

**GRISWOLD  
ELEMENTARY**

# **WEDNESDAY FOLDER**


## **2024-2025**


***“MAKE KINDNESS  
THE NORM!”***

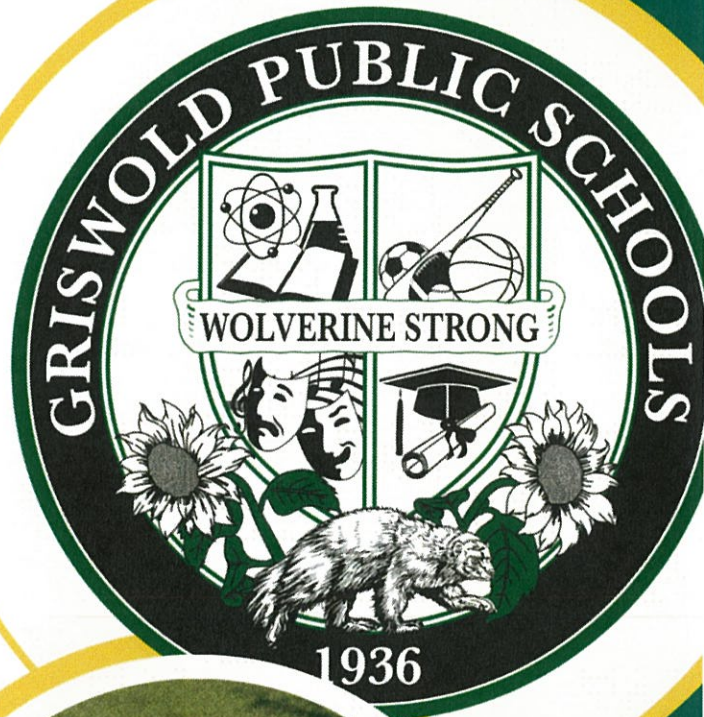
**Stay Informed with School  
Events & Updates**

- ✓ School Flyers
- ✓ Community Flyers
- ✓ Youth Center Flyers

### **More Information**

 +860-376-7610

 <https://www.griswold.k12.ct.us/wednesday-folders>





# OCTOBER 2024

## GRISWOLD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

### BREAKFAST



BREAD OFFERINGS ARE WHOLE GRAIN. MILK OFFERINGS ARE 1% WHITE OR FAT FREE FLAVORED. MILK IS OFFERED AT EVERY MEAL.



Cinnamon Roll Day is October 4. Start your day in a fun way with a cinnamon roll. Don't forget to add a glass of milk and a side of fruit to complete your meal!



MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

ASSORTED  
BREAKFAST  
BREADS  
APPLESAUCE

1

EGG & CHEESE  
SANDWICH  
PEARS

2

ASSORTED  
BREAKFAST  
BREADS  
FRESH APPLE

3

ASSORTED  
CEREAL  
TEDDY GRAHAMS  
ORANGES

4

ASSORTED CEREAL  
TEDDY GRAHAMS  
PEACHES

7

ASSORTED  
BREAKFAST  
BREADS  
APPLESAUCE

8

EGG & CHEESE  
SANDWICH  
PEARS

9

ASSORTED  
BREAKFAST  
BREADS  
FRESH APPLE

10

ASSORTED  
CEREAL  
TEDDY GRAHAMS  
ORANGES

11

ASSORTED CEREAL  
TEDDY GRAHAMS  
PEACHES

14

ASSORTED  
BREAKFAST  
BREADS  
APPLESAUCE

15

EGG & CHEESE  
SANDWICH  
PEARS

16

ASSORTED  
BREAKFAST  
BREADS  
FRESH APPLE

17

ASSORTED  
CEREAL  
TEDDY GRAHAMS  
ORANGES

18

ASSORTED CEREAL  
TEDDY GRAHAMS  
PEACHES

21

ASSORTED  
BREAKFAST  
BREADS  
APPLESAUCE

22

EGG & CHEESE  
SANDWICH  
PEARS

23

ASSORTED  
BREAKFAST  
BREADS  
FRESH APPLE

24

ASSORTED  
CEREAL  
TEDDY GRAHAMS  
ORANGES

25

ASSORTED CEREAL  
TEDDY GRAHAMS  
PEACHES

28

ASSORTED  
BREAKFAST  
BREADS  
APPLESAUCE

29

EGG & CHEESE  
SANDWICH  
PEARS

30

ASSORTED  
BREAKFAST  
BREADS  
FRESH APPLE

31





# OCTOBER 2024

## GRISWOLD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

### LUNCH



ADDITIONAL CHOICES AVAILABLE DAILY. CHOICES ARE PB&J, TURKEY SANDWICH, CHEF SALAD OR CHEF'S SPECIAL. BREAD OFFERINGS ARE WHOLE GRAIN. MILK OFFERINGS ARE 1% WHITE OR FAT FREE FLAVORED. MILK IS OFFERED AT EVERY MEAL



October is National Apple Month. Did you know that there are about 7,500 varieties of apples? Can you find a new variety of apple to try this month?  
**THE USDA IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY PROVIDER AND EMPLOYER**



MONDAY

LUNCHES:

Free to anyone who qualifies

CHILD - \$4.00

ADULT - \$5.00

BEEF NACHOS  
BEANS & CORN  
PEARS  
MILK

1

CHEESEBURGERS  
FRENCH FRIES  
BROCCOLI  
ORANGES  
MILK

2

FRENCH TOAST STICKS  
SAUSAGE  
HASHBROWNS  
CARROTS  
PEACHES & MILK

3

PIZZA CHOICE  
TOSSED SALAD  
STRAWBERRIES

4

TUESDAY

7

CHICKEN PATTY  
FRENCH FRIES  
CORN  
APPLESAUCE  
MILK

8

SOFT SHELL TACO  
RICE & BEANS  
CORN  
PEACHES  
MILK

9

PASTA W/ MEATSAUCE  
GARLIC KNOT  
GREENBEANS  
MIXED FRUIT  
MILK

10

MOZZERELLA STICKS  
CARROTS  
BREADSTICK  
APPLE  
MILK

11

NO SCHOOL

14

NO SCHOOL  
COLUMBUS/  
INDIGENOUS  
PEOPLE DAY

15

CHEESEBURGER  
FRENCH FRIES  
BROCCOLI  
PEARS  
MILK

16

QUESADILLA  
RICE & BEANS  
CORN  
PEACHES  
MILK

17

GRILLED CHEESE  
TOMATO SOUP  
CARROTS  
APPLESAUCE  
MILK

18

PIZZA CHOICE  
TOSSED SALAD  
STRAWBERRIES  
MILK

21

CHICKEN NUGGETS  
FRENCH FRIES  
CORN  
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**Friday, October 18<sup>th</sup> is our next Town  
Hall Meeting**

**Please help us show our Griswold Pride  
and wear green, white or Griswold  
Gear!**

**Go Wolverines!**



# GES SCHOOL PICTURES



October 16, 2024

Dear Parents,

Our GES Fall Pictures are complete.

