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ICS MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of ICS is to provide an atmosphere in which each unique child of God is challenged both academically and Biblically to live as a Christian, serving Him in all areas of life.

2018-2019 Theme

“FAN THE FLAME”

Aug./Sept.

BELIEVE IN HIM

AFFIRMATIVE STATEMENT

The Inwood Christian School admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities, generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national and ethnic origin in administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic and other school-administered programs.

Dear Parents,

THANK YOU!: Thank you to all the parents who attended the Parents Information Night last evening. We hope that the sectionals were informative and helpful to you. If you have any questions from the sectionals, please contact your student’s teacher.

SEE YOU AT THE POLE: Next **Wednesday, September 26**, at 8:30 a.m., the whole school will be participating in the annual “See You At The Pole” event celebrating our freedom to pray. We invite and encourage everyone to join us.

COOKIE BAKING: Hearts & Hands will be baking cookies next **Monday, September 24**. Mixing on Monday morning will be Amy Stearns. Baking Monday morning will be Pam Wynia, and baking Monday afternoon will be Jamie Van Voorst. (Cookie Committee)

MID-TERMS: We have reached the mid point of our first quarter of the school year. Mid-terms will be sent home with the students next **Friday, September 28**. Please watch for these.

IMAGINE THE AMAZING: Don’t forget to vote for Inwood Christian School to win \$25,000 in the UnityPoint Health back-to-school contest. You may vote as many times as you can! Voting continues through September 30. Go to unitypoint.org/imaginetheamazing to place your vote.

ADVANCE NOTICE: There will be **NO SCHOOL** on **Thursday, October 4, and Friday, October 5**, as the teachers will be attending the Heartland Convention Inservice at Dordt College.

DES MOINES FIELD TRIP: The 5th-8th graders will be going to Des Moines on **October 12**. They will visit the Capitol building and Living History Farms. We will be leaving school at 6:00 A.M. More information will be coming soon! (Mrs. Pieper and Mrs. Lucas)

BIG SOO BOOKS: Hearts & Hands is offering Big Soo Coupon Books for sale for \$42.00 each. They contain many offers and discounts for restaurants, hotels, car washes, entertainment, and more in the Sioux Falls area. Books may be picked up at ICS office or at Sew ’n More. If you have any questions, please contact Karen De Vries at 712-470-2435 or email her at mkdv1997@hotmail.com. (Hearts & Hands)

PIZZA RANCH WAGON WHEELS: Along with your Box Tops and Coke rewards codes you have been saving, please start saving Pizza Ranch Wagon Wheels for our school! Spread the word to your extended family that Rock Rapids Pizza Ranch has partnered with our school to donate 25 cents for each “wagon wheel” we collect. These can be found on the right front flap of any Pizza Ranch take out/carry out box, not just those from Rock Rapids. You can peel them off along the perforated edges and send them to school. Thank you! (Hearts & Hands)

FLU SHOTS: Sanford Health from Rock Rapids will be offering flu shots to all students in grades K-8 who wish to receive them. This flu clinic will be held on **Wednesday, October 17**, at ICS. A letter with detailed information and consent forms for your student(s) was sent home with each student last week. Please note that **only flu shots** are being offered. To receive the flu shot, the consent forms must be completed and returned to school by **October 3**.

SAVE THE DATE: Mark your calendars now, and save the date for the Inwood Christian School Christmas Program which will be held on **Tuesday, December 4**, beginning at

7:00 p.m.

TEACHER WEB PAGES: Be sure to check the web pages of your students' teachers for important information from them. As the year goes on, the teachers will update with assignments and information that pertains just to their class. You can find each teacher's web page by going to the ICS website (www.inwoodchristian.com), click on contact us on the top right, click on staff directory, and then click on the teacher's web page you wish to see.

REMINDER: If your student(s) will be going somewhere other than their normal destination after school, the school needs a note (or at least a phone call) from parents telling us this information. If we do not receive a note or phone call, your student(s) will be sent to their normal destination.

BOOK ORDERS: Many of our students order books through the book clubs available through school. For easier bookkeeping purposes, the school sends one check to the book company when placing orders. If you send a check for your student's book order, **please make the check payable to Inwood Christian School**, not the book club as stated on the order form.

Mrs. Vander Veen

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Sept. 26 - "See You At The Pole"
- Sept. 26 - Preschool/Kindergarten Dental Screening, 9:00 a.m.
- Sept. 28 - Fellowship Village Chapel
- Sept. 28 - Mid-Terms sent home
- Oct. 4 & 5 - NO SCHOOL, Heartland Teachers' Inservice
- Oct. 8 - ICS School Board Meeting, 7:00 p.m.
- Oct. 9 - K - 4 Attend Play at Northwestern College
- Oct. 12 - 5th - 8th Grade Field Trip to Des Moines
- Oct. 17 - Flu Clinic at ICS
- Oct. 19 - ICS Chapel and FV Chapel
- Oct. 22 - Speech Interscholastics
- Oct. 26 - Early Dismissal, 11:40 a.m., Teacher's Inservice; busses will be running at 11:40 a.m.
- Oct. 26 - Morning/Afternoon SonLight classes combined in the morning
- Oct. 29 - End of first quarter



THEME FOR SEPTEMBER - "Believe in Him"

**"But these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God,
and that by believing you may have life in His name."**

John 20:31