

INDIANOLA HIGH SCHOOL DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Attendance Office Email:

ihsattendance@indianola.k12.ia.us

*new items are in purple

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Helping Hand is having a prom gear giveaway! Wednesday February 15th and Wednesday February 22nd from 5-6pm!! We ask that kids bring a student ID and only take one outfit per customer! EVERYTHING IS FREE!! Come shop with us!!--

BLOOD DRIVE: Student Council will once again be hosting a blood drive this year. It will be held on Thursday, February 16 from 11:00-3:30 pm in the PD ROOM (Location change).

To schedule your appointment, please click Indianola High School

Minor Consent Form Donor Tip Guide

There are copies of the minor consent form in the main office.

STUDENTS:

FROM THE LIBRARY: 367 would rather learn how to cook 104 would rather learn how to sew

Come vote for this week's round: Would you rather learn to do your own taxes? Or train in hand to hand combat?

Don't forget to pick up your blind date books! Uncover the title after you've read the book!

On Wednesday, March 1st the counselors will take two buses of students to the Simpson College Fair. We will leave school at 9:02 (after 2nd hour) and return to school at 11:00. Students will miss periods 3rd through some of 6th and should get assignments ahead of time. Please fill out the below form to reserve your spot.

Priority sign up goes to juniors, but others are still welcome to sign up if spots are available. <u>https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfAY4QYTB7cSH66HMrOHgtx865qu84Qm3skUpvfd2aZy7kkmQ/vi</u> <u>ewform?usp=sf_link</u> **Each year, the American Legion Auxiliary (ALA) sponsors an Americanism Essay Contest** for students in grades 3-12, including students with special needs. Grade levels are divided into six classes. One award in each of the six classes will be presented in each division. Winners will receive \$50 and a \$50 donation in the student's name will be made to the Children of Warriors National Presidents' Scholarship fund. National winners will be posted at <u>www.ALAforVeterans.org</u> after its national convention.

Students interested in participating in this contest should refer to the attached cover sheet. Essays must be submitted by mail by **February 28, 2023**, to the local American Legion Auxiliary, 1510 West Salem Avenue, Indianola. Essay Information

CTE DAY: Mark your calendars for the first ever CTE Day at IHS! If you are a member of FCCLA, FFA, DECA, Skills USA, or Robotics Club - please join us on **February 22nd from 2:15-3:30** for an afternoon of exciting competitions! Reach out to your advisor for more information.

AP GOVERNMENT EXAM: AP Government students can submit their registration form to the main office. <u>CLICK HERE for registration form</u>. **Deadline is February 28th.**

SENIORS:

SENIORS: Dollars for Scholars application is open. Go to

<u>https://indianola.dollarsforscholars.org/index.php?section=chapterWebsite&action=student_parent&fwID=1739</u> to set up an account to begin the application process. Please remember to read all directions and do not use a school email address. **Also please remember to hit SUBMIT when finished.**

SENIOR IMPORTANT DATES: <u>CLICK HERE</u> for a calendar of important dates for your senior year.

PARENTS:

POST PROM: UPCOMING POSTPROM MEETING DATES

All meetings are from 5:30-6:30ish -upstairs at Brickhouse or in one of the meeting rooms at Sports Page.

February 15 at Sports Page March 8 at Sports Page March 29 at Brickhouse April 12 at Brickhouse April 17 at Sports Page April 19 at Brickhouse

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 <u>CLICK HERE</u> 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, <u>CLICK HERE</u>

DATES TO REMEMBER:

| February 14-16 | | Spring Conferences |
|----------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|
| February 16 | | Blood Drive, Times TBD |
| February 17 | No School | |
| March 13-17 | No School | Spring Break |
| March 24 | 11:15-1:00 | Jostens Delivery Day |
| April 3 | No School | Professional Development Day |
| April 22 | 8:00-11:00 pm | Prom-Adventureland Palace Theater |
| May 28 | 1:00 pm | Graduation-IMS Blake Fieldhouse |
| May 29 | No School | Memorial Day |
| May 31 | 11:30 dismissal | Last Day |

FINE ARTS:

From Music Boosters: Volunteers Needed! Indianola Show/Jazz Encounter is just a few short weeks away and we need volunteers! On Friday, February 17, and Saturday, February 18, Indianola will host a variety of schools for both high school and middle school show choir and jazz band competitions, and we will need as many volunteers as possible to host such a wonderful event for Music Boosters! And with our thanks, you also get into Encounter for FREE on the day that you volunteer to work a shift! We look forward to having an awesome event with your help! Thank you!

Friday Volunteers https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F44A9AC28AAFACF8-indianola

Saturday Volunteers https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F44A9AC28AAFACF8-indianola1

Concessions Donations

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0949A5A82EA3FE3-encounter3

If you have any questions, feel free to email us at indianolamusicboostersevents@gmail.com

THE ADDAMS FAMILY Show Dates:

April 27th, 28th, 29th Ticket information: <u>https://www.vancoevents.com/us/events/landing/24117</u>

SPORTS:

BASEBALL APPAREL: See link below for baseball apparel. Slte will be closing on **Feb 27th at midnight**. <u>https://indybaseball23.itemorder.com/shop/sale/</u>

BOYS SOCCER: There will be a Parents Meetings for boys soccer on **Sunday, Feb. 19th at 5:00pm** in the Blake Fieldhouse. Please plan to attend if you have a son planning to participate in soccer this spring.

