

INDIANOLA HIGH SCHOOL DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

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*new items are in purple

GENERAL INFORMATION:

STUDENTS:

UNICEF CHANGE WAR! FLYER

It's finally time for STUDENTS to cut off Mr. Whitaker's luscious locks! IHS UNICEF will be hosting a Change War from March 21 through March 23 for clean and safe water around the world. All donations collected will go straight to UNICEF to provide drinking water and sanitation to those in need. For every \$5.00 you donate, your name will go into a drawing where you will get the chance to shave part of Mr. Whitaker's head. As an extra incentive to raise money, the student who donates the most will cut off Mr. Whitaker's ponytail and give him the final shave. Donate before school and between classes IN THE LIBRARY. See a UNICEF member for more information. Then get ready to watch hair fly at the assembly on March 24!

MVP: Sophomores and Juniors:

Are you looking for ways to be more involved in our school? Do you want to improve our school climate and/or culture? Do you want to help the underclassmen? Do you want to improve your leadership skills? MVP is looking for you!!!! We are accepting applications for next year's MVP members. To apply go to https://tinyurl.com/3e4hu9y8

If you have any questions, please see Mrs Coghlan, Mrs Oliver, Mr Whalen, or Senora Sanchez.

FROM THE LIBRARY:

289 Would rather chew like a cow 182 would rather laugh like a goat

Come vote for this week:

Would you rather be ruled exclusively by your heart or be ruled exclusively by your mind?

Calling all Future Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors! The Youth Leadership is looking for applications!

The Youth Leadership Initiative (YLI) releases untapped potential in the next generation of community leaders. This untapped potential is released as students learn skills that propel them into their next steps of life and as they embrace their roles as shapers of a community where their dreams can be realized.

High school students get out of the classroom and into real-life learning experiences throughout Greater Des Moines. Their teachers are local business and community experts. Their subjects are opportunities and challenges in our region. Their lessons teach self, group, professional, and community leadership skills to prepare for their futures. Their program graduation showcases students who are ready to shape a community and take action. Applications can be found here. Email michel110506@indianola.k12.ia.us for more information.

SENIORS:

SENIORS- Integra Electrical is looking for apprentices. They offer the opportunity to become a licensed electrician with in-house training in only 2.5 years. If you are interested or have questions, please contact Jess Pefferman at (515) 689-8900 or email at careers@integraelectrical.com

SENIORS: Dollars for Scholars Applications are due Saturday, April 1. See your counselor if you have any questions 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.

VERIFY SENIOR PHOTO: DEADLINE APPROACHING 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.kinnev@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

PARENTS:

Reminder to 9th Grade Guardians ~ If you have not turned in your student's Certificate Of Dental Screening please bring it to the High School Health Office or have it faxed to the High School Main Office (515) 961-9519. This is a requirement from the Iowa Department of Public Health for all 9th grade students. Please refer to the attached Iowa Department of Public Health website. See Website for Dental Certificates and Religious Exemption forms.

https://idph.iowa.gov/ohds/school-screenings

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:

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

March 29 at Brickhouse April 17 at Sports Page
April 12 at Brickhouse 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 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, <u>CLICK HERE</u>

DATES TO REMEMBER:

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:

Congratulations to the following seniors who have been selected to represent music, art, and drama students on the 2023 M.A.D. Court. Please see Mrs. Hagner Monday, 3/20 (1st Monday after Spring Break) to get your photo taken.

2023 M.A.D. Court

Cade Boersma Roger Cambron Isabel Christensen Kael Christensen Soren Christensen Mikey Crabb

Rachel Dostal

Nathan Epley

Paige Geiken

Reece Hunerdosse

Maddy Jones

Norah Leuwerke

Lizzy Orey

Kyle Roberts

MAD DANCE: "All your bases belong to us! If you are involved in music, art, or drama, join us for the M.A.D. Dance on Friday, March 31st from 8-11 p.m. in the music wing. This year's theme is 1980's Arcade! Costumes are encouraged! Tickets are \$5 and are available at the door.

THE ADDAMS FAMILY Show Dates:

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

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

SPORTS:

GIRLS GOLF: Girls golf starts March 20th. If you have questions contact rita.doane@indianola.k12.ia.us Link for gear for the upcoming season: https://indygirlsgolf23.itemorder.com/shop/sale/

STUDENT CLUBS:

SILVER CORD OPPORTUNITIES:

Irving Elementary is looking for volunteers to help with the Irving Garden. The hours will vary. Please contact Kirstie at 515-664-2438 or email at merski1989@gmail.com

Volunteer Opportunities at Parks and Rec:

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.

Volunteers for the 2023 Live Healthy Iowa Track Meet: Wednesday, May 3, 2023 at the Middle & High School Track

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F48ADAB22A7FB6-volunteers35

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.**

COLLEGE/MILITARY VISITS:

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

March 24 at 8:30 - Des Moines Area Community College (Appt Link: https://calendly.com/pnbolton/indianolahs)
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

Job Opportunities at the Indianola Veterans Memorial Aquatic Center for Spring-Summer 2023. Please Apply:

Lifeguard

This position is responsible for a number of tasks, including, but not limited to:

- Supervise and provide safe, healthy, and enjoyable swimming environment throughout the facility in and out of the water
- Know, enforce, and adhere to the safety regulations and pool rules. Be strict, prompt, but courteous.
- Available to guard for pool parties, special events, weekend and evening shifts on a rotation basis.
- Equipment handling and water testing
- Attendance of training, meetings, or practices as requested by Pool Manager

https://indianolaiowa.applicantpro.com/jobs/2681092.html

Operations Staff

This position is responsible for a number of tasks, including, but not limited to:

- Sell daily admissions, season passes and snack bar items in a pleasant, courteous manner at all times.
- Charge guests in accordance with established prices and policies.
- Assists lifeguard staff during emergencies.
- Keep accurate counts on daily attendance, concession items and inventory.

https://indianolaiowa.applicantpro.com/jobs/2681096.html

Support Staff

This position is responsible for a number of tasks, including, but not limited to:

- Chief responsibility of the support staff is to maintain proper cleanliness of pool restrooms, shower area, pool deck, pool basin, shade/grassy area, facility perimeter trash pick-up, filter room, etc.
- Complete daily checklists related to area of cleanliness.
- Notify recreation Coordinator and/or Pool Manager of levels of supplies, and/or when supplies are needed.
- Submit timecard through miPayOnline on time.

https://indianolaiowa.applicantpro.com/jobs/2681104.html

Lifeguard Certification and Review Courses: If you want to become a lifeguard or need to get recertified attached are lists of nearby classes taking place at the Indianola YMCA or Central Iowa YMCAs. Check it out! Link:

https://dmymca-org.storage.googleapis.com/files/s3fs-public/2023-01/Lifeguard%20Trainings%20Jan%2023-Jun%2024.pdf

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>