

INDIANOLA HIGH SCHOOL DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

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*new items are in purple

GENERAL INFORMATION:

23-24 New Student Enrollment begins March 3rd! Please see the District Enrollment page for more details.

STUDENTS:

ACT: The next ACT TEST that will be given at IHS is Saturday, April 15. The deadline to register is Friday, March 10. To register go to www.act.org. If you are planning on attending a 4 year university you may NOT have to take the ACT test for entrance BUT many scholarships still require an ACT score so it is a good idea to consider taking the ACT test at least one time.

FROM THE LIBRARY:

It is time to vote for your favorite book! If you have read 2 or more books from the <u>Teen Award</u> or <u>High School</u> Award lists for this year, please vote! Use the links here or the QR codes by the library.

187 would rather be too naive while 143 would rather be too cynical

Be sure to come vote for this week:

Would you rather have questionable integrity or no sense of humor?

Be sure to stop by the library to find out information on Silver Cord Hours OR working at the Little League T-ball fields this April-July.

SENIORS:

VERIFY SENIOR PHOTO: Senior photos will be posted outside Ms. Kinney's room (E309) until 3/24. **It is your responsibility to come and proof your name/photo to verify you are included in the yearbook.**

Here is the procedure for proofing senior photos:

- 1. Locate your senior photo on the pages below
- 2. If your photo and name matches please initial on your photo- DO NOT initial for other people.
- 3. If there is an issue with your name/photo: circle your photo and email any changes needed to emma.kinney@indianola.k12.ia.us
- 4. If there is NO PHOTO for you: send your senior photo to emma.kinney@indianola.k12.ia.us no later than March 24! NO LATE PHOTOS WILL BE ACCEPTED.
- 5. If you have not yet purchased your yearbook, now is a great time! Purchase yours today to preserve your senior year @ jostensyearbooks.com

SENIORS: Dollars for Scholars application is open. Go to

https://indianola.dollarsforscholars.org/index.php?section=chapterWebsite&action=student_parent&fwID=1739 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: CLICK HERE for a calendar of important dates for your senior year.

PARENTS:

PARENTS/GUARDIANS OF 10TH AND 11TH GRADE STUDENTS:

The counseling department is partnering with ICAN for the parent presentation, "Paying and Planning for College and Career". This hour-long presentation will be hosted in the high school library on **Monday, March 20th at 6:30 PM**.

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.

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:

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:

THE ADDAMS FAMILY Show Dates:

April 27th, 28th, 29th Ticket information:

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

SPORTS:

GIRLS TRACK: Our Girls Track and Field apparel order is now open through Embark Ink! Orders are due by March 13th. Here's the link: https://embarkink4.square.site/

BOYS TENNIS: Any boy interested in playing tennis this spring, please come to the **player meeting Wednesday, March 8th at 7:45am** in Coach Carlin's room.

First practice will be Monday, March 20th at 3:30.

GIRLS TENNIS: All girls interested in playing tennis this spring, please come to the player meeting this **Thursday, March 2nd in Profe Liston's room (315). Come before school at 7:20 a.m. or after school at 3:15 p.m., whatever works for your schedule!** If you are unable to make either time, please send Profe Liston an email. Hope to see you there!

BOYS SOCCER: The boys soccer team store is open until midnight on March 5th. Please get all orders in by the deadline as there will not be a second round of equipment orders: https://indysoccer23.itemorder.com/shop/sale/

STUDENT CLUBS:

BOYS RUGBY: The Indianola Boys Rugby team will have practice from 4pm to 6pm on Tuesday and Thursday of this week by Emerson. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Rodrigue via E-mail.

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 mitchell.sparks@indianola.k12.ia.us.

DECA: Indianola DECA had 8 students qualify for the International Competition at State on February 26th!

The following students qualified by placing in the top 3 in their respective role-play events:

- Lake Martin Accounting Applications
- Sully Downey, Accounting Applications
- Kael Christensen-Hotel & Lodging Management
- Katherine Peck & Shaylee Sipiorski-Marketing Team Decision Making

The following students qualified by placing in the top 2 in their written & presentation events:

Maren Haynes, Logan Piper & Malachi Thomsen-Start-Up Business Plan

SILVER CORD OPPORTUNITIES:

Volunteers are needed for the 2023 St Paddys Marathon in Des Moines on Saturday, March 18. Volunteers are needed for various tasks to help the event run smoothly, such as: Registration Assistant, Course Marshal, Water Station, Medals and more! Volunteers will more than likely work more than one job throughout the event. Part of the proceeds from the event will go to The ALS Association.

Those interested in volunteering should email me at <u>Alysha.Rendflesh@als.org.</u> Shirts will be given out to volunteers. Interested volunteers should let me know what size shirt they would like when responding.

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

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.**

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

- Health & Public Service Career Fair: Mon. March 6th from 11AM-1PM in Bldg. 5 (Ankeny) click here for details
- IT Career Fair: Tue. March 7th from 2PM-4PM in Bldg. 5 (Ankeny) click here for details
- Business Career Fair: Wed. March 8th from 11AM-1PM in Bldg. 5 (Ankeny) click here for details
- Criminal Justice Career Fair: Thu. March 9th from 10AM-3PM in Bldg. 5 (Ankeny) click here for details
- 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)

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

APPRENTICESHIP OPPORTUNITY FOR GRADUATING SENIORS: The Bricklayers and Allied Craftworkers (BAC) Local 3 union is the ONLY training for bricklayers in the state of Iowa. The BAC3 offers a four year no cost apprenticeship to students. To help expose your students to BAC and its training program, we have two opportunities for your students this spring!

To learn more about the BAC3 and its apprenticeship for graduating high school students, visit www.iwanttobeabricklayer.com.

BAC3 TRAINING CENTER OPEN HOUSE

Students and their parents are invited to the BAC Training Center in Marshalltown on March 22, 2023, to tour the facilities, engage in a hands-on masonry demo and learn more about the apprenticeship and pathway after HS graduation.

- For high school juniors and seniors only.
- We encourage parents to attend (as they would a college campus visit.)

Date: March 22

Location: BAC Training Center, 601 S 12th St, Marshalltown

Time: 10:00am - 12:30pm - lunch will be served

To sign up for the BAC Open House, click here.

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.T o 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>