



# Newton's News

February 8, 2019

*"Therefore, since we are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, let us be thankful, and so worship God acceptably with reverence and awe, for our 'God is a consuming fire'." Hebrews 12:28-29*

## EVENTS at a GLANCE

Monday, February 11

🎁 Mr. Walker's Birthday  
Hot Lunch: Pizza, Salad, Applesauce  
Basketball @ Central Lutheran 4:30, 5:30

Tuesday, February 12

Hot Lunch: Chicken Quesadilla w/Salsa & Sour Cream, Mixed Veggies, Apples  
HS Bowling State Qualifier 9:00

Wednesday, February 13

Hot Lunch: Scrambled Eggs, Sausage Links, Bagel, Tater Tots, Grapes

Thursday, February 14

♥ Valentine's Day  
Hot Lunch: Hamburger or Cheeseburger, Fries, Salad, Fruit, Brownie  
5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> Grade Ski Trip 🏔️  
High School College Tour

Friday, February 15

Early Dismissal 11:45, 12:00 – Professional Development – No Hot Lunch  
8<sup>th</sup> Grade Babysitting Night 5:00-9:00  
High School College Tour

## Upcoming Events

February 14-19

High School College Tour

February 18

President's Day – Snow Make Up Day

February 19

ACSI Day of Prayer

February 25

Pre-K/Kindergarten Open House 5:00

March 5-8

ACSI Accreditation Visit

March 9

Futsal Soccer Tournament 8:00-5:00

March 13

Spring Portraits

May 2

SAVE THE DATE – Isaac Newton Banquet

## ♥ Valentine Gram ♥

Tell a fellow student, a teacher or staff member, or your own child "I appreciate you because..." with an Isaac Newton Christian Academy Valentine Gram on Valentine's Day. Recipients of a Valentine Gram will receive a carnation and your special message. The Valentine Gram is \$1 and the proceeds go to the High School Student Council. Valentine Gram order forms will go home with students Friday, February 8<sup>th</sup> and are also available in the school office. The deadline to return the forms is Tuesday, February 12.

## 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Babysitting Night

The 8<sup>th</sup> grade class is sponsoring a Babysitting Night on Friday, February 15, from 5:00 to 9:00 p.m. here at school. Families are welcome to drop off children 11 years old and younger. The cost is \$5/hour for the first child and \$2.50/hour for each additional child. Included in the evening's activities are playtime, mealtime, and snack time. Please sign up in the office or email Mrs. Potter at [lpotter@incaonline.org](mailto:lpotter@incaonline.org). When you sign up, please let us know: The proceeds from this event help to pay for the 8<sup>th</sup> grade class trip. Thank you for your support!

## Snow Make-Up Day

Monday, February 18, 2019 (President's Day) was previously scheduled as a holiday in which school was not going to be in session. Because of the number of cancelled school days in recent weeks due to weather, we WILL be having school on that Monday. This is necessary so the school can meet the required number of instructional hours/days by the Iowa Department of Education. School will still be dismissed early on Friday, February 15, 2019. School is dismissing early that day so teachers can participate in professional development.

## Box Tops Submission Deadline Approaching – February 22

Our next Box Tops deadline is fast approaching! We recently received a check for \$686.70 for our fall submission – we had great participation across the school this fall. Please continue to save your Box Tops! We will be mailing in another submission soon, so please plan to turn in any Box Tops you currently have at home by **Friday, February 22**. You can bring them into the office or send them in with your child. Thank you!

## Online Re-enrollment

- Current families receive first priority in enrollment through February 18. After February 18, enrollment will be open to anyone on the waiting list.

There is a **discount on the enrollment fee** \$235/K-12 (\$90 for Pre-K) offered for families through March 1, 2019. After March 1 the enrollment fee is \$285/K-12 (\$110 for Pre-K). So take time to get your re-enrollment done today. Make sure you go to ParentsWeb>Apply/Enroll>Enrollment/Reenrollment to reenroll your child (the “Apply Now” button on the Isaac Newton website is for **new students** only).

## STO Scholarship and Non-STO Financial Aid

The **STO Scholarship Applications** are available in the office. Below is a summary of the STO scholarship application process. If your combined family income is within the guidelines, you may apply for a scholarship. Tracy King coordinates the STO. Contact her at 362-9512, or at [tking@incaonline.org](mailto:tking@incaonline.org).

The **deadline for completing the process is June 1, 2019**.

1. Your student must be enrolled, and the enrollment fee paid for the 2019-2020 school year. Pre-K does not qualify.
2. Download (or request from the office) the **STO scholarship application** at [www.incaonline.org](http://www.incaonline.org), under **Admissions>Tuition Aid>STO Scholarship**.
3. Make a copy of your 2018 **1040 Form, pages 1 and 2** only. The form **MUST BE SIGNED** and returned with your STO application or your application cannot be processed.
4. Mail or bring your STO application and a **SIGNED COPY** of your 1040 Form, pages 1 and 2, to Tracy King in the office at Isaac Newton.

| <u>Persons in Family Unit</u> | <u>Household Income</u> |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 2                             | \$67,640                |
| 3                             | \$85,320                |
| 4                             | \$103,000               |
| 5                             | \$120,680               |
| 6                             | \$138,360               |
| 7                             | \$156,040               |
| 8                             | \$173,720               |
| Each Additional Person        | +17,680                 |

**Non-STO Financial Aid:** Available for families that do not qualify for an STO scholarship but may need financial assistance to help with rising tuition. (If you qualify for an STO Scholarship you are not eligible for additional financial aid.) We are using a company called FACTS, which provides an aid assessment service. You must be enrolled for next year in order to apply for a scholarship. There is a link to FACTS under **Admissions>Tuition Aid>FACTS Grant & Aid Financial Aid**.