



# Indianola High School Daily Announcements

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Day A: Periods 1-8

## GENERAL INFORMATION:

### ➤ **Remote students & parents:**

In reference to course registration for next year. You can pick up a course packet in the vestibule outside the main office starting February 1st. There will be grade level instructions attached. Write in your courses for next year and either return to the main office or scan and email to your counselor. Please contact your counselor for questions or more information.

**Deadlines for registrations are included with each packet. All must be completed by March 5th at the latest.**

## STUDENTS:

- **INDIVIDUAL SPEECH CONTEST:** Have you ever wanted to host your own radio news show? Have you wanted to have your own solo show on stage? Now's your chance! **Signups for Individual Speech Contest will be on Wednesday and Thursday at 2:45 PM In the PD rooms by the main office.** Favorite Categories include acting, improv, original oratory, poetry/prose, radio news, solo musical theatre, and many others. **Help our team make All State for the 4th year in a row!**

## SENIORS:

- **SENIOR TSHIRTS:** Seniors, check your emails for the link to order your senior t-shirt. Deadline to order is February 7<sup>th</sup>. Orders should be ready for pickup on February 18. Please look for an email from Embark Ink when shirts are ready to know time and location of pickup.
- **SENIORS:** When filling out your Dollars for Scholars application, you do NOT need to include a reference. Also, your ACT/SAT score is waived this year so it does not need to be included as it will not be scored.
- **DOLLARS FOR SCHOLARS:** The Dollars for Scholars Scholarship Application is live and ready to be completed. <https://indianola.dollarsforscholars.org/index.php?section=chapterWebsite&action=main&wID=1739>  
**Click on Students and Parents and make an account to begin the process.**  
If you have any questions, please see your counselor.

## PARENTS:

- **POST PROM COMMITTEE:** If you are a Junior parent interested in helping with Post Prom, please join us at our meeting on Wednesday, Feb 10 at 7:15 at Sports Page (banquet room). We are looking for volunteers to help with the following sub-committees:

1. Food
2. Décor
3. Security / Parent Chaperones
4. Prizes
5. Event Organization / Logistics

If you are unable to attend but are interested in helping, please contact Julie Jordan at [julieDJordan@msn.com](mailto:julieDJordan@msn.com)

- **POST PROM KRISPY KREME FUNDRAISER: LAST DAY TO PREORDER AND PAY IS FEB. 1**  
What better way to support a great cause than by buying donuts! The IHS Post Prom Committee is selling KRISPY KREME DOUGHNUTS to raise money for post-prom festivities. Buy a dozen, two dozen, or more! All proceeds will benefit Prom attendees. Let's help make up for not getting to celebrate last year and make this year a year to remember!! Thank you for your support!  
All of the information is on the Order Form below!  
Pick Up will be February 6th from 8 AM to 10 AM at IHS North Gym (Circle Driveway)

[IHS Post Prom Krispy Kreme Doughnuts Order Form](#)

- **Parent/Teacher Conferences:** Spring Conferences are right around the corner and we will once again be utilizing Zoom for a conference call. Conferences will be February 16-18. Look for the scheduler to be sent out the first week of February.
- **SCHOOL PERMIT:** If you have a student who has finished Drivers Education and needs to fill out the DOT Affidavit for School license, here is the link to the form:  
<https://iowadot.seamlessdocs.com/f/AffidavitforSchoolLicense>
- **PARKING:** If you have not filled out a vehicle registration, please have your student stop in the main office to pick one up or follow the link and fill out a form <https://forms.gle/fb7ETUB7bEeBqWTcA>
- **HYVEE RECEIPTS FOR POST PROM:** The post prom committee is continuing to collect Hy-Vee receipts. For every \$100,000.00 collected we receive a donation from Hy-Vee for \$350.00. **We are so close to our goal! Please send your receipts with your student or drop them off at the main office!**  
Thank you!!

## DATES TO REMEMBER:

<b>February 12</b>	NO SCHOOL	Teacher work day
<b>February 16-18</b>	Conferences	Parent Teacher Conferences
<b>February 17</b>	<b>B Day: Periods 1-8</b>	<b>Change in schedule due to conferences</b>
<b>February 18-19</b>	NO SCHOOL	Parent Teacher Conferences
<b>March 15-19</b>	NO SCHOOL	SPRING BREAK
<b>April 17</b>	8:00-11:00 PM	PROM @ Adventureland Palace Theatre
<b>April 19</b>	11:30 Dismissal	Professional Development Day
<b>May 23</b>	1:00 p.m.	Graduation

## FINE ARTS:

- **SPRING MUSICAL:** Auditions for *The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee* are Monday and Tuesday, February 1st and 2nd. Callbacks will be Thursday, February 4th. Follow the links below to get all the information you need!

