

# IRETON CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

## Weekly School Note

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### PRAYER CORNER



**\*\*Year's Theme: "Armor of God" "**

**\*\*October Theme: Struggle against the Power of Darkness**

**Memory verse: Ephesians 6: 12, 13 "For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms. Therefore put on the full armor of God, so that when the day of evil comes, you may be able to stand your ground, and after you have done everything, to stand."**

**Prayers of thanksgiving and praise-**

- for our protection against the powers of darkness just by saying the name of "Jesus"
- for Mary Goslinga's healing from her infection.

**We ask-**

- for teacher's convention this week that it will be a worthwhile experience.
- for safety while traveling during this busy harvest season.

### HOT LUNCH MENU

**MONDAY, Oct. 8-**Pizza, Carrots, Fresh peaches/banana, blueberry dessert, milk

**TUESDAY Oct. 9-** Pulled pork, green beans, pears, Charlie brown pie, milk

**WEDNESDAY Oct. 10-**Spaghetti, broccoli, kiwi, garlic bread, milk

### SCHOOL CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**THURSDAY & FRIDAY, Oct 6 & 7-**Heartland Teachers Conference, no school

**MONDAY, Oct. 10-**KOK will have a guest librarian

**WEDNESDAY, Oct 12-**KOK visits Pumpkin Patch, leaving at 9:30 AM

- Kindergarten to Fire Station at 9:00 AM
- Volleyball practice (not Oct. 13)

**FRIDAY, Oct. 14-**KOK visits the Fire Station at 10:00am

**SATURDAY, Oct 15** – Honor Band Auditions

**THURSDAY-FRIDAY, Oct. 20-28** – Drug Free Week

**FRIDAY, Oct. 21-**School pictures

**MONDAY, Oct. 24** – Unity Back to School Night at 7:00 PM


**FRIDAY, Oct 28-**End of 1<sup>st</sup> quarter (46 days) Dismiss at 11:30

**TUESDAY, Nov. 1** – PTA Meeting at 7:00 PM

**SATURDAY Nov. 5** – Honor Band Concert at 6:00 PM

**TUESDAY, Nov. 8-** Northwestern College Play at 12 PM

**MOMS IN TOUCH**-next meeting is Thursday, October 13, they will meet at Ireton Christian School library, 8:15-9:15 am, If you are interested in finding out more about what we do please attend or call Cindy Davelaar or Cheryl Van Wyk, upcoming meeting dates will be on Oct 27, and Nov 10. We will be meeting every other week this year, please refer to the school Calendar of Events to check which Thursday we will be meeting

The next  **ICS TRIP** order date is October 24 by 8:45 AM. Starting next week, TRIP inventory will be available at the school office on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 8-2. If you need anything on other days call Donna at 278-2506.

**Author Day this year will be October 12.** Jeanette Hopkins is returning to our school and will be reading from her latest book and doing some language art activities with the students. There is also a special exhibit opening on Friday, October 14 at the Orange City Public Library where you'll be able to view the original illustrations from her book and meet the illustrator. Her newest book **The Juggler** is available for purchase. Return any book orders to school by October 7 so we can get the count to her and have them autographed for your child.

### 2011 Volleyball/Cross Country Schedule

Oct 11 Away at Hull Chr..... 4:00

Oct 14 Unity Cross Country Invitational (7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> public/private schools competitive cross country meet-not required, bonus run)

**Oct 17 Home vs Hull Protestant..... 4:00**

**Oct 18 Home vs Sioux Center Chr..... 4:00**

Oct 27 Away at Rock Valley Chr..... 4:00

Oct 29 Western Chr VB Invitational (7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grade will play)

**\*ALL VB games will play "B" game 1<sup>st</sup> and "A" game 2<sup>nd</sup>  
(each match will consist of 3 games, rally scoring to 25 points)**

**Please be aware there was a reported case of head lice at school.**  
Keep checking your children.

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**PRINCIPAL'S E-MAIL**- for direct information for Mr. Schoonhoven for school related items, please use: [marlin.schoonhoven@iretonchristianschool.com](mailto:marlin.schoonhoven@iretonchristianschool.com)

**OFFICE (secretary)**-for school use to contact secretary with items for note etc. please use: [office@iretonchristianschool.com](mailto:office@iretonchristianschool.com)  
[ics@mtcnet.net](mailto:ics@mtcnet.net) will still work as well

**BOX TOP COLLECTORS!** Please bring all your collected box tops to school by Oct. 17 so they can be counted and mailed in by the deadline, Nov. 1. Please help our box tops coordinator by following these tips:

- check all expiration dates (NO expired box tops will be accepted)
- please cut as closely as possible around the box top and carefully peel off the cardboard (to save postage).
- use the small snack zip bags, 50 box tops per bag and write 50 on the bag.

Questions: call Tina Folkerts 278-2123

**KOK FUND RAISER**- KOK is selling Little Lambs cookie dough and cheesecakes. Please contact any preschool family before Oct. 10 to place your order. Thanks for your support!

**Book-It** started in October. So, keep reading and recording all your minutes. FREE mini-pizza from Pizza Ranch if you make your goal for the month. **Parents need to sign and return completed monthly sheets.**

**WOW! What a beautiful day we had for the Jog-A-Thon.** It was a little warm, but the students did GREAT! It was great to see them encouraging each other on. The results for the most laps are as follows: Kindergarten: Caden Schouten (12), 1<sup>st</sup> Grade: Cassady Dekkers (13), 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade: Brett Schouten (15), 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade: Josee Abbas & Hanah Van Beek (17), 4<sup>th</sup> Grade: Benjamin Abbas (18), 5<sup>th</sup> Grade: Joey Schoonhoven (23), 6<sup>th</sup> Grade: Adam Viet (19), 7<sup>th</sup> Grade: Alexis Zomermaand (20), and 8<sup>th</sup> Grade: Tessa Schoonhoven (21). Joey Schoonhoven was our overall winner with the most laps. **CONGRATULATIONS!** Thanks to everyone for their cooperation and effort to make this fundraiser a success. Now, please finish it and get out there and collect your pledges and donations. They are due at school by **Oct. 11**. Let's see who will win the prize for the most money collected.

**Cadets will meet:** October 5 and October 19 from 6:30 – 8:00 PM.

**Maurice Reformed Church** invites all 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grade students on Wednesday nights to their church from 6:30-8:00 PM for Jr. Gap. They will be offering rides from Ireton Christian School at 6:15 and returning around 8:20. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Tracy Cleveringa at (559) 706-7183