



Monday, April 17, 2023

INDIANOLA HIGH SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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GENERAL INFORMATION:

PROM INFORMATION

PROM: The 2023 Indianola High School Prom “Under The Stars” will be held on **Saturday, April 22nd at Adventureland’s Palace Theatre from 8:00 - 11:00 p.m.** with doors opening at 7:30 p.m. Doors will close at 9:00 p.m. and the dance is closed to the public. **A concession stand will be available for attendees to purchase drinks and snacks; must use debit/credit card to purchase.**

GRAND MARCH: Prior to Prom, we will hold our annual community event, The Grand March, in the high school north gym from 4:30-5:30 p.m. Attendees that choose to participate may come and go at any time during this event. **IT IS NOT REQUIRED BUT ENCOURAGED.** This event is free to the public. Family/friends that wish to observe will enter at the north gym doors and be seated in the west side bleachers. Attendees will use the gates by the tennis courts and enter the gym on the north side. Signs will be posted. It is a tradition where students and their guests are introduced to the public prior to the dance. The prom attendees will parade across the gym floor in a lighted pathway to the magical center spotlight. You are welcome to take pictures inside the gym at your seats, in the hallway where there will be a hedge wall available to take additional photos.

POST PROM will be held at the Blake Fieldhouse and will run from 11:00pm-2:00am on April 22nd for all seniors, juniors and their guests. **Doors will open at 10:30 pm and close at midnight. NO LATE ADMITTANCE!** Sign up when you purchase your tickets, in the main office or check your emails. Deadline to RSVP is Wednesday, April 19. **JUNIORS AND SENIORS, you do not need to attend Prom to attend Post Prom.**

Come try your luck at blackjack, craps or roulette in the casino or challenge your friends to a game of mini-golf, zorb ball or the obstacle course. Maybe looking for something less low-key? There will be a craft room and an awesome Instagram photo booth as well as several other activities! And, since you’ll be hungry after all that dancing during Prom, we’ve made sure there will be lots of food! Still not quite convinced you want to attend? There will be awesome PRIZES; IHS senior & junior names will be drawn throughout the night and you must be present to WIN!

STUDENTS:

2023-2024 STUDENT COUNCIL: Interested in being a part of Student Council next year?

Click on the link below for the StuCo application

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1rendviO6tkExleNSpxoZQU145tnmLWeMPInE0vUvn14/edit?usp=sharing>

SENIORS:

SENIORS! Celebrate your plans after high school with the counselors on Friday, April 28th!

That morning, dress in a way that highlights your plans after IHS (wear a collegiate, business, or military t-shirt or dress for your future career) and head to the cafeteria starting at 7:30 for a donut! Anyone who stops by to get their picture taken in their post-secondary gear will get their name put in a drawing for a door prize! Congrats IHS Class of 2023 - you're SO CLOSE!

IABC BOOK MONEY SCHOLARSHIP: The Indianola Athletic Booster Club Book Money application is available to be filled out by seniors. **Deadline is April 24** and students must use their school email to fill it out.

<https://forms.gle/rfKLvvCkK5gNcxkn7>

SENIOR RECOGNITION ADS IN YEARBOOK: As graduation is approaching, now is the perfect time to put together your senior recognition ad. Purchase yours today @ jostensyearbooks.com and give your senior a special shout-out in the yearbook telling them how proud you are!

SENIORS- All Silver Cord Forms must be turned in by 3:00 PM on April 21 to count for earning your Silver Cord for graduation.

FUTURE PLANS: Seniors, don't forget to stop in the main office and fill out your future plans (employment, name of college, apprenticeship.) Look for the red binder. **Deadline is April 28** in order for it to be in the graduation program.

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

PARENTS:

POST PROM DONATIONS: The IHS Post Prom Committee is looking for gift card donations for prize drawings at the 2023 Post Prom event. Any donation is greatly appreciated! [SIGN UP LINK](#)

Gift Card donations may be dropped off at IHS Main Office or at Wells Fargo Bank (Indianola location) in an envelope marked "Post Prom". Thank you!

ICSD 23-24 Returning Student Re-enrollment began March 17th!

Parents/Guardians will use the [PowerSchool Parent Portal](#) to complete online re-enrollment. Instructions have been emailed to parents/guardians of current Preschool through 11th grade students. All students who plan to return to ICSD must be re-enrolled for 23-24. This is separate from course registration at the High School and Middle School.

