



# ICRS Parent Newsletter

Immaculate Conception Regional School provides an education rooted in Catholic beliefs and values for the students in Skagit and surrounding counties. ICRS emphasizes the spiritual, moral, intellectual, and physical development of its students, while fostering community among students, parents and staff.

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## Welcome back to Mrs. Van Selus on Jan 14

### PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

**CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK** is just around the corner, Jan 27-Feb 1. This is our opportunity to show our appreciation to all of our school supporters and to showcase our accomplishments. See the back side of the newsletter for events .

**CHRISTMAS PROGRAM.** A few grades are performing their Christmas acts on Thursday, today, at 2:30—the Kindergarteners, and 6th-8th graders. To give the others an opportunity to perform for parents, Mr. Fejeran plans to include his music classes in the Spring Concert, May 23. Mark your calendars.

### FROM THE OFFICE, STAFF AND COMMUNITY



**DISCO FEVER AUCTION** tickets on sale now at <http://icrsweb.maestroweb.com/>.

**7/8 grade love and chastity parent meeting Feb. 5th at 6pm.** Father Moore and Dr. Michelle Antonich will talk with parents about how to talk with 7/8 grade children about sex education. Permission forms will be provided so parents can choose how they want their child to participate.



**ICRS STUDENTS** cheered on Mr. Ricky at the Jan 2 SVC Men's basketball game.

**THE 7TH/8TH GIRLS BASKETBALL** team needs an assistant coach to help Mrs. Laura Fisher, Jan 28 to Mar 7. Please email [athletics@icrsweb.com](mailto:athletics@icrsweb.com) if you can help.

**IC CHURCH NEWS:** Street Light Needed at Crosswalk Across From Church Entrance: We have had many complaints from drivers about not being able to see pedestrians using the crosswalk during the evening because of darkness and cars parked along 15th street. Both our parishioners and our school children use this crosswalk. The City of Mount Vernon may install a street light at the crosswalk if enough people call the Public Works Dept (360-336-6204) and ask the city for a street light at that location. The Traffic Safety Committee meets every other month. Their next meeting is in early Feb, and people need to call Public Works in January.

**THANK YOU** children who altar served this Christmas season. It is always a joy to see ICRS students serving at Mass.

**PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN** class will be hosted at ICRS on Jan 23, 5-8PM. If you would like to volunteer at school, and haven't taken this class yet, sign up for this one on [virtuonline.org](http://virtuonline.org).



#### Happy New Year

- Jan 10** 8:45 3rd to Pacific Science Center
- 3:10 Newspaper Club
- Jan 11** 8:00 Liturgical Choir in SJC Foyer
- 10:30 School Mass (8th grade)
- 12:01 Scrip orders ready for pick up
- Jan 14** 3:10 Newspaper Club
- Jan 15** 8:30 Scrip orders due
- 3:10 STEM Club
- Jan 16** 8:30 Power Hour
- 9:30 Late Start
- 3:15 Staff Meeting
- 4:45 Finance Meeting;
- 5:30 5th, and 6:40 6th BBB @ IC
- 6:15 Commission Meeting
- Jan 17** 3:10 Newspaper Club
- Jan 18** 8:00 Liturgical Choir in SJC Foyer
- 12:01 Scrip Orders ready to pick up
- 12:00 EARLY DISMISSAL**
- Teachers in-Service
- 12:30-2:30 Skate Party
- Jan 21 NO SCHOOL—Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr's Holiday**
- Jan 22** 8:30 Scrip orders due
- 8:30-4 Optional Field Trip for 7th/8th March for Life @ Olympia
- 3:10 STEM Club
- Jan 23** 8:30 Power Hour
- 8:30-3:30 ICRS Hosts Teacher Leaders
- 9:30 Late Start
- 3:15 Staff Meeting
- 5-8PM "Protecting God's Children" class in 8th grade**

# CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK and NATIONAL SCHOOL CHOICE WEEK

January 27-February 1, 2018



CSW is our opportunity to say thank you to all of our school supporters.

- On **Sunday**, Jan 27, we show appreciation to our pastors and parishes. The choir will sing at 9AM Mass at ICC. Students who wear their uniform to church get free dress on Monday.
- On **Monday**, we appreciate parents. Parents, enjoy lunch with your child at school. Purchase and pre-order your pizza lunch (going home next week) or bring your own.
- On **Tuesday**, student council will personally thank civil servants.
- On **Wednesday**, we show our appreciation to faculty and staff with a luncheon.
- On **Thursday**, we appreciate grandparents and seniors in the community starting with Mass at 10:30, followed by lunch in SJC, and 1:00 tours. Invite your grandparents or senior neighbors. Kindergarten is hosting an open house from 1-3PM. Tell a friend.
- On **Friday**, students get free dress because it's student appreciation day. Student council will lead us in fun.

To make these community events work, we need volunteers. Please check one of the following, and return your response to the office:

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Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_ email: \_\_\_\_\_

- I or my child can speak at a mass on Jan 26 or 27 (school to provide script). Preferred church \_\_\_\_\_ and Mass time: \_\_\_\_\_
- I can provide a door prize for the grandparents luncheon
- I can help with the staff appreciation lunch on Wed, 1/30.

**To help with the Grandparent Luncheon on Thurs, 1/31, see the hot pink insert.**