



# Homebase Notes



*Indian River Charter High School Weekly Newsletter Special*

**DATE:** **August 31, 2026**

## **IRCHS STUDENT CONTRACT**

### **Point #4:**

I will preserve a safe and healthy environment, including, but not limited to, honoring an alcohol, tobacco, drug and weapon free environment. I will abide by the Indian River Charter High School Drug Testing Policy

## 2 WEEKS CALENDAR

| Sun 8/30 | Mon8/31                                                                                                         | Tues 9/1                                                          | Wed 9/2 | Thurs 9/3                                                                 | Fri 9/4                                                                             | Sat 9/5  |
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|          |                                                                                                                 | Senior Parent Meeting<br>Tuesday,<br>September 1<br>6:00 – 7:00pm |         | BROWNBAG<br>(Charter Dome)<br>Thursday,<br>September 3<br>11:20 – 11:50am | Sports Media Photo<br>Shoot Part I -<br>3pm-5pm                                     |          |
| Sun 9/6  | Mon 9/7                                                                                                         | Tues 9/8                                                          | Wed 9/9 | Thurs 9/10                                                                | Fri 9/11                                                                            | Sat 9/12 |
|          | School Closed<br>Labor Day<br> | Sports Media Photo<br>Shoot Part II -<br>3pm-5pm                  |         |                                                                           |  |          |



# *Important Announcements*





LET'S REVIEW

## WIRELESS COMMUNICATION DEVICE POLICY

**Photographs and video recordings require the consent of the subject.**

Please ensure respect for personal privacy and security guidelines within all shared spaces before capturing media.

# Students: Enter Phone Number!

Please take a minute to have all students enter their cell phone number into Informacast to activate alerts:

- 01 Students **open their Chromebooks**
- 02 **Log in** to Classlink
- 03 Click on **"Informacast"** on the main screen.
- 04 **Add Device** or click the **+ (plus) icon** under the device or SMS section.
- 05 Choose **SMS or Phone Call** as the device type, and select **Mobile**.
- 06 Type your **cell phone number** into the number field and click **Save**.
- 07 **Complete the verification step** (reply to the test text or answer the call) to activate alerts.



**Restricted Area:** The community north of campus (Tattnall Square) is highlighted in red, indicating it is a private, no-trespassing zone. The manager will trespass Charter students who violate the “Private Property” signs.

**Permitted Path:** A nature trail is marked in green along the east side of the image, showing that walking is allowed along the tree line. Directional signs are posted to guide pedestrians along this specific route.



# Guidance Department Updates

Key announcements, upcoming milestones, and academic resources for students



## Required Testing

Crucial assessment dates including FAST Reading, Algebra 1 EOC Retakes, and upcoming SAT School Day schedules.

Testing



## College Planning

Prepare for the upcoming College Fair, review admission deadlines, and craft essential questions for university reps.

Admissions



## Dual Enrollment

Earn college credits early through regional partners. Academic eligibility criteria, steps to apply, and pathways overview.

Academics



## Safety Alerts

Crucial setup steps for Informacast SMS alerts, perimeter safety rules, and designated pedestrian paths.

Safety



# IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS

## College Fair Details

**Thursday, Sept 10**

**5:30 PM to 7:30 PM**

**Location:**

Rosewood Magnet School  
(6400 57th St)

**Audience:**

Open to all Indian River County students planning for post-graduation next steps.

## Student Checklist

### Recommended Questions:

- Ask about fall 2027 admission deadlines.
- Inquire about GPA, test scores, or dual-enrollment credits.
- Ask about scholarships & Florida Bright Futures.
- Explore military paths (ROTC vs. Academies).
- Write down the representatives' contact info.

## Who Will Be There?

### Colleges & Universities:

Florida State (FSU), UF, UCF, UM, FAMU, FGCU, FIU, Stetson, Rollins, Flagler, FIT, FAU, and more.

### Programs & Organizations:

Treasure Coast Technical College, Indian River State College (IRSC), Military Branches, Universal Technical Institute, and National Aviation Academy.



# IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS

## FAST Reading Retakes

**Wednesday, Sept 9**

at 8:00 AM

### Audience:

Only given to juniors and seniors.

