



MISSION: "TO PROVIDE A CHRISTIAN ENVIRONMENT IN WHICH GOD CALLS ALL HIS CHILDREN TO DEVELOP AND USE THEIR GIFTS FOR JOYFUL SERVICE IN HIS KINGDOM."

I.C.S. CONNECTION

Immanuel Christian High School

CREATING A BIBLICAL COMMUNITY

I recently attended the Christian Principal Association's annual conference in Calgary. There the topic was on Building Community and it was lead by Dr. Bruce Hekman of Calvin College. He gave us a lot to think about and to reflect on. Over the next few paragraphs, I would like to share some of his insights as a way to get everybody thinking about and reflecting on Building Community at ICHS.

A good starting point for thinking about community is Stanley Hauerwas and William Willimon's (*Resident Alien*, 1989) understanding that "Christian community...is not primarily about togetherness. It is about the way of Jesus Christ with those whom He calls to Himself. It is about disciplining our wants and needs in congruence with a true story, which gives us the resources to lead truthful lives. In living out the story together, togetherness happens, but only as a by-product of the main project of trying to be faithful to Jesus." Thus, any understanding of community must be rooted in a Biblical worldview that places Christ at the center of our lives.

From there, Hekman suggests that in building community in our schools we ought to focus on two related aspects. The first is to develop a community of mind and the second is to develop a community of heart. This distinction between the two is based on Nicholas Wolterstorff's belief that "the eye of the mind without the eye of the heart is heartless competence. The eye of the heart without the eye of the mind is mindless empathy." In other words, building community is as much about engaging in purposeful action and behaviours as it is about cultivating relationships.

Building a community of mind does take purposeful actions and behaviours. Dr. Hekman gave several suggestions on what this might include. For example, schools could develop an action plan that makes specific promises to parents and students about the type of teaching they can expect and the type of classroom environment they will experience. Additionally, schools could also work to ensure that teachers develop a set of expectations they have of each other. For example, team teaching, shared leadership, peer observations are all ways in which teachers can intentionally ensure that they are developing community with each other.

Building a community of heart is a bit more difficult. As John Ortberg so cogently asked: "How do you pursue the dream of community with actual real-life people? Weird, not-normal, as-is, dysfunctional people? How do you get close without getting hurt?" The answer to that lies in Scripture: "You develop a healthy, robust community that lives right with God and enjoys its results only if you do the hard work of getting along with each other, treating each other with dignity and respect" (James 3:18). Certainly, this is not an easy thing to do as it involves setting aside our self-centeredness and focusing on what God calls us to do.

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Christian Schools will thrive if they are, at heart and in mind, communities where Christ is at the center and where all those involved understand that success is not measured by high test scores and scholastic and athletic awards, but rather in the ways in which students and teachers work together in an environment where the spiritual, moral, intellectual, and social resources are used to serve God.

Rob vanSpronsen

WELCOME

We warmly welcome Peter & Gerda Bos and Peter (Gr.12) and returning family Otto & Sheila Prummel and David (Gr. 10) to our school community. It is our hope and prayer that you'll soon be an integral part of our school society.

APPLE ORDERS

Thank you to everyone who ordered apples this year in support of the ICHS Grads. They are due for delivery on **Wednesday, October 26**. If you have not paid for your apples, please bring payment into the school before they arrive or on the day of delivery/pick-up. Cheques can be made payable to ICHS Grad Fund.



"THE DAIRY BAR"

Open daily 11:45 – 12:00

Mini Pizzas Tony Roma Sandwiches
Toquitos Chimichangas Pizza Pops
Soup Chocolate Bars Candy Chips
Ice Cream Treats Muffins

Forgot your lunch? Need a treat?

All proceeds to the Student Education Fund.

THANK YOU!

On behalf of CKVN Radio in Lethbridge, Golden West Radio (the parent company) has again donated \$1000.00 towards the music program at ICHS. Their gift is greatly appreciated and we thank them for it!

