Updates/ Announcements

Wednesday is a 12:15 early release day. If you have ANY IRSC classes after 12:15, you are still expected to attend. Buses will leave after 12:15 classes end.

Debate, Interact Club, and UNICEF Club are all selling coupon books for \$25. You can purchase from students in any of these or let Ms. Judd know which group you want your money to go to and get your money to the front office.

The **study abroad meeting** for anyone who has *not* attended an information session previously will be held in room 134 THIS Tuesday at 4:30 pm. Learn more about the costs, itinerary, credit earned, and more! Please RSVP to <u>ljudd@irsc.edu</u> if you have not already so we have enough pizza.

We are still looking for students, friends, and families to join our Clark team in the local **Out of the Darkness suicide prevention walk** being held on 9/15. Donations toward our team members are also appreciated! Each walker earns a free shirt once they raise \$150 Please consider supporting this cause that has very personal meaning to many of us in the Clark family.

https://afsp.donordrive.com/index.cfm?fuseaction=donorDrive.team&teamID=180740

School Picture Day is 9/11. Order forms are available in each Clark classroom or the front desk.

Looking for opportunities to support community happenings and global needs while also connecting with Rotary International and the Boys and Girls Club organization? Come join the Interact AND Keystone Clubs at Clark—our first meeting is on Monday, August 27 in The Dome Room D-110 from 12:30 to 12:50. Hope to see you there so you can learn about the helping hands you can provide others! If you have any questions prior to the meeting, please see Dr. Bonds or Mrs. Kohuth.

Interact and Keystone members will be at car line next Tuesday and Wednesday to collect "Change for Change." This round will be donated to the Out of the Darkness suicide prevention walk.

Computer Club begins this Tuesday in room 128 after school.

Last call for feedback via **orientation survey**! https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/96NDGHN We'd love to hear from many more of you! Also, the PowerPoint is available under the parent and student sign in link.

Mrs. Bartow is still looking for some **items for her classroom**: 1) Science magazines: https://www.educationfoundationmc.org/education-funding/opportunity-detail/pid/284/id/170

2) Scrabble tiles: https://www.educationfoundationmc.org/education-funding/opportunity-detail/pid/284/id/171

Clark students are invited to the **Chastain Campus Welcome to the River event Thursday, August 30** from 11-1. See attached for details.

Celebration and Appreciation

The Roberts and The Cirranello/Wetterer Family for getting Mrs. Bartow to only \$100 away from the Bone Museum trip! https://www.educationfoundationmc.org/education-funding/project-detail/pid/285/id/1598

The Morantes Family, The Osborn family, The Simmons family for adopting classes!

The Celentano family for breakfast and the Enos family for miscellaneous supplies

Thank you to the **24 families who attended the Volunteer meet and greet** this morning! If you missed, a summary email will go out on Monday!

PARENTS AND STUDENTS! We need YOU to let us know about the student accomplishments so we can celebrate them! Email your sports news, academic awards outside of Clark, unique accomplishments and more to ljudd@irsc.edu

Articles of Interest for Parents

Stress in Teens: One Simple Intervention Can Reduce Stress: https://yourteenmag.com/health/teenager-mental-health/stress-in-adolescence

Teens who vape or use hookah are more likely to use marijuana later, study finds: https://www.cnn.com/2018/08/06/health/vape-hookah-marijuana-teens-study/index.html

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"Work to Your Potential, Not Your Quota" -Grant Cardone