### Status:

Students who are testing will receive an email soon with details.

## Algebra 1 EOC Retakes

**Thursday, Sept 10**

at 8:00 AM

### Audience:

Students needing Algebra 1 concordant or graduation scores.

### Status:

Students who are testing will receive an email confirmation soon.

## SAT School Day

**Tuesday, Oct 22 @ 8 AM**

Computer-based test on campus.  
Only for students who sign up.

### How to Sign Up:

- Pay **\$60 testing fee** at the kiosk or with Ms. Weems by **Sept 18**.
- Bring receipt to **Mrs. Kelly (Rm 102)** to finalize.
- <https://forms.gle/jedosBZueKjhNj9s8>

*Note: Can be used as a concordant score for Algebra 1 or FAST Reading.*



# IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS

## ACT Exam Details

**Tuesday, Oct 27**

at 8:00 AM

### Format:

Paper-based exam (no writing or science section).

### Location:

On-campus. Only for students who pre-register.

## How to Sign Up

**Deadline: Sept 18**

### 1. Pay Testing Fee

Submit the **\$60 fee** at the kiosk or to Ms. Weems.

### 2. Bring Receipt

Take your receipt to **Mrs. Kelly (Room 102)** to complete registration.

<https://forms.gle/jedosBZueKjhNj9s8>

## Requirements & Notes

### Accommodations

If you require accommodations, see **Mrs. Kelly** ASAP to coordinate.

### Concordant Scores:

This test can satisfy graduation requirements for **Algebra 1** or **FAST Reading**.



# IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS

## PSAT Exam Details

### October 6

Test Date

### Deadline:

Register and pay by September 18.

### Cost:

\$18 fee applies only to Juniors and Seniors.

## Who Can Take It?

### Guidelines by Grade

**Sophomores:** Automatically registered. No fee or sign-up needed.

**Juniors & Seniors:** Register if qualifying for National Merit or needing concordant scores.

**Freshmen:** Speak to Ms. Kafer or Ms. Archer in Guidance before signing up.

## How to Sign Up

### For Juniors & Seniors

#### 1. Submit Registration

Please complete registration using [this form](#).

#### 2. Pay the \$18 Fee

Submit payment at the kiosk or to Ms. Weems by **September 18**.



# DRESS CODE: THE "ARMPIT-TO-ARMPIT" RULE

- Clothing must cover areas from one armpit across to the other armpit.
- This applies to all shirts, tops, blouses, and dresses.
- Straps must be wide enough to cover the top of the shoulder.
- Ensures appropriate coverage for the school environment.



**APPROPRIATE**  
(Provides full coverage)



**NOT ALLOWED**  
(Exposes armpit area).



**NOT ALLOWED**  
(Does not cover horizontally)

# DRESS CODE

**Lower garments should be worn at the waist**  
**No rolling or pulling up above the waist**

**OKAY**

**NOT OKAY**

**OKAY**

**NOT OKAY**

- ✓ Upper garments must cover from one top of armpit across to other armpit
- ✓ Upper garments must cover the belt line even with arms raised
- ✓ Bottoms must reach at least mid-thigh



