



Monday, September 19, 2022

INDIANOLA HIGH SCHOOL DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Attendance Office Email:

ihattendance@indianola.k12.ia.us

*new items are in purple

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Lunch: Monday, September 19

Chicken Patty

WW Hamburger Bun

French Fries

Pears

Assorted Fresh Vegetables

Romaine Lettuce

Fresh Broccoli

Fresh Carrots

Cucumber Slices

Green Pepper Slices

Red Peppers

Assorted Fresh Fruit

Apple

Banana

Orange

Alternate Entree' Option

Yogurt Meal

Build Your Own Pizza

FROM THE ATTENDANCE OFFICE: The best and easiest way to contact the Attendance Office is by email when notifying the school of your student's absence ihattendance@indianola.k12.ia.us. Phones have been either down or busy, so this ensures you get us notified. We understand there will still be times you need to call for immediate release. Please make sure to include your students name, grade and reason for absence.

AP REGISTRATION: We will begin registering for the 2023 AP classes.

[AP Registration Form](#) (\$97)

[AP Seminar & AP Research](#) (\$145)

All forms and payment must be turned in at the main office by October 13, 2022. If you cancel an examination after November 15, 2022, a \$40.00 cancellation fee will be charged. FYI, registration for AP Government will not be until February 2023.

HOMECOMING & CLASS COLOR SHIRTS: [Here is the link to the 2022 IHS Homecoming T-Shirt.](#) You can purchase the shirt online and pick it up at EMBARK INK on the southeast end of the square. **You must make your order by Wednesday, September 21 at midnight!** There is a strict deadline to ensure shirts will be ready by Homecoming. Embark Ink will be providing pick up times, etc closer to that time. Show your Class spirit during Homecoming and all year long!

Here are the Spirit Week themes:

Day	Theme
Mon 9/26	Pajama Day
Tues 9/27	Anything But a Bag Day
Wed 9/28	Character Day
Thurs 9/29	Country vs. Country Club
Fri 9/30	Spirit Day-Purple & Gold

Here's the schedule for the week's activities:

Day	Activity
Sunday 9/25	Hall Decorating 3:00 pm - IHS - <i>If you decorate, you are responsible for cleaning up at the end of the week.</i>
Mon 9/26	<p align="center">Freshman Sunrise</p> <p>Indianola Stadium - Freshmen meet around six am to watch sunrise.</p> <p>Muscle Volleyball-Blake Fieldhouse - 6:00 pm Powderpuff Football - immediately following Muscle Volleyball.</p>
Tues 9/27	<p align="center">Sophomore Sunrise</p> <p>Indianola Stadium - Sophomores meet around six am to watch sunrise.</p> <p>Kickball at Little League Fields & Movie Under the Lights Football field & Little Little League Fields - 8:00. The timeless Disney classic <i>Hercules</i> will play.</p>
Thurs 9/29	<p>Junior Sunrise- meet around six am to watch sunrise at the stadium.</p> <p>Homecoming Parade-Route begins and ends at IHS. Parade starts at 6:00; line-up begins at 5:30.</p>
Fri 9/30	<p>Senior Sunrise-meet around six am to watch sunrise at the stadium.</p> <p>Homecoming Football Game: Whiteout/Togas Freshman @4:45; Varsity @ 7:30</p>
Sat 10/1	Homecoming Dance-IHS North Gym - 8:00 - 11:00 pm.

HOMEcoming DANCE will be **Saturday, October 1 from 8-11pm in North gym**, \$5 admission, Malinda has confirmed she will be there to take pictures; no bags will be allowed to be brought in. If bringing an outside date, they must be under the age of 21 and present a school or other ID at the door. We will not be having a sign up sheet this year.

STUDENTS:

JUNIORS: Any junior interested in serving on the **2023 Prom Committee**, please see Kim in the main office or email her at kimberly.marchant@indianola.k12.ia.us. You will receive one (1) free ticket to this year's Prom for your participation in the planning and marketing. Prom this year will be held on Saturday, April 22 at the Adventureland Palace Theater.

SENIORS & SOPHOMORES: Jostens will be meeting with each class **in the auditorium during Advisory** on **Wednesday, September 21**. Please bring your phone (to scan important QR codes) to the class meeting.

Graduation Announcement and Cap & Gown presentation with Senior Class

Date - Wed, Sept 21st

Time - 11:25 am

Class Jewelry/Letter Jacket Presentation with Sophomore Class

Date – Wed, Sept 21st

Time – 12:25 pm

Jostens will be returning to take Announcement, Cap & Gown, Class Jewelry and Letter Jacket orders in the Professional Development Room 128

Wed, Sept 28th from 11am - 12:45pm

JUNIORS and SENIORS- The Iowa Senate and the Iowa House of Representatives are taking applications for Page positions. To find out more information go to

<https://www.legis.iowa.gov/docs/careers/positions/282274BF-4816-4323-8CE7-DC3CF151A804.pdf>

Deadline for applications are October 14

SENIORS:

SENIOR CLASS SELECTIONS: Seniors, it is time to make suggestions for your class colors, flower, song and motto. Stop in at the main office and find the purple binder! Deadline is Thursday, September 29, with voting beginning the week of October 3.

