BOOSTER BUZZ

March 1, 2020

COMING UP THIS WEEK:

Girls Basketball – State Tournament, Game #1: Tacoma Dome Wednesday, 12:15pm vs. Kentridge High School

EAGLE TEAM HIGHLIGHTS:

Girls Basketball – Saturday at Sammamish HS, our Girls Basketball team competed against Kentwood HS in Regionals, both hoping to make the next stage in competition at the State Level. The crowd was intense and the game was exciting! Our Issaquah Eagles defeated Kentwood 67-50. They move on to compete at the Tacoma Dome this Wednesday at 12:15 against Kentridge HS. We would love to have a huge fan base so please consider coming out to cheer on our girls! This is a "loser out" game, with the winner moving onto compete against Central Valley on Thursday at 12:15.

Boys Swim & Dive – Issy Boys Swim & Dive wrapped up their successful season with a dessert awards ceremony on Tuesday. ***Over 40 scholar athlete pins were awarded*** as well as the traditional "paper plate" awards. Other awards given include: Most Improved Diver - **Gerdo Wagner-Swanepoel**, Most Valuable Diver - **Robert Gref** (new 11 dive record), Most Improved Swimmer - **Kyle Yamabe**, Most Valuable Swimmer - **Weston Crewe** & **Christopher Harig** (new 100 breaststroke record), Most Inspirational - **Ryan Cho**, Coaches Award - **Karl Yount.** *Class Awards: Freshman - **Chase Gamble** & **Dmitri Zhulin**; Sophomore - **Eric Bachman** & **TuanZhang**; Junior - **Jonah Foss** & **Prak Krishnan**; Senior - **Jack Githens** & **John Herd.** Thank you to the parent volunteers who helped with this event, home meets, and many more. Special 'shout out' to our senior Captains for all their hard work - **Adam Bussey, Jack Githens**, **Adam Hansen**, **Taylor Hunter, Christopher Leu**, **Joshua Sun** & **Trevor Thompson**. Huge thanks to **Coaches Laura Halter**, **Kate Halter** & **Val Berglund** who have earned well-deserved time off - see you in August! Way to go **EAGLES!**

Robotics – Team 1318 competed this weekend at Glacier Peak HS in Bothell. For more information about the competition and how our Eagles did, check out their FaceBook page. Way to go, Team 1318!

BOOSTER NEWS

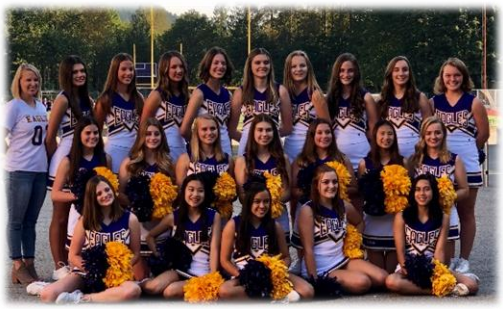
Tennis Tryouts – Monday after school on the tennis courts! Returning Varsity please come at 3:30, all new potential players please come at 4:00pm. Hope to see you there!

Baseball - Tryouts are here! If your son is trying out for the Baseball program, contact Program Parent, Lida Buckner, lidaj@mac.com for more information about tryouts. https://twitter.com/IssyHSBaseball Follow us on Twitter for program updates and highlights. **Grades 10-12 at Issaquah High:** Immediately after school the Sophomore-Seniors trying out should quickly change in the locker room and meet at the baseball field. Team rosters will be

announced on Thursday. Practices start Friday. **Grade 9 at Central Park:** Freshman tryouts are Mon-Thursday, 7pm-9pm at Central Park (CP). Team rosters will be announced on Thursday. Practices start Friday.

Dance Team Tryouts – Join our awesome dance team! April 6th, packets are available for pick-up and will be due May 1st. There is an information meeting April 29th. Actual tryouts will take place the week of May 4-8. For more information, visit the team website: issaquahdanceteam.com

Cheer Tryouts - Tryouts are just around the corner! Parent/Cheerleader nights are March 4th & 9th. All potential cheerleaders are required to attend one session to get all the tryout information. Tryouts begin March 16th. Packets can be picked up from the athletic secretary. 8th graders can pick up packets from PCMS or IMS. Feel free to contact Coach Meserole with any questions: MeseroleL@issaquah.wednet.edu Go Eagles!



