

Welcome to ICRS and to the ICRS Booster Group!

The ICRS Booster Group provides opportunities for students and families to gather in an effort to strengthen the ICRS community and to promote school spirit and camaraderie.

Good news – If you're a parent of an ICRS student, you're already a member of the Booster Group!

We encourage all families to support the following Booster Group Events:

- **Parent Meeting and Family Movie Night**  
Friday, October 5
- **Halloween Family Fun Night**  
Friday, October 26
- **Catholic Schools Week** (annual celebration of Catholic education in the United States)  
January 27 - February 2
- **Talent Show**  
Wednesday, June 5
- **Field Day**  
Friday, June 7

We need YOU to make these events successful! We are currently looking for parents interested in organizing events during Catholic Schools Week, the talent show and field day. Contact Jenny Bergsma or Caitlin Svendsen if organizing one of these events interests you. In addition, we will need volunteer help at each event.

### **Join Us! Parent Meeting and Family Movie Night Friday, October 5 | 6 p.m. at St. Joe's**

There will be a 30 minute parent meeting and a "volunteer fair" where you can sign up to help at upcoming school events.

We will have pizza available at the event, but you MUST pre-order in advance (by Tuesday, October 2). Order forms will come home in the brown envelope. Send the completed order form back to the office with cash or check.

You can get started on your volunteer hours by signing up to set up/clean up and serve pizza. Add your name to sign up sheet or contact Jenny Bergsma or Caitlin Svendsen.

### **How do parents stay connected to the ICRS Booster Group?**

- 1) Join the **ICRS Parents Information** private group on Facebook. You will hear about events, see requests for volunteers as well as receive general updates about what is happening at the school. This is also a great forum to ask questions of other ICRS parents.  
**To join**, go to Facebook and search for ICRS Parents Information. Click + **Join Group** below the cover photo. Because the group is limited to ICRS families, an administrator will need to approve your request before you begin seeing updates.
- 2) Information about all events will also come home in the brown envelope.
- 3) You can contact Booster Group leaders directly:

Jenny Bergsma: [jennyzeigen@hotmail.com](mailto:jennyzeigen@hotmail.com)

Caitlin Svendsen: [caitlin\\_bond@hotmail.com](mailto:caitlin_bond@hotmail.com)