

PTA eNews for Monday, September 17, 2018

Join the IVE PTA Today

If you have not signed up or renewed your membership to the IVE PTA, please go to ivepta.org and show your support today!

Upcoming Events & Programs

- **September 20** - IVE Community Picnic, 6-8:30pm
- **September 21** - Picture Day for IVE Students
- **September 24** - Art Docent Orientation, 6:30-9:00pm
- **September 25** - PTA General Meeting, 7:00pm, IVE Library
- **September 25, 26 & 27** - ParentWiser Workshop for Middle Schoolers
- **September 28** - Coffee Chat with Principal Pickard, 9:15am
- **September 28** - DIVE Orientation/Training, 7:00-9:00pm

IVE PTA Community Picnic and Movie Event:

Please join us on Thursday, September 20th from 6-8:30pm as we picnic together and screen the movie Coco on the IVE playground. Grab a blanket and a pillow to settle in and watch the movie, bring your own picnic or purchase from the El Pinguino Cachearon Mexican Food Truck (\$1-\$8 price range). The Issaquah Ice Cream Trike will also be making an appearance (\$2 per item). We hope to see you there!

First General IVE PTA Meeting of the 2018-19 Year:

All are welcome to join us for our General PTA Meeting on Tuesday, September 25th. We will meet in the IVE library at 7pm. Come early to enjoy snacks and a Meet & Greet with Principal Pickard and the PTA Board at 6:30pm. Childcare will be provided in the MPR.

Goodwill Fill the Truck - Save the Date for November 3rd:

As you are cleaning up your basements, organizing your garages, and straightening your closets, save up your donation items so we can fill a Goodwill truck on November 3rd! We have a great opportunity to raise money for IVE PTA and support a great local charity. More details coming soon!

Fall Book Fair is Coming! Monday, November 5 - Friday, November 9:

There is a wide selection of books that every child will love! Not only does this put books in the hands of our students, it also puts books in the hands of your teachers and librarian. Fall Book Fair hours are:

- Monday - 8:45am-4pm
- Tuesday - 8:45am-4pm (lunch with a friend during your child's lunch time)
- Wednesday - 8:45am-1:45pm, 6pm-8pm Family Night
- Thursday - 8:45am-4pm
- Friday - 8:45am-3:40pm

After school Art Class Enrichment Opportunity for Students Grades 3-5:

Offered by Crimson Canvas Art. Learn to draw Manga characters! Learn to draw eyes, head, hair and facial expressions. Learn to pose your character and give them personality. Students will get professional guidance to translate their ideas, stories and characters onto paper. All supplies provided. Fall - Winter Session: October 5-Dec. 14. Fridays 3:40-4:40pm at IVE. \$140 for 10 classes. To register please visit: <http://www.crimsoncanvasarts.com/art-classes/after-school-art-enrichment/> or for more information [Email: info@crimsoncanvasarts.com](mailto:info@crimsoncanvasarts.com)

ParentWiser Workshop for Middle Schoolers:

Seth Perler: Habits for Middle School Success. Seth teaches middle school students how to navigate school successfully by personalizing study habits for any individual learning style. Seth will walk you through proper setup of systems so you're on top of school work. Free to Issaquah PTSA members. \$10 donation for non-members. For more details and to register, please go to: <https://www.parentwiser.org/events>

Volunteers Needed

Please go to our website at ivepta.org and look at all of our upcoming opportunities to help with upcoming events, programs and committees.

Salmon Days Parking Fundraising Event October 6-7:

We are looking for volunteers to direct traffic, collect funds, and direct individuals to the Salmon Days event. Volunteers are needed for two hour shifts, or more. All funds raised go directly to the PTA general fund. For more information and to sign up, please go to ivepta.org. We appreciate the help in making a great start to the year!

Fall Book Fair:

We need a lot of volunteers as cashiers or floaters. If you are able to volunteer for any shift (part of a shift too), please sign-up on ivepta.org. If you have any questions, please contact your book fair co-chairs: Renee Barnes, Erin Bell, Lizz Eng, Nikki Ludwyck, and Jamie Rydberg at bookfair@ivepta.org

New Program! D.I.V.E. (Dads and Dudes of IVE):

As part of IVE's continuing commitment to providing a more well-rounded education and student experience, D.I.V.E has been created to introduce the presence of supervised, positive parent and guardian role models for students of IVE during recess hours. For more info on D.I.V.E, please go to ivepta.org. or contact dive@ivepta.org. Our first training/orientation is on Wednesday, Sept. 26th, from 7-9pm at IVE.

Child Care for General PTA Meetings:

Helping with childcare will ensure a larger turn out at our PTA General Meetings with more adult voices for our students. We are required to have 2 adults (18 years or older) in the room at all times. We will have many Middle School student volunteers signing up to help as well. Meetings for the 2018-19 year will occur on the following Tuesdays at

7:00pm: September 25, November 27, January 22, March 19, and May 21. Sign up details can be found at ivepta.org. Thank you very much for your consideration.

Reminders

Box Tops for Education (BTFE) Fundraising Program:

Help IVE by collecting Box Top labels from various consumer products (like Ziploc, Hefty, Reynold's) and food products (like Betty Crocker, Annie's, Mott's) and many cereals, soups, beverages and frozen products. Each BTFE clipped earns our school 10 cents and can be redeemed for books, art supplies, sports equipment and much more. Clip and save your Box Tops for a school wide contest between classrooms twice a year in October and February. The class with the most Box Tops will win a prize! For more information, please go to the Ongoing Fundraising section at ivepta.org

PTA Website Online Directory:

- This directory is a restricted document viewable ONLY by registered PTA member users who are authorized by the PTA webmasters after verification of legitimate PTA membership.
- Authorized users are able to search by family/student first or last name, or they can search for class lists by teacher name.
- As a default all contact information in the PTA website user's profile will be displayed UNLESS specifically opted out of by the user either upon membership activation/renewal or via the steps highlighted on the ivepta.org website.

Thank you to all our volunteers for your hard work in support of the IVE PTA!