also want to remind the families of rising 7th graders that students must bring in documentation of their MCV and Tdap vaccinations before school starts.

Well, we look forward to seeing you all next Tuesday at Open House!

Go Tigers!