SENIOR PHOTO SUBMISSION: To ensure the best results for your student's picture in the yearbook please follow the guidelines below.

- Vertical full color photo from the waist up taken at eye level
 - No hats/props
 - Natural, or solid color background- avoid busy patterns
- File size/resolution: 300 DPI
 - No screenshots allowed!
- Filename: The best way to submit your photo is as Lastname_Firstname via email to ihsstudentmedia@indianola.k12.ia.us ex: Kinney_Emma.jpg
- Submitting photos: Photos need to be submitted digitally to Emma Kinney no later than Nov 30, 2022
 - Hard copies of photos will not be accepted. IHS will not be responsible for returning the original photos.
 - Please include the student's name in the subject line of the email (ex: Emma Kinney Senior Photo).

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

SENIOR PARENTS: An Informational Senior Parent Night will be **9/19 from 6-7pm in the high school library.** The counselors will highlight areas such as college & career planning, scholarships, financial aid. This is great for first time senior parents or just a refresher! Contact your student's counselor if you can't make it but would like a copy of the program.

PARENTS:

JUNIOR PARENTS-POST PROM COMMITTEE MEETING: Calling one and all Post Prom supporters! The first Post Prom parent meeting will be **September 20th at the BrickHouse @ 5:30 pm.** Please invite anyone that wants to help and create a safe Post Prom!

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:

September 19	6:00-7:00 pm	Senior Parent Meeting; HS Library
September 21	11:30 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.	Jostens-Senior cap/gown presentation- Auditorium
September 21	12:25 p.m. - 12:50 p.m.	Jostens-10th class ring presentation-Auditorium
September 28	11:15 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	Jostens Order Day-PD Room 128
October 1	8:00-11:00 pm	Homecoming Dance, North Gym
October 11-13		Fall Conferences
October 13	12:45-1:30 pm	Picture Retake Day, Auditorium Hallway
October 14	No School	
October 17	No School	Professional Development Day (teachers)
November 23-25	No School	Thanksgiving Break
December 22	1 hr early dismissal	Winter Break
December 23-Jan 3	No School	Winter Break

FINE ARTS:

Attention Theatre peeps and anyone interested in design. We are looking for a student to design the poster for the fall play *Sunday Night*. It is a fantasy show with motifs about time, forgiveness, and loving yourself and others. See Mrs. Arch for details and if interested.

THEATRE PEEPS -- it's ThesFest time again!! This year we're presenting a studio show - *13 Ways to Screw Up Your College Interview*, so let's really represent Indianola! [Check out this link to see all the opportunities available when you attend ThesFest](#) with us Friday, Nov. 11th & Saturday, Nov. 12th at UNI. Consider joining the [Tech Challenge](#) crew or [performing in a Thespy](#). Have you written a short play? Consider submitting it to the [PlayWorks competition](#). See Mrs. Arch, BrandiAnn, or Pitt for more information!

SPORTS:

VOLLEYBALL: Varsity Volleyball Results from Waukee Tournament

Pool Play

Indianola 21 21 Des Moines Lincoln 3 6

Indianola 20 17 Waukee 22 20

Indianola 21 21 West Des Moines Valley 14 15

Quarterfinals

Indianola 22 25 15 Sergeant Bluff-Luton 25 16 10

Semi-Finals

Indianola 25 25 Waukee 8 19

Finals

Indianola 20 24 Ankeny 25 26

STUDENT CLUBS:

DECA: There will be a DECA meeting Friday, September 23rd at 7:30am in Mrs. Busby's room!

STUDENTS DEMAND ACTION: Are you interested in political activism? Do you want to raise awareness about gun violence and its solutions? Are you interested in electing leaders that are dedicated to passing common sense gun legislation? Students Demand Action will be hosting an interest meeting TODAY, Monday, September 19th after school in Mr. Bethards' room 316! Join us to learn more about our mission and how you can get involved! Everyone is welcome! Register for this event at <https://forms.everytown.org/a/welcome-students-demand-action-ihs>

SKillsUSA: We will be having a meeting on Wednesday, September 21 at 2:10 pm in 206B (Hagans room)

SILVER CORD OPPORTUNITIES:

DOWNTOWN MERCHANTS HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS: The Indianola Downtown Merchants are in the planning stages of our Home for the Holidays event, Saturday, December 10th from 5-9p.m. We would love to see participation from our younger community.

