

# SUPPORT *the* EGR PIONEERS!



## THE GERKEN FUND SUPPORTS

Barwis Strength Training All Sports \$8,000  
 Kabookie Week Activities & Assemblies \$4,600  
 Middle School Athletic Scholarships \$2,000  
 Weight Room & Trainer's Room Equipment \$4,200

## TEAM BOOSTERS SUPPORTS

Team Uniforms \$44,000  
 (Cross Country, Field Hockey, Sailing, Volleyball,  
 Soccer, Tennis, Bowling, Ski, Basketball, Hockey,  
 Softball, Lacrosse, Track)

Barwis Strength Training All Sports \$12,000

Facility Rentals for Practices \$10,000  
 (Hockey, Tennis)

Team Equipment \$28,000  
 (Swim & Dive, Golf, Football, Water Polo, Basketball,  
 Wrestling, Crew, Lacrosse, Soccer, Baseball)

...and lots more!

*the 2018*  
**GERKEN OPEN**  
 2915 HALL STREET SE  
 GRAND RAPIDS, MI 49506

JOIN US FOR

*the 2018*  
**GERKEN OPEN**

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**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6, 2018**  
**THOUSAND OAKS GOLF CLUB**

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**NEW THIS YEAR!**  
**EARLY BIRDIE 9-HOLE**  
**MORNING EVENT**  
**IN ADDITION TO THE**  
**18-HOLE AFTERNOON EVENT.**

East Grand Rapids Team Boosters and  
 the East Grand Rapids Schools Foundation  
 in support of Athletics, Kabookie Week,  
 and The Jimmy Gerken Fund



# the 2018 GERKEN OPEN

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6, 2018  
THOUSAND OAKS GOLF CLUB

## GOLF

**8:00 a.m. Morning Golf Registration,  
Continental Breakfast & Auction**

**9:00 a.m. Shotgun start**

- or -

**11:30 a.m. Afternoon Golf Registration,  
Hot Dog Lunch & Auction**

**1:00 p.m. Shotgun Start**

Both events include:

4-Person Scramble, put a foursome together or we will assemble one for you.

Must be 21+ to play in the afternoon round;  
60+ play from gold tees.

Longest drive, closest to pin, putting contests, mulligans,  
hole-in-one and 50/50 raffle.

Tickets to outdoor patio happy hour from 5:30-8pm.

## EVENING FESTIVITIES

**5:30-8:00 p.m. Outdoor Patio Happy Hour**

Appetizers, Complimentary Beer, Wine, & Soda  
Awards, Live Music

Penny Auction and Silent Auction

Full Cash Bar

*We welcome and encourage friends and spouses  
to register and join us for happy hour.*

**JOIN US AS A SPONSOR**  
*at one of these donation levels.*

**Gold Sponsor: \$1,200**

- Recognition at event entrance and at the evening event,  
logo recognition on each golf cart GPS display and  
at the beginning of event.
- 4 golfers in outing and 4 happy hour tickets

**Blue Sponsor: \$600**

- Recognition at event entrance and at the evening event,  
logo recognition on each golf cart GPS display  
at hole that is sponsored.
- 2 golfers in outing and 2 happy hour tickets

**Event Sponsor: \$200**

- Recognition at the evening event and sign at the tee box.



## JIMMY GERKEN

Every child learns life lessons on the playing field or stage, where lasting friendships are formed and the values of teamwork, fair play, and commitment to achieve one's personal best can be experienced.

No one exemplified these values better than Jimmy Gerken. The self-appointed manager of every EGR team and biggest fan of every performance, Jimmy was a caring friend to everyone fortunate enough to meet him.

## THE JIMMY GERKEN FUND

The Jimmy Gerken Fund was established to remember Jimmy and his values for human dignity, while ensuring that EGR athletics and co-curriculars—the activities Jimmy loved most—remain an integral part of our students' education by providing enhancements that are not possible in the general school district budget. With this fund, our students will continue to experience personal excellence, just as Jimmy would have wanted.

The Gerken Open proceeds support The Jimmy Gerken Fund, Kabookie Week, and current athletic department needs. We ask you to join us in supporting all that Jimmy stood for: compassion, competition, and doing one's personal best.

## EGR TEAM BOOSTERS

The goal of the EGR Team Boosters is to support ALL athletic programs in our district. Our all-volunteer board is dedicated to making athletics an easy choice for our students. Lifelong relationships made through athletics can be an integral part of the educational process.

The EGR Team Boosters is proud to support our student athletes by raising funds for:

- Strength and conditioning program
- Uniforms, equipment, and supplies
- Sports injury prevention and support

EGR Team Boosters needs both your financial and volunteer support to continue our excellence in school spirit and participation.

## REGISTER

FOR THE 2018 GERKEN OPEN

BEFORE MAY 30, 2018

(MAX OF 120 GOLFERS FOR EACH SHOTGUN START)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Teammates \_\_\_\_\_

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**I/We would like to sponsor The 2018 Gerken Open**

- ☐ Gold Sponsor \$1,200 - 4 golfers
- ☐ Blue Sponsor \$600 - 2 golfers
- ☐ Event Sponsor \$200

**Golf and Happy Hour Reservations:**

**MORNING** includes continental breakfast, 9 holes golf, cart, hot dog lunch, outdoor patio happy hour, team photo, gift

\_\_\_\_\_ x \$100 per person\* = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**AFTERNOON** includes hot dog lunch, 18 holes golf, cart, outdoor patio happy hour, team photo, gift

\_\_\_\_\_ x \$150 per person\* = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

(\*Fee for current EGRHS coaches - \$50 morning and \$75 afternoon)

**Happy Hour Only Reservations:**

Summer casual dress; appetizers and complimentary beer, wine, and soda.

\_\_\_\_\_ x \$40 per person = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Names attending Happy Hour only: \_\_\_\_\_

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**We are unable to attend,**

but please accept this donation: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total amount:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Sign-up online at [www.egrsf.org](http://www.egrsf.org)  
or mail form with check payable to:**

**THE JIMMY GERKEN FUND**

East Grand Rapids Schools Foundation

2915 Hall St. SE, East Grand Rapids, MI 49506

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