

Indiahoma School Newsletter

Monday

April 30, 2012

Lady Warriors Slow Pitch Softball Team Going to STATE!

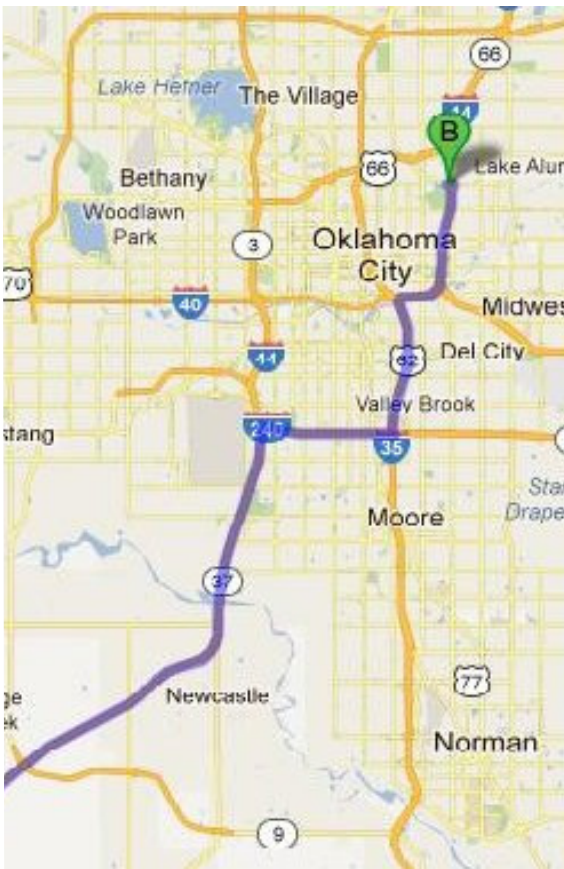
State Tournament
Wednesday, May 2, 2012
11:15 a.m.
Field #2

ASA* Hall of Fame Stadium
(*Amateur Softball Association of America)

2801 NE 50th St. Oklahoma City

\$5.00 for students & adults

Take I 35 to NE 50th St. Go west 1/2 mile.
The stadium is on the north side.



Information obtained from Oklahoma Secondary School Activities Association at:
<http://www.ossaa.net/Playoffs/2011-12/SoftballSP/2012SlowPitchStateBracketsA.pdf>

Indiahoma School Menu:

April 30-May 3, 2012

Breakfast:

All Breakfasts include Juice & Milk

Mon Tornadoes/PB&J sandwich, salsa

Tue Cereal, toast, sausage links, jelly

Wed Biscuits, gravy, sausage patties, jelly

Thu Scrambled eggs, toast, sausage links, jelly

Lunch:

Mon Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, dinner rolls, mixed fruit, milk

Tue Spaghetti w/ meat sauce, green beans, bread sticks, pineapple tidbits, salad bar, milk

Wed Burritos, sweet peas, French fries, orange slices, salad bar, milk

Thu Sub sandwich, chips, apple slices, salad bar, milk

In accordance with Federal law and United States Department (USDA) policy, this institution is prohibited from discrimination on the basis of race, national origin, sex, age, or disability.

TSA Going to STATE!

Tuesday-Thursday, May 1-3

The TSA (Technology Students Association) test results are in. Indiahoma Middle School placed 7th in the state. The top 11 schools go to Stillwater for State competition. Students participating are: Koal Kinder, Chelsey Reyna, Tony Battle and Danielle Patton. State officers will also be elected. We hope Zach Douma comes back as the new TSA state Sergeant-At-Arms.

FFA State Convention

Tuesday and Wednesday, May 1 and 2.

Indiahoma Town Cleanup

Trash-Off 2012: Saturday, April 28

Thank You to all who participated.

Dream big and work hard. Play with passion and the sky is the limit.

--Jennie K., catcher, Arizona



Spotlight on School Staff

Penny McCuiston



Mrs. McCuiston was born in Wichita Falls, Texas. Her father was in the air force so she lived in a lot of places like Ohio, Tennessee and California before coming to Oklahoma. She spent summers with her aunt, went on 4-H trips and went to camps. She graduated from Roosevelt High School.

She married her husband, Paul, and had three children: Nick, Alison and Lindsey. She also had two former exchange students: Maykon and Andrea.

Before teaching, Mrs. McCuiston worked as a technical editor for a military contractor and also as a summer office clerk at Farmers Corp. She got a Bachelor's Degree at SWOSU in Weatherford and a Master's Degree at ECU in Ada,. She also attended WOSC in Altus and Cameron in Lawton.

Her best friend in college influenced her to become a teacher. Ironically, her friend did not become a teacher. Mrs. McCuiston planned on becoming a medical records administrator but has now taught for 26 years and her friend became a medical records administrator.

Mrs. McCuiston has taught at Indianola for 18 years. She said the best thing about teaching is seeing students gain confidence in their abilities and becoming successful.

Cal Ripkin, Jr. is Mrs. McCuiston's hero. During his major league career, he always went to practice and games even if he was sick or hurt. She admires his work ethic.

In her free time, Mrs. McCuiston likes to read, walk, shop and watch cooking shows. She can't wait until July when her grandson will be born!

~By Taylor Carter

A Poem

In Pre-Teaching we wrote formulaic reflective poems about teachers who have had a positive influence.

Sperrys

"Hush. Don't talk."

Perfume = Good

Good, nice, funny

The color gold

English 7th-12th

Happy/Glad

This person is a great teacher and actually teaches you something where you actually learn. She is funny and loving. She's the bomb!

Mrs. McCuiston

~By Terrence Robinson

Mark Your Calendar

Thursday, May 10 - Donations for *Mission Haiti* due. Bring or send your donations to Carrie Thomason in the school office (246-3333) or to Sydney Perry in the school library (246-8068). New or gently used supplies for Pre-K and Kindergarten students are needed: crayons, coloring books, paper, pencils, erasers, markers, glue, scissors, rulers, picture books, simple games (Candyland, matching cards, etc.) and supplies for the classroom.

Monday, May 14, 6:00pm - Athletic Awards Banquet

Sunday, May 20, 8:00pm - Baccalaureate

Tuesday, May 22, 12:30pm - Elementary Awards Assembly

Tuesday, May 22, 1:45pm - High School Awards Assembly

Tuesday, May 22, 8:00pm - Eighth Grade Graduation

Thursday, May 24, 9:00am - PreKg Graduation

Thursday, May 24, 10:00am - Kindergarten Graduation

Thursday, May 24, 8:00pm - Senior Commencement

Thursday, May 24, Last day of school for students