



*Inspire to Learn.
Empower to Excel.*

The Knights Code

Integrity

Unity

Loyalty

Courage

Perseverance

Service

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Independence Update

OCTOBER 12, 2017

District Champs!!!

The Varsity Tennis team won the 13-5A Team Tennis District Championship. It is the first Team Championship for tennis and the first Team District Championship for any IHS Team! The Knights were undefeated in District with a 7-0 record.

IHS will play the Bi-District round of the playoffs against Little Elm on Monday, Oct 16 at Flower Mound High School at 4pm.

Go Knights!!





Knights in Action

IHS Band

Congratulations to the Independence High School Band for earning a First Division Rating at the Bands of America DFW Regional Championships.
Go Knights!!



IHS Cheer

The cheerleaders welcomed the students at Ashley Elementary to kick off their Pep Rally.
Go Knights!!





Knights in Action

Cross Country

Varsity boys placed 2nd and advance to Regionals. Niles Obar took 2nd and Steven Armedairz got 8th. They ran the best they have run all season as a team. The varsity girls put up a tough fight and finished 4th. Grace Plain took 8th to advance to regionals.

Go Knights!!



Upcoming Dates

Friday October 13th

Jostens Senior Presentation
Activity Period

9/JV/V Volleyball vs. LHS
@ 5:30/6:30 pm @ IHS
Pink out Middle School Night

Saturday, October 14th

Southlake Swim Meet

Don Hanna Memorial
Marching Contest

Daddy/Daughter Dance
Royals
6:00 pm @ IHS

Monday, October 16th

JV Girls Golf Tournament
Ridgeview Ranch Golf Course

Varsity Tennis Bi-District Playoffs
@ 4:00 pm

Tuesday, October 17th

Jostens Graduation Ordering
12:35 - 2:45 pm

JV/V Boys Golf Tournament

Varsity Tennis Bi-District Playoffs
@ 4:00 pm

9/JV/V Volleyball vs. WHS
@ WHS @ 5:30/6:30 pm

Wednesday, October 18th

Jostens Graduation Ordering
12:35 - 6:30 pm

Thursday, October 19th

9/JV Football vs. LHS
5:30/7:00 pm @ IHS

Fall Show Performance
@ 7:00 pm

Friday, October 20th

Varsity Tennis Area Playoffs
@ 4:00 pm

9/JV/V Volleyball vs. CHS
Senior Night
@ 5:30/6:30 pm @ IHS

Fall Show Performance
@ 7:00 pm

Varsity Football vs. LHS
@ 7:00 pm @ Memorial

Saturday, October 21st

UIL Region Marching Contest

Varsity Tennis Area Playoffs
@ 4:00 pm

Fall Show Performance
@ 7:00 pm



Helping Kids Deal With Bullying

Please see the link to get more information on bullying prevention.

<http://www.friscoisd.org/departments/guidance-and-counseling/parent-education-opportunities>

Seniors

ATTENTION SENIORS!!

Jostens will be at Independence High School in the cafeteria taking orders on October 17th from 12:35 pm to 2:45 pm and October 18th from 12:35 pm to 6:30 pm. Be sure to bring your order form and \$80.00 deposit! Graduation packets will be handed out on October 13th. If you have not ordered your class ring yet, it's not too late. Class rings can also be ordered on these dates. Extra graduation products and ring packets are available at the school office.

All Senior information and updates will be on the IHS website under resources/2018 seniors.

<http://schools.friscoisd.org/hs/independence/site/resources/2017-seniors>



NEW WAYS TO PERSONALIZE YOUR YEARBOOK



ONLY AVAILABLE AT JOSTENSYEARBOOK.COM

Jostens



2017 SPIRIT DAYS

Location/Opponent	Spirit Day
Northwest Eaton 9/14 @ 7 @ NISD	Feud with the Eagles Medieval Day (Dress Up for Pep Rally Friday)
North Garland 9/22 @ 7 @ North Garland	Rock the Raiders Rock Star Day
BYE Week	
Heritage 10/6 @ 7 @ Ford	Cage the Coyotes Wear Camo
Frisco 10/12 @ 7 @ Ford	Pink Out Get a Pink Out shirt!
Liberty 10/20 @ 7 @ Memorial	Light Up Liberty Neon Day
Wakeland 10/27 @ 7 @ Ford	Homecoming
Centennial 11/3 @ 7 @ Ford	Team Up Against the Titans Jersey Day
Lone Star 11/9 @ 7 @ Ford	Wrangle the Rangers Western Wear



Booster Club Information

Mums and Garters

Follow the link to order your Mums and Garters and help support the IHS Football Booster.

<https://www.themumshop.com/>

JCREW and IHS Soccer Booster Club

Please see attached link to see how you can help support your IHS Soccer Booster Club.

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B0VZhGyc1PdNMmM5c0pxX2t0NVU/view?usp=sharing>



Independence High School's
Knight Theatre Presents

Picnic

By: William Inge



October 19-21 at 7 p.m.

Student Tickets: \$5

Adult Tickets: \$10

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