# Senior Parking Spot Painting 2023-24

Grand Valley Local School District is allowing senior students to paint their own parking spot for the 2023-24 school year. This activity is aimed at improving school pride and camaraderie. Senior students can "own" a piece of the school during their senior year.

**<u>GRIDIRON CLUB FUNDRAISER</u>**: Purchasing a Reserved Senior Parking Space allows the purchasing senior student to personalize their assigned space by painting it. Funds raised will be used for the Gridiron Club. Reserving and painting parking spaces is a *privilege rather than a right*. This fundraising opportunity will benefit many students, and also provide convenience not previously afforded. "NON-RESERVED" or "General" parking spaces will continue to be available for senior students who do not wish to purchase and decorate a parking spot.

**IMPORTANT:** To receive a senior parking spot for painting, the senior student must present the student/parent agreement and design request completed, \$50.00 payment, and a signed parking permit form from the guidance office to the office or Mr. Nims for the reserved senior spot as well as verification of purchase of a 2023-24 school parking permit.

#### **REQUIREMENTS:**

- Only GVHS seniors may purchase reserved parking spot. Students will provide proof of purchasing a GVHS parking permit. Initial parking permit is \$12 and \$6 for renewal. Students will pay an additional \$50.00 to paint their parking spot. As well as a \$25 deposit that will be refunded in the spring after clean-up of the space is completed. Clean up must be completed NO later than the Friday following the Graduation Ceremony.
- Student and their parent/guardian(s) will sign a contract to agree to all guidelines and rules.
- Student must have cleared any financial obligations/fines prior to purchasing a senior parking spot.

### PARKING SPOT DESIGN PROPOSAL

- Students will submit their drawn proposal of the parking space designs (including colors) to <u>MR. NIMS no</u> <u>later than Friday August 11th via email (clint.nims@grandvalley.school), or you can drop it off at the HS</u> <u>office from 8/1-8/11</u>.
- Submissions will be reviewed by the GVHS administration for approval. Any questionable designs will be discussed and evaluated. GVHS administration has the discretion to approve or deny.
- Variation from the approved design proposal will warrant surrender of the reserved space for the remainder of the school year and forfeiture of the fee (no refunds of school parking pass or painted parking fee).
- Refunds will not be submitted if a student shall un-enroll from GVHS.
- A copy of the design proposal will be kept on file with the student's parking permit information.
- Senior parking design request sheet must be done in color and must represent exactly what will be painted on your parking space to be accepted.
  - o The following will be prohibited for the designs:
    - No offensive language, pictures or symbols.
    - No negative or rude language.
    - No "gang-style tagging".
    - No double entendres (word or phrase open to two interpretations, one of which is usually risqué, indecent, offensive, or eludes to inappropriate/illegal behavior).
- Painted parking spot design will not exceed the length of the white painted parking lines.
- All designs must be painted within the 6" border of the designated paint area of the parking spot.

- Students must use a water-based latex exterior paint ONLY.
  - o Students MUST purchase their own paint and supplies.
  - o Students may only use the colors on their parking spot that are approved/submitted in their colored designed proof.
    - Home Depot, Lowes, Sherwin Williams, Ace Hardware, Dollar Tree, Target or Walmart for painting supplies (consider sharing colors with peers)
  - o Students will not use "Striping Paint" or any other "Raised" paint or Roofing Tar-it either peels up or is difficult to paint over next year.
  - o NO spray paint, glitter, textured paint.
  - $\circ$   $\,$  No handicapped parking spaces can be used.
- Students will paint inside of designated design areas (see template provided).
- Students will not cover **YELLOW** painted parking lines.
- Students must paint over their design with approved black water-based latex exterior paint by the Friday following the Graduation Ceremony.

### PAINTING DAYS (weather permitting)

- GV Gridiron Club, and parent chaperones, will oversee the students on the designated painting day
  - o 8:00 AM on Friday August 18th
- Students must only paint in their assigned spot (a lottery system will be used to determine spots)
- Students must get their paint checked by GVHS Administration before beginning.
  - Proof of purchase of correct paint (receipt/unopened approved paint) will be requested for open cans. You may purchase WATER-BASED EXTERIOR LATEX paint at retail stores like Sherwin Williams, Lowes, or Home Depot.
  - o ONLY correctly labeled paint will be allowed to be used.
- All painting must be completed on designated painting day(s).
- Each spot that has been purchased and assigned will be chalked with 6" border by the Gridiron Club

