

Incline Elementary School

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Notes from the Principal

Dear Parents,

Back to School Night was a resounding success and well attended by students and parents alike. We were especially fortunate to have high school students from the ROTC program and leadership class supporting the child care all evening. Thank you all for attending and becoming informed about the new school year.

We have hired more people to support our school since the last newsletter. Adriana Salcedo is our bilingual Parent Involvement Facilitator (P.I.F.), she is available every morning from 8:30-12:30. Charlotte Welco is our new clinical aide and her hours are 9:00-3:00 Monday through Friday. And, our most current hire is Gladys de Wilson Marshall and she works as a Special Education Aide II also Monday-Friday from 9:00-3:00. Only one last position to fill and that is our .5 Spanish one year only teacher.

The IVGID morning will cost \$4.00 per day and rates can be adjusted for scholarships. The afternoon program will have separate charges, so register with the recreation department and direct any questions to IVGID. If your child is not registered for the before school program, he or she may not be dropped off at school until 8:40 at the earliest.

We look forward to seeing everyone this Friday at our annual PTA Jog-a-Thon.

Sincerely, Kathleen Watty , Principal

Lights Camera Action

PTA purchased 2 digital cameras last school year for the use of parents and staff. We invite and encourage you to check a camera out from the office and take pictures of IES events. These pictures will be used to document the 2011/2012 school year. An IES event can be a field trip, Jog-A-Thon, an assembly, Meet the Masters or simply classroom instruction time. The cameras are located in the bottom drawer of the filing cabinet closest to the PA system in the office.

A message from WCSD

The 2011 Nevada State Legislature enacted a number of measures related to education and district operations that may be of interest to you. For a summary of those measures and an update on actions being taken by the district, click on the following link:
<http://washoecountyschools.org/community/legislative-session>

A Message From Our PTA President

People often ask, "what does the PTA spend its money on?" Well, there are many things that happen at this school that would not happen without the help of the community and the PTA's fundraising efforts. Today is the Jog-A-Thon. Jog-A-Thon is a really fun and important day for the students, as it is the day that our school sets aside to raise money for our Physical Education program. We would not have Physical Education at our school if the parents and the Incline Village community didn't fundraise for the program. When your child comes home from school and tells you about a great accomplishment they had in PE, please remember that this is how PTA spends the money that our school community raises. Tuesday night I was glad to see many parents attend the Meet the Masters training session. This is a program that our students love, and it teaches students about the technical aspects of art, about artists, and about history. Meet the Masters gives students a sense of accomplishment that comes from the creative process and it is a PTA funded program, run by parent volunteers. When your child proudly presents you with a beautiful art piece, please remember that this is how PTA spends the money that our school community raises.

On Tuesday October 11 at 2:00pm the PTA is hosting an Arts for the School Assembly. The artist is Michael Cooper, further information on his show can be found on his website

www.themaskedmarvel.com. Parents are always welcome to attend our assemblies. Quality school assemblies are not free, assemblies are not covered by the school's budget, they are entirely funded by PTA funds. Last year we had a kangaroo hop across the bridge into the multi-purpose room to talk to students about life as a kangaroo. This year we are going to have equally exciting and educational experiences for our students. Thank you for your continued support of the PTA and for your willingness to donate both your funds and your time so we can continue to provide these types of experiences for IES students.

Pauline Leoncio , PTA President

Box Tops and Labels for Education

Please send to school any Box Tops and Labels for Education that you have at home by Friday September 30. Each classroom that collects 250 points in Labels and Box Tops for Education will receive a book of the teacher's choice. This is a cumulative number for the entire school year, so that every time your class collects 250 points this school year, the class will receive a new book.

Box Tops found on many products including Ziploc, gold fish and Kleenex. Labels for Education can also be found on many different products including Campbell's Soup and Bic pens. Please go to their website <http://www.boxtops4education.com/default.aspx> for a full list of products and further information on their program. Please remember to save the Box Tops and Labels for Education and ask your friends and relatives to do so also, they are valuable to our school .

Meet Your PTA Board

President: Pauline Leoncio
 Vice -President: Laura Nugent
 Treasurer: Kim Lewis
 Secretary: Deanna Chaney

There are many ways to keep in touch with what is happening around school and with the PTA, of course you are always welcome to, e-mail or call any one of the Board Members personally. Look for information about PTA events in this monthly newsletter, at www.iespta.com on Facebook, on the white board near the multi-purpose room, and via the regular Sunday night e-mail. You may contact the board via e-mail at iespta1@hotmail.com If you do not receive the Sunday night e-mail please send your e-mail address to iespta1@hotmail.com and we will add you to our list. You don't have to be a PTA member to receive the email.

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
2	3 FALL BREAK	4 FALL BREAK	5 FALL BREAK	6 FALL BREAK	7 FALL BREAK	8
9	10	11 P.E. NIGHT	12 EARLY RE-LEASE 2:15	13	14	15
16	17	18	19 EARLY RE-LEASE	20	21	22
23	24	25 PTA MEETING 11:30 am	26 EARLY RE-LEASE	27 HALLOWEEN PARADE /	28 NEVADA DAY NO SCHOOL	29
30	31 HALLOWEEN	NOVEMBER 1	NOVEMBER 2 EARLY RE-	NOVEMBER 3 BRING SOMEONE SPECIAL TO SCHOOL	NOVEMBER 4 PAJAMA DAY / FAMILY FUN NIGHT	