

# Tuesday, January 30, 2024

# INDIANOLA HIGH SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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# **GENERAL INFORMATION:**

**SPRING CONFERENCES:** Conferences will be held either in person or virtual (video call) on Tuesday, February 13, 3:35-7:35 pm; Wednesday, February 14, 2:35-4:35 pm; and Thursday, February 15, 3:35-7:35 pm.Click **Parent Teacher Conference Instructions** to utilize our new scheduling system

#### **MidWinter Performances**

MidWinter Performances will be Tuesday, 1/30 & Friday, 2/2. All tickets sold online for the 16th & 19th will be honored for the corresponding dates.

# When & Where

Indianola High School Auditorium Tuesday, January 30 @ 7:00 p.m. Friday, February 2 @ 7:00 p.m.

Tickets - click here to purchase tickets online \$7 for students, seniors, & veterans \$12 for adults

**FROM YEARBOOK- THE HORIZON:** Do you need to submit your senior photo? Purchase a yearbook? Need to check and see if you have done those things? Find all the important yearbook links here: ihshorizon | Instagram | Linktree

#### STUDENTS:

#### FROM THE LIBRARY:

Seniors, if you want your senior snowflake that was hanging in the library, please plan to drop by Thursday or Friday to pick it up.

**WOULD YOU RATHER:** 59 would rather live in Antarctica while 73 would rather live in the Sahara Desert.

Come vote for the next round: Would you rather visit your ancestors back in time or visit your great grandchildren in the future?

<sup>\*</sup>new items are in purple

**Sophomore and Juniors interested in attending DMACC Career Academy for next year.** The pre registration link for DMACC Career Academies is now LIVE. Students should also connect with their counselors for any questions or help. Students can access that link here: <a href="https://www.dmacc.edu/careeradvantage/cadmaccclasses.html">https://www.dmacc.edu/careeradvantage/cadmaccclasses.html</a>

**VEHICLE REGISTRATION:** We are starting to see more drivers/cars in the parking lots. Please remember, you must register your vehicle if you are driving to school. Here is <u>THE LINK</u> to fill out the appropriate information.

# **SENIORS:**

**GRADUATION SPEAKER:** Seniors if you are interested in speaking at graduation, please sign up in the main office by February 15. Voting will take place the week of February 19.

#### SENIORS: DOLLARS FOR SCHOLARS APPLICATION IS OPEN.

1)Go to

https://indianola.dollarsforscholars.org/index.php?section=chapterWebsite&action=main&fwID=1739

- 2) Make an Account (using your personal email address)
- 3) Begin your application.
- \*If you have any questions see your counselor

#### PARENTS:

#### AP GOVERNMENT REGISTRATION:

If you will be taking the AP Government test, please get a form from Mr. Hoover or <u>click the link</u>, print out and return to the main office by February 28th.

**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>

**PAYING FEES/FINES:** You should now be aware that all student fees/fines are documented in PowerSchool. We encourage you to pay directly through PS <u>SEE LINK FOR INSTRUCTIONS</u>. You must be logged on through a computer in order to pay. This does not work through the app.

#### FINE ARTS:

**SPRING MUSICAL:** Auditions for the Wizard of Oz are January 29th and 30th with Callbacks on February 1st. **Please see the audition packet below for any and all information!** <a href="https://docs.google.com/document/d/1qeSMU4Wqzyz0CKpDDUKC6i7tDJ\_BAyBVHTWNTuUNY9o/edit">https://docs.google.com/document/d/1qeSMU4Wqzyz0CKpDDUKC6i7tDJ\_BAyBVHTWNTuUNY9o/edit</a> ?usp=sharing

#### The packet for children is here!

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# **SPORTS:**

**GIRLS WRESTLING:** Congratulations to freshman, Siera Becker, on qualifying for the IGHSAU State Wrestling Tournament at Xtream Arena!

**GIRLS SOCCER:** Girls soccer apparel store is now open! Store will close on Thursday, February 8th at midnight. <a href="https://indygirlssoccer24.itemorder.com/shop/sale/">https://indygirlssoccer24.itemorder.com/shop/sale/</a>

**BASEBALL APPAREL:** The HS Baseball Apparel Store is open until Tuesday, February 6th, at 11:59pm. Orders will ship to your house 3-4 weeks after the store closes. https://indybaseball24.itemorder.com/shop/sale/

**BOYS TRACK & FIELD:** Here is the 2024 IHS Boys T&F order form. There are a few good options for warmup gear for those that want their own. Closes February 9th! <a href="https://indytrack24.itemorder.com/shop/sale/">https://indytrack24.itemorder.com/shop/sale/</a>

**GIRLS TRACK & FIELD**: The IHS Girls Track and Field Apparel Store is now open! It will close on February 5th at midnight. Here's the link: <a href="https://indygtf24.itemorder.com/shop/sale/">https://indygtf24.itemorder.com/shop/sale/</a>

**GIRLS TRACK & FIELD:** SIGN UP FOR GIRLS TRACK AND FIELD 2024! Link here: https://forms.gle/aLQxxCBSfwCULZax7

**BOYS & GIRLS TENNIS ORDER:** Order will close February 1st at midnight. <a href="https://indytennis24.itemorder.com/shop/sale/">https://indytennis24.itemorder.com/shop/sale/</a>

**BOYS TENNIS:** Mark your calendars for our preseason meeting on Wednesday, March 6th at 7:30am in the PD room. First practice is at 3:30pm on Monday, March 18th.

**GIRLS SOCCER:** SIGN UP FOR GIRLS SOCCER 2024! Link here for new players: <a href="https://forms.gle/sRmiyu1H96KqFoBq9">https://forms.gle/sRmiyu1H96KqFoBq9</a>

Soccer Functional Movement Screening: On Wednesday, February 21, at Blake Fieldhouse from 2:20-3:20. All soccer players should plan on attending this screening as it is very important to our season and it will be used by coaches and trainers to best assist players with injury prevention!