### SUGGESTED SUPPLY LIST:

- **<u>1</u>**. Copy of approved design to use as a template
- 2. Approved Paint
- 3. A broom to sweep off parking spot prior to painting
- 4. Paint brushes/rollers/sponge S. Painters tape/stencils
- 5. Water bucket for dirty brushes
- 6. Tray(s) for paint
- 7.\_\_Chalk (sketch out design)
- 8.\_\_Towels/Blankets to sit on
- 9. Lawn Chairs
- 10. Pop-Up Tents for shade
- 11. Sunscreen
- 12. Trash Bags
- 13. Paper Towels
- 14. Water and snacks

### DISCIPLINE:

- Any Grand Valley High School student who paints a parking spot without permission or vandalizes a senior parking spot will lose their parking privileges and face disciplinary action and consequences.
- The upkeep of the space is the responsibility of the student. If for some reason the space needs to be repainted (because of graffiti or other reason), the student should report to GVHS principal Ms. Cozad.
- If a student withdraws/removed from school due to disciplinary actions during the school year, the reserved parking space will be painted over with black water- based latex exterior paint and not resold.

- Prohibited or unapproved designs will be painted over at the discretion of the Principal. Disciplinary action may be taken, and the student may forfeit their right to a parking space and/or the right to drive on campus.
- Grand Valley High School will not be responsible for students who park in a reserved parking spot. If a student arrives at school and finds another vehicle parked in their reserved painted space, the student needs to:
  - o Put a "reminder slip" on the windshield that is provided by GVHS Admin in collaboration with GVGC: You may not be aware that this is a parking spot that is reserved for a senior. Thank you for not parking here in the future!
  - o Write down the parking GVHS parking tag number on the offender's car. ii. If there is no GVHS parking tag on their car, write down the license plate number, make, model, and color of the car.
  - o Take a picture of the car.
  - o The student will then need to park in an available (non-painted) senior parking space (not a reserved space) and bring the information to Mr. Nims. Do not make this a reason to be late to class!
  - o If the same car parks in your spot again email Mr. Nims with the offender's information that you have collected.

### TAKING OFF THE PAINT:

- Painted parking spots will need to be painted over by the Friday following the Graduation Ceremony.
  - o A day will be established for seniors to paint over their parking spots.
  - o If seniors do not paint over their spots, their \$25 deposit will be retained.
  - o GVGC will purchase the black paint and provide it to students in order to maintain a uniform color.

\*This is a reminder that parking spaces are only reserved for students during normal school hours, not for after school hour events.

### Senior Parking Spot Painting Student/Parent Agreement

Senior Reserved Painted Parking Spaces are available on a first-come, first-served basis. If you decide to purchase one of these spaces, please follow the instructions to purchase your parking spot. This form MUST be submitted to Mr. Nims no later than August 11th, 2023 along with \$50.00 payment to the Grand Valley Gridiron Club, as well as the \$25 deposit (refundable with the painting over the spot with black, water based latex paint).

| Student's Last Name:                                                                       | Student's First Name: |                                  |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|
| Grade: 12 <sup>th</sup> Grade/Seniors ONLY!                                                | Student ID #:         |                                  |
| Address:                                                                                   | City:                 |                                  |
| State: Zip: Cell Ph                                                                        | ione#: ()             |                                  |
| Driver's License #:                                                                        |                       |                                  |
| <b>IMPORTANT:</b> You are NOT permitted to app<br>GVHS Parking Permit, AND if you have any |                       | you have not purchased a 2023-24 |
| VEHICLE #1 INFORMATION:                                                                    |                       |                                  |
| Make:                                                                                      | Model:                | Year:                            |
| Color:                                                                                     | License Plate #:      |                                  |
| VEHICLE #2 INFORMATION:                                                                    |                       |                                  |
| Make:                                                                                      | Model:                | Year:                            |
| Color:                                                                                     | License Plate #:      |                                  |

We certify that the above information is correct and that the above student has a valid Driver's License or Interim Driver's License and applicable auto insurance. We have also read and understand the Issuing of Parking Permits and Parking Lot Rules and Regulations pages and agree to abide by these regulations and policies as well as those associated with Reserved Senior Parking Spaces.

**Student Signature** 

Parent/Guardian Signature (Required even if student is 18 years of age or older)

## **Senior Parking Spot Painting Design Request**

This design request form must be submitted to Mr. Nims or Ms. Cozad no later August 11th, 2023, along with payment of **\$50.00 to the Grand Valley Gridiron Club, along with a \$25 deposit**. Your design should be clearly drawn on this form and must include the colors you will be using on your parking space. Once your design has been reviewed, you will receive an email letting you know if it is acceptable or if any changes need to be made. All designs for Senior Reserved Parking Painted Spaces must be approved in advance by the school's Administration.

|          |              | Student Signature:    |                   |
|----------|--------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
|          |              | Student Cell Phone #: |                   |
| APPROVED | Approved By: | Date:                 | Student Notified: |
| DENIED   | Comments:    |                       |                   |
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