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## **Greendale Schools 80th Anniversary Celebration to Begin at Village Days School Tours, Alumni Video Booth Planned**

**Greendale, WI** -- Greendale Schools will launch its 80th school year celebration with school tours and an alumni video recording booth held during the Village of Greendale's annual Village Days on Saturday, August 11, 2018. 80th Anniversary t-shirts, sweatshirts, and travel mugs will be available for purchase in the Alumni Tent during the events and online following Village Days.

The district is opening the community schools for tours led by Greendale staff and students on Saturday, August 11, on the following schedule: Greendale High School, 6801 Southway, from 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. and Greendale Middle School, 6800 Schoolway, 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. All three elementary schools, Canterbury Elementary, 7000 Enfield Avenue, College Park Elementary, 5701 College Avenue, and Highland View Elementary, 5900 South 51st Street, will be open for tours from 1:00 to 2:30 p.m.

In addition to the tours, also on Saturday, August 11, Greendale alumni are invited to record a memory of their time as a student in the schools on video in the Alumni Video Booth, between 3:00 and 6:00 p.m. The booth will be set up on Parking Street, in the alleyway between the Panther Pub and the Greendale Public Health Department office.

"When Village was founded in 1938, establishing a school was one of the priorities of the developing community and a Greendale school was opened on September 6, 1938 welcoming students in Kindergarten through 9th grade," said Dr. Gary Kiltz, superintendent of schools. "Eighty years ago, Greendale residents understood the importance of education and that commitment to learning is ongoing. We are excited to welcome the community to their schools during Village Days and to celebrate with our alumni by learning more about how a Greendale education impacted their future."

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**ABOUT GREENDALE SCHOOLS:**

Established in 1938, Greendale Schools is home to more than 2,600 students. The District prides itself in providing an outstanding education for all students from Kindergarten through twelfth grade at Greendale High School, Greendale Middle School, and three elementary schools (Canterbury, College Park and Highland View). Greendale Schools, in partnership with students, families, and the community, is committed to developing leadership, creativity, and educational excellence. By creating multiple opportunities for learning, each student's unique abilities are developed to achieve success and contribute positively to our global society.