In a few weeks, you will receive the portraits if you ordered a package. If you would like to order pictures, please wait for the proof sheet that contains new individual codes. Please use that code to order.

Unfortunately, once picture day has taken place the Picture Day ID on the flyer expires.

Picture retake day is scheduled for Friday, November 15, 2024.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call us at 376-7610.

Cordially,

Joseph Bordeau, Principal  
Jacqueline Love, Assistant Principal





Griswold School Readiness Council

# PLEASE JOIN US

We look forward to your participation in our discussions  
and to contributing to our collective goals for Early  
Childhood Education in Griswold.



Wednesdays @ 9am  
November 20th  
January 15th  
March 19th  
May 21st



Location  
GES conference room

More information available here

<https://www.ctoec.org/school-readiness-preschool-grant-program/>  
or call Jaselyn Caviness; 860-376-7616



# Red Ribbon Week GES Spirit Days



## Favorite Color Day

*See who else shares  
your favorite color!*



## Comfy Cozy Day

*Dress in your comfiest-  
no slippers please.*



## Teacher or Twin Day

*Dress like a teacher or  
match a friend at school*



## Accessories Day

*Hats, headbands, jewelry,  
sunglasses, socks, etc*



## School Pride Day

*Green, White, and  
Griswold! Go Wolverines!*



*"Life is a movie. Film drug free"*

GES Recognizes National Red Ribbon Week  
[www.redribbon.org](http://www.redribbon.org)



# Attendance *Matters!*

**Consistent attendance  
in elementary school  
supports life long  
academic success,  
social skills, and self  
confidence**



We encourage  
students to be



***At School***



***On Time***



***Every Day***

**Please reach out to the Support Team  
with any concerns about your student's  
attendance**



Sign up  
TODAY!



Fill out the interest  
form to be contacted  
by a Lisbon Troop  
Leader

**GIRL**

**SCOUTS**

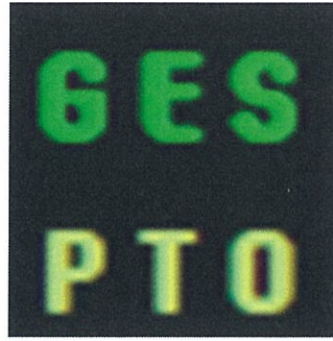
**Lisbon/Griswold Troop  
open for grades K - 8**

Each day as a Girl Scout brings thrills and out-of-this-world experiences. Don't miss your chance to make new friends and be part of a journey that you'll never forget! Find your squad and get ready for amazing adventures.

**FRIENDSHIP ADVENTURE TRIPS LEADERSHIP**

**LisbonGirlScouts@gmail.com**





# Griswold Elementary School

## PTO Updates





Dear Families,

Get ready—the Scholastic Book Fair is coming to our school! This is a great opportunity to connect with your child over the thrill of bringing home new books to dive into again and again. Studies show that kids read more when they choose books for themselves. And fostering a love of independent reading leads to a wide variety of benefits—including academic success and improved mental health.

Here's everything you need to know about the Book Fair:

Dates: **11/6 3:30-6pm, 11/7 1:15-7pm, 11/8 1:15-4pm**

Location: **Library**

There's even more info on our school's Book Fair homepage:

**<https://www.scholastic.com/bf/griswoldelementaryschool3>**

While you're there, set up a Book Fair eWallet, the digital payment account that allows your child to shop for books at the Fair without cash. Then share your eWallet link so friends and extended family can add funds.

When you fund an eWallet, you'll have the opportunity to contribute to a giving initiative called Share the Fair™. Your contributions directly support our students who need help buying books from the Fair.

Many of us still remember the rush of finding the perfect book at a Scholastic Book Fair. I hope you'll join your child at our school's Fair and share a reading experience they'll remember forever.

Happy reading,

**Joseph Bordeau**

Principal

**Griswold Elementary School**

PS: Need one more reason to visit the Book Fair? Every purchase at the Fair benefits our school!





*Spirit Sticks will be on sale  
Friday, October 25<sup>th</sup>*

*All sticks ONLY \$1.00*

*New Sticks to Choose From*

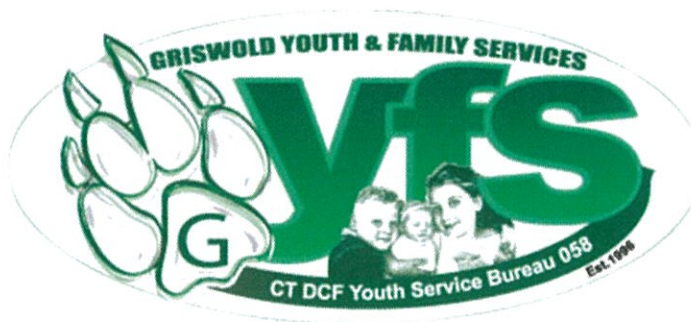




# Town Of Griswold

## Youth & Family Services

### Updates



TOWN OF GRISWOLD, CT  
Youth & Family Services  
Park & Recreation Department  
Griswold Youth Service Bureau 58

28 Main Street  
Jewett City, CT 06351  
(p) 860 376-7026 (w) [griswoldyfs.com](http://griswoldyfs.com)  
(e) [director@griswoldyfs.com](mailto:director@griswoldyfs.com)



