



Friday, January 6, 2023

# INDIANOLA HIGH SCHOOL DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

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\*new items are in purple

## **GENERAL INFORMATION:**

### **FIRST SEMESTER TEST SCHEDULE**

**January 10, 11 and 12, 2023**

Study Hall - LIBRARY

#### **Tuesday, Jan 10, 2023**

Test Session 1

Period 1..... 7:55 – 9:25

Test Session 2

Period 2..... 9:35 – 11:05

Test Session 3

Period 3..... 12:00 – 1:30

Test Session 4.....Make-up Tests - Schedule with Teacher

Dismissal..... 3:10

#### **Wednesday, Jan 11, 2023**

Test Session 1

Period 4..... 7:55 – 9:25

Test Session 2

Period 5..... 9:35 – 11:05

Test Session 3

Period 6..... 12:00 – 1:30

Test Session 4.....Make-up Tests - Schedule with Teacher

Dismissal..... 2:10

#### **Thursday, Jan 12, 2023**

Test Session 1

Period 7..... 7:55 – 9:25

Test Session 2

Period 8..... 9:35 – 11:05

Test Session 3.....Make-up Tests - Schedule with Teacher

Dismissal..... 3:10

A lunch period is available from 11:05 – 11:55 each day of the Semester Test Schedule. Students are required to be here for tests only! If not in a test session, students must leave the building or report to the study hall in the Library. Make-up tests are for excused absences only. Students must remain in the testing area for the entire testing period.

**WINTER DRIVING:** As we continue to progress into the winter months, road conditions are often unpredictable. Please provide extra time to travel to school in the mornings to ensure you will be to class on time and avoid disrupting instruction by arriving late.

## **STUDENTS:**

### **FROM THE LIBRARY: Would you Rather??**

This round of results are:

48 would rather move every month and

390 would rather live in the same place forever.

### **Come vote for this week's round:**

Would you rather join the dance team? or the drama club?

**JUNIOR BOYS:** All Junior boys are invited to apply to attend the American Legion Hawkeye Boys State to be held June 11<sup>th</sup> – June 16<sup>th</sup> 2023 at Camp Dodge.

Boys State is an American Legion program held by each state across the entire nation. It is a dynamic six-day course in which participants learn about the functioning and role of government at the city, county, and state level. This is a total “hands-on” program in which participants actively take part in government activities and programs as part of a fully self-governing society. These activities include participation in government at the Executive, Legislative, and Judicial level and include elections, law enforcement, and press participation among other opportunities.

Those participants selected will be given a unique opportunity to prepare them for the leadership positions of tomorrow. Former Boys’ Staters nationwide are and have been leaders in many facets of government, military, business, and professional life.

The Indianola American Legion will be selecting two highly qualified Junior boys to attend this very popular and high profile event. Applications are available from Dawn in the counseling office. The deadline for [the application](#) to be handed in to Dawn will be the **10th of January**. Selected participants will be notified by the end of February.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Whitesitt at the Middle School at [ryan.whitesitt@indianola.k12.ia.us](mailto:ryan.whitesitt@indianola.k12.ia.us) or leave a message with Dawn.

To view an informational brochure on the Boys State program, please click on the following link: <https://www.ialegion.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/09/139ACY0618-Boys-State-Brochure.pdf>

## **SENIORS:**

**SENIOR IMPORTANT DATES:** [CLICK HERE](#) for a calendar of important dates for your senior year.

## **PARENTS:**

**PARKING:** If you have not filled out a vehicle registration form, please have your student stop in at the main office to pick up a form or [CLICK HERE](#) to fill out the Google Form.

**SCHOOL PERMIT FORM:** If you have a student who has completed driver’s education and needs a DOT Affidavit form for a school permit, [CLICK HERE](#)

## **DATES TO REMEMBER:**

<b>January 10-12</b>		1st Semester Finals
<b>January 13</b>	No School	Teacher Work Day
<b>January 16</b>	No School	Professional Development Day (teachers)
<b>February 14-16</b>		Spring Conferences
<b>February 16</b>		Blood Drive, Times TBD
<b>February 17</b>	No School	
<b>March 13-17</b>	No School	Spring Break
<b>March 24</b>	11:15-1:00	Jostens Delivery Day
<b>April 3</b>	No School	Professional Development Day
<b>April 22</b>	8:00-11:00 pm	Prom-Adventureland Palace Theater
<b>May 28</b>	1:00 pm	Graduation-IMS Blake Fieldhouse
<b>May 29</b>	No School	Memorial Day
<b>May 31</b>	11:30 dismissal	Last Day

## **FINE ARTS:**

**THE ADDAMS FAMILY AUDITIONS:** Interested in auditioning for The Addams Family? Below is all the information you will need!