SWEATSHIRTS / T-SHIRTS / JACKETS THAT REACH BELOW BELT LINE AND COVER MIDRIF



JACKETS, CARDIGANS, OR SWEATERS WITH SLEEVED, APPROPRIATE NECKLINE SHIRTS UNDERNEATH



SHIRTS WITH APPROPRIATE SHIRTS UNDERNEATH



SLEEVED DRESSES WITH APPROPRIATE NECKLINE THAT COVER MID THIGH



NO CROPPED, TANK, OR SPAGHETTI STRAP TOPS OF THIS/SIMILAR STYLE



NO TOPS OF THIS/SIMILAR STYLE



NO SHIRTS FEATURING INAPPROPRIATE CONTENT / SHEER SHIRTS THAT SHOW UNDERGARMENTS



TIED SHIRTS THAT EXPOSE WAISTLINE



NO MUSCLE T'S / LOW CUT TANK TOPS THAT SHOW ARMPITS/CHEST



NO SHIRTS THAT FALL OVER THE SHOULDERS



NO SWEATERS/CARDIGANS/JACKETS/SHIRTS WITH TANK TOPS / SLEEVELESS / CROPPED TOPS UNDERNEATH



SKIRTS THAT REACH BELOW MID THIGH



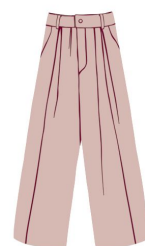
NON-SPANDEX ATHLETIC SHORTS THAT REACH BELOW MID THIGH



JEANS WITH NO RIPS AT MID THIGH OR ABOVE



SHORTS THAT REACH PAST MID THIGH



SLACKS



LOOSE FITTING SWEAT PANTS



NO PAJAMA, LOUNGE, OR PJ-LOOK-ALIKE BOTTOMS OF ANY KIND



NO SPANDEX ATHLETIC SHORTS / ANY ATHLETIC SHORTS THAT DO NOT REACH MID THIGH IN FRONT & BACK



NO SHORTS/SKIRTS/DRESSES THAT DO NOT REACH MID THIGH IN FRONT & BACK, AND/OR DRESSES THAT ARE TANK TOP STYLE, OFF THE SHOULDER, OR LOW-CUT



NO JEANS/PANTS WITH RIPS AT MID THIGH OR ABOVE



NO SWIM TRUNKS



NO STRAIGHT OR FLARED LEGGINGS, YOGA PANTS, TIGHT FITTING ATHLETIC PANTS OR BICYCLE SHORTS OF ANY KIND

OTHER PROHIBITED BOTTOMS INCLUDE:

- FISHNET STOCKINGS
- PANTS WITH EXCESSIVE HOLES
- SHEER/SEE-THROUGH BOTTOMS OF ANY KIND
- LOWER GARMENTS SHOULD BE WORN AT THE WAIST AND SHALL NOT EXTEND BELOW THE HEEL OF THE SHOE IN LENGTH.

\*SEE STUDENT HANDBOOK FOR ADDITIONAL DETAILS AND INFORMATION.

# Club Announcements



## CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS



### Key Club First Meeting

**WHEN**  
Monday,  
August 31st

**WHERE**  
Choir Room

**Please come  
join us!**

Google Classroom  
zodx4rt7



**GET INVOLVED**  
**GET YOUR VOLUNTEER HOURS**  
**MEET YOUR COMMUNITY**  
**MAKE HISTORY AT IRCHS**

Questions? Email  
[arianna.faulkner@irchsonline.org](mailto:arianna.faulkner@irchsonline.org)

Follow our Insta  
@irchs.keyclub



## CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS

# JOIN SCIENCE FAIR CLUB!

**When:** Wednesdays During Lunch  
**Where:** Mrs. Seither's Room 115

## WHY JOIN?

- Looks GREAT on college resume
- Award Money!!
- Potential scholarship opportunities
- Represent our school at STATES in Lakeland Florida!

Our first meeting will be on **Wednesday, August 26th!**



## CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS

Join the Excitement at Our

# CFA LEADERSHIP CLUB Meetings

*Are you passionate about leadership and impacting your community through action? If so, please come join us to see if CFA Leadership is a great fit for you!*

**WE MEET TWICE A MONTH  
(EVERY OTHER WEDNESDAY)**

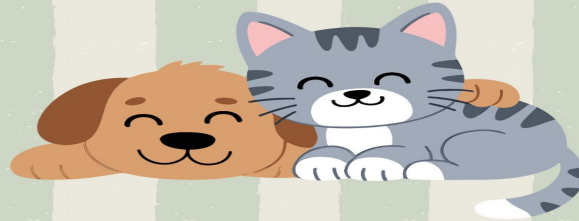
DURING LUNCH IN MS. TONI'S CLASS - ROOM 758

Next Meeting:  
Wednesday, Sept. 2nd @ 11:20 AM



## CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS

# JOIN HOPE FOR ANIMALS CLUB!



*We meet the 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Thursday of every month  
during lunch in Ms.  
Trax's room!*

**QUESTIONS? CONTACT CLUB  
PRESIDENT HANNAH SCHACHT**



# Athletics





## ATHLETICS



# Brag of the Week

### The Matchup

What a tremendous win for the **IRCHS Girls Bowling Team** as the Wolves defeated the Jensen Beach Falcons! 