UConn Extension Center



18 USC 707

**S.T.E.M.**

SCIENCE TECH ENGINEERING MATH

# 4-H CLUB

@ CRISWOLD YOUTH CENTER

**NOV. 7, 21 DEC. 5, 19 JAN. 9, 23 FEB 13, 27**  
**MARCH 13, 27 APRIL 10, 24 MAY 8, 22**

**Fee = \$180.00 for all school year**  
**RESIDENTS ONLY! DEADLINE OCT. 27**  
**grades: 5-8th 3:30 - 5:00 pm**

**SIGN UP @ [GRISWOLDREC.ORG](http://GRISWOLDREC.ORG)**





# SEPTEMBER PROGRAMS

athletes

**AQF**

of the future

**TUES/THURS: 3:30-4:30 PM**

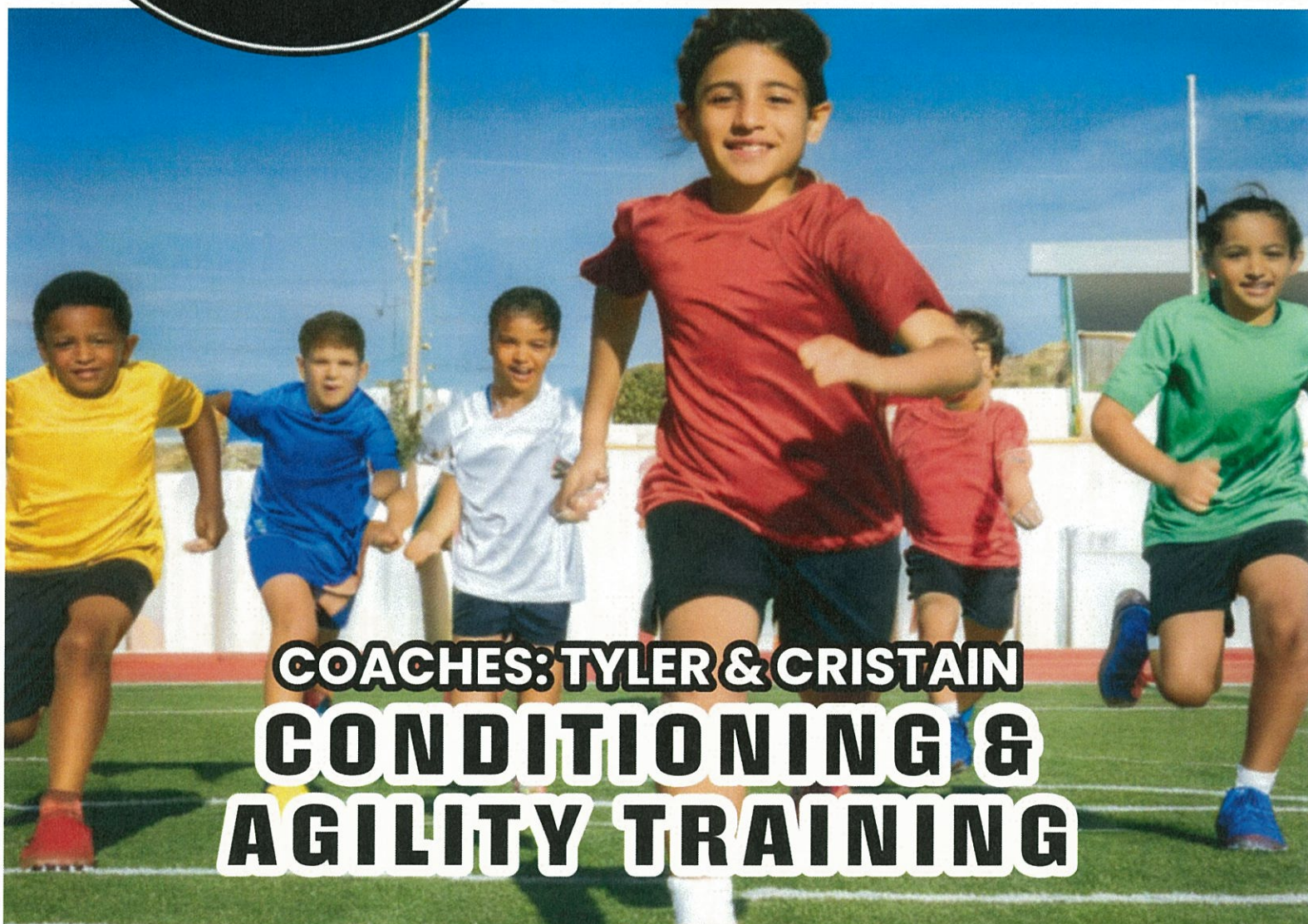
*COED: GRADES 5-11*

*SEPT. 10, 12, 17, 19, 24, 26*

*HELD @ GMS GYM*

*Resident's Fee: \$110*

*Non-Resident's Fee: \$120*



**COACHES: TYLER & CRISTAIN**  
**CONDITIONING &**  
**AGILITY TRAINING**

**SIGN UP : [GRISWOLDREC.ORG](http://GRISWOLDREC.ORG)**





STARTS IN SEPTEMBER

# BREATH & EMPOWER

FREE! RESIDENTS ONLY!  
MUST RSVP: [GRISWOLDREC.ORG](http://GRISWOLDREC.ORG)

AGES: 10 & 11 TUESDAYS @ GRISWOLD YOUTH CENTER  
AGES: 12 & 13 THURSDAYS @ GRISWOLD YOUTH CENTER

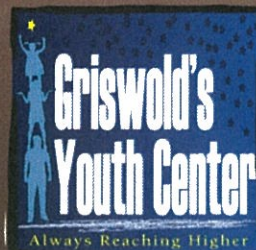
Starts September 10th thru December 26th  
3:30 - 4:30 pm @ Griswold Youth Center  
(bus from GMS, please give child a note for a bus pass)

Practices for Self Empowerment & Emotional Wellbeing

Instructed by: Trish Gardner

TIMBo Consultant/Facilitator/Mentor/Holistic Health Coach

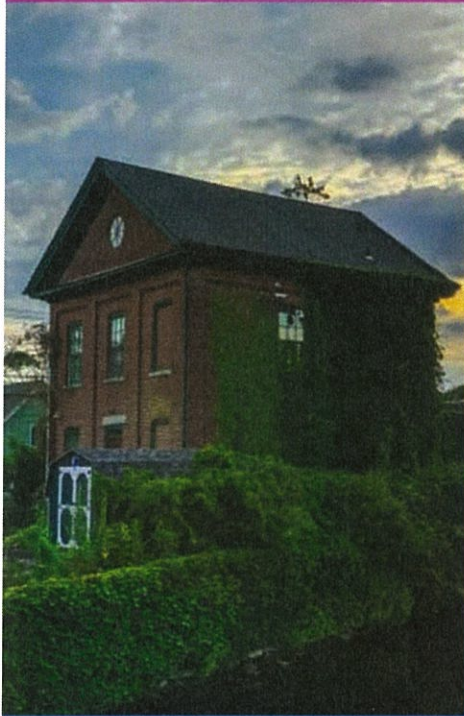
TIMBo|Trauma Responsive Innovations for Mind and Body





**ADDRESS:**  
**Griswold Youth Center**  
**68 Ashland Street**  
**Jewett City**

**SHARE WITH  
THOSE WHO  
NEED HELP!**



**FEED THE NEED**

**FOOD**

**DRINKS + MORE!**

**WEATHER PERMITTING**

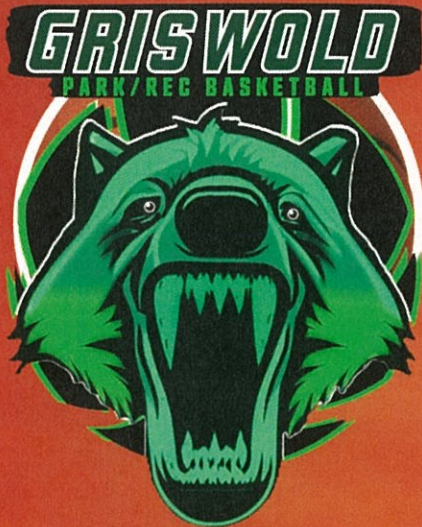
**SATURDAY  
OCTOBER 5TH  
12:00 - 2:15PM**

**MEALS & DRINKS  
PERSONAL CARE FOOD PANTRY +  
ADULT & CHILDREN CLOTHING!**





# OCTOBER PROGRAMS



**Free to Try-Out**

**\$140 = Residents**  
**\$155 = Non-Residents**  
**(if selected to be on the team)**

**Includes:**  
**Reversible Jersey + Shorts**  
**(\$105 uniform included)**  
**+ CBC League/Playoff/Ref Fees**  
**& Tournament Fees**

**TOP 10**  
**PLAYERS SELECTED**

## TRAVEL TEAM TRYOUTS

-  **Girls Grades 7/8 @ 8:30 am**
-  **Girls Grades 5/6 @ 9:45 am**
-  **Girls Grades 3/4 @ 11:00 am**

**OCT. 19**  
**@ GES**

-  **Boys Grades 3/4 @ 12:30 pm**
-  **Boys Grades 5/6 @ 1:45 pm**
-  **Boys Grades 7/8 @ 3:00 pm**

**OCT. 19**  
**@ GHS**  
**(location & times changed)**

**HIGHLY COMPETITIVE!**

**BOYS = CT BASKETBALL CONFERENCE!**

**GIRLS = S.E.C.T. LEAGUE**

**PLAYING TIME BASED ON SKILL LEVEL**

**2 PRACTICES A WEEK PLUS 1 (OR MORE) GAMES**

**REPRESENTING GRISWOLD VS. THE BEST IN THE STATE!**

**PREPARING FUTURE**  
**GMS/GHS WOLVERINES!**

HEAD COACH WILL BE CHOSEN BASED ON TEAM'S ROSTER

ALL TOWNS ARE WELCOME TO TRYOUT

IF YOUR CHILD IS NOT SELECTED... WE HAVE AN IN-HOUSE REC LEAGUE (DEADLINE: OCT. 27)

PRACTICE STARTS (AROUND FOOTBALL / SOCCER / GMS TEAM SCHEDULE) MID-OCT TIL MID-MARCH.

INCLUDES PRESEASON, SEASON PLAY & PLAYOFFS. ALL PRACTICES WILL BE SCHEDULED AROUND GRISWOLD MIDDLE SCHOOL SCHEDULE SO PLAYERS CAN BE ON BOTH TEAMS.

DATE WAS CHOSEN WITH THE ADVICE OF GRISWOLD SOCCER & FOOTBALL CLUB'S PRESIDENTS. SOCCER/ FOOTBALL TEAMS WILL NOT HAVE PRACTICE/GAME THAT DAY.

**ALL INFO @ GRISWOLDREC.ORG**





**GRISWOLDREC.ORG**



**DEADLINE: OCT. 27**  
**LATE FEE: +20**

PLEASE NOTE:  
WE HAVE SOLD OUT IN THE PAST, SIGN UP ASAP!

FREE PHOTO FOR ALL PLAYERS!  
INCLUDES TEAM SHIRT! INCLUDES REF FEES  
(\$10 sibling discount)

## **BOYS REC. BBALL – SEASON STARTS AFTER FOOTBALL**

### **BOYS REC IN-HOUSE LEAGUE**

### **LEAGUE MAY CHANGE DUE TO ENROLLMENT & COACHES**

GRADES K/1 WILL BE ON SUNDAY MORNINGS (8:10-9:10 or 9:15-10:15 am)  
GRADES 2 - 8 WILL BE MOSTLY ON SATURDAYS  
(MAYBE A SUNDAY... IF MORE THAN 4 TEAMS PER DIVISION)  
(NEW) WILL BE PLAYING SURROUNDING TOWNS (NOT CBC OR AAU)  
(FYI) NOT LIKE LAST YEAR... THESE GAME WILL BE REC (BEGINNERS & UP)  
(NEW) MAY HAVE A FEW AWAY GAMES THAT YOU WILL HAVE TO TRAVEL TO  
LEAGUE: EARLY NOVEMBER TIL LATE FEBRUARY

GRISWOLD STUDENTS =  
\$90 PER PLAYER

NON-RESIDENTS =  
\$110 PER PLAYER

(NEW LAYOUT)  
DIVISIONS  
COED K  
GRADES 1/2  
GRADES 3/4  
GRADES 5/6  
GRADES 7/8

## **GIRLS BBALL – SEASON STARTS AFTER CHEER**

### **GIRLS REC IN-HOUSE LEAGUE**

### **LEAGUE MAY CHANGE DUE TO ENROLLMENT & COACHES**

PRACTICE/GAMES SUNDAYS (MAY CHANGE DUE TO ENROLLMENT)  
(NEW) WILL BE PLAYING SURROUNDING TOWNS (NOT CBC OR AAU)  
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(NEW LAYOUT)  
DIVISIONS  
COED K  
GRADES 1/2  
GRADES 3/4  
GRADES 5/6  
GRADES 7/8

**SPONSORS NEEDED**  
**\$150 A TEAM**

INCLUDES BOTH YOUTH BBALL (PICK TEAM)  
& WHOLE ADULT BBALL LEAGUE!

