The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) – NOTICE

Good Will-Hinckley (GWH), also known as Good Will Home Association, maintains records of students and former students attending various programs and services on and off campus. GWH follows the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA), a federal law that protects the privacy of student educational records. The entire law can be found here: https://www2.ed.gov/policy/gen/guid/fpco/ferpa/index.html

Under the law, schools may disclose “directory” information such as: a student’s name, address, honors and awards, and dates of attendance. A parent/guardian or eligible student (student 18 years or older) may request in writing that GWH not disclose directory information about them by sending a notice to: Good Will-Hinckley, PO Box 159, 16 Prescott Drive, Hinckley, ME 04944.