1. [Audition Packet](#)
2. [Rehearsal Calendar](#)
3. [Signup for Auditions](#)
4. [Form to complete prior to auditions](#)

### **Audition Dates:**

January 30th - 3:30-5:30 pm - HS Choir Room Rm. 200

January 31st - 3:30-9:00 pm - HS Choir Room Rm. 200

February 2nd - Callback in HS Choir Room

### **Show Dates:**

April 27th, 28th, 29th

Ticket information:

<https://www.vancoevents.com/us/events/landing/24117>

## **SPORTS:**

## **STUDENT CLUBS:**

**MOCK TRIAL:** Mock Trial Sign-ups have been extended to January 13th. Most meetings will be held on Mondays and Thursdays from 5:30 to 7 in the Professional Development Room. First meeting is 1/5/23 from 5:30 to 6:20.

## **SILVER CORD OPPORTUNITIES:**

**GIRLS ON THE RUN** has a volunteer opportunity that we would like to share with your students.

Tri for a Cause (Indoor Tri) Benefiting GOTR of Central Iowa

When: January 29

Where: Walnut Creek Y

Time: Varies by shift

Tasks: timing swimmers, bikers and runner

### **Sign-Up:**

<https://www.pinwheel.us/register/index/tri-for-a-cause-2023-volunteers?sid=b37c485bd6c043a6bf5d59ab75dda71f>

**The Red Flannel Run** on Feb 11 is looking for volunteers. If you are interested in helping please go to

<https://runsignup.com/Race/IA/DesMoines/RedFlannelRun>

**Here are some wonderful volunteer opportunities for high schoolers needing silver cord hours at Indianola Parks and Recreation for upcoming events.** Click on the link, check it out, and sign up if you're interested.

**Daddy Daughter Dance** (Light up the night- glow dance): Friday, February 24, 2023 at the Indianola Activity Center (2204 West 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave. (Hwy 92 West) Indianola, Iowa) from 5:30pm-8:45pm

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F48ADAB22A7FB6-volunteers34>

**Family Fun Night: Friday**, February 3, 2023 at the Indianola YMCA from 5:15 pm-8:45 pm

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F48ADAB22A7FB6-volunteers36>

**Family Flashlight Easter Egg Hunt:** Friday, March 31, 2023 (if rained out: Saturday, April 1) from 7:45pm-9:15 pm at Indianola Activity Center (2204 West 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave. (Hwy 92 West) Indianola, Iowa)

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F48ADAB22A7FB6-volunteers31>

**Special Friends Valentine's Dance:** Friday, February 17, 2023 from 5:30 pm – 8 pm at the Indianola Activity Center (2204 West 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave. (Hwy 92 West next to All Creatures and Small Vet Clinic) Indianola, Iowa)

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F48ADAB22A7FB6-volunteers39>

**Special Friends Let's Glow Crazy Dance:** Friday, April 21, 2023 from 5:30 pm – 8 pm at the Indianola Activity Center (2204 West 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave. (Hwy 92 West) Indianola, Iowa)

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F48ADAB22A7FB6-volunteers38>

**Special Friends Luau Dance:** Friday, June 23 from 5:30 pm – 8 pm at the Indianola Activity Center (2204 West 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave. (Hwy 92 West) Indianola, Iowa)

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F48ADAB22A7FB6-volunteers11>

**Carousel Theatre of Indianola** needs 4-5 strong helpers to carry large pieces for their play. The job would start at La Vida Loca Winery on Sunday, March 19th at 4 p.m. and be finished about 9 p.m. See Randy Stone for more details.

## **GUIDANCE NEWS:**

**ACT:** The deadline to register for the February ACT Test is January 6. The February 11 ACT Test will be given at Indianola High School. To register please go to [www.act.org](http://www.act.org) and make an account and register.

**The Succeed Virtual College Fair is Wednesday, February 1!** Beginning at 5:30 pm, students and parents can hear from and connect with colleges and universities in block sessions.

Sign up for up to three sessions and connect with up to 18 colleges and universities.

This event is virtual and is formatted in three, 45-minute block sessions. Each session will have six colleges introducing their campus. Attendees can ask questions and engage with representatives to learn more.

Whether you're a freshman or sophomore just starting to explore, or a junior narrowing your list of college choices, the Succeed Virtual Fair is the perfect opportunity for you to gather knowledge, make connections, and begin to make informed decisions about your future.

Take advantage of this opportunity to learn about different colleges and programs for after high school.

Succeed Virtual College Fair, Wednesday, February 1, 2023; 5:30 – 8 p.m.

To register visit [www.ICANSucceed.org/SucceedVirtualFair](http://www.ICANSucceed.org/SucceedVirtualFair).

### **COLLEGE/MILITARY VISITS:**

(See Dawn in the Guidance Office for a pass if interested in visiting with any of the following)

Feb 2 in the cafeteria during lunches - US Army

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

**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

**CHANGE OF ADDRESS:** Are you moving? Or have you recently moved? When a student has a change of address, residency must be verified. The parent/guardian needs to complete the Change of Address form and provide acceptable proof of residency prior to the district updating the information.

[Change of Address Form](#)

Please do so in a timely manner. All mail will be sent to the previous address and transportation will not be arranged until the Change of Address form and proper proof of residency are

Additional information may be found here: [ICSD Change of Address](#) Please contact Denise Moss, ICSD Enrollment Coordinator, with any questions. [enrollment@indianola.k12.ia.us](mailto:enrollment@indianola.k12.ia.us)