

# Inverness Elementary School Newsletter

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## Principal's Message

Welcome to the 2015-2016 school year! Welcome back to school! I hope you had a restful and happy summer break. I look forward to a wonderful and productive school year. We are very excited to start the new school year at IES! It is an honor to serve as your children's principal alongside our staff. Please make it a personal goal, to become a little more involved and informed this year. It is all about our fantastic IES Kids; it takes all of us working together to make IES great.



## ATTENDANCE

If your child needs to be absent from school, we ask that you call the school office to report the absence. School attendance is crucial to your child's learning. We would ask that you try to schedule appointments and activities when school is not in session. A day missed here or there as well as extended days out can add up to learning experiences that are almost impossible to recreate and makeup.

## Upcoming Events

- ◆ 8/7 Parent Day/Registration
- ◆ 8/10 First Day of School
- ◆ 8/18 Open House 5-6:30



Mrs. Cassandra Lyons will be joining the IES family as the new 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> grade ELA teacher. Mr. Dylan Jones will also be joining as the 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade mathematics teacher.

**Wishing the students of IES a successful school year!!!**

## Open House

**You are invited August 18th from 5:00-7:00pm. Open House is an excellent way to meet with your child's teacher and to learn about the curriculum, grading, attendance, homework, discipline and much more.**

## SIGN-UP FOR *REMIND* (Remind 101)!

We use Remind101, a safe app that allows us to send text (or email) updates about important information. To sign up to get text messages about Inverness Hawks, **text @msransomth to 81010.** We'll use this to communicate about early dismissals, upcoming events, reminders alerts. Remind 101 is free and lets you receive safe text messages without sharing your number with others. Hope you'll join in!