We are hoping for groups from IHS and IMS can help us create a successful event. We are looking for carolers, maybe a little Christmas skit from the theatre group, volunteers to help with Toy/Food drive, open to additional ideas. Here is the signup:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E44ADAF2BABF4C43-home>

Any questions can be directed to Brandy Werner at 515-205-4369 or brandy@willowmoondsm.com

INDIANOLA PARK AND REC: Here are some volunteer opportunities for IHS students looking for Silver cord hours.

Special Friends Hoe Down: Friday, October 21st from 6-7:30pm

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F48ADAB22A7FB6-volunteers33>

2022 Children's Costume Party: Saturday, October 29th from 10 am – 12 pm

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F48ADAB22A7FB6-2022>

Special Friends Holiday Dance: Friday, December 16th from 6-7:30pm

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F48ADAB22A7FB6-volunteers32>

CHILD CARE VOLUNTEER: Emerson PTO is looking for a volunteer to help out at our monthly PTO meetings. We are looking for someone to provide childcare for the 2nd Tuesday of the month from 7 to approximately 8pm. Please contact the Emerson PTO at Emerson50125.pto@gmail.com

Warren County Meals on Wheels is looking for volunteers. Routes begin around 10:30 AM M-F and take about one hour. You can choose how many days to volunteer. If you have OPENS during this time and would like to volunteer contact Barbara at the Meal Site at 515-961-1155

KIWANIS MIRACLE LEAGUE: Spend an hour or 2 volunteering as an “angel in the outfield” for the Kiwanis Miracle League baseball games. The season is every Saturday through 10/8.

You can go to <https://kiwanismiracleleague.org> and select volunteer from the pull down menu and choose a time to come. Volunteers go to bat with kids, help them run the bases, and stand with them in the outfield to help. They play 2 innings. Everyone bats. Every game ends in a tie!!

Athletic teams are WELCOMED!! Teams can contact Jan Burch directly at 515-991-1483 to sign up.

GUIDANCE NEWS:

DMACC offers various Career Exploration Activities throughout the semester. To find out more information or to register go to <https://www.dmacc.edu/workbasedlearning/careerdiscovery/Pages/careerdiscovery.aspx>

Iowa's Largest College Fair is happening Sunday, Sept 25 at the Prairie Meadows Conference Center (1 Prairie Meadows Dr, Altoona, IA) from 12:30-3:00 PM. The Golden Circle College Fair is a great opportunity to visit with college representatives from all over the country. There will also be representatives from different career training and apprenticeship programs. For more information go to <https://www.icansucceed.org/golden-circle-college-and-career-fair>

CAREER EXPLORATION OPPORTUNITY: The Air National Guard unit in Des Moines is sponsoring an open house for interested juniors & seniors on Thursday September 22nd. This event is based on individual registration and transportation. Information is located here:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/132d-wing-career-day-tickets-394512667007?mibextid=4td405>

*Students who can not attend but are interested in the Air Guard should contact Ms. Schwery for a school based learning opportunity.

COLLEGE/MILITARY VISITS:

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

Sept 19 at 10:30 - Northwestern College

Sept 20 at 9:00 - Simpson College

Sept 20 in the cafeteria during lunches - United States Air Force

Sept 21 at 9:00 - DMACC (here's the link to schedule an appointment)

<https://calendly.com/blrealrodriguez/indianola-high-school-office-hours>

Sept 23 at 12:15 - University of Northern Iowa

Sept 26 at 12:30 - Cornell College

Sept 27 at 12:15 - Iowa State University

Sept 30 at 1:00 - Truman State University

Oct 4 in the cafeteria during lunches - Iowa National Guard

Oct 19 at 11:00 - Drake University

Oct 20 at 10:40 - University of Iowa

Oct 27 at 11:30 - Northwest Iowa Community College

Nov 8 in the cafeteria during lunches - Iowa National Guard

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

Indianola Youth Trap Team:

Due to unforeseen issues and delays, the registration window has been extended. **REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS NOW 9/21/22.**

Returning IYTT members - please go to TeamApp for the registration link. Reach out to your Grade Representative if you have any questions.

Interested in joining IYTT? Informational meetings will take place at the Warren County Isaac Walton clubhouse on October 19, October 21 or October 26 at 6:30 pm. Parents are required to attend and the registration link will be provided following the meeting.

Explore the Iowa Air National Guard during the 132d Wing's Career Day! [MORE INFO HERE](#) The 132nd Wing is excited to host a 2022 Career Day Thursday, September 22, 2022 from 12:00 PM – 5:00 PM CDT for juniors and seniors that participate in STEM, agriculture, or ROTC programs. This year's Career Day will be complete with a MQ-9 Reaper display and interactive presentations with modern military equipment and unit members.

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.