**Soccer Managers:** The girls soccer team is looking for 3-4 reliable high school students who would be interested in being part of a team. Duties would include but are not limited to: helping set up drills, organizing paperwork/items for coaches, filling water bottles/jugs, taking stats at practices/games, and hanging out with a fun group of soccer players.

# **STUDENT CLUBS**: (click the link for complete list and explanation of all clubs)

**FCCLA FUNDRAISER:** Help FCCLA go to State! We are selling socks to fundraise to compete at the State Leadership Conference on March 17th. In addition, for every 2 packs sold, 1 pair of socks will be donated to a local organization! Thank you for supporting us and your community. Order here by March 1st: <a href="https://go.wehelptwo.com/campaign/?campaignid=28215">https://go.wehelptwo.com/campaign/?campaignid=28215</a>

**ART CLUB:** No rescheduled January Mtg due to Snow/Ice Days! *Open Studio* 3:30-4:30 PM on Tuesday, February 6th from 3:30-4:30 PM.

**SKILLS USA APPAREL:** SkillsUSA Merch is available. Link will be open until February 5th. <a href="https://embarkink7.square.site/">https://embarkink7.square.site/</a>

#### **SILVER CORD OPPORTUNITIES:**

Many Hands Thrift Store is looking for volunteers to help at their Indianola location. If you would like to help or have any questions please contact Melissa Nelson at mnelson@mh4h.org

# 2024 ALS Night with the Iowa Wild

Date - Saturday, March 23rd Time – Shifts range from 3:30-8:00pm Location – Wells Fargo Arena, 233 Center Street, Des Moines, IA 50309 Activities/Tasks – Seat tag and Puck Sales volunteers needed! Click here to register as a volunteer!

RED FLANNEL RUN VOLUNTEERS: Wellmark YMCA Downtown is looking for volunteers to help with the Red Flannel Run on Feb. 17th at 9 AM. To sign up go to https://runsignup.com/Race/IA/DesMoines/RedFlannelRun

**THE ZONE:** We are looking for Juniors and Seniors who would like to volunteer for Silver Cord hours at The Zone for the remainder of the school year. Here is the link, https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C084CA9A623A3F4C16-46370064-zone#/

The Zone is Mondays and Thursdays after school at the Middle School until 5:00pm. Our first day is this Thursday, January 18th. Students are welcome to email Jamie Steffen isteffen @indianolagov.com with any questions or concerns.

#### **INDIANOLA PARKS & REC VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES:**

2024 Family Flashlight Easter Egg HunT: Friday, March 22, 2024 at the Indianola Activity Center (2204 West 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave. (Hwy 92 West) Indianola, Iowa), from 7:15pm-9:15pm. https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F48ADAB22A7FB6-46253536-volunteers

**2024 Special Friends Glow Crazy Dance:** Friday, April 5 at the Indianola Activity Center (2204 West 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave. (Hwy 92 West) Indianola, Iowa) from 5:45pm-8pm. https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F48ADAB22A7FB6-46246771-volunteers

2024 Special Friends Luau Dance: Friday, June 21 at the Indianola Activity Center (2204 West 2nd Ave. (Hwy 92 West) Indianola, Iowa) from 5:45pm-8pm.

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F48ADAB22A7FB6-46246810-volunteers

PARKS & REC: We have some silver cord hours available coming up at the start of the year for youth basketball. https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F48ADAB22A7FB6-45656738-youth#/

# **GUIDANCE OFFICE NEWS:**

2024-2024 COURSE REGISTRATION: Your course registration will end on Tuesday, Feb. 20. If you do not register online for your classes by that date, your counselor will select your classes.

**COLLEGE/MILITARY VISITS:** See Dawn in the Guidance Office for a pass to visit with any representatives (other than cafeteria visits)

### Monday, Feb 12 from 11:00-12:00 - Iowa State University

11:00-11:30 (overview of Iowa State)

11:30-12:00 (application walk through)

Tuesday, Feb 27 at 9:00 - Augustana College

Wednesday, Feb 28 at 8:00 - University of Nebraska

#### DATES TO REMEMBER:

February 13-15		Spring Conferences		
February 16	NO SCHOOL			
March 11-15	NO SCHOOL	Spring Break		
April 1	NO SCHOOL	Professional Development for Teachers		
April 20	7:00-10:00 pm	PROM @ Adventureland Palace Theatre		
May 26	1:00 p.m.	Graduation		
May 27	NO SCHOOL	Memorial Day Observation		
May 30	11:30 dismissal	Last day of school		

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

**Prom gear can get expensive, so let us help!** The Helping Hand of Warren County is hosting their 2nd Annual Prom Gear Giveaway to any student who needs it. No income requirements, all items are FREE with a student ID.

Come join us at 4:30-5:30pm the following days: January 31 & February 7 & 14. Helping Hand of Warren County 109 E Clinton Ave, Indianola IA. 50125

**JOB OPPORTUNITIES** at the Indianola Veterans Memorial Aquatic for the Spring and Summer of 2024 FLYER

**DRIVERS EDUCATION:** If your student is interested in Driver's Education, please visit Street Smarts at <a href="https://streetsmartsdriversed.com/">https://streetsmartsdriversed.com/</a> 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: <a href="ICSD Change of Address">ICSD Change of Address</a> Please contact Denise Moss, ICSD Enrollment Coordinator, with any questions. <a href="mailto:enrollment@indianola.k12.ia.us">enrollment@indianola.k12.ia.us</a>