

INDIAN CREEK HIGH SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

January 14, 2011

During lunches if you want to leave the lunchroom early to go to the lab or a teacher for help, please make sure you have a pass. If you do not have a pass, you will not be allowed to leave. Please plan ahead.

Students, just a reminder that use of the driveway between the high school and Shabbona Elementary is not allowed. This driveway is for buses only.

Cafeteria charges will be 2 lunches from now on (\$4.90), not \$10.00 as of January 17, 2011.

Students please return all library books and pay fines in the library, otherwise you will not get your report card until items are returned or paid.

Seniors going on the class trip: your first installment payment is due Friday, January 14th.

There will be a meeting on January 19, during Advisement for all students going to MacBeth on January 26th. This mandatory meeting will be in Rm 6, Mrs. Kuntz's room.

Drama Club will have a mandatory meeting on January 19 right after the MacBeth meeting.

Art Club members can pick up their t-shirts today in the Art Room.

Mr. Connelly's advisement will have their milk & cookies party today to celebrate winning the Door Decorating Contest.

The Creative Writing Club will be hosting a Coffeehouse/Open Mic Night on Friday, January 21 from 7-9pm in the High School Library. Creative Writing Club members and alumni will be reciting original pieces, and all attendees are encouraged to bring their own original poem/short story/original music composition/other creative work to share. Robbie Q. Telfer, author of Spiking the Sucker Punch, will be in attendance as a guest poet. Refreshments will be available for sale. We hope to see everyone there!

FCCLA will be doing concessions Monday, 1/17 and Thursday, 1/20. Please sign up with Alex if you can help!

There is an admission fee into all basketball games during the LTC Tournament next week for all spectators.

Track and Field practices will begin next Monday in the weight room at the middle school. Please see Mr. Bell or Mr. Lindley if you have any questions.

Abe Award Readers: new Abe books are on display in the library.

Juniors: today is your last concessions for the year. It is Pork Chop supper night, which means BIG MONEY FOR PROM. Organize yourselves because many of you are involved in FFA, Basketball, Cheerleading, Dance, and Band that night. Sign up with Vice President Deanne Winterton inform Miss Punke and Mrs. Sturk.

Create Custom Yearbook Pages! Visit yearbookyourself.com to create Personal Yearbook Pages. You are under no obligation to buy the pages. If you decide to purchase, the cost is only \$15.94 for four custom pages print in your yearbook. Make your yearbook reflect the people and events that are most important to you. Final deadline for completed pages is April 11th.

Ms. Punke's advisement has readerboard for this week. Get information from Mr. Mertz' weekly e-mail. Events go on the North side (Casey's) and see Mrs. Tyler for quote on the South side (park).

Guidance Department Information

There are some very unusual scholarships available to students. Please check out list by Mr. Lindley's office or the list by the Main Office.

FAFSA Nights at Kishwaukee College will be February 8, February 16, and also on February 17, 2011. Please plan on attending one night for information on the Free Application for Federal Student Aid.

Kishwaukee College Placement Testing February 8, 2011 2:30 p.m. Degree-seeking students interested in attending Kishwaukee College must take placement testing prior to attending orientation sessions or counseling appointments. The testing lab at Kishwaukee College (Learning Skills Center) is being reserved for Indian Creek HS students at the date and time listed. If you are not able to make this time, tests can be taken at 9 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. M-F and 5 p.m. M-Th. Schedule your testing time through the KC counseling office at 815-825-2086 x 5070. (2-8-11).

Rock Valley College is having a Health Career Fair for Junior High and High School students on 4-15-11. 8:00 A.M. To 2:00 P.M. It is free to attend. What is unique about the fair is the hands-on activities such as: holding a human brain, or washing your hands with soap and putting them under the light to see how dirty they still are. It is a fun day and kids are really excited about the health field. If interested contact: l.auman@rockvalleycollege.edu (4-15-11).

Fermilab is promoting summer internships for HS students and faculty that are interested in science, math and engineering. (3-1-11)

For HS students

<http://ed.fnal.gov/interns/programs/target/index.shtml>

<http://ed.fnal.gov/interns/programs/quarknet/index.shtml>

Any students interested in volunteer opportunities with the Unity Hospice center of Western Illinois in Rochelle please contact Cheryl Johnson at 815-561-8866 for more information. Any student planning to enter the medical field would greatly benefit from this opportunity. (4-1-11).

The Chicago Roofing Contractors Association is offering a \$3,000 Scholarship for a Senior entering college in fall of 2011 and planning to major in either liberal arts, science, engineering, architecture or business. Visit www.crca.org for more information and to download an application. Deadline is March 4, 2011. (3-4-2011).

The 40th annual Career for Girls for female students interested in engineering will be Saturday, February 26, 2011. The event will take place at Northwestern University. Please visit <http://msgroups.tech.northwestern.edu/swe/> for more information. (2-28-11).

Best Buy is offering scholarships to students in grades 9-12 living in the U.S. Please visit www.at15.com or www.bestbuy-communityrelations.com for more information and to apply. Deadline for application is February 16, 2011. (2-16-11).

1st Farm Credit Services is offering its "At the Heart of a Growing America" scholarship. This scholarship is available to students interested in agriculture. Students can visit www.1stfarmcredit.com for an application. Deadline is February 15, 2011 for the scholarship. (2-15-2011).

The Illinois Sons of Confederate veterans is offering scholarship to graduating male and female students planning on attending college and is a descendant of someone who served in the confederacy. Please visit the scholarship file for more information. Deadline to apply is March 15, 2011. (3-15-11).

The DeKalb County Farm Bureau is offering scholarships to students planning on attending college. Please visit the scholarship file for more information. Deadline to apply is March 4, 2011. (3-4-2011).

Please visit the scholarship file for more information on scholarships offered by the American Legion. (3-25-11).

The Northern Illinois Cement Masons are accepting application for apprenticeship programs. Please visit scholarship file for more information. (4-1-11).

The Lee County Farm Bureau is offering scholarships to students planning on majoring in agriculture and Please visit www.leecfb.org for an application or visit the scholarship file. Deadline for the application is February 1, 2011. (2-1-11).

The American Society for Quality is offering a scholarship for \$2,000. Current High School students and first year community college students who intend to be undergraduates new year are eligible to apply. Visit the scholarship file for more information. Deadline is March 7, 2011 to apply. (3-7-11).

The Illinois Soybean association is offering scholarships. Visit

www.ilsoy.org or the scholarship file for more information and to apply. (4-1-11).

The University of Illinois Secretariat is offering a scholarship for students planning on attending any college in Illinois for the fall 2011 semester. Please visit the scholarship file for more information. Deadline to apply is February 11, 2011. (2-11-11).

Senator Bradley Burzynski is offering scholarship opportunities. Visit www.senatorbrad.com to printout an application. Deadline is March 31, 2011 for scholarship applications. (3-31-11).

Meeting Schedule

Club/ Activity	Date	Time	Where	Notes
Concert Choir	1/13 Thurs	Advisement		
Art club	1/13 Thurs	Afterschool	Rm 1	t-shirt painting is the activity (Mrs. Tyler has t-shirts)
Concert Band	1/14 Fri	Learning Lab		
WYSE	1/14 Fri	Advisement	Rm 22	Mandatory to finish details for Regional competition
Concert Choir	1/14 Fri	Advisement		
Pep Band	1/14 Fri	6:20pm		
MacBeth field trip	1/19 Wed	Advisement	Rm 6	mandatory
Drama Club	1/19 Wed	Advisement	Rm 6	mandatory after MacBeth meeting