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INtime NEWS

InTech
Collegiate
High School
Newsletter

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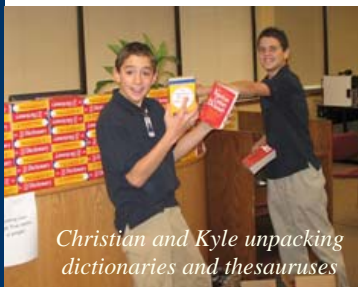
Upcoming Events

- ◆ Tuesday, December 5
Lunch Orders Due to Mrs. Frehner in the library
- ◆ Thursday, December 7, 8 AM
Board of Governors Meeting
- ◆ Friday, December 8, 2:40 PM
Parent Teacher Organization Meeting at InTech Commons Area
- ◆ Tuesday, Dec. 12, 7:30 PM
Parent Student Meeting InTech Commons Area
- ◆ December 20
Ski Day at Beaver Mountain
- ◆ December 21-January 1
Christmas Break-No School

Check out our updated
graduation requirements at
www.intechchs.org

Message from the Principal

Thank you so much for donations at this time of year. We appreciate Jens Trauntvein and Campbell Scientific for their excellent donation of printers, oscilloscopes and monitors. They will be used for instruction. Also, a heartfelt thanks to IBM for their donation of tables, chairs, file cabinets and computers to the lab. Thanks to



Christian and Kyle unpacking dictionaries and thesauruses

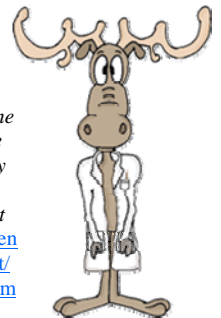
Patience Fisher for her efforts to get donors. All of the donors are great. We need to be especially thankful this time of year and help others.

We will be establishing, thanks to a parent, the concept of "Take Home Tuesday." If we send home material it will be on Tuesdays. So be on the lookout. There will also be a parent meeting sometime during the week of December 11. We will discuss graduation requirements, the new schedule, lunch caterers, and answer any questions you may have. It will be December 12 at 7:30 PM, in our school's student center. If the date changes, we will let you know.

I appreciate all of everyone's hard work. Just remember what Tolstoy said: "Everyone thinks of changing the world, but no one thinks of changing himself." It is tough sometimes to want to do it all but when a person shares the burden, real change occurs.

Thanks and Happy Holidays.

—Steve Zsiray



The moose in the lab coat is the work of Wendy Hogan.

She is found at www.kidsturncentral.com/clipart/mooseclipart.htm

Thank You for Donations!

If you have been to visit our school recently, you probably noticed some new additions. Thanks to some generous donations, our school is better equipped than ever!

We would particularly like to thank Campbell Scientific for their donation of computer monitors, oscilloscopes, 4 black and white printers, and a full-size color copy machine valued at \$13,000 when it was new. They even delivered the donations personally!

Also, we would like to thank IBM for making made yet another donation to our school. They donated three trailer loads of file cabinets, tables and chairs. They have also donated 6 computers and have committed to donating 12 more over the course of the school year.

We have also acquired enough dictionaries and thesauruses for each student to have their own copy. The Daniels Fund Grant provided us with the money, and Borders gave us a substantial discount.

InTech is extremely grateful to everyone who has contributed to making our school the best we can for students. If you would like to contribute to our school, we would appreciate any donations! If you have items laying around that you do not need, please give them to us. Things that we cannot use we will sell at our auction to raise money for our school.

We also appreciate those who have given the gift of time. We need people to volunteer to help with tutoring before and after school, monitoring the library,

and helping with our auction.

If you would like to give money, please make checks payable to InTech. You may also specify where you would like your money to go, for example, to the ski/snowboard club. Contact Patience Fisher at 512-1512 or look on our website for more details about fundraising.



Jens with our new color copier from Campbell Scientific

Bulletin Board

- ◆ InTech hoodies make great Christmas presents! Contact Mrs. JaDean Frehner in the library to order. (\$25 for regular hooded, \$30 for zip hoodies.)
- ◆ Parents, if any of you have artistic talents and are willing to share with students for a Friday presentation, please contact Mrs. JaDean Frehner at 453-7377 or by email at JFrehner@intechchs.org.
- ◆ If you would like to access your student's grades online, stop by our school and talk to Megan Izatt about setting up a username and password.
- ◆ Parents, if you have other children who will be ninth graders next year and would like to attend school at InTech, please let us know as soon as possible!

InTech Collegiate High School is an Equal Opportunity Employer and an Equal Opportunity Organization for students.

Mentoring

November 3rd was Architect Day. We had two architects present to our students. Carlos Setterberg from Architectural Nexus spoke with students about the process of becoming an architect and the steps that a project goes through before it can be built. Joyce Popen-dorf from The Design Collaborative discussed environmentally-friendly architecture and illustrated with examples.

On November 10th, Duane Williams from Astrotech, Inc. spoke with students about electrical engineering and explained what his company does. He also introduced students to various aspects of international business, including working with China.

We also had Officer Nate Mutter from the Logan City Police Department talk to our students about the technology that police use in law enforcement. His humorous presentation gave students insight to various aspects of police procedure.

We took a field trip up to USU on November 17th. Our freshmen visited the geology building and helped to organize their display cases.

Our sophomores went to the chemistry building. They did an experiment to change the color of pennies from copper, to silver, to gold!

We would like to thank all of our presenters.



Samir and Maria showing off their chemically treated pennies