



Thursday, March 24, 2022

INDIANOLA HIGH SCHOOL DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Attendance Office Email:

ihattendance@indianola.k12.ia.us

*new items are in purple

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Lost and Found: We have a few air pod cases, Clever audio earbuds, skullcandy earbuds, one lone apple airpod, an apple watch and jewelry (rings and a necklace) in the main office. You must have your phone with you to verify the watch and earbuds sync up with your phone.

Are you moving? Or have you moved recently? If so, please complete and return the [Change of Address Form](#) with your proof of residence, as outlined below, as soon as possible to Denise Moss, District Enrollment Coordinator. You may drop them off at the District Office, email them to enrollment@indianola.k12.ia.us, or fax them to 515-961-9502.

SPRING MUSICAL: Indianola High School Musical Theatre Presents: *The Sound of Music*

Come see IHS's production of *The Sound of Music* on April 28th, 29th, and 30th! Bring friends and family! Tickets can be purchased by following the link below or by purchasing them at the door! vancoevents.com/BCCE"

STUDENTS:

SOPHOMORES: The Indianola Dollars for Scholars Chapter is looking for a sophomore representative to be the school liaison for the chapter. This liaison is responsible for representing the student's voice and is a two year commitment. Meetings are once a month. This is a great opportunity to gain leadership experience. If you would like to apply or have questions, please see Mrs Coghlan in the Counseling Office. Applications are due April 15.

PROM UPDATE: Tickets will be available for purchase before and after school from Tuesday, April 12 through Friday, April 15. Tickets will be \$20. You will sign your guest up at the time of purchase. Juniors, if you haven't paid your \$40 Prom fee, you may do so through your PowerSchool account or bring it to the main office.

SENIORS:

JOSTENS DELIVERY: Jostens will be here Friday, March 25 from 11:00 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. in the PD rooms to deliver your cap/gown and announcements. If you are not able to pick them up at that time, don't fret, they will be in the main office to pick up anytime after.

POST GRAD PLANS: Seniors, just a reminder to stop in the main office to fill out the red binder on your post graduation plans. This information is for the Registrar's Office knowing where to send a transcript and the graduation program.

Deadline is April 11th!

DOLLARS FOR SCHOLARS: The Dollars for Scholars Application is now open. Please go to https://indianola.dollarsforscholars.org/index.php?section=chapterWebsite&action=student_parent&fwID=1739
 Hit CLICK TO LOGIN and create an account. It is VERY IMPORTANT that you use your PERSONAL EMAIL AND NOT YOUR SCHOOL EMAIL when creating your account. If you have any questions, please see your counselor
[Dollars for Scholars PowerPoint Presentation](#)

PARENTS:

Junior Parents - If you would like to donate a gift card or monetary gift to the post prom to use as give aways the night of prom please follow the instructions in this link. Thank you!
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C49ABA62AA7F85-post>

HY-VEE RECEIPTS: The Post Prom committee is still collecting Hy-Vee receipts as a fundraiser for Post Prom. Please drop them off in the main office. Look for the green container! Thank you!

SCHOOL PERMIT FORM: If you have a student who has finished Drivers Education and needs to fill out the DOT Affidavit for School license, here is the link to the form: <https://iowadot.seamlessdocs.com/f/AffidavitforSchoolLicense>

PARKING: If you have not filled out a vehicle registration, please have your student stop in the main office to pick one up or follow the link and fill out a form [click here to register your vehicle](#)

DATES TO REMEMBER:

March 25	11:00 am - 1:00 pm	Jostens Delivery Day (Graduation items)
April 11	No School	Professional Development Day
April 23	4:00-5:30 pm	Prom Grand March-HS North Gym
April 23	8:00-11:00 pm	PROM-Adventureland Palace Theatre
May 22	1:00 pm	Graduation -Blake Fieldhouse MS
May 25-27		2nd Semester Finals
May 27		Last day of school

FINE ARTS:

MAD Dance is back! The theme this year is "Under the Sea." If you are or have been involved in music, art, or drama this year, plan to attend the MAD dance on Friday, April 1st from 8-11 p.m. -- no that's not a joke! \$5 attendance fee and \$1 for drinks. Costumes are encouraged!! Music, dancing, and activities in the IHS music wing (band and choir rooms). MAD Court voting to happen next Wednesday or Thursday (3/30 or 3/31) in the music wing. See any of the music, art, and/or drama teachers for more information.

LETTERING FOR THEATRE: If you were involved in theatre in any way this year, check out these forms to see if you qualify to letter! Worked concerts or backstage? Those are qualification points. Acted on stage? Qualification points! You need 10 points per year to letter and can letter every year!

[1st Semester Points Form](#)

[2nd Semester Points Form -- to come!](#)

In addition to yearly lettering, the first time you letter, you can qualify to be enrolled in the International Thespian Society! Thespian status allows you to participate in Thespy Individual Awards at ThesFest and qualify for potential scholarships your senior year. The cost to join the Thespian Society is a one-time fee of \$30. This pays for the enrollment fee, your Thespian pin and card, and contributes toward the cost of Thespian cords you can wear at graduation. See Mrs. Arch, BrandiAnn, or Pitt for more information.

SPORTS:

CHEERLEADING TRYOUTS: Tryouts for the 2022-2023 school year are just around the corner. Practice and tryouts are open to any student entering grades 9-12.

Practice: March 28th 4:30pm-7:00pm

Tryouts: March 29th 5:30pm

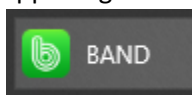
Chris Street Gym @ Indianola Middle School

*To be eligible to try out, you must attend practice unless there is a conflict with a school activity which is communicated with coaches prior to the date.

