



**ICES PARENT UPDATE**  
**March 15, 2021**

**PARENT SURVEY**

Please take a moment to complete a brief nine-question survey pertaining to school merchandise and fundraising. Click on the link below:

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=Y4sOPE7mjUykDx0hO2cEcsBs10e14fpPpKn4xVueShZUOUhXOEhKSEpaOVQ3TFNZUIVVWIZaTEtPNC4u>

**FRIENDS OF IMMANUAL FUNDRAISER – Wednesday, March 17**

On Wednesday, March 17 you are invited to the Friends of Immanuel Fundraiser, an online extravaganza, in support of the Home Economics Renovation Project at ICSS.

Please enjoy your pre ordered dinner with your household on the night of the fundraiser or save it for another day, but we want to see as many participants as possible on Zoom at 6:30pm. The Zoom link will be emailed out and shared on the Society website Wednesday afternoon <https://www.societyforchristianeducation.org/>. Once on Zoom at 6:30 pm, there will be some pregame chat with the fun Kahoot game to follow shortly after.

When the food, fun, and games are complete, hop onto the auction site and start bidding! The [AUCTION](#) will remain open until Friday March 19, at 8:30pm.

We are looking forward to having you join us for the evening! Wear your Eagles/ICS gear and snap a picture of your family meal or playing Kahoot. Tag @icstogether on Facebook or Instagram to share.

*\*Please see the attachment pertaining to the Home Economics Room renovations*

**EED EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FORMS OPEN TODAY (MARCH 15 – 31)**

With changes in funding structures and increasing demand for Early Education Programs across Lethbridge, all families will complete an “**Expression of Interest**” for their school location preferences regarding 2021/2022 programming. Families will rank their choices of location. Children must be four years old as of Dec. 31, 2021 with the intent of doing one year of Early Education Programming, followed by one year of Kindergarten, and Grade 1 the following year.

Children who turn three by Dec. 31, 2021, and who meet the Alberta Education criteria for a severe developmental delay, will also be accepted. These are the only three year-olds accepted at this time.

A link to the "Expression of Interest" forms will be available starting March 15<sup>th</sup> at [www.lethsd.ab.ca](http://www.lethsd.ab.ca), and can be completed electronically. The "Expression of Interest" process will take place from **March 15-31**.

New families who indicate ICES as their school of choice will need to follow the new family admissions process as outlined on the school website before receiving approval to register.

*For more information, please refer to the division website*

### **REPORT CARDS & PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS**

Report cards for Term 2 are now open in Power School for you to access! Once again, Parent/Teacher interviews for this term will take place on Teams. If you have not yet booked an interview with your child(ren)'s teacher(s), but would like to, please do so through Conference Manager or call our school office (403-317-7860). Conference Manager closes on Thursday, March 18 at noon.

### **MARCH DISMISSAL TIMES**

3:00 – bus students  
3:03 – Kindergarten, 1A, 2B, 4  
3:06 - 1B, 3A, 3C, 5A  
3:09 - 2A, 3B, 5B

### **THIS WEEK:**

**Monday, March 15** – Report Card Two; EEP Expression of Interest forms open

**Wednesday, March 17** – Friends of Immanuel Fundraiser & Auction

**Friday, March 19** – Parent/Teacher Interviews (on Teams) – no school

### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

**Wednesday, March 31** – Green Shirt Day

**Thursday, April 1** – Easter Chapel – Grade 3 leading