Immanuel Christian High School is seeking applications for the following position:

Educational Assistant

This is a 0.5 FTE position - mornings only (9:00 am to 12:00 pm)

We are looking for a suitable person who can work one-on-one with grade 7 students within the classroom setting.

The primary responsibility of this position is to work closely with teachers to assist students in meeting specific learning and behaviour goals as outlined in an Individual Education Plan.

We are seeking to fill this position with a person who:

- enjoys working with junior high students and relates well to them
 - has some experience in working with adolescents
 - is able to work within a classroom setting

If you have questions, or wish to apply, please contact:

Rob vanSpronsen (rvanspronsen@immanuelcs.ca) or
Roxanne Houweling (rhouweling@immanuelcs.ca)

JUNIOR HIGH ATHLETICS

Cross Country

The annual LSAA City Cross Country Championships were held at Nicholas Sheran Park on September 21 with many of our runners finishing well. Each race had approximately 84 runners competing on a grueling up and down course. Our top finishers were:

Bantam Girls (2000 Meters)

Brittany Veldman - 10th
Juliana Middel - 18th
Jenna van der Poll - 20th
Renee Boutilier-McFarlane - 26th

Bantam Boys (2000 Meters) - Finished 2nd as Team Overall

Davin Vanee - 6th
Grady vanSpronsen - 10th
Jared Withage - 17th
Maxwell Wall - 18th
Jaden Veluw - 22nd
Stanley van Asch - 28th



Midget Girls (2000 Meters)

Carly Sikkens - 7th
Shania Vonkeman - 30th

Midget Boys (2000 Meters)

Matthew Hummel - 41st
Seth Slomp - 44th

Juvenile Girls (3000 Meters)

Morgan Scholten - 5th
Erin Elgersma - 10th

Juvenile Boys (3000 Meters)

Reuben Middel - 4th
Brendan Degner - 7th
Taylor Van Ham - 13th
Tyler Postman - 19th
Tyson Procee - 21st

Congratulations to all our runners for competing and finishing the race!

Volleyball

Congratulations to our B Girls and A Boys Volleyball Teams as they took first place at our annual Birds of Prey Tourneys! Thank you also to the parents for helping with Concession!

Basketball

Coaches are still needed for our Junior High Teams with practices starting on November 7 (boys) and November 8 (girls). Coaching would involve 12

League Games, 2 Tournaments, as well as 1-2 practices/week. If you are interested, please let Mr. VG know asap.

Scheduled Basketball Tournaments up to this point:
December 16/17 - LSAA Super Friday/Saturday (A/B Teams)

January 13/14 - Calgary Christian Tourney (A Teams)

January 20/21 - WCHS Bulldog Classic (A Boys only)

January 20/21 - RIBMS Tourney (B Teams)

February 3/4 - LSAA Super Friday/Saturday (A/B Teams)

Mr. Terry VandeGriend
Jr. High Athletic Director



"EAGLE WEAR"

"Eagle Wear" is available for purchase at the front office. We have a variety of sizes in navy hoodies, partially zippered pullovers, long sleeve tee shirts in white or navy and sweat pants. We have ladies and mens styles and some items in larger sizes. Eagle wear is great for students and fans!

ICHS CALENDAR



Oct 19-21	Teachers' Convention - no school
Oct 27	Picture Re-take Date
Nov 1	8:50 - Reformation Day Chapel
Nov 3	"Take Your Kid to Work" - Gr. 9's
Nov 4	Hot Dog Day
Nov 9	Christian College Presentation
Nov 10	8:50 - Remembrance Day Chapel
Nov 11	Remembrance Day - no school
Nov 14	Jr. High Report Card
Nov 14	Newsletter Article Deadline
Nov 16	2:30 Early Dismissal
Nov 17	Pizza day
Nov 17	Newsletter Distribution
Nov 17	Parent/Teacher Interviews 6-9:30 p.m.
Nov 18	Parent/Teacher Interviews 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m. (no school)
Nov 19	Bazaar Day
Nov 23	Hot Lunch Day—Ladies Aux.

