

Dear Immaculate Conception Grade School Families,

The Parent's Club last formal communication to you was in December. Today, we share what Parent's Club has been doing to support the school and what is to come.

First, we once again want to thank our teachers, staff and administration. The school successfully transitioned back to in person learning after the holidays and the plans that were put in place continue to be effective. ***We recently learned that our whole school performance, on grades tested in the fall (2020) for ITBS and MAP, were reported in the top 15% in the state as defined for Reading/ELA and Math performance.*** We are so thankful for everything the school does every day to safely educate our children and ensure that they are developing spiritually, socially and academically.

Parents Club has been busy since Mid-December! We continue to put on events that enhance our feeling of community, conform to COVID restrictions and help raise money for the school. Some of our recent events include: Family Scavenger Hunt, Dress Down Day and Christmas Cupcake Buy In's, Catholic School's Week Lanterns and more! A heartfelt thank you to those who have supported these events.

One of our primary fundraisers, the Mega Raffle, is in full swing. The tickets are \$100 for a chance to win \$25,000! **Each ICGS family is expected to sell at least 5 tickets** and anyone can participate - family, friends, co-workers! Please ask your raffle captain for more information. The drawing will be held the night of the Dinner Dance.

Our other primary fundraiser, the annual Dinner Dance and Auction, this year, will be a virtual event held **Friday evening, April 23. PLEASE SAVE THE DATE and plan to attend!** We have a great night of entertainment planned featuring our grade school kids! Student musical performances, skits and inspirational creations are just some of what's in store - you will NOT want to miss it! It's important to note that because in person Buy-In parties are not practical this year, we will place more emphasis on silent auction items during the virtual event. More information is forthcoming but please plan your support accordingly! We have worked hard to find fun, creative, COVID friendly ideas for everyone! I can't wait to "see" you on April 23rd!

I pray that you will continue your generous support of our Parent's Club events. Participation not only helps us to keep our sense of community strong, but it also helps us work toward reaching our annual fundraising goal of \$200,000. This money is used to operate the school, provide enrichment activities for the students and supplement important programs like teacher's bonuses and tuition assistance.

Below, is a calendar of the fundraising events for the remainder of the year as well as our fundraising progress to date. We are currently at 68% of our target for the year ending in May. I'm confident we will continue to work together to meet our goal!

Thank you for your support of our wonderful grade school!

Sincerely,

Noel Talluto

President, ICGS Parent's Club

ICGS Parent's Club Fundraising Event Calendar 2020 - 2021

February	April
2/26 Rocket League Buy In Turney 2/27 DaLuciano Family Pizza Kit 2/27 Cuvee Cellar Cocktail Kits 2/27 80's/90's Trivia Night Buy In Food for Funds - TBD	4/23 Raffle Sales End & Drawing 4/23 Virtual event and Auction Food for Funds - TBD
March	May
Ongoing Raffle Sales 3/12 "Nailed It" Competition Buy In 3/18 NCAA Turney - 1900 Club Virtual Poker Tournament Food for Funds - TBD	Marcia May Fun Run Food for Funds - TBD

Check out our Fundraising Sites!

ICGS only activities:

<https://lucky2021.givesmart.com>

ICGS + public activities:

<https://icparties2021.givesmart.com>

2020-2021 ICGS Fundraising

Gap:
\$64,000

Goal:
\$200,000

Current:
\$136,000

If you would like to get involved or attend our monthly Parent's Club Zoom meetings, please email: Erica Landas, our Secretary at: erica.landas@gmail.com.