

# Immaculate Conception School News

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## ***21/22 ICS Registration is here!***

Registration for the 2021-22 school year is open! You should receive an email this afternoon to begin the process! We will start by opening registration for our current families before we open up to the public to ensure your enrollment if you choose to return. Please know at this time we will plan on capping classroom sizes as we do not know what next year's ISBE and IDPH guidelines will be in regards to classroom space, etc. Please keep this in mind if you plan on returning to ICS next year. ***The deadline to register for current ICS families is Tuesday, April 6th.*** 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](mailto:steeled@immaculate-conception.net) or call the school office at 734-6037. Thank you

## ***Preschool & Pre-k Round-up***

***Save the date for the ICS Preschool and Pre-k in-person Roundup on Wednesday, March 24th!*** If you have older students currently enrolled at ICS and want to enroll a Preschool or Pre-K 4 year old student for next year please print and fill out the [Intent to Register](#) and return to Mrs. Steele at [steeled@immaculate-conception.net](mailto:steeled@immaculate-conception.net). This way we can put that incoming student into our system to be registered for the 21/22 school year. If you have any questions please feel free to contact the school office. More information about this event will be coming soon!

## ***Fair Share Points***

Fair Share points have been updated and are available in your FACTS account. Each ICS family is responsible for earning \$300 in points per year. Not quite there yet? We will have three more opportunities to earn points this year- The Serenata Dinner, Spring Flower and Meat Sticks Sale and a raffle opportunity. Information on these fundraisers will be coming in the weeks ahead.

## ***Totus Tuus Returns!***

Thinking about warmer weather & making summer plans? Don't forget to include Totus Tuus this year!! It's a week-long day-camp that is packed with fun ways to learn the Catholic faith (and daily Mass/evening prayer) for 1st - 6th grades and 7th-12th grades. Save the dates for our session June 27-July 2 at ICS. More information about registration and how to get involved will be forthcoming.

## ***ICS PTO***

We are excited to announce that we will be starting up the ICS PTO Group in April! Mark your calendars, **Wednesday, April 7 at 6 p.m.** we will meet in Mary Twomey Hall for the first meeting of the year! If you have wanted to get involved at ICS and weren't sure how or are interested in learning more, please attend the meeting. We will cover PTO basics and be nominating parents for offices and committees the 21/22 year!

***Save the Date!***

***ICS has decided to move forward with the Serenata Mexicana on Friday, April 23rd!*** Jump in the car and drive-thru for some delicious food! More information will be coming soon!

**Warren County YMCA Spring Sports Flyers**

*Please see the following attachments at the bottom of this email:*

[Youth Soccer \(PreK-1st\)](#)

[Youth Soccer \(2nd-3rd\)](#)

[Youth Soccer \(4th-5th\)](#)

[Youth Volleyball Clinic \(K-6th\)](#)

[Spring Flag Football \(4th-6th\)](#)

Families of students currently receiving grants are reminded that all grants are for one year only, and anyone seeking to renew a grant for 2020 - 2021 must reapply. **Deadline date for the completed application is April 30, 2021.** Notification will be in June.

**2020 Payment Summary for Taxes**

A printable payment summary is available in your FACTS account on the payment tab. It can be printed for the calendar year 2020. This report will show all payments made to ICS for Tuition, Books, and After School fees, also if Fair Share payments were made in 2020, here are the [Instructions to print](#)

**Spalding Award Scholarship**

Tuition assistance scholarship grant from the endowment fund of the Diocese of Peoria ROOTED IN FAITH Campaign will be available for the 2021 - 2022 school year for students enrolled in or intending to enroll in grades Kindergarten – 8<sup>th</sup> grades. Families must be members of a Catholic parish in the diocese to apply. All grants will be based on financial need objectively assessed. Information about the grants and application materials may be obtained from the school office or the Diocese of Peoria website [www.cdop.org](http://www.cdop.org) - click on EDUCATION; then OFFICE OF CATHOLIC SCHOOLS; then the Select list and click on SPALDING SCHOLARSHIPS. Consult the detailed Protocols and Procedures for all requirements necessary to be eligible for an award. Parents will need to also apply online at: [online.factsmgt.com/aid](http://online.factsmgt.com/aid).

**COVID reminders**

*If anyone in your household **has been tested for COVID** and is waiting on results the child/ren in that family needs to **stay home** until a negative test result is confirmed.*

For your reference, some of the common symptoms of COVID-19 are:

- fever of 100.4 degrees;
- loss of taste/smell;
- fatigue/achy muscles;
- sinus/nasal;
- sore throat;
- nausea/vomiting/diarrhea;
- cough; and
- shortness of breath.

If you or your child(ren) display(s) any of the symptoms stated above, or if you have any questions, it is recommended that you contact your physician/pediatrician for further instructions.

[Church Website and Bulletin](#)

[ICS Calendar](#)

[March Lunch Menu](#)