

High School Newsletter



IMPORTANT DATES

Mark your calendars

April 23,24

Hoy Baseball and Softball Tournament (Calif.)

April 25-28

National Academic Bowl Competition (Wash., D.C.)

May 1-3

Senior Trip

May 3

PTCO Day

ATHLETICS

(Home games are in BOLD)

4/20 S.Ball

Eminence 5:00

4/24, 25 B.Ball/
S.Ball Hoy tournament (CA) TBA

4/28 B.Ball

MANUAL 4:30;

S.Ball South-

western 5:30;

Track Tech and

Brebeuf @ Tech

4:30

4/29 B.Ball Emi-

nence 5:00

4/30 Track Howe

and International

@ Howe

5/4 S.Ball

Southport 5:00



The Subject Is Success !!



Athletic Accolades for Two Seniors

LARRY BIRD CHARACTER AWARD: GABRIEL PAULONE

The Indiana Pacers, in conjunction with the National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS), the Indiana High School Athletic Association (IHSAA) and Dick's Sporting Goods have selected the Larry Bird Character Award finalists and scholarship winners.

The Larry Bird Character Award serves as one of the community outreach programs of the Pacers, and is determined by criteria that are representative of the qualities of NBA Hall of Famer Larry Bird, including academic excellence, character, sportsmanship and community service. Nominees had to be a senior in high school and a member of their boys or girls high school varsity basketball team.

Winners were chosen by a selection committee made up of representatives from the Pacers, the NFHS, the IHSAA and Dick's Sporting Goods. These winners are the best of the eligible nominations submitted, based upon the nominee's academic achievement and community service. A complete set of rules can be obtained by logging on to Pacers.com.

The finalists and winners will be recognized at halftime of the Pacers' game against Toronto on April 8. The ten finalists receive a commemorative photo, finalist plaque and \$50 gift card to Dick's Sporting Goods. The two overall winners will receive a trophy and a \$1000 college scholarship courtesy of Dick's Sporting Goods.

The five Male finalists are as follows:

Nick Hesterman – North Side High School, **Gabriel Paulone – Indiana School for the Deaf**; Jeremy Renz – Plymouth High School
Jordan Surenkamp – Mooresville High School; Bradley Wethington – Crawfordsville High School

The Scholarship Winners: Female - Emily Jones – Highland High School, Anderson; **Male - Gabriel Paulone – Indiana School for the Deaf**

City County Boys and Girls All Star Game

Seniors, Ann Whited and Gabriel Paulone have been invited to participate in the **Andre Owens vs. George Hill 2009 City County Boys and Girls All-Star Game**, on **Saturday, April 18 2009**, at Arlington High School. The Girls will play the first game starting at 5:30pm followed by the boy's game at 7:30pm. Games will be televised on the World Wide Web so that all coaches can view the game live. This game has assisted students in receiving scholarships to various universities.

From the Supervising Teacher's Desk . . . Greetings from High School!

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A week of spring break and 2-4 day weeks have left us well rested and ready to tackle the last 5 weeks of school. Believe it or not, we really only have 5 weeks left!! Time has flown by this year.

Please note the new phone numbers for High School. They are listed on the next page.

We will soon be finished with the NWEA testing. These tests are administered on the computers and for the first time, they were given on our new laptops from the library. English and language arts were given over the past 2 weeks and math starts on Monday.

We have a new parent PTCO representative for the high school department. Her name is Christine Moody. Please see the article from her on page 3. Her son, Michael, is a sophomore here at ISD. On another PTCO note, there is a PTCO survey being taken. Follow the directions on page 3 to complete it.

Good luck to the Academic Bowl team as they travel to the national competition in Washington, D.C. We wish them well and hope they return as the national champs again. I also want to wish the softball and baseball teams good luck as they travel to California for the Dummy Hoy Tournament.

Congratulations to all of the students who made Honor Roll and didn't receive SRC for 3rd quarter. The entire list is on page 5. We are proud of all of the students on the list.

I am also proud of Gabriel Paulone for being selected as the Larry Bird Character Award winner and to Gabriel and Ann Whited for being selected to play in the City County All Star Basketball Game.

It is such a joy to congratulate students in **EVERY** issue of the newsletter.

