

IRETON CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

Weekly School Note

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PRAYER CORNER



****Year's Theme:** We are Living Letters "You yourselves are our letter, written on our hearts, known and read by everybody." II Cor.

3:2

****September's theme:** Attentive, we want to be listening with our ears, eyes, and heart to God's Word

Memory verse: Proverbs 4:20, 21 "My son, pay close attention to what I say; listen closely to my words. Do not let them out of your sight, keep them within your heart."

Prayer:

"Father, if we were training for the Olympics, we would not eat foods that would destroy the growing cells in our bodies. And on our computers we choose anti-virus software to protect it against harmful material that could shut down that system.

In the same way, may we choose to be "living letters" for you. Help us to choose to participate in only the things that are helpful and spiritually uplifting, filling our ears, eyes, and hearts with antivirus truths that draw us close to you and help energize others."

Please continue to pray

For Chad Abbas, he was able to come home last Thursday evening! "Now I'm on the road to recovery," he said. Chad is on I V antibiotics for six weeks. If you need a lift just visit with him or Jerianne, they have a beautiful positive attitude. They truly are a witness to God's faithfulness.

HOT LUNCH MENU

THURSDAY, September 17, Stromboli, lettuce, pears, poke cake and milk

FRIDAY, September 18, Soft shell taco's, corn, apples, nacho's and milk

MONDAY, September 21, Cream chicken on bun, French fries, banana, almond bars and milk

TUESDAY, September 22, Popcorn shrimp, mashed potatoes, corn, bread and milk

WEDNESDAY, September 23, Hot dog on bun, lettuce, peaches, rice krispie bar and milk

SCHOOL CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Thursday, Sept. 17- 8:15-9:15 Mom's In Touch meet in the ICS library for prayer. Anyone available and committed to praying for our school during this specific time is welcome.

Saturday, Sept. 19-Round Robin Tournament at Dordt College

Monday, Sept. 21-Cross Country Meet at Unity, grades 6-8, all are required to attend

Tuesday, Sept. 22-Volleyball at Sheldon vs. Sanborn & vs. Sheldon

Wed. Sept 23-Comm. Health Partners will give a hand washing demo to students K-4th at 10 o'clock

Wed. Sept. 23, 7 o'clock- Auxiliary kick-off meeting, see info. below

Friday, Sept. 25-Comm. Health Partners will be here to administer influenza shots for 6th - 8th grades. A form was sent home to parents of 6th-8th grades. If you want your child to participate that form **NEEDS TO BE FILLED OUT SIGNED AND RETURNED**. A \$12.00 DONATION IS SUGGESTED

Saturday, Sept. 26- Rally Day Sale, 5:00

lunch 6:30 sale begins. Reminder to room mothers: you are in charge of the class theme baskets. Kindergartners theme is "Legos". The 3rd and 4th grades basket theme is "Decorating for Fall". 5th and 6th grades theme is "Nascar".

Thursday and Friday, Oct 1 & 2- Heartland Teachers Conferences, no school

Friday, Oct 23- School pictures 8:30

AUXILIARY MEETING

ICS moms, associate members and friends of ICS, sign-up now to attend the ICS auxiliary kick-off meeting on Wed. Sept. 23, 2009 at 7:00 p.m. Stacey Johnson, Stamp-n-Up representative, will be at the meeting helping us do a make-and-take project. We will then have our regular business meeting.

Please **sign-up** at one of the following emails or via phone if you plan to attend so there will be enough product available for everyone to do a make-and-take. The auxiliary officers will be serving ice cream sundaes after the meeting. (Note the change in the kick-off meeting, we will not be having a meal and speaker, therefore you do not need to take anything to the meeting, just please sign-up to attend). Thank you

Call or email Mandy Bonnema at 278-2332 or bonnemab@premieronline.net

Or Gail Dorhout at 441-6917 or dorhout5@frontiernet.net

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AUXILIARY SCHOOL APPAREL FOR SALE

Parents: Please look for your school apparel information and order forms that were sent home last week with the school note. The orders need to be turned into school by September 25.

We have gotten the sample for the beanie stocking hat available to buy through the ICS school apparel and it is now at school. There is a sample of a youth medium (10/12) mesh shorts at school also--however, it is not screen printed on due to lack of time. We also had an adult medium mesh short sample ordered but it won't be here in time for our order date. Here is a little more info on the mesh shorts--the youth small is a 6/8, a youth medium is a 10/12, and a youth large is a 14/16. The youth inseam is 7" and the adult inseam is 10". Sorry about the sample mix-up.

TRIP NEWS The next ICS TRIP order date is Oct. 5 by 9:00 AM. We will be ordering every two weeks starting in October through our December order. Hopefully, this will make it easier for you to use TRIP for all your holiday shopping.

Remember Pizza Fresco out of Sioux Center (take & bake pizzas) has joined our program. It is available in \$10/\$20 with 10% discount. Check out their website for more information on what they have.

To order any on hand inventory call Donna at #278-2506 (home) or #278-2105 (work).