**COACHES NEEDED**

[TEXT: YOUR NAME, TEAM AGES  
YOU WISH TO COACH, BOYS OR  
GIRLS & CHILD'S NAME IF PLAYING]



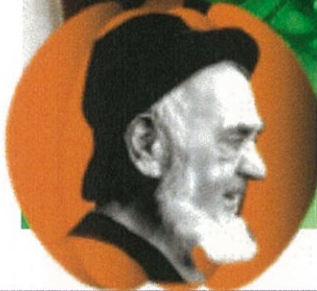
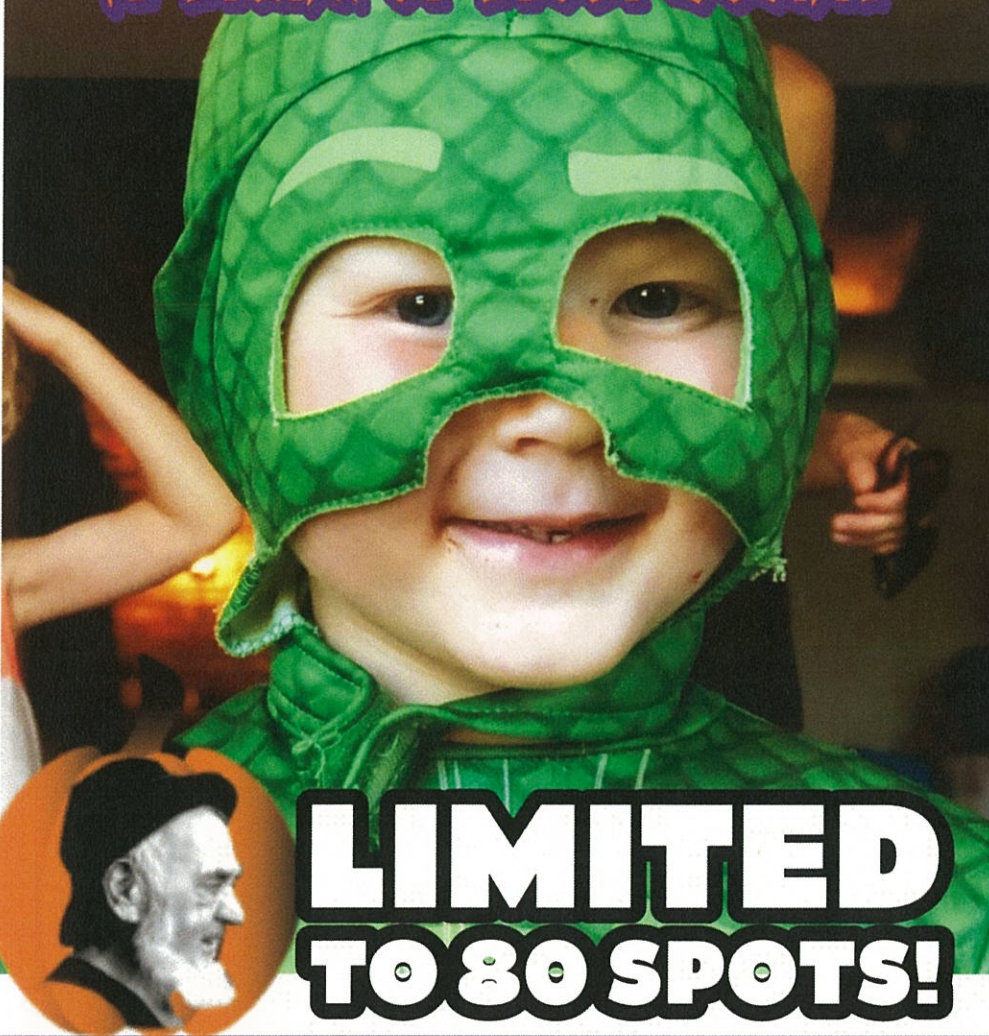
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RYAN AUBIN  
860.213.1524



**SATURDAY, OCT. 19**

# **SPOOKTOPIA**

**A Trunk or Treat Event!**



**LIMITED  
TO 80 SPOTS!**

**SIGN UP: GRISWOLDREC.ORG  
OR TEXT: 860.213.1524**

**TRUNKORTREAT:  
6-8 PM**

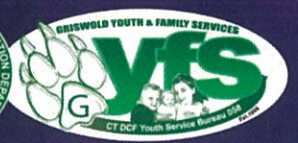
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VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK  
GPS:  
68 ASHLAND STREET, JEWETT CITY

**WE NEED  
TRUNKERS!**

**Vendors** **NO-SELLING  
VENDORS WELCOME!  
PROMOTE YOUR  
BUSINESS!  
HAND OUT INFO TO  
THOUSANDS!**

**FAMILIES &  
GROUPS WELCOME!**

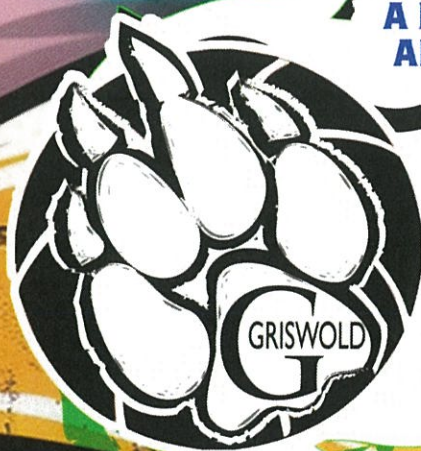
**WHY SIGN UP?**  
- TRUNKER ONLY SESSION B4 CROWD!  
- GREAT GROUP/FAMILY ACTIVITY  
- YOUR KIDS WILL THANK YOU!