*If you are interested in trying out for football cheer, basketball cheer, or wrestling cheer please complete and submit the below tryout form AND join the BAND group.

[IHS Cheer Tryout Form](#) please submit the form as soon as you can. It is due prior to the first day of practice on March 28th.

[IHS Cheer Tryout BAND Group](#) please join as soon possible but prior to March 25th. You can download the BAND app to a phone or use the website <https://band.us/> to create an account and join the group. This is where you will find requirement reminders, additional information, and updates prior to tryout week. We will also be posting the videos of the material to learn the week prior to tryouts. This will allow you extra time to practice on your own. The icon for the app is a green box with a lowercase b, as shown in the attached image.



[Additional Cheer Information](#) This link contains more information such as what to wear and costs upon selection
Any questions can be submitted to indianolacheerleaders@gmail.com

STUDENT CLUBS:

ART CLUB:

Open Studio: Will be on Tues., March 29th from 3:30-5:30PM to make MAD Dance decorations.

MAD Dance on Fri., April 1st 7:00-9:30 PM in the IHS Music/Band Room. Theme: UNDER THE SEA (Costumes Encouraged) This event is for Music, Art and Drama/Theatre students.

Art Club Mtg on Tues., April 5th from 3:30-4:30PM in Mrs. Weinman's Room (We will do a garden activity.)

SILVER CORD OPPORTUNITIES:

Summer Volunteer Opportunities: Greater Des Moines Botanical Garden!

Learn new skills, engage with others by helping the Botanical Garden and your community.

One-time spring event: Spring Garden Festival

A variety of roles for all skill levels and interests.

May 5: Evening event: assistance is needed to transport plants to guests vehicles.

May 6, 8 – 5 PM (varying shifts): assistance in plant pick up area.

May 7, 8 – 5 (varying shifts): assistance with plant and Shed Sale pick up and family festival activities.

Summer activities:

- *Summer Camp Assistant &/or Youth Summer Guided Tours Co-Leader: APPLICATIONS DUE APRIL 1, 2022
- *Garden Maintenance: work with others to keep the gardens looking their best
- *Events: weekly event set-up for the summer concert series
- *Guest Experience: be trained to assist with admissions and the gift shop or be a Garden Host and help others enjoy their experience at the Garden

Have questions? volunteer@dmbotanicalgarden.com

Want to apply? <https://www.dmbotanicalgarden.com/support/volunteer/>

Summer Camp Assistant &/or Youth Summer Guided Tours: Summer Volunteer Application (blue box, bottom of the page)

Any other role: Volunteer Application (green box, bottom of the page)

FUN VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES at Indianola Parks & Rec

Family Flashlight Easter Egg Hunt: Friday, April 8 from 7pm-9:15pm @ Indianola Activity Center (2204 West 2nd Avenue) <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F48ADAB22A7FB6-volunteers28>

Special Friends Spring Formal Dance: Friday, April 29 from 6-8:30pm @ Indianola Activity Center (2204 West 2nd Avenue) <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F48ADAB22A7FB6-volunteers29>

GUIDANCE NEWS:

The BAC (Bricklayers and Allied Craftworkers) are hosting an open house to learn more about mason mechanic support and apprenticeship programs on Wednesday, March 30 from 10 AM-Noon in Marshalltown. Parents are encouraged to attend. To register go to:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfWNUvd7gUgiebcs6rfktKdk9OfeoUzjVa_In7vGIKMVe0mhg/viewform

If you have any questions contact Jenny Irlmeier at 515-979-8235

Burkhead Electric is having an Apprenticeship Introduction Dinner on Thursday, March 31st from 5:30-7:30 pm at Indianola Church of Christ. This is a great opportunity for teachers, students, parents, and anyone else who has interest in joining an apprenticeship program. We will be offering dinner, a presentation, hands on demonstrations and Q&A Session for those in attendance. [CLICK HERE](#) for a flier with more information and how to RSVP.

COLLEGE/MILITARY VISITS:

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

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.

Cook Plumbing Corporation in West Des Moines is looking for high school graduates interested in starting an apprenticeship in the plumbing field. We understand how important a college education can be for some graduates and also understand college may not be for everyone. 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. Please pass this along if you are not the one who should receive this information. Please see the flyer in the DropBox link below. [Job Flyer](#)

HELP NEEDED: Indianola Precast, LLC is looking for Full and part time help, Monday-Friday 7am-4 pm. You need to be at least 16 years of age. This is a “hands on” job. The individual will get dirty. We will provide work shirts, gloves, safety goggles, hard hat, and hearing protection. Starting pay \$14/hr with a 2 week trial. There is more information on the job board by the Guidance Office or [CLICK HERE](#).

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC STUDENT TRIP 2023: Your student is invited to join us on an upcoming educational travel experience to the Dominican Republic in Spring 2023!

When students travel, they expand their knowledge of the world around them, discover more about themselves, and grow more confident. These skills are critical for creating the global citizens of tomorrow, and I would love to have your student join me on this adventure.

On Thursday, March 24 from 7:00 - 7:45 pm, come hear all the details, including the itinerary, activities, academic opportunities, cost of this trip, and EF’s risk-free enrollment period at our upcoming virtual informational meeting. You can find all the details of the meeting and register to save your seat here: <https://bit.ly/3qzUoQ>

There are limited spots on this trip, so we would love to have you attend this meeting to learn more about this exciting opportunity!