Dance Team Clinic – Calling all future Issaquah Dance team candidates in 4th – 8th grade! Come DANCE with the dance team and learn POM and Hip Hop Routines. Tell your friends and neighbors with young dancers. Takes place at Issaquah HS on March 14th from 9:30-12:30. Details can be found on their website: www.issaquahdanceteam.com

Boys Soccer: Issaquah High is looking for a C-Team Boys Soccer Coach. Interested candidates please contact IHS Athletic Director, Luke Ande.

"Legally Blonde" Presented by IHS Theater Department – Mark your calendars for March 11-13 @ 7pm and March 14 @ 2 & 7Pm! It's going to be a GREAT show! Tickets can be purchased at the door: $10 for ASB/Seniors, $12 General Admission. Come support our IHS Thespian Society as they have been working hard on this production.

Calling all Senior Parents ~ Don't miss any deadlines! Check out the 2020 Senior Timeline courtesy of your IHS PTSA. SENIOR ALL-NIGHT GRAD PARTY: Early bird rate of $170 expires on **February 28, 2020**; Rate goes up to $190. Guest List All required forms must be turned in by May 7th, 2020.

Grants - Does your club, activity or sport have funding needs? Let the Booster Club help! Grant request are considered every month until May. Click Here for guidelines and the application process. The Booster Club is happy to announce an awarded grant of $4,000 at our last meeting in February for new football helmets. We recently gave a grant to both Track and Gymnastics for new equipment!

Senior Scholarship available - Application Deadline April 24, 2020 The Booster Club is offering four(4) scholarships of $1000 or more to graduating seniors who submit essays on one lifelong lesson that they have learned and grown from, and how their participation in an Issaquah High School Booster Club club, sport or activity has helped them realize their potential as they move further in your next academic pursuit. Click Here for more information and application

2020-2021 Issaquah Booster Board needs you! The Booster Club offers a fun way for parents to make a big impact on our kids' extra-curricular experience. Booster Board positions are one-year term, July-June.. The Board meets the second Tuesday every month at 6:30pm for about an hour. Please email questions and interest to: ihsboosterclub@gmail.com 2020-2021 Board SLATE Job Descriptions

- **OPEN OFFICER Positions** President, Co-VP Fundraising, Assistant Treasurer
- **OPEN ADVISORY BOARD Positions** Assistant Logowear, Student Recognition Chair (Senior Scholarships and Tuta Bella Scholars Athletes), Concessions Chair

2019-2020 Calendar (Click on link)

March

9 Spring Sport Parent & Player Night, 6:30
10 6:30pm Booster Board Meeting – members invited AGENDA
20 IHS PTSA Meeting, 9:30am in Large Conference Room

VALUED SPONSORS:

StopAction Photography: 20% of profits from Issaquah activities go to the Issaquah High School Booster Club! StopAction on Facebook is perfect sharing! Click SmugMug (www.donborin.com) to purchase high resolution downloads, prints, or other items.

Crosby Wealth Advisors is one of our Booster Club Sponsors! ~ Offering Kids, Parents and Money workshops that focus on strategies every teen and parent should know about money and the basic principles to help kids make smart financial decisions. Contact Josiah Brensdal with questions; 425.869.7100 x1010

Want to see more pictures of our Issaquah HS students? Follow @issaquahboosters on FaceBook & Insta

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BOOSTER BUZZ Content

The Booster Buzz is a culmination of information from parent volunteers doing their best to give you updates about our amazing Eagles. Be gracious, as mistakes will happen. Thank your Booster Crew parent volunteers for supplying the updates above. Click Here to see the list of all Booster Crew representatives and the simple job description. The Booster Buzz is a weekly newsletter sent out to all Booster Members to keep you up to date the extra-curricular things going on in our Issaquah High community. Please reply to this email if you prefer not to get the Buzz.