# NOVEMBER PROGRAMS



A REC LEAGUE FOR  
ALL SKILL LEVELS

**GRISWOLD**  
PARK&REC/YOUTH&FAMILY  
**BBALL**  
GRISWOLDREC.ORG

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AGES 5/6 WILL BE ON SUNDAY MORNINGS  
AGES 7/8 & 9/10 ON SATURDAYS MORNING/AFTERNOON  
AGES 11&UP WILL BE ON SAT'S AFTER 1 PM (SOME SUNDAYS IF 4+ TEAMS)  
PARENT FRIENDLY 1-DAY A WEEK SCHEDULE  
LEAGUE: EARLY NOVEMBER TIL LATE FEBRUARY

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GRADES 1/2  
GRADES 3/4  
GRADES 5/6  
GRADES 7/8

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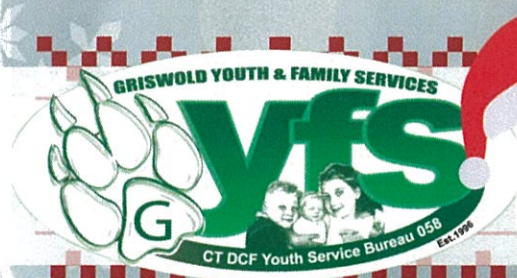
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Partnership with:  
JC Fire Dept & Resident Troopers  
School Social Workers  
Griswold Youth Center

**AGES**  
**CHILDREN**  
**13&UNDER**

**GRISWOLD**  
**JEWETT CITY**  
**LISBON & VOLUNTOWN**



# HOLIDAY HELPERS

**SPONSOR A CHILD?**  
**GO TO: [GRISWOLDREC.ORG](http://GRISWOLDREC.ORG)**

**FAMILIES START  
ENROLLING IN  
NOVEMBER!**

**HOW TO SIGN UP  
YOUR FAMILY?**

**Ask School Counselor  
&  
New Born to Age 3  
Stop by Youth Center  
(M>F 2 - 5 pm)**

**SUPPLYING GIFTS FOR  
HUNDREDS OF KIDS**



**WE APPRECIATE OUR MANY WONDERFUL DONORS!**





D/E/F  
Services Group, Ltd.



*Steinhagen Pottery*  
*Traditional Redware Rediscovered*



## DETAILS

**JAN 7- FEB 27**  
**TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS**  
**5:45 - 7:00 PM @ GHS GYM**

**COED GRADES:**  
**2ND - 5TH**

**RESIDENTS: \$40**  
**NON-RESIDENTS: \$50**  
**(INCLUDES SHIRT)**

**COACHES NEEDED! MUST BE EXPERIENCED.**

**TEXT RYAN AUBIN: 860.213.1524**

## OVERVIEW:

Wrestling clinics, practices & a season-ending tournament  
Short sessions teaching basics of wrestling, as well as physical fitness  
and sportsmanship.

**Deadline to Pay & Sign Up: Dec. 19th to get a shirt!**  
**+\$10 late fee after the 19th!**

## FYI:

**AT-SHIRT & SHORTS ARE TO BE WORN. BRING A WATER BOTTLE.**  
**WRESTLING SHOES ENCOURAGED BUT NOT REQUIRED.**  
**PARENTS ARE NOT REQUIRED TO STAY DUE TO LIMITED SPACE OF THE WRESTLING ROOM.**  
**BRING IN WRESTLING SHOES TO CHANGE INTO TO HELP KEEP MATS CLEAN.**

**REGISTER @ GRISWOLDREC.ORG**





GRISWOLD PARK&REC / YOUTH&FAMILY

# SNOWFLAKE PARADISE

**SAT. NOV. 23**  
**4 PM**

**Sunset Parade Route:**

**Start @ GMS to Slater Ave, Main St. Ashland St.,  
Pleasant View, Ann St., return to GMS**



**MEET:  
SANTA &  
MRS. CLAUS**

**@ VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK  
68 ASHLAND ST. JEWETT CITY**

  
**Jewett City**  
Savings Bank  
Since 1873

- Group ages: 3 & under, 4-6, 7-10
- Must live in Borough or Town of Griswold
- Must be accompanied by a parent or guardian
- Can decorate wagon, tricycle, bicycle, scooter, carriage (nothing motorized)
- Winners will be announced at park
- Judging at 4pm, arrive at Bank parking lot at 3:30pm
- Cash prize for one winner in each age group

## DECORATING CONTEST

## BE IN THE PARADE!

Businesses, Scouts, Organizations,  
Floats, Walkers & All Vehicle Types!



Best in Show Winners  
will Be Announced at GMS!



Quick Sign Up:  
go to: [griswoldrec.org](http://griswoldrec.org)  
& click "snowflake sign up"

Questions: Text 860.213.1524

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# MARCH PROGRAMS



## Mona Lisa Studio

CULTIVATING CREATIVE MINDS

### After School Art Clubs

Grades 3&4 Fantasy Art  
Wednesdays: March 12, 19, 26 & Monday 31

Grades 5-8 Glow Art  
Mondays: March 3, 10, 17, 24  
Deadline: Feb. 28th

**\$20**  
PER STUDENT

## GETTING CRAFTY with Olivia

**5-Days of Creativity!**  
**March 17 - 21**  
**Youth Center Members**  
**Grades 5-8**

## CHOCOLATE CONFECTIONS



**TUESDAYS:**  
**3:30-4:30 PM**

**GRADES: 2-4**

**FEB 25 & MARCH 4, 11, 18**

**Resident's Fee: \$77.00**

JOIN FOOD EXPLORERS FOR A CELEBRATION OF CHOCOLATE! EACH WEEK YOU'LL MAKE A DELICIOUSLY SWEET CHOCOLATE CONFECTION. YOU'LL BE MAKING: CHOCOLATE PANCAKE TACOS, CHOCOLATE MINI DONUTS WITH CHOCOLATE GLAZE, CHOCOLATE STRAWBERRY CHEESECAKE CUPS, CHOCOLATE ORANGE PIES. ALL RECIPES ARE NUT-FREE BUT MAY CONTAIN DAIRY, EGGS, AND GLUTEN.