BOYS TRACK: Here is the clothing order for IHS Boys T&F. Deadline is Feb 22nd. <u>https://indytrack23.itemorder.com/shop/sale/</u>

BOYS TRACK: There will be a brief Boys Track and Field informational meeting on **Wednesday, February 15th at 2:15 in the weightroom.** Official practice will begin on Monday February 20th at 3:35 in the Fieldhouse. Please see Coach Oliver if you cannot make the meeting. **GIRLS SOCCER:** Girls Soccer apparel is now available. Orders are due by midnight on Monday, February 20th. <u>https://indygirlssoccer23.itemorder.com/shop/sale/</u>

BOYS & GIRLS TENNIS: Gear order for this season can be found at the link below. The shop will close on Feb 13th at midnight https://indianolatennis23.itemorder.com/shop/sale/

STUDENT CLUBS:

GSA: GSA will not meet Monday, February 13. Mr. Whitaker will not be here.

IHS Tech Club: The IHS Tech Club, CPSET, teaches you what the different parts of the computer are and how to build a computer. We will be meeting after school on Monday's and Friday's from 3:20-4:00. Both meetings will be the same, so you only need to go one of these days. For any questions, please see Mr. Sparks in the Tech office or email him at <u>mitchell.sparks@indianola.k12.ia.us.</u>

SILVER CORD OPPORTUNITIES:

The Indianola Little League Fields is looking for volunteers to earn Silver Cord Hours working as a Concession Stand Attendant and a Field Crew worker. For more information, see Mrs. Morrow in the High School Library.

Opportunities for Silver Cord Hours: The Indianola Public Library is looking for students who could do some face painting during a summer event for kids. The event would be Thursday, June 1st, 6-8pm. If interested contact: abrown@indianolaiowa.gov

Irving's Purple Palooza

Date: 3/3/23 Time: 3:30 to 9:15 PM Place: Blake Fieldhouse Contact: stacia.kleene@gmail.com

GUIDANCE NEWS:

MidAmerican Energy is accepting applications for their Summer High School Internship Program. This internship is an excellent opportunity to find out career pathways within the energy industry while building a resume and developing soft skills necessary for the workforce. This is a paid Summer internship beginning on June 7-August 3. If interested, applications are in the guidance office. **All applications are due by March 29.**

2023-2024 Course Registration:

Deadlines To be Juniors Due Feb. 16th To be Sophomores Feb. 24th Course Handbook Videos 2023-2024 Course Description Book **DMACC is having different Career Fairs throughout the rest of the school year.** This is an opportunity for students and/or parents to find out more information about various careers both full-time and part-time positions. If you want more information or you want to register go to the following links

- Automotive Career Fair: Wed. February 22nd from 1PM-3PM in Bldg. 13 (Ankeny) <u>click here for details</u>
- Health & Public Service Career Fair: Mon. March 6th from 11AM-1PM in Bldg. 5 (Ankeny) –<u>click here for details</u>
- IT Career Fair: Tue. March 7th from 2PM-4PM in Bldg. 5 (Ankeny) <u>click here for details</u>
- Business Career Fair: Wed. March 8th from 11AM-1PM in Bldg. 5 (Ankeny) <u>click here for details</u>
- Criminal Justice Career Fair: Thu. March 9th from 10AM-3PM in Bldg. 5 (Ankeny) <u>click here for details</u>
- Fire & EMS Career Fair: Thu. April 6th from 1PM-4PM in Bldg. 5 (Ankeny) click here for details
- West Campus Career Fair: Thu. April 6th from 11AM-1PM in the Ellipse (West) click here for details

COLLEGE/MILITARY VISITS:

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

February 15 in the cafeteria during lunches - Marine Corps February 22 in the cafeteria during lunches - Army February 27 at 10:30 - Iowa Wesleyan University March 1 at 10:30 - Truman State University March 7 in the cafeteria during lunches - National Guard April 4 in the cafeteria during lunches - National Guard April 12 at 9:00 - Drake University

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

EMPLOYMENT: The Indianola Little League Fields is looking for Job Applicants for Field Crew and Concession Stand Attendant.

*Field Crew Workers job description: Clearing fields, stocking and cleaning bathrooms, removing garbage, helping guests.

*Concession Stand Attendant job description: Cleaning and stocking the stand, cooking food, serving food, working a cash register, helping guests.

To find out more information and pick up a job application, see Mrs. Morrow in the High School Library.

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: <u>ICSD Change of Address</u> Please contact Denise Moss, ICSD Enrollment Coordinator, with any questions. <u>enrollment@indianola.k12.ia.us</u>