STUDENT OF THE MONTH

Grade 10 - Dean Slomp has shown himself to be the student of the month in many different ways. On the volleyball court he tries hard, helps others out and spurs them on to be and do their best. In class, Dean tries hard and works to the best of his ability. In the hallway, Dean is pleasant and courteous to those around him. Good work Dean!

Grade 11 - Colin Barthel is a great student, displaying both a solid work ethic and excellent academic skills. He works hard in all of his classes, and he also can often be seen helping others. He is respectful and considerate, showing a positive attitude both in and out of class. Colin plays volleyball for the Senior Varsity Eagles, and he shows the same effort and determination on the court as well. Congratulations, Colin! Keep up the great work!

Grade 12 - Congratulations to Jenna Duursma, Student of the Month for September. Jenna's quiet perseverance to the task at hand and her dedication to getting the job done right the first time makes her a worthy candidate for Student of the Month. In addition, her ability to work well with others and to accept people for who God made them are qualities she is able to model in the classroom. Congratulations on a job well done!

ORANGE-MAPLE FOUNDATION

On October 21, nine host families will welcome Dutch students into their homes for three weeks as part of the Orange-Maple Foundation Program. These students will return home to The Netherlands on November 11, 2011. These students will attend ICHS during their visit to Lethbridge.

- ◆ Aniek Meems
- ◆ Dorien Nijenhuis
- ◆ Jeanine Kelder
- ◆ Jerry Breukelman
- ◆ Kirsten Bolks
- ◆ Laura van der Lek
- ◆ Rosaly Venhuizen
- ◆ Peter Post
- ◆ Willem Eikelboom



Thanks to the host families who will be taking care of them during these three weeks! You have a major part in making this exchange a success.

PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEWS,

Thursday, Nov. 17, 6:00 – 9:30 p.m. and
Friday, Nov. 18, 9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

All interviews for both the Junior High and the Senior High will be by the request of either the parents or the teachers.

To book an interview with your child's teacher, please contact Audrey at the school office (403-328-4783) or ichsoffice@gmail.com. If a teacher requests an interview, we will contact the parents.

Parent Note: Junior and Senior High students are welcome to attend parent/teacher conferences. This gives all of us an opportunity to share information in an atmosphere of mutual concern and encouragement. It also provides a means for celebrating the growth and learning that is taking place.

JR. HIGH REPORT CARDS - NOV. 14

We are no longer issuing paper report cards to Senior High students / parents. We have implemented an Internet-based reporting system called Maplewood ConnectED where students and parents can log on to a secure website and receive up-to-date information on marks and attendance. At the end of each semester, a paper report card containing course final marks will be issued. If you have not yet signed up for access to Maplewood ConnectED please contact Rob vanSpronsen at rvanspronsen@immanuelcs.ca. Those parents who do not have access to a computer at home can do one of two things: (1) make arrangements with their son / daughter to obtain updates through a school computer; (2) contact their son / daughter's teacher to receive a paper copy.

LIFETOUCH PICTURE RETAKE DAY

Thursday, October 27, 2011

If you require a retake or were absent on picture day in September, please come prepared for pictures on Thursday, Oct. 27.



Achievement/Diploma Test Results 2010-2011

	Average		Standard of Excellence		Acceptable Standard	
	ICHS	PROV	ICHS	PROV	ICHS	PROV
<u>GRADE 9 Achievement</u>						
Language Arts	72.8%	67.3%	25.0%	16.0%	97.2%	79.1%
Science	74.9%	66.4%	37.1%	20.8%	88.6%	74.8%
Social	76.1%	64.5%	31.4%	19.0%	97.1%	67.2%
Math	81.6%	66.9%	41.7%	17.3%	91.7%	66.1%
<u>GRADE 12 Diploma</u>						
Math 30 Pure	85.2%	70.2%	71.4%	31.3%	100%	91.6%
Math 30 Applied	71.9%	63.1%	18.8%	10.0%	100%	88.5%
English 30-1	74.0%	67.0%	18.2%	14.0%	100%	96.0%
English 30-2	72.6%	64.7%	9.1%	6.2%	100%	95.2%
Social 30-1	69.3%	69.0%	25.0%	20.5%	100%	96.9%
Social 30-2	64.7%	68.4%	9.1%	7.7%	94.5%	92.3%
Biology 30	73.0%	70.9%	36.0%	32.9%	100%	93.1%
Chemistry 30	71.0%	69.5%	39.1%	31.2%	95.7%	89.6%