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# FEBRUARY MARCH PROGRAMS



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3:30-4:30 PM**

**GRADES: 2-4**

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# GRISWOLD & LISBON PICKLEBALL CLUB

Various Days Available

We love to see new faces and all levels are welcome! This is a just for fun meetup league!

## How to Play?

- Download TEAMREACH App
- Use Code: LM169
- Locations in both Towns.
- Griswold will supply Waivers to be signed before playing.



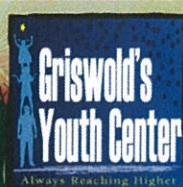
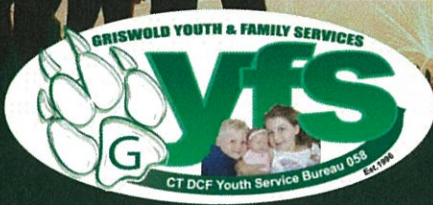
SIGN WAIVER







**IMAGINE YOUR LOGO ON A FLIER/SOCIAL ACCOUNTS THAT THOUSANDS WILL SEE... OR YOUR NAME ON THE BACK OF LITTLE JOLENE'S JERSEY WHEN SHE HITS THE GAME WINNING SHOT?**



# SPONSORS NEEDED

## Community Outreach Events

## Level



## Sponsorship Levels

- |   |       |
|---|-------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hopeville 5k - Vampire Run (Oct. 6) @ 1 pm       | G S B |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Spooktopia! (Oct. 19) @ 6 pm                     | G S B |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Snowflake Parade! (Nov. 23)                      | G S B |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Eggtopia! (April 12) @ 9 am                      | G S B |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community Yard Sale & Concerts (May 3) @ 11 am   | G S B |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Youthtopia! - Fireworks & Food Festival (May 17) | G S B |
| <input type="checkbox"/> "Comedy for a Cause": (June 6)                   | G S B |

(G) GOLD: \$350

Includes:

- Your Logo included on all promotions (Includes Paper & Digital)
- Social Media Campaign
- Gold Sponsors Only Digital Campaign

(S) SILVER: \$200

Includes:

- Your Logo included on all promotions (Includes Paper & Digital)

(B) BRONZE: \$100

Includes:

- Name of your business (no logo) on all promotions (Includes Paper & Digital)

## Social Outreach Opportunities (You Choose the Amount)

- ☐ Holiday Helpers Christmas Program: \$\_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Sponsor a Child to Participant: \$\_\_\_\_\_ (includes any of the programs, you can choose)
- ☐ Donation to the Griswold Youth Center: \$\_\_\_\_\_

## Community Sport Programs

- ☐ Griswold Youth + Adult Basketball: \$150.00  
(Includes: Both Youth Bball = Sponsor Individual Team + Adult Bball = Sponsor Whole League)
- ☐ Griswold Youth Wrestling: \$100.00  
(Sponsor Whole League)

## Business Info

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Sponsorship:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## Payment Options

### By Check:

**Pay to:** Town of Griswold  
(write "Sponsor" on Memo Line)  
**Mail To:** Griswold Park&Rec  
28 Main St., Jewett City, CT 06351

### By Card:

**Go to:** [Griswoldrec.org](http://Griswoldrec.org) & click "Sponsor Us!"

Thank you for supporting us!  
We just need some info. :-)





# APRIL 12, 2025

Held @ GES / 9 AM - 12 PM

**CRAFTS, DANCING & GAMES! PHOTOS + EASTER BUNNY!**



## EGGtopia

rain or shine

**Community Egg Hunt**

**EGG  
HUNTS**



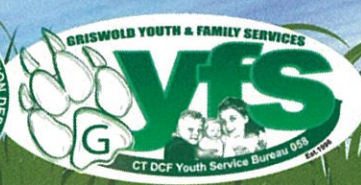
**SENSORY FRIENDLY  
(ALL AGES) @ 9 - 10 am**



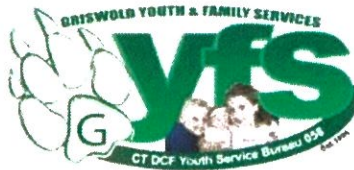
**AGES 1 - 4 @ 10:30 am  
AGES 5-9 @ 11:30 am**

**please limit to 12 eggs**

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# MUSIC IN THE PARK

**MAY 3: 10 AM - 3 PM FREE FAMILY FUN**



## COMMUNITY YARD SALE

**MAY 3: 7 AM - 3 PM \$10 SPOTS - LIMITED**

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**SAT.**  
**MAY 17**

**HELD AT: VETERAN'S MEMORIAL PARK GPS: 68 Ashland Street, Jewett City**

**FREE ACTIVITIES: 4 - 7 PM**  
**FOOD TRUCK FESTIVAL : 4 - 10 PM**  
**FIREWORKS : 8:30 PM**

**CALLING ALL NON-PROFITS! FREE SPOTS & WILL BE ON THE SCAVENGER HUNT!**  
**FOOD TRUCKS WANTED! \$75 FOR A SPOT, LIMITED SPOTS, FIRST COME FIRST BOOK**  
**SIGN UP AT: [GRISWOLDREC.ORG](http://GRISWOLDREC.ORG)**



# WELLNESS/EXERCISE/FITNESS LOCAL OPTIONS

Kokondo Karate

Monday/Thursday @ 7 pm

Call Tom: 860.376.5680

Held at: River Church, 32 School St., Jewett City

Aerobics/Pilates

Monday/Thursdays @ 5:30 pm

Call Tory: 860.859.7922

Held at: River Church, 32 School St., Jewett City

Yoga

Mondays @ 5:45

Call Erica: 860.608.2449

Held at: 879 Voluntown Road

Local Gym/Fitness Center

CT Barbell

Open 7-Days a Week

Call: 860.591.1075

Located in Slater Mill:

39 Wedgewood Drive, Jewett City

Aerial Arts Fitness

(860) 367-2302

Located in Slater Mill:

39 Wedgewood Drive, Jewett City

Local Professional Trainer/Fitness Center

Sessions Wellness Studios

Call Kris: 860.917.0744

Located: 461 Voluntown Road, Jewett City

Local Professional Classes/Fitness Center

Body Love Fit

Call Bonny: 860.608.8198

Located in Slater Mill:

