

INDIANOLA HIGH SCHOOL DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

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GENERAL INFORMATION:

FIRST SEMESTER TEST SCHEDULE January 10, 11 and 12, 2023 Study Hall - LIBRARY

Tuesday, Jan 10, 2023

Wednesday, Jan 11, 2023

Thursday, Jan 12, 2023

A lunch period is available from 11:05 – 11:55 each day of the Semester Test Schedule. Students are required to be here for tests only! If not in a test session, students must leave the building or report to the study hall in the Library. Make-up tests are for excused absences only. Students must remain in the testing area for the entire testing period.

STUDENTS:

Attention: AP Government students

Please go to your AP Government course in Schoology, read the directions for "Lesson 0", and have it completed by the first day of class (next Tuesday 1/17). Any questions or concerns, please see Mr. Hoover (Room 101).

FROM THE LIBRARY: Would you Rather??

Results from last week: 134 Would rather join the drama club 113 Would rather join the dance team

Come vote for this week's round:

Would you rather date someone who makes you laugh or date someone who makes you feel important?

JUNIOR BOYS: All Junior boys are invited to apply to attend the American Legion Hawkeye Boys State to be held June June 11th – June 16th 2023 at Camp Dodge.

Boys State is an American Legion program held by each state across the entire nation. It is a dynamic six-day course in which participants learn about the functioning and role of government at the city, county, and state level. This is a total "hands-on" program in which participants actively take part in government activities and programs as part of a fully self-governing society. These activities include participation in government at the Executive, Legislative, and Judicial level and include elections, law enforcement, and press participation among other opportunities.

Those participants selected will be given a unique opportunity to prepare them for the leadership positions of tomorrow. Former Boys' Staters nationwide are and have been leaders in many facets of government, military, business, and professional life.

The Indianola American Legion will be selecting two highly qualified Junior boys to attend this very popular and high profile event. Applications are available from Dawn in the counseling office. The deadline for the <u>application</u> to be handed in to Dawn will be the **10th of January**. Selected participants will be notified by the end of February.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Whitesitt at the Middle School at <u>ryan.whitesitt@indianola.k12.ia.us</u> or leave a message with Dawn.

To view an informational brochure on the Boys State program, please click on the following link: <u>https://www.ialegion.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/09/139ACY0618-Boys-State-Brochure.pdf</u>

SENIORS:

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

PARENTS:

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:

January 10-12		1st Semester FInals
January 13	No School	Teacher Work Day
January 16	No School	Professional Development Day (teachers)
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:

THE ADDAMS FAMILY AUDITIONS: Interested in auditioning for The Addams Family? Below is all the information you will need!

- 1. Audition Packet
- 2. Rehearsal Calendar
- 3. Signup for Auditions
- 4. Form to complete prior to auditions

Audition Dates:

January 30th - 3:30-5:30 pm - HS Choir Room Rm. 200 January 31st - 3:30-9:00 pm - HS Choir Room Rm. 200 February 2nd - Callback in HS Choir Room

Show Dates: April 27th, 28th, 29th

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

SPORTS:

STUDENT CLUBS:

MOCK TRIAL: Mock Trial Sign-ups have been extended to January 13th. Most meetings will be held on Mondays and Thursdays from 5:30 to 7 in the Professional Development Room. First meeting is 1/5/23 from 5:30 to 6:20.

SILVER CORD OPPORTUNITIES:

The Red Flannel Run on Feb 11 is looking for volunteers. If you are interested in helping please go to https://runsignup.com/Race/IA/DesMoines/RedFlannelRun

GIRLS ON THE RUN has a volunteer opportunity that we would like to share with your students.

Tri for a Cause (Indoor Tri) Benefiting GOTR of Central Iowa When: January 29 Where: Walnut Creek Y Time: Varies by shift Tasks: timing swimmers, bikers and runner

Sign-Up:

https://www.pinwheel.us/register/index/tri-for-a-cause-2023-volunteers?sid=b37c485bd6c043a6bf5d59ab75dd a71f

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.

Daddy Daughter Dance (Light up the night- glow dance): Friday, February 24, 2023 at the Indianola Activity Center (2204 West 2nd Ave. (Hwy 92 West) Indianola, Iowa) from 5:30pm-8:45pm https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F48ADAB22A7FB6-volunteers34

Family Fun Night: Friday, February 3, 2023 at the Indianola YMCA from 5:15 pm-8:45 pm <u>https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F48ADAB22A7FB6-volunteers36</u>

Family Flashlight Easter Egg Hunt: Friday, March 31, 2023 (if rained out: Saturday, April 1) from 7:45pm-9:15 pm at Indianola Activity Center (2204 West 2nd Ave. (Hwy 92 West) Indianola, Iowa) https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F48ADAB22A7FB6-volunteers31

Special Friends Valentine's Dance: Friday, February 17, 2023 from 5:30 pm – 8 pm at the Indianola Activity Center (2204 West 2nd Ave. (Hwy 92 West next to All Creatures and Small Vet Clinic) Indianola, lowa)

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F48ADAB22A7FB6-volunteers39

Special Friends Let's Glow Crazy Dance: Friday, April 21, 2023 from 5:30 pm – 8 pm at the Indianola Activity Center (2204 West 2nd Ave. (Hwy 92 West) Indianola, Iowa) <u>https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F48ADAB22A7FB6-volunteers38</u>

Special Friends Luau Dance: Friday, June 23 from 5:30 pm – 8 pm at the Indianola Activity Center (2204 West 2nd Ave. (Hwy 92 West) Indianola, Iowa) <u>https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F48ADAB22A7FB6-volunteers11</u>

Carousel Theatre of Indianola needs 4-5 strong helpers to carry large pieces for their play. The job would start at La Vida Loca Winery on Sunday, March 19th at 4 p.m. and be finished about 9 p.m. See Randy Stone for more details.

GUIDANCE NEWS:

The Succeed Virtual College Fair is Wednesday, February 1! Beginning at 5:30 pm, students and parents can hear from and connect with colleges and universities in block sessions.

Sign up for up to three sessions and connect with up to 18 colleges and universities. This event is virtual and is formatted in three, 45-minute block sessions. Each session will have six colleges introducing their campus. Attendees can ask questions and engage with representatives to learn more.

Open to all, whether you're a freshman or sophomore just starting to explore, or a junior narrowing your list of college choices.

Succeed Virtual College Fair, Wednesday, February 1, 2023; 5:30 – 8 p.m. To register visit <u>www.ICANsucceed.org/SucceedVirtualFair</u>.

COLLEGE/MILITARY VISITS:

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

January 17 in the cafeteria during lunches - National Guard January 19 in the cafeteria during lunches - Navy February 2 in the cafeteria during lunches - US Army February 27 at 10:30 - Iowa Wesleyan University

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

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>