SAVE THOSE BOXTOPS

We have a "Super Summer Saver"! Quinton Dorhout is the winner with 522 boxtops! Good job Quinton! You can be a winner too! You just need to collect as many boxtops as you can, and bring them to school by October 16. This is the deadline for the next competition. We will do it by classes. The person from each class that brings in the most boxtops will get a prize. There is also a twist to the competition. If you bring in at least 25 boxtops or more, your name will go into a hat, and there will be a drawing for a \$25 Pizza Ranch gift card. So,

you could win a prize for being the one with the most boxtops in your class, and you could win the second prize for having 25 or more boxtops. The prizes will be handed out after the October 16 deadline. Please make sure your name is written on the plastic bag in clear black marker, and that only boxtops are in the bag. Soup labels must go in a different bag. Families with more than one child can collect together and a prize will be given to each child if they are the winner. If you have questions, you can call me at 605-547-1574(home) or 551-3115(work). Happy Collecting!
Judy

WIN A LAPTOP COMPUTER PLUS \$5,000. FOR YOUR SCHOOL

Have you registered at Hy Vee yet? You could win a brand new laptop plus \$5,000. for your school. Don't let this opportunity pass you by!! Here's how: get your parents, aunts, uncles, grandparents, and neighbors to register you for a chance to win a brand new Mac Book laptop.

LADIES AUXILIARY would like to remind parents – old and new- of the year round projects we have to raise money for our school. We recycle ink jet cartridges and pop cans as well as collecting soup labels. Boxtops for Education and Pizza Ranch Wagon Wheels. To find out who is in charge of each project and what is required please check pages 24 & 25 in the ICS handbook & directory. Then recruit family and friends to help collect!

VOLLEYBALL/ CROSS COUNTRY SCHEDULE

September 19	Round Robin tournament at Dordt, time schedule was sent home on Monday
September 21	Unity Cross Country at Vet's Field (grades 6-8) 4:15 (grades 6 th – 8 th REQUIRED to attend) Drivers, Myron Gradert, Duane Bonnema, Jim Viet, Dave Dorhout, & Mr. Schoonhoven
September 22	Away at SHELDON vs. Sanborn & vs. Sheldon 4:15/5:00

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September 28

Drivers, Cindy Davelaar & Cheryl Van Wyk

Western Cross Country at

Rolling Hills Golf Course 4:00

(find own ride)

(voluntary-need to let Mr. Schoonhoven

know, so you can get signed up)

October 5

Home vs. Inwood 4:00

October 8

Home vs. Hull Protestant 4:00

October 13

Away vs. SCCS 4:00

October 15

Away vs. Hull Chr. 4:00

October 22

Away vs. Rock Valley 4:00

October 27

Home vs. SCCS 4:00

*ALL VB games will play "B" game 1st and "A" game 2nd (each match will consist of 3 games, rally scoring to 25 for 1st and 2nd game, the 3rd game will be played to 15)

ADVANCE NOTICE

Ireton Christian Reformed Church will be sponsoring Cadets, starting in a couple of weeks for 3rd-8th grade boys. More information will be coming in next week's newsletter. If you have any questions call Tim Bonnema at 278-2235.

PARENTS OF 5TH -8TH GRADERS

For your information...This year the 5th-8th graders will be quizzed on the words of the hymns of the month in a fill in the blank quiz. This will take place each month on the last music class of the month, Sept. 24 for the 6th and 7th, Sept. 29 for the 5th and 8th. We work on this in choir and each student received words to study on their own. I try to update the music page on the website weekly, please check it out often to see what's happening in music. Mrs. M. Byker

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RALLY DAY SALE SEPT. 26

WORK SCHEDULE

4:45-6:15 Shiela Dekkers and Nancy Gradert

(Cut pies and desserts, serve desserts and dish ice cream)

4:45-6:15 Joan Punt and Chris Van Beek (serve meat)

6:15-7:45 Amy Ten Napel and Bonnie Bonnema

(keep tables full)

7:45-end Jennifer Miedema and Angie Zomermaand

(keep tables full and clean up)

PLEASE TAKE TWO PIES OR ONE 9X13 DESSERT-at school by 4:00

Gail Dorhout Leah Schoonhoven

Cheryl Van Wyk Mandy Viet

Angie Liston Jill Vander Windt

Leanne Bonnema Denise Endrulat

Christa Mulder Deb Mueller

Judy Dorhout (diabetic)

ONE BUCKET OF ICE CREAM

Renaë Calkhoven Amy Noyes Dale Hennings

TWO FAMILY SIZE PLAIN POTATO CHIPS OR 30OZ. TOTAL

Tammy Sieck Nicole Wieda Pam Fedders

TAVERN 5lbs.

Brenda Johnson

Cindy Davelaar

Linda Engeltjes

Mandy Bonnema

Lori Bonnema

TAVERN RECIPE

5lbs. hamburger-browned & drained

2 cups ketchup

3 tsp. mustard

2 tsp. chili powder

2 med onions

2 cups water

*Add ingredients to browned hamburger.

Simmer

2-40oz. bottles of ketchup

Heather Feekes

1-20oz. bottle mustard

Margaret Van Donkelaar

2 jars pickles-Audrey Broek