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THE SUB & PIZZA SALE 2011

Subs come on white or brown buns with pepperoni, ham, salami and cheese. You can also order our famous pizza subs. Subs are sealed to ensure that they freeze well and stay fresh. Since we make the subs ourselves, we go out of our way every sale to make sure that we have buns, meat and cheese that are as **fresh** as they can be. As always, we have a money back guarantee. The cost for the subs is \$30/dozen and they can only be ordered in units of 6. Subs will be made and delivered on **Nov. 9**.

Pizza coupons cost \$15 and can be redeemed anytime at Pizza Hut. The coupons are for any 3 topping 14" large pizza. You can use them for delivery if you pay the delivery fee.

If you are interested in any of the above items, you can talk to any volleyball player or phone in your order to the front office. Simply list what you would like. All cheques should be made out to ICHS. All orders should be in by Oct. 17. Thanks for your support! **Mr. DK & Mr. VDG**

Society/Community News

CONDOLENCES

"The Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not want."

Psalms 23:1

We extend our sincere condolences to the family and friends of Mr. Gerrit Van Zeggelaar, who passed away recently. May you experience God's peace and comfort during this difficult time.



UPDATING OUR RECORDS

Is your information up to date? Have you recently moved, changed phone numbers, or changed churches? Please let the school know of any changes to your contact information, church affiliation or emergency contacts.

Ladies Auxiliary Executive for 2011-12

President-Jackie Postman

Vice-President- Sharon Brandsma

Secretary-Hilda Visser

Treasurer- Jetty Parlevliet

We also have 5 regular members at large.

Feel free to ask any of us questions or come out to our next meeting on Nov 28, 7:30 pm @ ICHS. Some of the fundraising we host or are involved in are: Teacher's Convention, this year, as it is being held in Lethbridge, Apple Crisp sales, The Roast Beef Dinner, and graduation catering in May.

We appreciate it when you are able to say "YES" when you are called to help at any of our events. Your support helps us help our students.

Apple Crisp making day is coming up on October 27. We will be needing volunteers to help peel, cut and assemble the crisps. Men and women of all ages are encouraged to join us. We are at the high school Home Ec. room from 9 a.m. until around 4. Soup and coffee or tea are provided.

50 YEAR CELEBRATION

Plans are under way for the 50th Anniversary celebration for Immanuel Christian Schools. Mark your calendars for June 8 and 9, 2012. If you have anything to contribute to the displays or a special anniversary yearbook it would be greatly appreciated. We are in need of stories, pictures, vintage clothing, artifacts or anything school related from the last 50 years. Please drop your items off at the business office, or email mmoedt@immanuelcs.ca. Tickets for this event will go on sale in the New Year.

TURKEY SUPPER THANK YOU

Our 32nd Annual Turkey Supper was once again a very successful fundraiser. With thankfulness in our hearts to God, who makes all things possible, the supper raised \$12,900 this year.

A job well done to the 12 families in our local who worked so hard to feed 550 people.

A very special thank you goes to Joe Tams & Brenda Lewandowski from the Coaldale Food Market and the Coaldale Bakery - their help and generosity are truly appreciated. We could not do this supper without them!

Thanks to our other supporters who volunteered to bake pies, help with set-up, serve, and clean up - we are so grateful for the extra hands to assist us before, during and after the supper.

Last but not least, thanks to all of you who came for supper and donated to such a worthwhile cause - our children's Christian Education.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE CORRECTION

Sarah Musk is a welcome addition to our Education Committee meeting and we apologize for missing her in the last newsletter. We thank Jim Bouma for his contributions to this committee in the past years.