Please contact Denise Moss, District Enrollment Coordinator, with any questions:

enrollment@indianola.k12.ia.us or 515-961-9500 x1506.

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:

April 22	4:30-5:30 pm	Prom Grand March-HS North Gym
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:

ART CLUB:

Monday, April 24th from 3:30-4:30PM in the 2D Art Room
Meeting and Making of May Day Baskets

Monday, May 8th from 3:30-5:30PM in the 2D Art Room
Awards Ceremony and Board Nominations for next year!

***THE ADDAMS FAMILY* Show Dates:**

April 27th, 28th, 29th

Ticket information:

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

THEATRE ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1) Did you know you can letter in Theater just like music and sports? You can either:

1. Just letter in theatre (as many years as you'd like!
2. Letter in theatre AND pay \$30 to join the [Thespian International Honor Society](#)

In order to letter, you must earn at least 10 points based on what theatre events you participated in and the concerts you worked. Performing in or running crew for the fall play, MidWinters, and spring musical, attending ThesFest, helping with Kids' Camp, running concerts, & attending Theatre Department meetings all count! Use the forms below to log your points for this year to see if you qualify to letter. **Lettering points/forms MUST be completed no later than Monday, May 1st. See Mrs. Arch for more details.**

1. [Fall lettering form](#)
2. [Spring lettering form](#)
3. [Thespian Point Sheet Details](#)

2) **It's time to start electing next year's Indianola Theatre Department Student Board.** If you are interested in running for any of the following positions, please fill out the Student Application Form below. You also need 2 peer recommendations AND 2 teacher recommendations. See those forms below as well. See Mrs. Arch for more information.

- [ITD Student Board Application](#)
- [ITD Board Teacher Recommendation Form](#)
- [ITD Board Peer Recommendation Form](#)

ITD Student Board Positions:

- President = the student chair of Indianola Theatre Department, supervises all fundraising activities efforts, is an automatic official member of all committees, sees that all communications with others are presented properly, and delegate other tasks as needed within reason. Must be an inducted Thespian & served on the board previously.
- Vice-President = coordinates the committees, and organizes and coordinates all social activities and fundraisers. Must be an inducted Thespian.
- Secretary = records, reports, and posts the minutes at each meeting, takes roll call, keeps a complete and current list of members.
- Parliamentarian = sees that parliamentary procedure is carried out in the process of all the meetings. The parliamentarian has the authority to take disciplinary action against any members not willing to follow parliamentary procedure.
- Historian = collects and organizes a visual record of Indianola IHS Productions' accomplishments through the use of pictures, videos, programs, etc. Manages the ITD social media account on behalf of the organization.
- Class representatives (sophomore, junior, & senior) = meet with their respective classes and discuss board and Indianola Theatre Department business. Class representatives also serve on the board of the constitution committee.

SPORTS:

GIRLS TENNIS: The girls tennis team competed in the Boone Invitational on Friday. The team took second overall losing only to Ankeny in some very close matches. Zoey Belt took 1st place in her 3 singles flight.

GIRLS TRACK & FIELD: The Varsity Girls Track and Field team competed at the Jim Duncan Relays on Saturday at Drake Stadium. It was a cold day that resulted in cancellation due to storms. Despite conditions, the Indians competed well!!!

Here are some highlights:

Kendall McDaniel placed 3rd in the Shot Put (36-9.25).

Abby Kluver placed 4th in the Discus (116-11).

Taylor Hoger and Bree Tenges both ran season PRs in the 3000m Run! Hoger ran 11:54.03 and Tenges ran 11:32.57.

The meet was not scored.

The Indians will be back on the track and in the rings on Tuesday as they head to DCG, and Thursday at HOME.

IMPULSE: If you are interested in trying out for the Impulse Dance Team next year, fill out the form below. Tryout location and times are listed on the form. <https://forms.gle/pgoT58pET2oJMZDFA>

2024 FOOTBALL PARENTS: Concession stand fundraiser! The Indianola Athletic Booster Club is donating \$500 to our parent group. These funds will help with the cost for snacks and our end of the year banquet. Please review the available slots below and click on the button to sign up. Thank you!

