



April 11 2017

Combining
Christian
Virtues
with
Discipline
and
Excellent
Academics



GRIT

- G – Guts, moral fiber, showing courage
- R – Resilience, keep trying, bounce back
- I – Integrity – Doing what is right
- T – Tenacity – never giving up

From the Desk of Michael Zientek



Our “**Students Bishop Appeal**” was held on Friday, April 7, 2017. All the Catholic Schools were asked to take up a collection for the Bishop’s Appeal. We were looking for 100% participation. We collected over \$250.

Easter Basket Collection... Beta Club collected over 140 Easter Baskets for Fayette County Outreach between March 27 - April 7th. Those students who brought in an Easter Basket will earn a Jeans Day on Thursday, April 13, 2017. Way to go!!



Today, we held our **Annual Volunteer Brunch** to recognize all those who have volunteered their time and talents to make ICS great. The food and fellowship was awesome! Thank You Volunteers! A special “Thank You” to Mrs. Warner and Mrs. Clark for organizing the



DON'T FORGET TO TURN IN YOUR RICE BOWL COLLECTIONS tomorrow. checks or dollar bills only – we are not equipped to count change. Thank you for your Donation.

Saturday,
April
22nd

SPRING FEST 2017
VOLUNTEERS NEEDED UPDATE



THANK YOU



308

215

93

open slots
filled
available

SIGN UP ONLINE@ <http://bit.ly/icc-fest2017>

This and That—Elementary School

Volunteers for Field Day....Field Day is scheduled for May 5, 2017. Mr. Frech is going to need parent volunteers to assist him in supervising the games. Please consider helping out!

SAVE THE DATE !... Used Uniform Sale is scheduled for Monday, May 22nd and Tuesday, May 23rd in the gym.

Staff Changes...We will have three positions open once school dismisses in May. We will be in need of a new Aftercare Manager, Admissions & Development Director and Physical Education/Athletic Director. If you are interested in any of these positions, please send your resume to michael.zientek@incarnationcollierville.org.

Social Media... interesting article. <https://www.psychologytoday.com/blog/mental-wealth/201703/why-social-media-is-not-smart-middle-school-kids>

Home and School

New H&S Board & Committee Members for 2017-2018 School Year

Please congratulate the following individuals who have been elected to the H&S Board & Committees for the 2017-2018 School Year. Thank you to these individuals for committing their time to our school!

Board

President: Allison Waggoner
Past President: Sherrie Goodwin
Vice President with intent to be President – Lindsey McKinley
Treasurer – Ayesha Crasta
Secretary – Stacy Pepper
Co-Treasurer -- Amanda Reves
Public Relations – Meghan Sestokas
Fundraising Co-Chairs – OPEN- See description below
Co-Fundraising- OPEN- See description below
Teacher Appreciation -- Tara Williams
Room Parent Coordinator – Open- See description below
Hospitality – Susan Sledd
Preschool Liaison -- Michelle Burcky

Committee Heads

Sunshine – Lindsay Thompson
Used Uniform Sales– Stephanie Barlovic
Spirit Shop – Jessica Balderson
Helping Hands – Mary Bolton
Box Tops – Kay Herring
School Supplies – Mia Leoni
Kroger Card – Tara Williams

Home and School

Fundraising Chair for 2017-18 The only requirement is ORGANIZATION! Perfect for a dynamic duo to share as co-chairs. Work with committee heads to lead our fundraising efforts throughout the school year. Remember our Board is a team that works together, but a person with a strong suit for organization can help our fundraising efforts tremendously!

Co-Fundraising Chair- This would be considered a learning year- help with fundraising next year and move into the Fundraising Chair for 2018-2019 school year

Room Parent Coordinator- Perfect for anyone that has been a room parent! This position coordinates a meeting at the beginning of the school year with all the room parents to discuss and give out information pertinent to room parents for the school year. Serves as a point person for all room parent for questions, distribution of school fundraising information and other info room parents may need to share with their classes. It is a very email friendly position as a lot is done via email communications.

Have a Great Week!!

Allison Waggoner and Sherrie Goodwin
ICS Home and School Co-Presidents

STEM at ICS



A couple of weeks ago the sixth grade finished up a STEM project that they worked on using our 3D printer. The kids were to design a tool that we could use on the inside of our classroom doors to prevent the door from being opened in an emergency situation. We had some great ideas!