Immanuel Christian Elementary School

WELCOME

Every year we have the privilege and opportunity of welcoming new families to our school community. In our September newsletter, however, we neglected to include Matt and Michelle Avey and son, Tyson in Kindergarten with our list of new families. Our sincere apology for this oversight and we pray your involvement in ICS will be a blessing to your family!

SCHOOL PICTURE RE-TAKE DAY

Thursday,
October 27, 2011



School picture retakes will be on
Thursday, October 27, 2011 at 9:00 AM.

If you require a retake or were absent on picture day in September please come prepared for pictures on this date.

Remembrance Day Assembly

On Thursday, November 10 at 10:30 AM you are invited to join the staff and students at ICES for a Remembrance Day Assembly to pay tribute to the men and women who sacrificed their lives for our freedom.



Through God's Eyes

"Be imitators of God, therefore, as dearly loved children and live a life of love."

Ephesians 5: 1, 2a

This month we have been exploring how to be "creation enjoyers". Thank you for sharing your photographs! Come view all the creation-enjoying experiences on the ICES front wall. If you would still like to contribute a photo, please send it with your child.

Our next chapel is on
Monday, October 31 at 9:00 AM

Please join us!

CROSS COUNTRY RUN

On a beautiful crisp Wednesday morning our Grade 6 cross country runners did very well. This was due to their dedicated preparation and using the gifts God has given them. Both the boys and girls ran a true cross country race at Nicholas Sheran park.

Congratulations to our boys team for placing 2nd in the aggregate! Landon Veluw achieved 4th place with a time of 8.06, Eric Palmer took 6th and Kolten Heins 7th. These boys received ribbons for their efforts. David Musk placed 11th, Steven Veldman 19th, Daymond VandeMunt 28th and Jayden Van Reeuyk 29th out of the field of 64. Well done, gentlemen!

The girls were led by Vanessa Boone who placed 3rd with a time of 8.51 and received a ribbon. Chayse Stasiuk placed 20th, Charlie Smith 26th, Jenna Jonker 37th and Mckenzie Schalk 46th out of 60 runners. Excellent running girls!

Thank you as well to Mr. Degner for his time coaching the students and Mrs. Lisa Schalk for driving to the meet.

Mrs. J. Postman



Thanksgiving Assembly

On Friday, October 7, Immanuel Christian Elementary School had our annual Thanksgiving assembly. The assembly was planned and led by the Grade 3 students and teachers. The students shared with us the many things they are thankful for, while their representative artwork was displayed electronically. The students and teachers also created a beautiful thanksgiving display and led us in singing. We were reminded of how blessed we are and had the opportunity to praise God for this. Thanks to all the parents, grandparents and school supporters who came out to help us celebrate thanksgiving. Thanks also to Ms. Rosalie Konynenbelt and Ms. Myrna Husdal for all their planning and a special thanks to grade 3 students for doing such an excellent job!



Alberta Centennial Education Savings Plan

The Alberta Centennial Education Savings (ACES) Plan was created to motivate parents to begin planning and saving for their children's post-secondary education as early as possible.

The ACES Plan will contribute \$500 into the Registered Education Savings Plan (RESP) of every child born to Alberta residents in 2005 and later. As well, grants of \$100 are available to children of Alberta residents when they turn 8, 11 and 14 in 2005 and later, provided that the children are attending school.



More details at:
<http://www.advancededucation.gov.ab.ca/planning/funding/aces.aspx>

'Toonies for Terry'



A big thank you to all the volunteers and participants who walked in the City Wide, "Terry Fox Run" on Wednesday, September 28th. Our school had 196 children walking for a cumulative distance of approximately 665 km. During this 1.5 hour walk to ICHS and back, our students raised \$294.00 toward cancer research. Once again, thank you to all the participants on a job well done.