<https://m.signupgenius.com/?mibextid=Zxz2cZ#!/showSignUp/4090a4fabaa2da0ff2-concession1>

VOLLEYBALL: There will be a meeting of girls competing for Indianola School next fall of 2023. The Meeting is for girls going into 9th grade through 12th grade for the 23-24 school year. The Meeting is for players only on **Tuesday, May 23rd, at 8:15 pm at the Indianola High School North Gym.** If you can make it, please contact Kent Halstead and thank you.

VOLLEYBALL: The Indianola High School Volleyball program is in need of student assistants starting this summer through next fall. Contact Kent Halstead if interested please!
This position(s) would be for students in 9-12 for the 23-24 school year!

Some of the task you would get to do would be to:

Coordinate and run the music at our practices

Run criteria based timings for volleyball drills in practice

Coordinate food and donuts

Welcoming our opponents in our gyms and being an awesome part of our program.

STUDENT CLUBS:

Yearbook Purchase Reminder: If you have not purchased your 2023 yearbook, there is still time! The 184-page full-color book will feature all of the irreplaceable memories of the school year! Purchase yours today for \$75 @ jostensyearbooks.com

SILVER CORD OPPORTUNITIES:

Special Olympics is looking for help with their Summer Games on May 25-27. They are looking for volunteers to help with scorekeeping, selling souvenirs, presenting awards to athletes, cheering them on, and more! They have morning, afternoon, or all-day shifts available. Questions? Reach out to Paula, our Volunteer Coordinator, at pdoan@soiowa.org.

Girls on the Run of Central Iowa has two volunteer opportunities this spring. Great for Silver Cord Hours!

1. Girls on the Run of Central Iowa is the Des Moines Women's Half Marathon Charity partner. Volunteers are needed at packet pick-up, aid stations and course marshals.
When: May 5-7th
Where: Jasper Winery
Register: <https://bit.ly/3U2vbf>
2. The Girls on the Run 5K presented by EMC Insurance Companies provides a tangible sense of accomplishment to participants. To celebrate and make the experience one to remember, there are many opportunities to get involved.
When: May 19-20
Where: Iowa State Capitol Complex
Register:
<https://www.pinwheel.us/register/index/spring2023-5k-volunteer?sid=cc14f634ae0a4e9a9b82e03f18fffc07>

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:

Cook Plumbing Corporation in West Des Moines is looking for high school graduates interested in starting an apprenticeship in the plumbing field. CPC offers a 4 year trade school after a probation period with the apprentice paying the 1st year and CPC paying years 2, 3, and 4. If the apprentice graduates successfully and becomes a licensed plumber, CPC will reimburse the apprentice for the amount paid for their 1st year. We are an Equal Opportunity Employer. For more information please contact Kami Brown Office Manager at (515) 225-9532 ext 104 or email her at kami@cookplumbing.com

COLLEGE/MILITARY VISITS:

See Dawn in the Guidance Office for a pass to visit with any representatives (other than cafeteria visits)

April 27 at 9:45 - North Iowa Area Community College

April 27 at 10:30 - Grand View University

May 2 in the cafeteria during lunches - National Guard

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

Any students still interested in traveling to Germany, Austria, the Czech Republic, and Switzerland June 24, 2024 - July 7, 2024 are encouraged to contact Herr Clogg at johnathan.clogg@indianola.k12.ia.us to sign up for the German Trip through Worldstrides. Visit <https://www.educationaltravel.com/register> and use the Trip id Clogg-9960 to access the trip website for a detailed itinerary and cost information. There is still time to sign up for this exciting opportunity to see the best of Central Europe. The trip is aimed at students and parents of students currently in Levels 2 or 3 of German, but if other students (Current Level 1 students or students in other languages who can be trusted with international travel) are interested in joining, please contact Herr Clogg soon and we can discuss whether this trip would be a good fit for you!

SUMMER JOB OPPORTUNITY: DDVI, inc.(located here in Indianola) is looking for high school students to work this summer. If you are interested in joining a team and learning more about the construction trade please contact Rich Piper at 515-249-1666.

The Iowa National Guard, The 132d Wing Recruiting Team is hosting a Career Day Open House on 21 April from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. If you know a high school junior or senior (or anyone interested between the ages of 17-39) that would like to learn more about the IAANG, please feel free to have them sign up via the provided QR Code in the [FLYER](#) Transportation will be on the attendee and all individuals attending will need to register in order to gain base access.

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: [ICSD Change of Address](#) Please contact Denise Moss, ICSD Enrollment Coordinator, with any questions. enrollment@indianola.k12.ia.us

