

Immaculate Conception School News

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2024/25 ICS Registration is open!

Registration for the 2024-25 school year is open! **You will receive an email today to begin the process!** **Registration is open for our current families before we open up to the public to ensure your enrollment if you choose to return.**

Please know we will cap classroom sizes as we have in the past. Please keep this in mind if you plan on returning to ICS next year.

The deadline to register for current ICS families is Friday, April 26th.

Please know you can still register after this date, but if a class is already full you will be put on a waiting list. If you have any questions please feel free to contact Mrs. Steele at steeled@immaculate-conception.net or call the school office at 734-6037. Thank you.

*If you know anyone who would be interested in attending ICS in the fall, please direct them to the inquiry page on our website. [School Year 2024-25 new student inquiry](#)

Preschool and Pre-K Open House this Monday!

Do you have a younger child/ren ready to start school or know of a family considering ICS for their early childhood education? ***If so, please join us on Monday, March 25th, from 5:30 - 6:30 pm for a chance to meet the Administration and Staff and learn what ICS is all about.*** If you have any questions please contact Mrs. McVey at ccmcvey@immaculate-conception.net

* Please don't hesitate to bring your little ones so they can meet some new friends and see the classrooms, too!

ICS Auction Raffle Tickets

Raffle ticket envelopes went home with all ICS families! If you are unable to sell the tickets to your family, friends, and co-workers, please return your envelope to school.

Families receive Fair Share points for each ticket sold. Cash prize for the student who sells the winning ticket! Please contact Meghan Schroeder if you need more tickets at

meghanschroeder@immaculate-conception.net

Thank you for your help with this ICS Fundraiser!

Raffle tickets can also be purchased online at [ICS Auction 2024 Raffle Tickets](#)

Please return all sold and unsold tickets by April 5, 2024.

ICS AUCTION 2024 - GROWING TOGETHER

The auction website is now live and ready for you to PREVIEW of SILENT AUCTION items.

More items are added daily. Silent Auction bidding opens on March 27 at 1:00pm.



You can preview the items and/or purchase auction tickets or tables with the link or QR code.

[ICS AUCTION 2024](#)

We are still taking donations. Contact Cece at ccmevey@immaculate-conception.net with any questions.

ICS UNIFORM SHOP

The ICS Uniform Shop is overflowing. An order form was sent home with your youngest ICS student and is attached [HERE](#). Check your closets and see what you need to finish the school year!

Knights of Columbus Blood Drive is back!

The Monmouth Council of the Knights of Columbus is teaming up with Immaculate Conception School again to host a blood drive on *April 11th in Mary Twomey Hall from 3:00 - 7:00p.m.* Please remember the more blood that we can donate the bigger the grant will be for ICS and the more people we can help. If you are interested please use the following link

[ImpactLife - Donor Portal \(bloodcenter.org\)](#)

Spalding Scholarship Application for Tuition Assistance

Tuition assistance scholarship grants from the endowment fund established as a result of the Diocese of Peoria ROOTED IN FAITH Campaign and named in honor of Archbishop Spalding, the first Bishop of Peoria, will be available for the 2024-2025 school year for students enrolled in or intending to enroll in grades Kindergarten through 12 in any Catholic school located in the Diocese of Peoria whose families are active members of a Catholic parish in the diocese. All grants will be based on financial need objectively assessed.

Information about the grants and application materials may be obtained from any Catholic elementary or secondary school in the Diocese of Peoria or on the Diocesan website www.cdop.org under Catholic Education and then under Financial Assistance. Consult the detailed protocols and procedures and checklist for all requirements necessary to be eligible for an award. Parents must apply online at: online.factsmgt.com/aid. Families of students currently receiving grants are reminded that all grants are for one year only, and anyone seeking to renew a grant for the 2024-2025 school year must reapply.

The deadline date for the completed application is April 26, 2024. Notification of grant awards will be made in June of 2024.

FACTSIS updates

Some of you may need help with your login to FACTSIS. Here is a link to some of those FAQ [Multi-Factor Authentication](#).

Tax Returns

Tax season is quickly approaching. If you need to get a Tuition and Fees statement that you paid to the school, please log in to your FACTS account. Below is the link for instructions on how to print.

[*Tax Payment Summary Directions*](#)

Save the Date - Totus Tuus!

Totus Tuus is **June 23-28** this year. It is an exciting, week-long event for children in 1st through 6th grade (Mon-Fri day program) and junior high & high school (Sun-Thurs evening program). Last year we had over 90 children attend Totus Tuus - a record number! Make sure your kids get a chance to encounter Jesus, participate in the human sundae and marshmallow dodgeball, and grow in their faith. Look here for more info on registration soon!

'23-'24 Yearbooks

'23-'24 ICS Yearbooks are available for preorder online by going to the following link

[*https://ybpay.lifetouch.com/Order/SelectJob*](https://ybpay.lifetouch.com/Order/SelectJob)

The ID code for ICS families is **14677424**. Ordering is open until 5/5/23.

If you have any questions please contact the office.

Safe Environment for School Volunteers

We would like to thank all the parents and families who quickly completed their Safe Environment training. If you haven't completed this please take time to do so. Create an account [with CMGConnect](#) to register, complete the "Safe Environment Training", and fill out a CANTS background check and criminal background check through [Selection](#). There is a \$6 processing charge plus fees for each selection background check that each participant will be responsible for. These are all requirements by the Diocese to be a volunteer on a field trip or classroom party. Also, from time to time, ICS might need a few drivers to transport children. If you

think you will be available to do this, you must complete the Safe Environment Driving Course in CMG Connect.

If you are interested or have any questions please contact Mrs. Steele at steeled@immaculate-conception.net. A volunteer requirement checklist and additional forms and information are available in the school office.

Save the Date

Growing Together - ICS Auction 2024 - April 13

Serenata - May 10th

8th Grade Graduation - May 16th

[April Lunch Menu](#)

[Church Bulletin](#)

[School Calendar](#)