

YOUR BIWEEKLY UPDATE ON GLENVILLE STATE COLLEGE A COMMUNICATION TO ALUMNI AND FRIENDS ABOUT EVENTS AND PEOPLE IN THE NEWS



Alumni Spotlight

Amy (Riddle) Chapman '08 has been selected by the GSC Alumni Association as the 2019 Outstanding Teacher Award Recipient.

Amy recently finished her ninth year as the health and physical education teacher at Gilmer County High School in Glenville, West Virginia. Chapman also serves as the varsity girls basketball coach at GCHS.

While a student at GSC, she was a member of Steve Harold's Lady Pioneer Basketball Team. During this time, the Lady Pioneers were breaking school records, consistently making appearances in the NCAA Tournament, had the longest home winning streak in

Alumni Invited to Sponsor GSC Canopy at Football Games

A note from GSC Alumni Council President Maureen (Kraus) Gildein '82



We are very near the

beginning of another high school and college football season. The Alumni Association will again be sponsoring our GSC Alumni Canopy at various high school and GSC home and away football games. This is a request for you to help us promote and support the Blue & White by scheduling the GSC Canopy at a high school or GSC game in your area!

Our goal is to make the Blue & White visible to prospective GSC students and to reconnect with our GSC alumni and friends! Last football season the GSC Canopy was on many high school campuses reconnecting with our alumni and handing out recruiting literature. The project works best if a graduate from the local area is hosting because they know other GSC alumni and high school students attending the game.

The suggested process is for you to select the game, either high school or college, you would attend and set up the GSC Canopy, usually arriving one hour prior to game time. We ask for you to contact the local high school asking permission to attend and to seek advice as to set-up location on their campus. The Alumni office will provide various GSC items (small footballs, cups, pens, program information, etc.) and, as often as possible this year, a representative from the Admissions Office will attend to answer questions for prospective students. This project has been very successful due to the many alumni that have participated! The Alumni Division II, and completed their fifth undefeated home season.

Chapman's most defining moment as a teacher and a coach came in 2016 when she led the GCHS Lady Titans to their first ever Class A State Basketball Championship. This past season, her impressive coaching led her young team to claiming the IOGA Classic Class A Championship and competing in the Little Kanawha Conference (LKC) Championship Game.

Amy is a two-time recipient of the LKC Coach of the Year Award, the NFHS Coaches Association State Coach of the Year recipient, and was the LKC All Sports Coach of the Year in 2016.

Outside of teaching and coaching, Amy is a member of Chestnut Grove Baptist Church and enjoys staying active outdoors while working on the Chapman Farm. Exercise and fitness remain part of her daily routine along with spending time with her family.

We are proud to have Amy as our 2019 Outstanding Teacher Award Recipient and proud to feature her in this week's Alumni Spotlight.

Want to host a GSC Alumni & office will send email notification to alumni in the area prior to you attending the game.

If you are willing to host the GSC Canopy at a game please, contact me at <u>mkgildein@yahoo.com</u> or by calling (336) 909-3524.

Thanks in advance for your participation!



Alumni and Friends Summer Picnic

You're invited to join fellow Pioneers on Sunday, August 11 beginning at 5:00 p.m. for a GSC Alumni Summer Picnic! The event will be held on Clark Hall Lawn on campus and is free and open to all GSC alumni and friends.

Make plans to join us for an evening filled with great food, lawn games, and Pioneer spirit!

For more information, contact GSC Alumni Director Conner Ferguson by <u>clicking here</u> or by calling (304) 462-6116.

Friends Event in your area?

Click here to let us know!





GSC Alumni Meet in Roane County

On Thursday, July 18 GSC Alumni and Friends in Roane County gathered at the Chestnut Ridge Winery for an evening of reconnecting and sharing memories from their time at Glenville State.

Click here to view photos from the event.

Join our growing group today! Membership starts at \$100.





Sunday, August 11 5:00PM GSC Alumni & Friends Summer Picnic

Wednesday, August 14 5:00 PM GSC Night at Lambert's Winery

Monday, August 19 Fall Semester Begins

Friday, September 20 Dueling Pianos Event

Saturday, September 21 Hall of Fame Weekend

Saturday, October 19 Homecoming



Keep in touch with us so we can keep in touch with you!

Have your moved recently? Married? Gotten a new e-mail address? Received a promotion or taken on a new career path? Added a new bundle of joy to your family? Celebrated a milestone anniversary? Been honored with an award or accolade?

We want to know what is happening with our GSC alumni and their families.

<u>Click here</u> to submit your update.





GoMart - \$15,000 for the Pioneer Athletic Club

Rodney Skidmore '79 - \$2,000 for the Pioneer Athletic Club

Rich '80 and Twila Heffelfinger - \$1,000 for the Board of Governor's Scholarship

Dr. William "Bill" '58 and Martha (Douglas) Deel '59 – \$900 for the Board of Governor's Scholarship

Tilden "Skip" '70 and Shirley (McIntyre) '68 Hackworth - \$500 for the Pioneer Athletic Club

Donald '66 and Carol Dooley - \$150 for the Pioneer Athletic Club

Judith (Davisson) Leggett '78 - \$150 for the Pioneer Marching Band

Jim '67 and Karen Scherr – \$150 for PAC Football

Michael K. Wilson '88 – \$150 for PAC Football



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