ACHIEVEMENT TEST RESULTS - 2010/2011

	Average		Acceptable Standard		Standard of Excellence	
	<u>ICES</u>	<u>PROV</u>	<u>ICES</u>	<u>PROV</u>	<u>ICES</u>	<u>PROV</u>
GRADE 3						
Language Arts	80.1%	69.5%	92.6%	81.8%	25.9%	17.5%
Mathematics	88.0%	72.3%	92.6%	76.8%	63.0%	25.7%
GRADE 6						
Language Arts	72.3%	65.3%	92.5%	83.0%	25.0%	18.5%
Mathematics	70.2%	63.8%	87.5%	72.8%	20.0%	17.5%
Science	77.4%	68.4%	90.0%	75.7%	40.0%	25.2%
Social Studies	74.2%	68.6%	85.0%	71.0%	30.0%	19.0%

Please Note:

Average: The test score in percentage.

Acceptable Standard: Percentage of students who met the acceptable standard by demonstrating an **understanding** of the curriculum's core learning outcomes.

Standard of Excellence: Percentage of students who met the standard of excellence by demonstrating a **mastery** of the curriculum's core learning outcomes.

African Drumming!!!

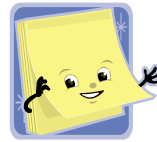
On Wednesday, October 5, students in Grade 3 through to Grade 6 had the opportunity to develop their rhythm and learn drumming beats that are common African music. Louise Raymond, director of Malicounda Dance Company, had students drum in unison, creating a variety of sounds and songs...even Mr. Visser had a chance to drum along with passable rhythm. Overall, staff and students enjoyed the opportunity to engage in a different type of music activity.



FOR YOUR INFORMATION ...

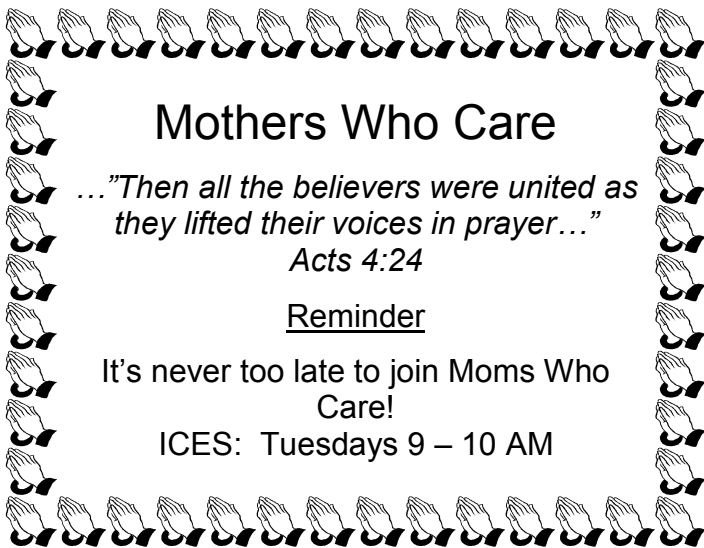
Parent/Teacher Conferences

The Conferences will be held on Thursday, November 17 in the evening and Friday, November 18 during the day. Scheduling for Parent/Teacher Conferences is done during Teacher Convention break. You should be receiving a letter in the mail early in November with the times for your conferences. If you have any questions or cannot make that time, please do not hesitate to call ICES office — **317-7860**.



