



INDIANOLA MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWS

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**New the Week of
May 27, 2024**



**The last day of school is this Friday. IMS will dismiss at 2:20.
Have a GREAT SUMMER!**

Don't Forget...

Return library books, textbooks, and any other school items that you are required to return before you leave for summer break. Fines for lost and damaged items will be added to your PowerSchool account, and notices will be emailed to parents after school is dismissed for the summer. These fines will remain on your account until items are paid for or returned.

Level Up Parties Thursday

IMS will be running our 2:20 dismissal schedule on Thursday.
SCHOOL WILL STILL BE IN SESSION, AND STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO STAY UNTIL 3:20,
HOWEVER!

The last hour will be used for celebrations or catching up on 4th quarter work.

End of Year Reminders from the Health Office

Medications: Please make plans to pick up any remaining medication from the Health Office before the end of the school year. Remember, a parent/guardian must pick up medication, it cannot be transported by students (Epi-pens, inhalers and diabetic supplies are the exception to this rule). Any medication not picked up by the end of the school day on May 31st will be disposed of on June 3rd.

Religious exemption update effective July 1, 2024: For students/families wishing to obtain a religious exemption for immunizations, a notary is ***no longer needed*** for the certificate to be valid. Please reach out to the Middle School Health Office with any questions regarding your student's immunization/exemption status.

IHS Girls Cross Country

Hey, 8th grade girls, Cross Country season is coming! Sign up using this link:
<https://forms.gle/DYyuxHXHzavUScC37>

Freshman Football

Parents and students, please refer to the email sent on May 20th from Indianola Activities Office if you are interested in playing football in 9th grade.

High School Girls Soccer

ATTENTION 8th Grade Girls: If you are interested in playing high school soccer **next** Spring for IHS as a freshman please plan to attend the player and parent meeting on **Tuesday, May 28th at 5:30** in the north gym at the high school. Attendees should enter through the auditorium doors at the high school. The meeting will discuss the vision and mission of the girls soccer program, as well as summer and off-season workouts. No previous soccer experience is needed to attend and be a part of the team! If you cannot attend the meeting but wish to play soccer next Spring, please contact Head Coach Erin Ebling--erin.ebling@indianola.k12.ia.us.
We hope to see you there!

Summer Volleyball Practices for Girls Going Into 7th and 8th Grade

Come have some fun and improve your volleyball skills! You must sign up to attend:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040444AEA92CA3FF2-49838082-come#/>

Dates and Times:

Monday, June 3: Fieldhouse 3:30 to 5:00 pm

Wednesday, June 5: Fieldhouse 6 pm to 7:30 pm

Monday, June 10: Fieldhouse 3:30 to 5:00 pm

Monday, June 17: North Gym 3:30 to 5:00 pm

Wednesday, June 19: North Gym 6 pm to 7:30 pm

Monday, June 24: North Gym 3:30 to 5:00 pm

Wednesday, June 26: North Gym 6 pm to 7:30 pm

Wednesday, July 3: North Gym 6 pm to 7:30 pm

Wednesday, July 10: North Gym 6 pm to 7:30 pm

Wednesday, July 17: North Gym 6 pm to 7:30 pm

Monday, August 5: North Gym 10:00 am to 12:00 pm

Monday, August 12: North Gym 10:00 am to 12:00 pm

Monday, August 19: North Gym 10:00 am to 12:00 pm

Conversations about these practices can be had with Coach Kent Halstead!

School Info

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Food Service

For information regarding menus, free/reduced lunches/online payments/account information, please click:
[Food Service](#)

Dates to Remember:

May 27 – No School
(Memorial Day)
*May 31 (2:20) – Last Day of School

Parent Facebook Groups

Want to know all of the school and community activities for your child's class? Join their Indianola Parent FB group! These pages are designed to be an inclusive catchall for activities, clubs, events, success stories, and opportunities to support IMS.

Indianola Class of 2028 (8th Grade): <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1386800961472755/>

Indianola Class of 2029 (7th Grade): <https://www.facebook.com/groups/509461217003504/>

Indianola Class of 2030 (6th Grade): <https://m.facebook.com/groups/238233144858449>

School Activities...

Volleyball Camp this Summer

The Indianola coaching staff will be holding a volleyball camp for girls in grades 3rd thru 8th during the 24-25 school year.

The dates for the camp are Thursday, June 27, Monday, July 1, Tuesday, July 2, and Wednesday, July 3. The camp will be held in the Indianola High School North Gym.

Each Camper will go away with volleyball swag!

Questions? Email kenthalstead@gmail.com.

See [Digital Backpack](#) for 3-6 and 6-8 flyers.

This and That...

Free Community Meal

Every Wednesday starting June 5 until August 14, Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church will be serving a free meal at the pavilion in Moats Park. They will be serving from 5:30pm-7:00pm.

Everyone welcome!