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Dear Parents and Guardians:

**Thank you all for celebrating Catholic Schools Week with us. We had a wonderful week with lots of activities and events.**

**A BIG THANK YOU FOR PICKING UP YOUR CHILDREN ON THE EARLY DISMISSAL DAY. EVERYONE SHOWED UP ON TIME AND ALL FACULTY AND STAFF WERE ABLE TO GET HOME SAFELY AS WELL.. ICS HAS THE BEST PARENTS!!!**

#### **REREGISTRATION AND TUITION**

**Reregistration for current families is closing on Wednesday, Feb. 14. If you would like to have your child return to ICS you must submit a form and a \$75 family non-refundable fee. We have several new students trying to come to our school and we do not want to create extra classrooms if they are not needed. IF YOU HAVE NOT RETURNED YOUR FORM, PLEASE DO SO NOW. We will open registration to new families after vacation.**

**If you have a new child attending the next school year, you must submit an individual registration form along with a birth certificate, baptismal certificate and immunization forms to hold a seat. All new PK3 students must be potty-trained.**

**Tuition for this year ends April 1<sup>st</sup> for grades K-8. GRADE 8 STUDENTS CANNOT PARTICIPATE IN THE CLASS TRIP UNLESS TUITION IS PAID IN FULL. Please take care of this matter.**

In June 2018 a \$200 seat deposit (K-8) or PK (\$350) must be submitted to hold the seat for your child. If we do not have this deposit by the last day of school, your child may forfeit their seat to someone on the waiting list. We are sorry to have to do this, but waiting for someone to be accepted into the charter school lottery cannot be a reason to hold a seat while others are waiting to be accepted into our program. Also, teachers are hired based on the number of students signed up and this can be a financial strain as well if we prepare to have your child attend and then they don't come. Please make your final decision by June 1<sup>st</sup>.

**FINANCIAL AID FOR K-8 STUDENTS THROUGH THE FACTS PROGRAM IS NOW OPEN FOR APPLICATIONS FOR THE 2018-**

**2019 SCHOOL YEAR. PLEASE GO TO THE [ICSLOWELL.COM](http://ICSLOWELL.COM) WEBSITE TO BE DIRECTED TO THE APPLICATION PROCESS.**

All applications must be completed on line and then you have to send a copy of your taxes under separate cover to the Facts Program. 80% of all financial aid will be distributed in June and 20% in September. Applications will be accepted through March. Taxes for 2017 must be completed and mailed or faxed to company in order to be verified for a scholarship. MAKE SURE YOU SIGN UP FOR THE 2018-2019 school year.

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

\*\*\*On Wednesdays during Lent we will have a short prayer service in the caf and students in gr. K-8 will pray the Stations of the Cross at the Church on various days.

Tuesday, Feb. 13	HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY CELEBRATION-Dress Down Day in Jeans/or Sweatpants with Valentine Color. Some classes are having parties.
Wednesday, Feb. 14	ASH WEDNESDAY—Mass at 9 a.m. All are invited. Some classes may have a valentine party this day. Wear Uniforms
Thursday, Feb. 15	Banking Day
February 19-23	WINTER VACATION--NO SCHOOL
Wednesday, Feb. 28	Lenten Prayer Service—gr. 1-1
Thursday, March 1	Banking Day
Monday, March 5	Classroom group pictures (wear uniforms)
Wednesday, March 7	Lenten Prayer Service—gr. 1-2 11:30 dismissal—NO PM BUS Kids Club Open..Bring a lunch if attending Dress Down Day in Jean/Sweatpants –Pay \$1
Thursday, March 8	ICSPA Meeting 6 p.m.
Friday, March 9	Grades Close
Wednesday, March 14	Lenten Prayer Service-Gr. 2-2
Thursday, March 15	BANKING Gr. 3 Field Trip to Orthodontist 10-11:15
Friday, March 16	St. Patrick's Day celebration--Dress Down in Green REPORT CARDS ISSUED
Monday, March 19	Spring Concert for grades 1-6 6 p.m. in cafeteria
Wednesday, March 21	Lenten Prayer Service—Gr. 3
Friday, March 23	KNIGHT FOR A PRINCESS AT LENZI'S
Thursday, March 29	HOLY THURSDAY BANKING LIVING STATIONS 10:30 AT CHURCH—GR. 2-1 Half Day Dismissal---11:30 Kids Club Available—please bring a lunch if attending.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me. Have a nice day!

Catherine Fiorino, Principal