Audition Packet:

[https://drive.google.com/file/d/13\\_QD5XipYhdD291Cx2Sb1es6-Sg1DIJX/view?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/file/d/13_QD5XipYhdD291Cx2Sb1es6-Sg1DIJX/view?usp=sharing)

Audition SignUp:

<https://signup.com/go/gFsbicw>

Audition Form:

<https://forms.gle/ZYhSuRS5H9iMbsNeA>

## SPORTS:

## STUDENT CLUBS:

- **INTERACT CLUB:** Interact Club will hold meetings on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday every month at 7:15 a.m. in the study hall room (E336). All are welcome!!
- **D&D CLUB:** The D & D Club is in the process of planning our first meeting. If you're interested, [please fill out the survey at the following link](#). It will help us decide how to best manage things in the current situation.
- **CREATIVE WRITING CLUB:** Creative Writing Club meets each Thursday at 3:15. You can either attend [via Zoom at this link](#) or in person in Mr. Bethards' room. Mr. Bethards and Mr. Whitaker hope to see you there!

## SILVER CORD OPPORTUNITIES:

- **The Indianola YMCA is looking for some High School boys/girls to referee their basketball instructional league.**
  - League would consist of 4 Saturday mornings beginning Jan.23 and ending Feb. 20.
  - The first 30 minutes of each game would consist of drills/practice taught by the coaches and the last 30 min they would scrimmage.
  - If you have any questions or are interested please contact Todd Kasperbauer at 515-777-1110

## GUIDANCE NEWS:

- **Northwest Missouri State:** Alison Bagley (Northwest Missouri State University) is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting on Feb. 12<sup>th</sup> 11:00

Topic: NWMSU Information

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/5654168325?pwd=NWdpT21zcyj3M1c1amtUMlcxQTAwZ09>

Meeting ID: 565 416 8325

Passcode: KRUW6F

- **Students in 10th and 11th grade who are interested in attending DMACC Career Academy** can register today! We would encourage you to visit the website and talk to your counselor to learn more. Here are the links of programs and the registration form.  
Programs available: <https://www.dmac.edu/southridge/Pages/careeracademy.aspx>

Registration link: <https://tinyurl.com/y4n2aalu>

## Other Announcements which are not school sponsored but are of interest to IHS students

### **United Way Launches Homework Helpers Hotline**

The [United Way Homework Helpers Hotline](#) was launched last week. United Way Homework Helpers Hotline is a volunteer-based hotline aiming to support students with homework questions outside of the school day during this time of ever-changing learning models.

Operating hours are from 3:00 – 8:00 p.m., Sunday through Thursday. Call 211 for FREE Homework Help for students K - 12 and select #7 to speak with a Homework Hotline Helper. Interpreters also available.

Please share with students, teachers and families that could benefit from this resource.



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**GIRLS WHO CODE:** Learn to code and change the world this summer. Make this summer unforgettable with our FREE virtual 2-week summer program, where you'll join a supportive sisterhood and learn the computer science skills you need to make an impact in your community! Girls and non-binary students in the 9th - 11th grade (rising sophomores, juniors and seniors) are eligible to apply.

APPLY NOW FOR SUMMER 2021 AT

[https://girlswhocodesm.smapply.io/?utm\\_source=SIP%20Flyer&utm\\_medium=Print&utm\\_campaign=SIP%20Apply](https://girlswhocodesm.smapply.io/?utm_source=SIP%20Flyer&utm_medium=Print&utm_campaign=SIP%20Apply)

EARLY ACCEPTANCE DEADLINE IS MID-FEBRUARY, 2021. APPLICATION CLOSES MID-MARCH, 2021.

**Job opportunities available at the Indianola Veteran's Memorial Aquatic Center;** apply now for the Summer of 2021: <https://indianolaiowa.applicantpro.com/jobs/>

**The City of Indianola and the Indianola YMCA is looking for kids that would like to become certified lifeguards!** Several former lifeguards need to get recertified. Visit <https://dmymca.org/> for more information on class schedules.

**DRIVERS EDUCATION:** If your student is interested in Driver's Education, please visit Street Smarts at <https://streetsmartsdriversed.com/> for the class schedules and registration.