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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.

2025-2026 Theme

"Believe, Grow, Serve"

Aug./Sept.

Jeremiah 29:11-13 (Believe)

AFFIRMATIVE STATEMENT

The Inwood Christian School admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, pro-grams, 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 other and schooladministered programs.

September 19, 2025, Newsletter

Dear Parents,

COOKIE BAKING: Hearts & Hands will be baking cookies next **Tuesday, September 23**. Mixing on Tuesday morning will be Jessica Bonnema. Baking on Tuesday afternoon will be Abbi Davelaar and baking on Tuesday evening will be Jen Reinke.

COOKIE SCHEDULE: The new 2025-2026 Cookie Baking Schedule is attached to the newsletter. Please mark your calendars with your mixing/baking days. You can also find the cookie schedule on the Inwood Christian School website.

VOLLEYBALL: The volleyball team will be traveling to Hull Christian on **Monday**, **September 22**. Driving for the game will be Amy Stearns & Randi Grevengoed. The team will leave school at 3:00 p.m. and the game will start at 4:00 p.m. The volleyball team will have a home game against Sanborn Christian on **Thursday**, **September 25**. Line judges for the game are Rita Eisma and Amy Stearns. The game will start at 4:00 p.m. The team will be traveling to Good Shepherd Lutheran on **Saturday**, **September 27**.

SEE YOU AT THE POLE: Wednesday, September 24, 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 as the 7th & 8th grade students lead us in prayer.

MIDTERMS: We have reached the mid point of our first quarter of the school year. Midterms will be sent home with the students on **Friday, September 26.**

KIDS BANK: Kids bank will be held every Tuesday morning.

HOT STUFF PIZZA SALES: Hearts & Hands (Parents of students in K-8) will be selling Hot Stuff pizzas. The order form (attached to last weeks newsletter) is the same as the past with 5 different pizza options: Breakfast, 4 Cheese, Pepperoni, Supreme, and Sausage Pepperoni. Please note that the price of the pizzas are **\$15 per pizza**. Order forms and payments are due back at school by the beginning of the day on **Friday, September 26**. Any questions please contact Amy Stearns (605-310-2362) or Nikki Van Beek (605-595-3156).

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 (605-929-5789).

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 Academics then click on the teacher's web page you wish to see.

PARENT/STUDENT HANDBOOK: The Parent/Student Handbook was given to each family at Open House. Take the time to acquaint yourself with the policies of ICS. After reading the Handbook, **please complete the page showing you read the Parent/Student Handbook and return it to the school office as soon as possible.**

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 3:00 p.m. If we do not receive a note or phone call, your student(s) will be sent to their normal destination.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sept. 22 -	Volleyball at Hull Christian, 4:00 p.m.
Sept. 24 -	See you at the Pole, 8:30 a.m.
Sept. 25 -	Kindergarten field trip to Country Apple Orchard
Sept. 25 -	Volleyball vs Sanborn Christian, home, 4:00 p.m.
Sept. 26 -	Midterms sent home
Sept. 27 -	Volleyball at Good Shepherd Lutheran, 10:00 a.m.
Sept. 30 -	Kindergarten field trip to the Inwood Fire Station
Oct. 2 & 3 -	Heartland Teachers Convention - No School
Oct. 7 -	Volleyball vs Sioux Center Christian, home, 4:00 p.m.
Oct. 13 -	School Board Meeting, 7:00 p.m.
Oct. 16 -	Preschool & Kindergarten Dental Screenings
Oct. 21 -	Volleyball at Hull Protestant, 4:00 p.m.
Oct. 28 -	End of 1st Quarter
Oct. 30 -	Preschool Parent Teacher Conferences
Oct. 31 -	1:30 p.m. dismissal

THEME FOR AUGUST/SEPTEMBER: