

KEY WORDS
 April – Hope (cont'd)
 May – Overcoming Challenges
 June – Life is a Journey, Not a Destination - The Journey Continues

ICPS Newsletter *Tuesday, April 10, 2018*

ICPS VALUES –RESPECT, FAITH, HOPE, LOVE, UNITY

We are already in Summer Term! Can you believe it?! The days are flying fast and we look forward to what this very compact term will

SAVE THE DATE!



SPORTS DAY

Saturday, April 21st

A day of good fun and

SPORTSMANSHIP!



FAMILY EVENING

May 17th



HSA ANNUAL GENERAL

MEETING

May 29th

Our HSA is as busy as a bee and we appreciate all that they continue to do. Thank you!



bring.



Welcome Back and Happy Easter

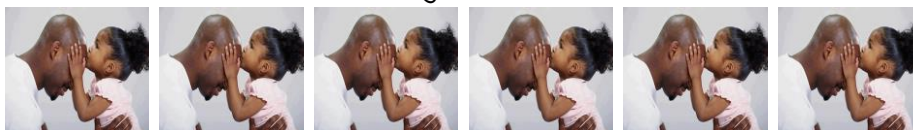
to all!

We have not had our Newsletter since 2016 and no, we won't make up for the time in this Newsletter 😊.

We however have some recurring issues that we need to deal with as a school family. Please note the reminders below.

- ≈ School begins at 8:00 am and we start our day with prayers. Therefore there should be no parents in the classroom at that time.
- ≈ And please, if Class Prayers have already begun, wait by the door if there is an urgent need to see the teacher.

Please kiss your little ones bye and allow them to settle. Our Kindergarten girls are also encouraged to be independent. So in this final term, please, allow them to come in and get settled on their own. Should you need to see the teacher for a prolonged period, please make an appointment. There is much to be covered and the earlier we settle the more we'll get done.



- ≈ Please also collect your children on time after activities, especially Kinder dancers.
- ≈ We do not wish to resort to a sign at the entrance about dress code. Please ensure that you are properly attired when dropping off or collecting your daughter (s). Ref. p.22 ICPS Handbook.
- ≈ **Drive Through** –This initiative has worked wonderfully since it's inception spearheaded by the HSA a few years ago, especially with easing the traffic flow. Please...

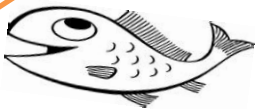
- Ensure that your girls to be ready to leave the car quickly
 - Do not park in the drive through
 - Cooperate with the volunteers
 - Watch out for other children
 - Practise courtesy...Our children are watching and learning!
- And...



Volunteer! Volunteer! Volunteer!



Coming soon...
HSA FISH FRY
June 8th



Riddle #4
BREAK THE CODE!

Why shouldn't you tell an Easter egg a joke?

6 + 7 =	R	14 - 8 =	K
16 - 9 =	U	17 - 9 =	A
9 + 6 =	C	20 - 11 =	T
13 - 9 =	H	13 + 13 =	P
8 + 8 =	M	7 + 4 =	I
19 - 8 =	L	12 - 3 =	T
7 + 8 =	C	20 + 10 =	G

11 9 16 11 30 4 9
15 13 8 15 6 7 26

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Colour me please

≈ **Punctuality** – Pink slips are issued once the 8:00 bell goes. We have too many students accumulating over 20 slips in one term. This means your daughter has lost much of what is done in the morning sessions. These are also documented on transcripts. We are building skills required for life not just our little world at ICPS.



‘PREPAREDNESS AND PUNCTUALITY ARE THE TWO MOST IMPORTANT QUALITIES OF A GREAT LEADER’

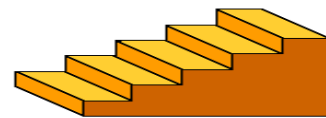
John Andreas Widtstoe

- ≈ **Staff Room** – We presently do not have a Visitor’s bathroom. If you need to be in our Staff Lounge, please, acknowledge members who may be sitting there.
- ≈ **National Anthem** – Please encourage your children to stand quietly, and at attention during the singing of the National Anthem by your own example – wherever you are while it is being played.

Most of these reminders have been repeated time and time again in various forms. In choosing our school, you chose to follow the values and guidelines set out by the school to help us achieve our School’s Mission. In recent years we unfortunately have had to be issuing detentions and suspensions. These are documented and form part of your daughters’ transcript/cumulative record. We love having you here, so please, help us to maintain not just the academic but all the standards that make Immaculate Conception Preparatory School who we are. Thank you!

Riddles ‘n Giggles

In a one-storey pink house there was a pink person, a pink cat, a pink fish, a pink computer, a pink chair, a pink table, a pink telephone, a pink shower – everything was pink. What colour were the stairs?



There weren't any stairs, it was a one storey house LOL! LOL!

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Our Keywords this school year have focused on **Journeying**. As we entered the school in September we were invited **Aboard**...we have travelled in **Trust** and practised **Thoughtfulness**. We acknowledged God’s **Awesomeness** and our **Relationships** grew. We live in **Hope** that God will help us **Overcome Challenges** and as we move should all recognize that **Life Is A Journey – Not A Destination**....The Journey continues....

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