



## Immaculate Conception School News

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October 9 - October 13	October 16 - October 20
Monday, October 9 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Columbus Day - NO SCHOOL</b></li> </ul> Tuesday, October 10 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>ICS Girl's Basketball Vs. Alwood (5:30)</b></li> </ul> Wednesday, October 11 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Rosary 8:40/Mass 9a.m.</li> <li>● Youth Group (3-4:00p.m.)</li> <li>● Pre-K &amp; Kindergarten Field Trip to Monsanto</li> </ul> Thursday, October 12 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Chess Club (3-4:30)</li> <li>● 3<sup>rd</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> Choir (3-3:45p.m.)</li> <li>● ICS Girl's Basketball @ ROWVA (5:30)</li> </ul> Friday, October 13 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Last day students can wear shorts to school</b></li> <li>● 6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> Choir (3-4:00p.m.)</li> </ul> <b>SAVE THE DATE: ICS MUSIC TRIVIA NOV. 11TH KC HALL</b>	Monday, October 16 Boys Basketball Official Start Tuesday, October 17 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● ICS Girl's Basketball @ West Prairie (5:30)</li> </ul> Wednesday, October 18 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Rosary 8:40/Mass 9a.m.</li> <li>● Youth Group (3-4:00p.m.)</li> <li>● Club's Choice delivery</li> </ul> Thursday, October 19 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Chess Club (3-4:30)</li> <li>● 3<sup>rd</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> Choir (3-3:45p.m.)</li> <li>● <b>ICS Girl's Basketball Vs. Sherrard (5:30)</b></li> </ul> Friday, October 20 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Spend Awhile on the Nile (1:45p.m.)</li> <li>● End of 1st Quarter</li> <li>● 6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> Choir (3-4:00p.m.)</li> <li>● NO United Buses &amp; Monmouth/Roseville PM Bus</li> </ul> Saturday, October 21 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● ICS Golf Outing</li> </ul>

**\*October Hot Lunch Cost \$53.55**

### Confirmation

I would like to congratulate all of the ICS students who celebrated the sacrament of Confirmation this past weekend. They are **Ava Archer, Tobi Caldwell, Rebecca Denison, Madison Diaz, Cormaic Flynn, Natalia Godina, Brooke Kane, Ian McVey, Kittner McVey, Veronica Miller, Aidan Parkins, Leslie Quintana, Isabel Thompson, Jose Velasquez**. I would also like to say a special thank you to Mrs. Shadensack and Mrs. McVey for all of their efforts organizing Confirmation and working with all of these students.

### ICS 2nd place in State for Baseball!

For the second time in as many years, the ICS baseball team earned its' way to state. In the first game (the elite eight) the Trojans faced off against the Mustangs of Royal Prairieview Ogden. The Trojans finished strong and defeated the Mustangs with a final score 9-2. This win advanced the Trojans advance to the Final Four. In the second game of the weekend, ICS battled Ottawa Marquette. In a nail biter the Trojans pulled it out in extra innings with a final score of 4-3 to advance to the IESA Class 1A State Championship game. The championship game would be against annual powerhouse Joliet St. Paul. The Trojans managed only one hit and would get beat 15-0 by mercy rule in four innings. The Trojans would take 2nd place in the state tournament and finish with a 14-7 record.

### \*Not in Compliance – Excluded from School\*

Physicals and Immunizations for grades PreK, kindergarten, and sixth grade are due by October 15, 2017. Eye exams for students in kindergarten are also due by October 15, 2017. Dental exams are required for kindergarten, second, and sixth grade. **The State of Illinois requires that students not be allowed to attend school after October 15, 2017 if the school has not received proof of physical, Immunizations or an approved scheduled appointment.** Thank you in advance for getting these to us. Please contact the school office or the school nurse, Mrs. Patti Parkins RN, if you have questions.

## **STATE BASEBALL T-SHIRTS**

We have 2 State T-shirts left. If you wear 2XL you may purchase them for \$14 each. Stop in the office.

## **RENWEB/FACTS**

For those who utilize the afterschool program, there is now billing in our FACTS account. You are welcome to pay your account online.

## **ICS Golf Outing**

Registration forms for our upcoming Golf Tournament and Tailgate Party can be turned into the ICS office with payment. The Best Ball Golf Tournament sign-in will begin at 3:00p.m. with a shotgun start at 4:00p.m. on Saturday, October 21 at Monmouth Country Club. Following the Golf Tournament we invite you to watch the Notre Dame vs. USC game in the clubhouse with the purchase of squares available for the game. If you have any questions please contact the school office at 734-6037. Please remember all proceeds raised at this event will benefit ICS School.

## **ICS Halloween Activities**

On Friday, October 27, all students will participate in the Halloween Parade of Costumes beginning at 1:30 p.m. Parents/guardians are invited to attend. **Seating begins at 1:15 p.m. in the school gym.** We remind parents that all costumes must be appropriate and not glorify the devil or evil. We prefer no play weapons. Halloween is the eve of All Saints Day celebrated by the Catholic Church on November 1. We appreciate your support in ensuring costumes reflect our Catholic philosophy. Children bring their costumes to school in a bag and change into their costumes after the lunch periods at 12:30 p.m. Halloween parties will follow the Parade of Costumes in the classroom from 2-3 p.m. **Only parents who have completed safe environment are allowed to participate in those parties.** If you have not completed safe environment and are interested in doing so, please contact the school office. Thank you  
**Our annual Chili Supper & Trunk or Treat will be that evening beginning at 5:30.**

## **Chili Dinner & Trunk or Treat!**

In this week's blue folder everyone is receiving information regarding the upcoming Chili Supper including a work schedule and donation list. More help and donations are needed and this is a great opportunity to acquire Fair Share points for your contributions. Also, if you are interested in participating in this year's Trunk or Treat please let the co-chairs know! Please direct any questions to the co-chairs, Lucinda Ricco & Regina Johnson.

## **Scholastic Book Fair**

Save the date for the 2017 Scholastic Book Fair open October 26th through November 2nd! The Book Fair will be open during Chili Supper and school time hours are TBA. Volunteers are needed to make the Book Fair a success! Please contact Josie Lair at 309-714-9704 or [jos75@rocketmail.com](mailto:jos75@rocketmail.com) if you would like to help.

## **ICS Yard Signs**

In this week's blue folders you will find an order form for ICS yard signs. These signs are a great way to celebrate ICS and those activities your students participate in. If you are interested please return order forms by Friday, October 13. Please make all checks payable to ICS.

## **Last Day for Shorts**

Please be reminded that the last day students may wear shorts to school is **Friday, October 13** regardless of the weather shifts. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

## **Spend Awhile on the Nile**

Our 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade classes have been working on a musical entitled "Spend Awhile on the Nile" and will be giving their grand performance on Friday, October 20th at 1:45pm in the ICS gym. It is a show featuring a few of the famous stories from the Bible...and some with a misguided twist. Family and friends are invited to join us for the show!

## **Scholastic Bowl Coaches needed**

ICS is looking for Scholastic Bowl Coaches for the 2017-18 season. Mrs. Painter and Mrs. Kelley got this program off the ground and are ready to hand over the reigns. If you are interested in this position or have any questions please contact email Mr. Frakes at [rfrakes@immaculate-conception.net](mailto:rfrakes@immaculate-conception.net). This is a great program we want to see continue.

**Enclosures:** Afterschool & Lunch Bills, Fire Dept Flyer, Chili/Truck Treat work/donation schedule, Yard Sign form