ICES Calendar

- Oct. 17—KB—Helen Schuler Centre
- Oct. 18—4A/B—Lethbridge Landfill
- Oct. 18—KA—Helen Schuler Centre
- Oct. 19-21—Teacher's Convention
- Oct. 24—KB—VanderVeen Dairy
- Oct. 25—KA—VanderVeen Dairy
- Oct. 26—Gr. 2—Remmington Carriage
- Oct. 27—Picture Retake Day—9AM
- Oct. 27—Boys VB Tournament @ Lethbridge Christian—3:30 pm
- Oct. 28—Girls VB Tournament @ Lethbridge Christian—12:30 pm
- Oct. 28—Hot Lunch Day
- Oct. 31—Chapel—9:00 AM
- Nov. 4—Hot Dog Day
- Nov. 10—Remembrance Day Assembly—10:30AM
- Nov. 11—Remembrance Day (no school)
- Nov. 14—Elementary Report Cards
- Nov. 16—Staff Meeting—Early Dismissal 2:30 PM
- Nov. 17—Newsletter Issue Date
- Nov. 17—Parent Teacher Interviews (Evening)
- Nov. 18—Parent Teacher Interviews—no school
- Nov. 19—School Bazaar
- Nov. 25—Hot Lunch Day
- Nov. 28—Advent Chapel—9 AM
- Dec. 2—Hot Dog Day
- Dec. 5—Advent Chapel—9 AM
- Dec. 5—Society Meeting
- Dec. 12—Advent Chapel—9 AM
- Dec. 14—Staff Meeting—Early Dismissal 2:30 PM
- Dec. 18—Newsletter Issue Date
- Dec. 18—Hot Lunch Day
- Dec. 19—Advent Chapel—9 AM
- Dec. 23—Christmas Chapel—9 AM



Mothers Who Care

... "Then all the believers were united as they lifted their voices in prayer..."

Acts 4:24

Reminder

 It's never too late to join Moms Who Care!

 ICES: Tuesdays 9 – 10 AM

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

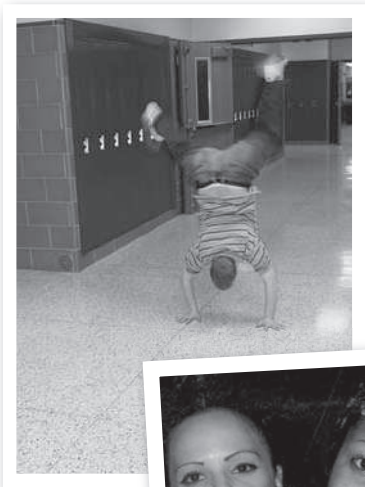
- Nov. 2—Tyson Van Zeggelaar
- Nov. 2—Brienne Withage
- Nov. 4—Kaleb Neil
- Nov. 6—Lydia Brandsma
- Nov. 11—Ryan Locke
- Nov. 12—Cameron Hostetler
- Nov. 13—Noah Groening
- Nov. 13—Eric Palmer
- Nov. 22—Kimberly Feenstra
- Nov. 24—Kalie Groening
- Nov. 29—Kevin Indenbosch
- Nov. 29—Grace Lokhorst



Concept Minutes for the Board Meeting Held September 21, 2011

1. Devotions by Yvonne Post.
2. Chairman shared "What as a Board Do We Owe the Principals?"
3. MSC to approve minutes of the August 24, 2011 board meeting.
4. MSC to ratify executive motions.
5. Ed Committee report was heard.
 - a. Heidi Sikkens is the Chair for 2011/2012; Carolyn Vanee is Secretary for 2011/2012.
 - b. MSC for approve Nikki Ohlmann for the sub list at ICHS.
 - c. MSC to approve Sr. High boys and girls volleyball in Calgary on Nov. 4 & 5, 2011.
 - d. MSC to approve Outdoor Education Fishing trip on September 22 & 23, 2011.
 - e. MSC to approve Patty Butler for the sub list at ICES.
 - f. MSC to approve an additional .5 FTE Educational Assistant for grade 7.
6. Report heard from Transportation Committee. They will meet on Monday, September 26, 2011.
7. 50th Anniversary Committee report heard. Celebration to be held June 8 and 9, 2012.
8. Report heard from Building Committee.
9. Board calendar handed out and reviewed.
10. Discussion on Debt Reduction.
11. Next meeting set for October 26, 2011.
12. Members business.
13. Scott Van't Land closed in prayer.

Image Share



Yearbook It!



Get your pictures in the yearbook!

The Yearbook Staff invites students and parents to submit photos for the yearbook. If you've got great photos of school and community events or you and your friends just having fun, we'd like to see them.

Our photographers can't be everywhere. Help us get as many photos as possible to create a terrific book everyone will want to have.

