



INWOOD CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

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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.

2023-2024

Theme
"We Will"

April

"Use our Gifts"

Call to Action

"Do something good for someone in the community"

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.

COOKIE BAKING: Hearts & Hands will be baking cookies on **Monday, April 22.**

Mixing on Monday morning will be Randi Grevengeod. Baking on Monday afternoon will be Kadee Van Beek and baking on Monday evening will be Jacklyn Nieuwendorp.

SOCCER GAMES: On **Thursday, April 25,** at 4:00 p.m. the soccer team will be playing a home soccer game against Rock Valley Christian.

SPRING MUSIC PROGRAM: The Spring Music Program will be held on **Monday, April 22,** at 7:00 p.m. at the Inwood Christian Reformed Church. Students are asked to wear nice church clothes (please no blue jeans or tennis shoes unless there is no other alternative). Following the program, Hearts & Hands will be serving cake and refreshments in the ICS gym in honor of Mrs. Folkerts and to thank her for her years of service at ICS.

PARENTS NIGHT: Parents Night for all 5th-8th grade students & their parents will be held on **Monday, April 29.** Please be watching your emails for more details (the email will be coming from Julie Leusink).

THANK YOU: A sincere thank you to the ICS staff for the beautiful flowers, gift card and delicious meal brought in for us to enjoy. Also, thank you to the parents who came to take over our classes while we enjoyed time together as a staff. How thoughtful of you to honor me in this way and wish me well as I soon retire from teaching. Mrs. Folkerts

KIDS BANK: Kids Bank will be every Tuesday morning. If your child has money to deposit, please make sure they are aware of it so they can deposit it with the bankers. Please have the money in a labeled envelope so the teachers know what it is for. The last day for Kids Bank for this school year will be on **Tuesday, May 7.**

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 by 3:15 p.m. If we do not receive a note or phone call, your student(s) will be sent to their normal destination.

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.

TEXT MESSAGES: The school sends out text messages and/or e-mails to alert parents/staff of early dismissals, late starts, and no school days due to bad weather and for other reminders throughout the year. If you have not already been receiving these messages and wish to start receiving them this year, please go to one of the following links and complete your sign up. You can sign up for both texts and e-mail, and both parents may sign up. It is easy to sign up, and we want to encourage everyone to participate. Even though you may have listed your numbers on your registration sheet, you need to go to the links and complete your sign up. The school is unable to just sign you up. Here are the links to sign up:

<http://www.remind.com/join/prek-8>

or

<http://www.remind.com/join/3b864>

SCRIP ORDERS: Scrip orders can be dropped off at the school, Todd's True Value or mailbox #139 at the Inwood Christian Reformed Church by Thursday of every week. If you have any questions regarding the Scrip program, please contact Leah Vande Vegte.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

April 22 -	Spring Music Program, 7:00 p.m.
April 23 -	Band Interscholastics
April 25 -	Soccer vs Rock Valley Christian, Home
April 26 -	3rd/4th Grade Field Trip
April 26 -	Ag Day at Dordt for 5th/6th grade
April 29 -	Parents Night, 5th - 8th grade
April 30 -	Soccer vs Orange City Christian, Home
May 1 -	Chapel
May 1 -	Western Track Meet, 5th - 8th grade
May 1 -	4th Grade goes to Popplers
May 2 -	Soccer vs Sioux Center Christian, Away
May 3 -	Kindergarten Field Trip
May 7 -	Soccer vs Ireton Christian, Home
May 8 -	Hike Day
May 9 -	Preschool Graduation
May 9 -	Soccer vs Sheldon Christian, Home
May 10 -	Kindergarten - 4th grade Track Meet, 1:30 p.m.
May 13 -	School Board Meeting
May 15 -	Sioux Center Track Meet, 5th - 8th grade
May 16 -	8th Grade Graduation
May 17 -	Last Day of School, 1:30 p.m. dismissal
May 25 -	Tractor Ride
June 5 -	ICS Society Meeting, 7:00 p.m.