39 Wedgewood Drive, Jewett City

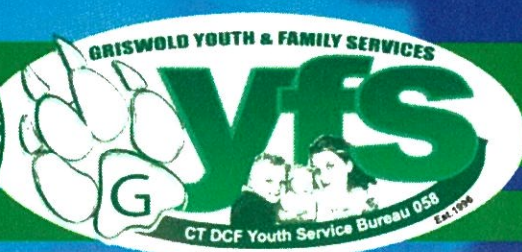
ALL YOUTH  
SPORTS:

[griswoldrec.org](http://griswoldrec.org)

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SPORTS,  
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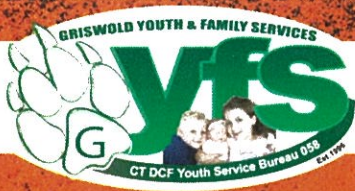
Griswold Nutrition  
Drinks, Snacks +  
More  
(860) 382-9231  
In Slater Mill, 39  
Wedgewood  
Drive

# WOLVERINE FIT



SUPPORTING  
LOCAL BUSINESS  
[GRISWOLDREC.ORG](http://GRISWOLDREC.ORG)





# OCTOBER EVENTS

## HOPEVILLE ~5K VAMPIRE RUN/WALK

RESIDENTS = \$30 PER RUNNER  
NON-RESIDENTS = \$40 PER RUNNER

OFFICIALLY TIMED BY:  
TIME TO TRI, LLC

LATE ENROLLMENT = \$10  
(DOES NOT INCLUDE SHIRT, CUSTOM  
BIB OR SURPRISES)

SUNDAY, OCT. 6, 2024  
@ HOPEVILLE STATE PARK  
RACE STARTS AT 1:00 PM



DEADLINE : FRIDAY, SEPT 20 BY NOON  
INCLUDES: SHIRT, CUSTOM BIB & SURPRISES

SAT., OCT. 19



## SPOOKTOPIA A Trunk or Treat Event!

WE NEED  
TRUNKERS!  
6-8PM

HELD AT:  
VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK  
GPS: 68 ASHLAND STREET, JEWETT CITY

**Vendors**  
NO-SELLING  
VENDORS WELCOME!  
PROMOTE YOUR  
BUSINESS!  
HAND OUT INFO TO  
THOUSANDS!

FAMILIES & GROUPS WELCOME!

### WHY SIGN UP?

- TRUNKER ONLY SESSION B4 CROWD!
- GREAT GROUP/FAMILY ACTIVITY
- YOUR KIDS WILL THANK YOU!

SUN. OCT. 27  
6 - 8PM

## JEWETT CITY VAMPIRES

Free Event! Sign Up @ [griswoldrec.org](http://griswoldrec.org)

Hosted by:  
Thomas D'Agostino

STARTS AT:  
JEWETT CITY CEMETARY  
@ END OF ANTHONY ST.  
(nearby parking available)

Historical Cemetery Walk n' Talk  
Focused on the Ray Family's Legend!

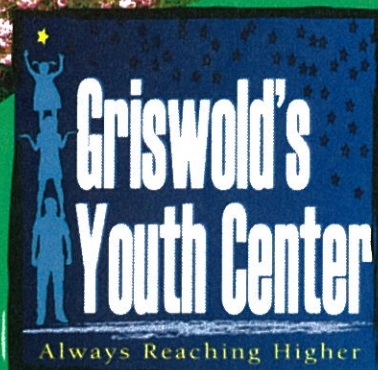
Sponsors Needed!

ALL INFO @ [GRISWOLDREC.ORG](http://GRISWOLDREC.ORG)



# MULTIPLE SEASON PROGRAMMING

students may be dropped  
off or take GMS bus



5TH - 8TH GRADE  
**AGE: 10-13**  
**2-5PM**

**STOP BEING  
BORED**  
AFTER SCHOOL!

**FREE AFTERSCHOOL CHILD CARE**  
**MONDAY - FRIDAY! ALL SCHOOL YEAR!**  
**OPEN SPRING BREAK + HALF DAYS**



**FOCUS ON:**  
**S.T.E.A.M. & ROBOTICS**

**4-H CLUB**  
**@ GRISWOLD YOUTH CENTER**

**NOV. 7, 21 DEC. 5, 19 JAN. 9, 23 FEB 13, 27**  
**MARCH 13, 27 APRIL 10, 24 MAY 8, 22**

**FEE = \$180.00 FOR ALL SCHOOL YEAR**  
**GRADES: 5-8TH 3:30 - 5:00 PM**



## HIP HOP DANCE

**HELD @ GMS CAFE**  
**AFTERSCHOOL TIL 4:15 PM**  
**14 SESSIONS**

**WEDNESDAY**  
**OCT - MAY**  
**Total Fee: \$120**

**ENROLL: [GRISWOLDREC.ORG](http://GRISWOLDREC.ORG)**



# **NON-PROFIT YOUTH SPORTS**

**REC BBALL  
TRAVEL BBALL**

**Town of Griswold  
Park & Rec**

**[griswoldrec.org](http://griswoldrec.org)**

**WRESTLING  
CLUB**

**Town of Griswold  
Park & Rec**

**[griswoldrec.org](http://griswoldrec.org)**

**FOOTBALL  
FLAG & CHEER**

**[griswoldyouthfootballandcheer.com](http://griswoldyouthfootballandcheer.com)**

**SOCCER  
OUT/INDOOR**

**[griswoldsoccer.org](http://griswoldsoccer.org)**

**T-BALL  
SOFT/BASEBALL**

**[jewettcitylittleleague.org](http://jewettcitylittleleague.org)**

**LACROSSE  
CLUB**

**[norwichyouthlacrosse.org](http://norwichyouthlacrosse.org)**

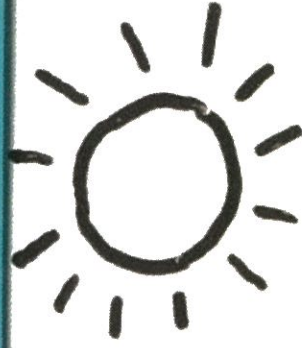




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Learn more: Text Kristi  
860.949.7657