Here is how you can submit photos online—

Log on to: images.jostens.com

Enter Login ID: 400133820

Password: ics

- Browse to select the photo(s) you wish to upload, click on "Image Share".
- Enter information about the photo and provide contact information in case the staff needs additional information.
- Click "Save Details".

It's that easy! Submit your photos today!

The last day to submit photos is June 25, 2012

The Yearbook Staff will review all photos and determine final yearbook content. We cannot guarantee that all submissions can be used in the book.





TRIP NEWS

October 2010



We are off to a great start for another year of TRIP. New families have signed up and we encourage everyone to take part in this worthwhile fundraising program. Even if you don't use the tuition reduction for yourself; consider donating your share of the proceeds to a family in need.

To enroll in the TRIP program simply come into the Business Office or download the enrolment form from the website www.immanuelcs.ca. Enrolment is required before placing the first order only. For returning participants please notify the Business Office of any necessary changes to your enrolment.

Order forms can also be downloaded from the website www.immanuelcs.ca. The original order form must be in the Business Office by **10 am** on Tuesday for same week delivery and **10 am** on **Thursday** for next week delivery. Order forms can also be dropped off at ICES. Please notify the Business Office by phone if you are using this option. Cash or cheque must accompany every order.

Instant TRIP available anytime:

Save On Foods Safeway Tim Hortons
Sobey's Real Canadian Superstore/Wholesale Club
Coaldale Food Market Starbucks Moxie's Subway
The Keg Canadian Tire Giant Tiger
Galaxy Cinemas Shopper's Drug Mart

Information that is Good to Know

Always ask for your gift card back if the cashier says it is not activated. Please bring it to the Business Office as soon as possible and we will contact our supplier.

If paying your bill with more than one gift card *present one card to the cashier at a time*. When the card is empty please allow the businesses to dispose of it as they will recycle these empty cards.



If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact Benita or Denise in the Business Office at 403-327-4223 during regular office hours.



It's Bazaar time again.

Everyone is invited to this annual fundraiser for Immanuel Christian Schools.

Plans are underway to make this day fun and exciting for everyone. Volunteers will be calling to ask you to help out with the many areas of the Bazaar. Sign up early to get the time slot that works best for you. Now is also the time to start working on your donations of crafts, baking and other items. Please call the **Business Office** at **403-327-4223** if you require more information.

Doors Open at 9:30 a.m.

D.K.'s Galaxyland - 10 am – 4 pm

Auction Begins at 5:00 pm *sharp*

The ICS LADIES AUXILIARY is once again holding our annual APPLE CRISP MAKING event on Thursday, October 27, 2011.

- We will be starting this year at **9 a.m.** at the High School and would really appreciate any help we could get. This is a great opportunity to meet other parents and support a great fundraising event at the same time. There is free soup for lunch for our volunteers.
- All profits from this sale goes towards items that will enhance our children's education 😊.
- An Auxiliary representative should be contacting you to volunteer to work a few hours, but if you are missed, and are willing to donate your time, please call **Hennie Korver** at 327-8834 or **Jackie Postman** at 824-3421 (after 4:00 p.m.).

*We'd love to have you at any time of the day for some work and lots of coffee and fellowship!!
Grandparents, parents, school supporters (past & present),
and ICS students are welcome!!*

**Apple Crisps are \$6.00 each
(8"x8"pan)**

Each crisp is unbaked and ready for your freezer.



Please leave your prepaid order form (see below) at the Front Office of either ICHS or ICES. Make cheques payable to **ICS Ladies Auxiliary**.



Our orders fill up fast and the **cut off date is October 24** by 3:30 p.m. Orders can also be emailed to Jackie Postman at bjpostman@platinum.ca or Hilda Visser at hildavisser@gmail.com by October 24. No late orders will be accepted, so order soon!



***Pick-up your orders from noon to 5:00 p.m. on October 27. * (note time change)**

~ Thanks to everyone for your continued support of the ICS Ladies Auxiliary!! ~

ORDER FORM



Number of Apple Crisps _____ x \$6.00 = \$ _____

TOTAL = \$ _____

Name: _____

Phone #: _____