

ICES Weekly Update April 29, 2024



SPRING PROGRAM OFFERING

Thank you so much for joining us for our Spring Program! It is always a blessing to see our ICES community come together for this special time. The support of family and friends means so much to everyone involved.

As a result of your generous giving, \$1,603.25 was raised for Edu Deo's Warm Heart Project! Thank you!

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION WEEK May 6 – 10

Monday, May 6 – Chapel at ICSS in the large gym at 10:00

Tuesday, May 7 – Grandparents Open House – 12:30 – 2:00

Friday, May 10 – Spring Carnival – afternoon – proceeds going to Edu Deo Ministries – The Warm Heart Project

Friday, May 10 – Community BBQ

Christian Ed Week Community

BBQ: Please join us for a free family BBQ to wrap up Christian Education Week! The BBQ will take place on Friday, May 10, from 5:30 - 7:00 at ICES, weather permitting.

Please bring your own chairs/picnic blankets - see you then!

THIS WEEK

April 29 – ICES Running Club begins May 2 – Bacon Orders arrive May 3 – Hotdog Day

MILK ORDERS

School Cash Online is open for June orders. Closes on May 15th.

BACON ORDERS

Thank you for your bacon orders! These will be delivered to the school on Thursday, May 2. As there is no set time for delivery, we will send out messaging around pick up times.

Your support generated just under \$2,000 for field trips and classroom initiatives.

GRADE THREE UKRAINE INITIATIVE

Grade 3 is having a lemonade and cookie sale on May 2! They are asking for donations to support Ukrainian refugees who had to flee their country because of the war.

If possible, please send a small donation that will go toward GAiN who is actively working in Ukraine. Here is a link for the Grade 3 fundraiser site if you would like to add your donation here. <u>Global Aid</u> <u>Network (GAiN) - Grade 3 Fundraiser for</u> <u>Ukraine</u>.

Thank you for your support!

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ICES RUNNING CLUB

The Running Club is set to start! We are excited to offer this opportunity to further promote daily physical activity in our school, to enjoy the fresh air and meet new friends. During the final few days of April and the majority of May, we invite students to run for fun every noon recess!

Our goal is to run an almost marathon (40.2 km) leading up to May 29. Since the complete school outfield, equals half a kilometre, we will need to run a total of 80 laps! We will track and record student laps each school day. We do encourage students to participate and do the best they can. We will have an information meeting for all students who are interested on April 26 during the noon recess. Our first official running day will be April 29th at noon recess.

FYI: The Runner's Soul is hosting the Little Souls Kids Marathon on Wednesday, May 29, 2024. There is a limited number of spots available for this race. For more information, please check out <u>https://raceroster.com/events/2024/86689/little-souls-2024</u>.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES 2024-25

In March, the rationale for a change to school supplies was provided in the Weekly Updates. Given that school supplies are being purchased in advance by the school at a lower cost and provided to classrooms for the 2024-25 school year, families will pay a standard fee of \$55 per child. These fees are not attached to the present school year but will open in School Cash Online in late August.

Gym shoes, headphones and backpacks are not purchased by the school which still provides opportunity for back-to-school shopping!

LOOKING AHEAD

- May 6 10 Christian Education Week
 - May 6 Chapel with ICSS in the large gym at 10:00
 - May 7 Grandparents Open House
 - May 10 Spring Carnival funds going to The Warm Hearts Project (Edu Deo) Society Family BBQ (evening)
- May 15 Chapel @ 12:30
 - Early Dismissal @ 2:00
- May 21 Division PL Day No school
- May 22 ICES School Council Town Hall Meeting @ 7:30 in the Wellness Space
- May 24 Hot Lunch Taco-in-a-Bag

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