Calendar - Elementary School

April 2017

Thursday, April 13	Noon Dismissal - Holy Thursday
Friday, April 14 - 17	Easter Break NO SCHOOL
Friday, April 21	NO SCHOOL - Spring Fest setup
Monday, April 24	Begin ITBS
Friday, April 28	Grandparents Day—Noon Dismissal
Saturday, April 29	First Communion

May 2017

May 1	Confirmation 7:00 in the Church
May 1-5	ITBS
Friday, May 5	Field Day
May 10-12	8th Grade Exams
May 17 - 19	6th & 7th Exams
May 19	Graduation
May 26	Last Day of School/ Awards Mass

ICS Prayer Box

PLEASE KEEP OUR ICS FAMILIES IN YOUR PRAYERS BY PRAYING THE ROSARY, DAILY!

For Bishop Martin Holley, Fr. Ernie, as they guide us in our faith.

For those serving our country in the Armed Forces, Fire and Police Departments.

For those students struggling to learn may they be inspired to keep working hard.

For repose of the soul of Zach Wright, Mrs. Brown's nephew.

For any special intentions we hold in the silence of our heart.





ICS is in its 5th year collecting pull tabs for Ronald McDonald House Charities! RMH provides a free "home away from home" for families with children who are patients at St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. They use the money they receive from aluminum recyclers for the pull tabs to help support operational costs and they really appreciate ICS' contributions.

Pull tabs are being collected on a semester basis this year, so please continue to send in your pull tabs through May. They will be collected on Friday, May 12th for our 2nd semester contest and the class with the most pull tabs by weight will win a pizza party the following week.

Any questions? Please contact Michelle Mundy (michelle.mundy1@incarnationcollierville.org).

Thanks for your support!



Please send in your box tops. They will be collected and counted soon!

This and That- Preschool

Spring Pictures

Individual Spring Picture orders were due by Friday, April 7th. Shelby Images will send a class set of the group pictures to school shortly and we will make them available for purchase.



St. Jude Trike-A-Thon

Thank you for making this years St. Jude Trike-A-Thon a huge success. Donations are still rolling in! We would also like to thank each of you for your time helping your child raise money, cheering on our students, and for your help transporting trikes and helmet to school for such a fun event. The total raised was \$5,522!!

A special thanks to Jake and Lauren Shaffer for sharing the wonderful story of how St. Jude has impacted their family and for giving their time to make Trike-A-Thon a success.

Farm Animal Day

Wednesday, April 12th will be Farm Animal Day (weather permitting). Happy Times Farm will be here with their petting zoo and train for our enjoyment. Cowboy boots and hat not required but feel free to dress in your western best! Due to the weather forecast, the Farm Animal Day for today was changed to Tuesday April 25, 2017.



Holy Week

Preschool will be closed Thursday, April 13th for Holy Thursday. Also known as Maundy Thursday, is the commemoration on the Maundy and the Last Supper of Jesus with the Apostles.

Preschool will be closed for Friday, April 14th for Good Friday. Also, known as Holy Friday, Great Friday, or Easter Friday, is the commemoration of the crucifixion of Jesus and his death on Calvary. Good Friday is the part of the Holy Triduum, the three days that recall the passion, death, burial, and resurrection of Jesus.

Preschool will be closed Monday, April 17th for Easter Monday. Also, known as Bright Monday, is the Monday immediately after Easter that marks the beginning of the Easter Season.






Incarnation Spring Festival

Spaghetti Dinner kicks off the Spring Festival on Friday, April 21st. Spaghetti Dinner includes dinner, live auctions, and silent auction. **Due to the set-up for the Spaghetti Dinner, school will be closed Friday, April 21st.** Saturday, April 22nd will be filled with games, vendor shopping, music, and good food.



Wanting to help: https://signup.com/group/545791850057?utm_source=group-badge-volunteer-green

Calendar - Preschool

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
April 3	April 4	April 5	April 6 Fire Safety 	April 7 Fire Safety
April 10	April 11	April 12 Farm Animal Day (Weather Permitting) 	April 13 No School Holy Thursday	April 14 No School Good Friday
April 17 No School Easter Monday 	April 18	April 19	April 20	April 21 No School For Spring Festival 
April 24	April 25 	April 26	April 27 Chapel	April 28 Chapel