



Our Parent-Teacher Organization

Dear Ingraham Families,

Welcome to the 2017-18 school year! **'Friends of Ingraham' (FOI) is the parent-teacher organization** that supports all Ingraham High School's wonderful students. By coordinating with Ingraham administrators, teachers, counselors, and other parent groups, FOI helps keep families informed, connected, and engaged.

Here are some ways you can get involved in the Ingraham community:

- Come to our all-school "Welcome Back" BBQ on **Thursday, September 14th from 6:30 – 8:00 PM**
- Join us on Monday, **September 18th in the library at 7pm** for the FOI kick-off general meeting. We have lots of information to give and speakers will include Principal Martin Floe, student leaders, and other key people at Ingraham. We'll also talk about volunteer opportunities and how to give your student his/her best shot at success. **Immediately preceding the general meeting will be a meeting of 9th grade Parents/Guardians at 6 pm; all are welcome. Social time begins at 6:45 pm**
- [Give!](#) Funds raised by FOI enable our teachers to have the textbooks and equipment they need; our counselors to help at-risk students; our teams and clubs to be competitive, and much more.
- Show the love. Each month we demonstrate our appreciation for the Ingraham staff by providing an espresso cart and homemade treats donated by parents. Coordinator: Ann Stover stoverbea@gmail.com
- Volunteer! Parents volunteer in classrooms, the library, during testing and wherever they are needed. Even if you only have a few hours to give, sign-up. Our volunteer coordinator can be reached at IngrahamVol@gmail.com and look for the "FOI Volunteer!" info sheet in this packet.

Because many families like to write just one check at the beginning of the year to support school and student activities, in this packet you will find a sheet entitled "Support ALL Ingraham Students, Teachers, and Staff" that you can use to join Friends of Ingraham, contribute to the Annual Fund, and support the Athletic and/or Performing Arts Boosters. Wouldn't it be great if 100% of our families participated? No contribution is too small, please join us and show your commitment to our students and school.

Gratefully yours,

Friends of Ingraham Board

Friends of Ingraham 2017-2018 Calendar

Events

Thursday Sept 14: All-school Welcome Back to School Barbecue (6:30 – 8:00 pm).

Saturday May 5: All-school auction

General Membership Meetings/Parent Education Nights

Meetings are held in the Library & begin at 7 pm and cover topics that help parent support their students

Mondays, Sept 18th, Nov 13th, January 8th, March 12th, June 11th

Social time begins at 6:45 pm

9th grade parents before meet at 6 pm general meeting in Sept & Nov

Friends of Ingraham Board Meetings

All members are welcome to attend, 7 pm in the school library

Thursdays- Sept 7; Oct 5; Nov 2; Dec 7; Jan 4; Feb 1; Mar 1; Apr 5; May 3; June 7.

Staff Appreciation Breakfasts

The coffee cart arrives at 8 am and stays until 10 am. Drop off breakfast treats, or stop by and visit with teachers, counselors, and other staff. For more information, contact the Ann Stover at stoverbea@gmail.com

Sept 28, Oct 19, Nov 16, Dec 14, Jan 18, Feb 15, March 15, April 19