

INDIAN CREEK ELEMENTARY

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Parent Newsletter **"TEACHING TOOLS FOR TOMORROW"**

Lunch Menu

October 29, 2018

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
29 Breakfast Tray Lunch Chicken Tenders Carrots/Dip Peaches Giant goldfish Milk	30 Breakfast Tray Lunch Brave Burger Cheese Cup Corn Orange Slices Fruit Snacks Milk	31 Breakfast Tray Lunch Mini Corn Dog Baked Beans Apple Sauce Cookie Milk Go Day EARLY RELEASE	Nov.1 Breakfast Lunch Calzone Carrots Ranch Dip Chortles Orange Slices Milk	2 Breakfast Tray Lunch Fish Stick Green Beans Pineapple Pretzels Milk
5 Breakfast Tray Lunch Chicken Nuggets Green Beans Raisins Cheddar Goldfish Milk	6 Breakfast Tray Lunch Pizza Salad /Dressing Peaches Pudding Milk	7 Breakfast Tray Lunch Hot Dog on Bun Celery Sticks Ranch Cup Pears Pretzels Milk Go Day EARLY RELEASE	8 Breakfast Tray Lunch Chicken Taco Refried Beans Lettuce Juice Fruit Snacks Milk	9 Breakfast Tray Lunch Biscuit & Gravy Egg Patty Sausage Carrots Applesauce Milk

UPCOMING EVENTS

Wed.	Oct. 31	Halloween Parties.
Fri.	Nov. 2	Picture retakes.
Tues.	Nov. 13	NHJ School Board meeting at the admin. bldg. at 7 PM.
Fri.	Nov. 16	ICES Skate Party at Franklin Skate Club 4:30 PM -6:30 PM.
Wed. – Fri.	Nov. 21-23	Thanksgiving Break. NO SCHOOL!



POP TABS

We have collected 114,975 pop tabs since our first newsletter, **Great Job!** Our goal is to collect one million tabs. The container is at the ICES office in which to deposit collected tabs. Get your friends and family to help and we will reach our goal quickly. We will keep you informed each newsletter of the latest count. Keep up the good work and keep bringing those tabs so we may collect one million tabs this school year for Ronald's House.

PICTURE RETAKES

Picture retakes are **Friday, November 2nd**. If your child was absent on our original picture day, you may request a packet from the school office. Please send full payment for the package of your choice on picture day. If you would like retakes, the same package as you originally ordered will be taken if the old package is returned at the time pictures are taken. There is no need for these children to fill out more paperwork. If you have any questions please feel free to contact the office at 317-878-2150.

HALLOWEEN GUIDELINES

1. Costumes must fit in a bag.
2. No face make-up worn or brought in or hair color.
3. Costumes should be easy on and off. No, play weapons such as guns,

EARLY REALEASE

Parents, just a reminder **EVERY** Wednesday is early release. Students are dismissed at 2 PM. If you have any questions please call the office at 317-878-2150.

LUNCHROOM CHARGES

If you have received a notice for lunchroom charges, please take care of these as soon as possible. Your help with this is greatly appreciated.

FOOD ALLERGY UPDATE

Parents: just a reminder that we are a food allergy aware school. Snacks or treats for your child's classroom must be store bought. **NO HOMEMADE** products are permitted. In addition, several classrooms are peanut/nut free. Please read labels before buying products. Your help with this is greatly appreciated.

CHARACTER COUNTS

October is **RESPONSIBILITY** month at ICES! Responsibility means doing what we are supposed to do. At ICES, we recite our Indian Creek Creed every morning: "Today I will do my best. I will come to school to learn and grow. I will treat others the way I want to be treated. I will be honest and fair and set a good example. I will believe in myself for I am **RESPONSIBLE** for my own success!" Please talk with your child about our Indian Creek Creed, and discuss ways your child can be responsible at home, school, and in the community. Lead by example; show them some of your responsibilities at home or at your job.

LOST AND FOUND

Our lost and found is getting bigger each day! We have coats, sweatshirts, lunch boxes and hats and gloves etc. If your child is missing any items it may be her at school. We would like to get them back to their rightful owner.

HOLIDAY ASSISTANCE

Several churches and businesses contact our schools each year to obtain names of families who would like assistance during the holidays.

If you are interested in receiving assistance, please contact our school nurse at 317-878-2108. All calls are confidential.

ICHS HOLIDAY BAZAAR

The ICHS Holiday Bazaar will take place at Indian Creek High School on November 17 from 9 AM – 4 PM. There is still booth space available.

ICES SKATING PARTY

The Indian Creek Skating party will be on **Friday, Nov. 16** at the Franklin Skate club from 4:30 PM – 6:30 PM. We will not be selling pre-sell tickets. Admission at the door will \$3.00 and skate rental will be \$2.00. Hope to see you there!

BOOK RENTAL

Thank you to all those who have already paid their 2018-2019 book rental. The book rental prices for this school year are as follows:
Kindergarten: \$183.96
First Grade - \$194.96
Second Grade – 198.62
This was due October 15, 2018.

PARENT TIPS

Find the right discipline balance

Research indicates that being a nurturing parent not too harsh and not too lenient-helps children behave best. This requires being kind, understanding and helpful. Here are some nurturing messages to send your child:

1. I care about you.
2. I will be calm when you tell me difficult things.
3. I will help you learn from mistakes.
4. We are learning together.
5. I have confidence in you.
6. I hear what you are saying.
7. I am proud of you.
8. I am so happy you are my child.
9. You are an important part of the family.
10. I love you.

HAPPY HALLOWEEN