The whole department is proud of **ALL** of our high school students!!

Dates to remember:

Athletic Banquet	May 20th	5:00—8 p.m.	Brown Cafeteria and Auditorium
Senior Breakfast	May 21st	7-8 a.m.	Coed Lounge (Seniors invite a teacher)
Awards Program	May 22	10 –11:30,	Caskey Gym
Graduation	May 22	1:00 p.m. ,	Caskey Gym

Until next time,

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THE NEWSLETTER WILL BE PRINTED EVERY TWO WEEKS.

Watch for the next issue: Friday, May 1, 2009

Submit information to sbaker@isd.k12.in.us Deadline for the next issue: Wed., April 29th

This and That. . .

This number is no longer in service: 317-920-6323.

The new number is 1-866-272-1074.

Do not use 711 fr Relay Service.

If using a video-phone (VP), dial 1-866-327-9026 directly on the VP.

If not using a video-phone, dial 1-866-327-9026. Your call will be connected to Sorenson's video-relay service (VRS). Your call will be directly connected to the high school secretary and a Sorenson interpreter will assist in communicating your information to the high school secretary.

1-866-327-9026 is free of charge for hearing callers from anywhere in the country.

For more information about Sorenson, visit their website at www.sorenson.com

PTCO Information and Survey

A LETTER FROM THE HS PTCO REPRESENTATIVE

Hello High School parents! My name is Christine Moody. I am the new high school representative to the ISD Parent Teacher Counselor Organization. As your representative for the Board of the PTCO, I am your liaison to that organization. If you have any questions or information that you want to share, please feel free to contact me at the numbers/addresses below. One of our top goals for the future is improved communication, and it is our desire to involve all parents in PTCO endeavors. We want your input, so please feel free to contact me or attend any of our monthly Board Meetings held the third Monday of every month at 4 pm in Room G42 by the library. I will try to keep you updated through this newsletter as well. Along those lines, we are desperate for volunteers for Saturday and Sunday, May 2nd and 3rd for PTCO Day. We just need you (or your students) to work a 2 hour shift. Please contact me if you can help to make this a successful event! Here's my contact information:

moodyin@sbcglobal.net

cmoody@tmail.com

voice: 317.579.0223

VP: 317.288.3527

SURVEY INFORMATION

Dear Parents and Guardians,

The PTCO, in conjunction with ISD, wishes to survey parents to get your opinions about how well our school is doing its job to educate your child. PTCO is using a national PTA survey with minor adaptations to include our Student Life program, as well.

Just click on this link and send in your responses: http://www.surveymonkey.com/s.aspx?sm=OoGWpTNQRCpJJktR8ov7cw_3d_3d

Because we are partners in education, we **truly** value your perspectives. Your responses will be anonymous. The responses will be collected by ISD's Tech Center and shared with the PTCO Board and the ISD administration.

Thank you so much for participating in this important survey.

Dr. Mary Glenn Rinne, Principal

MARK YOUR CALENDARS: SUNDAY, MAY 3rd, PTCO DAY!! BRING YOUR FAMILY AND HAVE SOME FUN!!

PTCO Day
 Sponsored by Parent Teacher Counselor Organization
 of Indiana Schools for the Deaf
 Bringing families, staff
 and community together
 through fun

- ▶ Entertainment
- ▶ Children's Activities
- ▶ Games for Everyone
- ▶ Yummy Foods
- ▶ Booths
- ▶ Socializing
- ▶ & Much More

Come and Have a Blast!
 Activities and Games at Additional Charge

Any questions, contact PTCO Day Chairperson
 Christine Moody, 630-1000-1000
 1000 E. 42nd Street, Indianapolis, IN 46205

www.isdptco.org



BASEBALL SCORES
Liberty Christian (loss)
 L.C. 8 ISD 6
Wes Del (victory)
 ISD 12 Wes Del 5



SOFTBALL SCORES
Bethesda
 Bethesda 7 ISD 5

ISD High School Theater proudly presents “Hansel and Gretel”

May 6th 10:00 am – Indiana Mainstreamed/Deaf programs (closed to public)
 May 7th 10:00 am – ISD Preschool/Elementary Departments (closed to public)
 May 8th 10:00 am – MS/HS Departments (closed to public)
 May 8th 7:00 pm – Open to public
 May 9th 2:00 pm – Open to public

Tickets for May 8th and 9th
 Children \$5.00
 Adults \$7.00



See/contact Meli Ward (HS secretary) for tickets. Email:
Mward@isd.k12.in.us
 Tickets will be also sold at the door.

