

Friday, October 27, 2023

INDIANOLA HIGH SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Attendance Office Email: ihsattendance@indianola.k12.ia.us

GENERAL INFORMATION:

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: https://linktr.ee/ihshorizon

2024 AP TESTING: Registration for the 2024 AP testing begins today. Deadline is TODAY, Friday, October 27. Please turn in the registration form and payment to Kim in the main office.

AP Registration Form

AP Seminar Registration Form

STUDENTS:

ALA CARTE ITEMS: Students just a reminder that the Ala Carte window in the cafeteria is open from 7:30 am - 1:00 pm everyday if you want to use your lunch account to purchase items.

PEP BUS: LAST CHANCE if you are planning on riding the pep bus to the volleyball game(s) YOU MUST SIGN UP IN THE ACTIVITIES OFFICE and pay at the same time. Deadline is TODAY, Friday, October 27 at NOON!

SENIORS:

SENIOR PHOTO: Class of 2024, please use this link to submit your senior photo. Email or physical photos will not be accepted. Please refer to the policy at the top of the google form for more information about senior photo requirements. **All photos are due by the end of the day on 11/30/23**

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>

^{*}new items are in purple

^{*}Announcements may not come every day. It will depend on if any new items need to be added.

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:

INDIANOLA THEATRE & DRAMA: Students interested in becoming the Freshman Representative for ITD need to submit all materials by 11:59 p.m. on Friday, October 27th. Students need 2 teacher recommendations and 3 peer recommendations in addition to the application below.

Freshman Representative Application
Teacher Recommendation
Peer Recommendation

SPORTS:

HS BASEBALL PLAYERS -- Please complete the following sign-up form with your contact information. An introductory team meeting will be communicated at a later date.

Form: https://forms.gle/fDJaGsc1h6LsXZ9eA

-- Coach Carlin

SPECIAL OLYMPICS BOWLING: Huge Shoutout to the following students for placing at the Special Olympics Regional Bowling Competition on Tuesday, Oct. 17th.

Justyne Easton 2nd place Andrew Ruiz 1st place Dean Davis 4th place

Ella Goering 1st Place

Kayla Barth 1st Place

All 1st place winners advance to the State Competition in November!!

FOOTBALL: Good luck to the FB team that will be traveling to Cedar Rapids Xavier tonight for the first round of playoffs! Game time 7:00 pm

VOLLEYBALL: The Indianola Volleyball Program would like to say; Thanks for the fun, the PINK and the atmosphere in the North gym last night. From Staff Members to Students, It was Dandy!

Next Match up is at X Stream Arena in Coralville, Iowa

<u>#2 Indianola (36-4)</u>

Monday, October 30 4:25 p.m., COURT TWO

<u>#7 Marion (26-12)</u>

WRESTLING APPAREL: Wrestling fans, here is our apparel link: https://indianola-wrestling-2023.itemorder.com/shop/home/ Store closes on November 14.

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

SPANISH CLUB: Did you miss out on the Spanish Club meeting? No worries, you can still join! We are making sugar skulls 8th hour and after school Wednesday 11/1 and decorating them Friday 11/3 in the morning before school.

ART CLUB: Meeting Tuesday, November 7th from 3:30-4:30PM in Mrs. Weinman's Room.

SAVE THE DATE FOR FRIENDSGIVING on Tuesday, November 28th from 6:00-8:00PM!*You must be a paid Art Club Member to attend this event.*

SILVER CORD OPPORTUNITIES:

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#/

Girls on the Run of Central lowa is looking for 5K volunteers: The <u>Girls on the Run 5K presented by EMC Insurance Companies</u> 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: Nov. 12

Where: Water Works Park

Register: https://www.pinwheel.us/register/index/Fall2023-5K-Volunteer

The Whittier Elementary Science program is looking for IHS students to help with preparing materials for investigations throughout the school year. Some of this work will be done at Whittier during the day, and some can be taken home to complete and returned by a deadline. If you are interested, please contact Dionne Ackelson 515-961-9570 ext. 7143 or email dionne.ackelson@indianola.k12.ia.us for more information.

Hillbilly Hike Half Marathon, 10k, and Greubel 5k is looking for volunteers to help on 11/4 with water stations and traffic control. Please email iowa.hillbilly.hike.@gmail.com if you are interested.

The Necessity Pantry of Indianola is looking for volunteers for Monday and/or Wednesdays from 2:30-4:30. If you are interested or have additional questions please contact Jennifer Larsen at 515-402-5231 or email at jlar0424@gmail.com

GUIDANCE OFFICE NEWS:

Are you interested in learning more about the Trades as a future career? On November 2, there will be a Johnston Trades Expo. During this Expo all trade unions will be represented and ready to talk to high school students. This event will be held in Johnston, Iowa at Camp Dodge and will only be in the morning. If you are interested in attending please see Mrs Coghlan in the Counseling Office.

COLLEGE/MILITARY VISITS:

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

Monday, Oct. 30 at 1:00 - Indian Hills Community College

Thursday, Nov. 2 - Air Force (cafeteria visit) Tuesday, Nov. 7 at 9:00 Simpson College

Thursday, Nov. 9 at 9:00 - Kansas State University

Thursday, Nov. 16 from 8:30 - 2:00 - Des Moines Area Community College Thursday, Dec. 7 from 8:30 - 2:00 - Des Moines Area Community College

To visit with the DMACC representative on any of the above dates, please use this link to make an appointment: Calendly: https://calendly.com/pnbolton/indianolahs

DATES TO REMEMBER:

November 21	1 hr early dismissal	
November 22-24	NO SCHOOL	Thanksgiving Break
December 21	1 hr early dismissal	
December 22-January 2	NO SCHOOL	Winter Break
January 15	NO SCHOOL	Professional Development for Teachers
February 13-15		Spring Conferences
February 16	NO SCHOOL	
March 11-15	NO SCHOOL	Spring Break
April 1	NO SCHOOL	Professional Development for Teachers
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

Indianola Volleyball Club 23/24 High School Tryouts

9th/10th/11th Grade Girls on Nov 6 & 7th - 6:30-8:30pm

https://indianolavolleyballclub.sportngin.com/register/form/158850058 to register. Ensure to follow all steps to be eligible for tryouts.

Warren County Shotgun Sports is excited to bring the youth of Warren County a new opportunity in the growing sport of clay target shooting. Registration for our Spring 2024 Season is open November 1-26th.

Informational Meeting Dates:

Sunday, November 5th- Downing Construction in Indianola 3pm-4pm

Sunday, November 12th- Carlisle High School 3pm-4pm

Monday, November 13th- Open House at the Warren County Izaak Walton. Come learn about our program and experience a WCSS practice.

The youth team of Warren County Shotgun Sports is open to all students who live within Warren County. The students most likely to participate will be in 5th-12th grades, but younger students may join as long as they meet certain criteria. We participate in the Scholastic Clay Target Program with the Iowa DNR, and provide opportunities to shoot competitively singles trap, with doubles and handicap trap, skeet, sporting clays and five stand events available. Please check out our Facebook Page for more information!

Any questions reach out to Coach Kissner at info@warrencountyss.org or call/text WCSS at 515-497-4050.

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>

