

Dear Parents of Ireton Christian School,

We have had a few requests asking us notify parents through email and/or cell phone texting if we are going to have a change in the regularly scheduled school day or events. After looking into it, and School Board Approval we have joined an organization called Snow Caps. This organization will receive a notice from Mr. Schoonhoven and will then notify the radio and media automatically. If you would also like to be notified through your cell phone and/or e-mail, you will need to sign up and register. After you register, you will also have to verify your information. Following is a step – by – step process that you need to follow to sign up and register along with information about the verification process. The explanation will take much longer to write than to do. ☺ This is a quick process, but you do need access to a computer and internet. You must also be 18 years old or older to sign up. If you try these steps and have problems, please contact the school for assistance.

1. Go to the following website: <http://www.snocaponline.net>
2. After the Introduction, you will be taken to a page that has two sections on the left is “Find Current Alerts” on the right is “Get Alerts sent to your Mobile Phone or Email!”
3. Under the “Get Alerts sent to your Mobile Phone or Email” Click on the circle before “School”.
4. In the white search bar type in “Ireton Christian School” and hit the “Search” button **Do not** hit “enter” on the keyboard or it will default to “business”
5. You will be rerouted to another page that asks you “Please select the business or school from the list below:” Click on the down arrow and highlight “Ireton Christian School”
6. You will again be rerouted to another page that has the following message “To sign up for Ireton Christian School, please enter your name. Then, enter either your phone # and your provider, or your email address or both.” Fill this section out as requested. In the phone numbers, **DO NOT** put in the dashes. Where it asks for “Groups to Subscribe to” at this point please only click on the box behind “Ireton Christian School.” We do not have any groups set up yet. Someday we may have groups such as: Teachers, Parents, and/or Board Members.
7. Click on the “Sign Up for Alerts” button.
8. You will then have a page stating “Subscription Complete” which will explain what happens next. Read Carefully.
9. If you signed up for “text message” notification, you will receive a text asking you to verify your information. Do as you are asked to do. Go to the website and enter your ID number and Validation number. That’s it.
10. If you sign up for the email notification, you will be sent an email. When you open this email you will click on the link provided and hit the “activate” button. You are done.
11. The sending of the text message and the email message is almost instantly – so be prepared for it. ☺

The whole process, should take less than 5 minutes. If you have problems, please contact the school and either Mr. Schoonhoven or Ms. Argo will be able to help you.

Now here is some more information for you.

If you want to check the site to see if we have any current announcements go to <http://www.snocaponline.net/main.php> and on the left hand side where it says “Find Current Alerts” type in “Ireton Christian School, IA, Ireton, 51027 and click on the “Search” button. You will now be directed to a page listing any alerts we may have at this time. You can also use this page to find out if other schools or businesses have any alerts out. Take some time to explore this site.

Remember if you are having problems; please contact the school for assistance. Thank you.

Ireton Christian School
Mr. Marlin Schoonhoven, Principal