Pet Smart Volunteer

Freshman, Eric Luttrell, recently started volunteering at the Petsmart in Plainfield, IN. He is under the supervision of PE teacher, Nancy Caraboa. Nancy is actively involved in pet rescues and doing volunteer work at animal shelters. Sophomore, Joshua Glessenger, also worked with Nancy last summer at an animal shelter. All 3 of them are doing a great job!!!



Summer Deaf Camps

www.indeafcamps.org
 Indiana Children’s Deaf Camp
 July 5-10, 2009
 1 Hour from South Bend or Fort Wayne Applications on line

www.teammdo.org
 The Deaf Youth Sports Festival
 July 26-August 1, 2009
 Louisville, Ky
 Email: TeamMDO@aol.com Applications on line

Contact Diane Hazel Jones, Outreach Services for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Children for more details or application forms
 317-924-8418 or dhjones@isd.k12.in.us

The Subject is Success: ISD ALUMNI NEWS

We recently received information about Ellen O’Hara, Class of 2003. She is graduating from Utah State University with 2 degrees: Bachelor of Science (B.S.) and a Masters of Science (M.S.) in Deaf Education. Her graduation is slated for May 1, 2009. We congratulate all of those who taught Ellen and helped her on her road to success!! CONGRATULATIONS ELLEN!!

High School—Spring 2009 Third Quarter Honor Roll

Above 3.5 GPA

Janna DiBiase
William Fetzter
Traci Hoglind
Dana Howle
Margaret Katter
Gabriel Paulone
Benjamin Polstra
Mark Punzal
Ann Whited

3.49—3.0 GPA

Casey Analco
Colin Analco
Jarin Boyd
Tyler Crace
Kate Fetzter
Gabriel Guerrero
Jessica Holsinger
James Keeling
Brenda Marcos-Jiminez

Jose Mast
Veronica Mills
Michael Moody
Andrew Morrill
Amanda Phillips
Ty Thompson
Sheri Wolfe
Andreana West

PERFECT ATTENDANCE

FRESHMEN

Jori Gibson
Zachary Roark
Dinesh Sivan

SOPHOMORES

Jorge Aleman
Drew Shaffer
Erica Taylor
Kayree Thoma

STUDENTS WITH NO SRC

FRESHMEN

Kyle Bingham
Dinesh Sivan
Kate Fetzter
Corey Garner
Jori Gibson
Joanna Jones
Meg Katter
James Keeling
Andrew Morrill
Courtney Morrison
Hillary Peters
Kayla Radke
Trevor Rouse
Emmaline Short
Jenna Smith
Nicole Tingler

SOPHOMORES

Brandon Alberti
Jorge Alemon
Garrett Crohn
Mitchell Davis
India Exford
Tiara Finch
Joshua Glossenger
Jayla Heckman
Suretha Johnson
Keith Jones
Benjamin Polstra
Erica Taylor
Kayree Thomas
Ty Thompson
Laura Tingle
Stephaine Zachary

JUNIORS

Daniel Davis
Ryan Dibble
Michael Garman
Olivia Hite
Brenda Marco-Jiminez

SENIORS

Nathaniel Davis
Yuliana Rangel

JUNIORS

Amber Cox
Tyler Crace
Daniel Davis
Michael Garman
Olivia Hites
Brenda Marcos-Jiminez
Anna Miller
Amber Miniard
Mark Punzal

SENIORS

Casey Analco
Colin Analco
Jarin Boyd
Nathaniel Davis
Janna DiBiase
William Fetzter
Josh Griffin
Gabriel Guerrero
Dana Howle
Gabriela Lozano
Jose Mast
Veronica Mills
Richard Noble
Shannon O'Connell
Gabriel Paulone
Amanda Phillips
Crystal Pratt
Yuliana Rangel
Andreana West
Ann Whited
Sheri Wolfe