**GO WOLVES!**  

### The Lineup

The Wolves were led by a stellar trio who took on a full team of four opponents with only three Charter players:

- Jynelle Rowe
- Bailey Luyao
- Cali Feddick

### The Victory

The teams split the regular games 1-1, sending the match to a critical **Baker tiebreaker**.

The Wolves stepped up when it mattered most and prevailed **2-0** to secure the win!

**A huge congratulations to these three young ladies for their determination, teamwork, and outstanding performance!**



#IRCHSAthletics #IRCHSWolves #GirlsBowling #WolvesWin #Victory #GoWolves #BakerTiebreaker





## ATHLETICS



# Candy?!!!! Yes please! Help support our Wolves

IRCHS ATHLETICS FUNDRAISER

## World's Finest Chocolate

**\$2.00** each

 **Cash Only**

 Available in **Room 305**

**Go Wolves!**  





# ATHLETICS



Coming up week : 8/23-8/29

Bowling

Cross  
Country

Golf

| Sun 8/30 | Mon 8/31      | Tues 9/1                                                                       | Wed 9/2                                                                                     | Thurs 9/3                                                                 | Fri 9/4      | Sat 9/5                                                                |
|----------|---------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|          |               | <b>Tuesday 1-Sep<br/>Bowling<br/>Centennial<br/>St Lucie Lanes<br/>3:30 PM</b> | <b>Wednesday<br/>2-Sep Bowling<br/>Somerset College<br/>Prep St Lucie<br/>Lanes 3:30 PM</b> |                                                                           |              |                                                                        |
|          | Practice 6pm  | Practice 6pm                                                                   | Practice 6pm                                                                                | Practice 6pm                                                              | Practice 6pm | <b>Saturday<br/>5-Sep Freedom<br/>Invitational<br/>Orlando 7:00 AM</b> |
|          | Practice 4 pm |                                                                                | Practice 4 pm                                                                               | <b>Thursday<br/>3-Sep Girls<br/>Golf Cocoa<br/>Beach PWCC<br/>4:00 PM</b> |              |                                                                        |



# Upcoming Activities & Events





## FOOD TRUCKS



| Mon 8/31 | Tues 9/1 | Wed 9/2      | Thurs 9/3     | Fri 9/4  |
|----------|----------|--------------|---------------|----------|
|          |          | Ocean's Cafe | Grammys Pizza | Kona Ice |



## UPCOMING ACTIVITIES & EVENTS

**IRCHS Trip Spring 2027**  
Edelweiss- A trip through the Alps



**Munich**

**Engelberg**

**Salzburg**

**Vienna**



If you are interested in signing up for the trip, please contact Mr. Moss

### IRCHS Spring Trip 2027

#### Once in a Lifetime!

Who wants to go to Europe? Experience an unforgettable journey through the Alps with your peers.

Destinations

**Munich • Engelberg • Salzburg • Vienna**

How to Join

Scan the QR code on the flyer or contact **Mr. Moss** to sign up.



# REAL MEN DO VAPA SHOWS



Details coming soon

ROTATRY INTERACT

# CANNED FOOD DRIVE

SEPTEMBER 4<sup>TH</sup> TO OCTOBER 30<sup>TH</sup>

- BOXES WILL BE PLACED IN HOMEBASES BEGINNING ON FRIDAY SEPTEMBER, 4<sup>TH</sup> AND COLLECTED ON OCTOBER 30<sup>TH</sup>
- ALL CANNED FOODS WILL BE USED TO PARTICIPATE IN A CAN CASTLE BUILDING COMPETITION AND THEN DONATED TO LOCAL CHARITIES/FOOD BANKS

THE HOMEBASE WITH THE  
MOST CANS WINS A PIZZA  
PARTY!!





# DROP IN STUDENT BRAIN BREAKS

*The Monday Reset*

**BRACKETT LIBRARY**

**MONDAYS: 12:00 – 5:00 PM**  
Beginning in September

Open to all  
high school &  
college  
students

Chill &  
Unwind

Fun Things Waiting For You



**FUN CRAFTS**

**READ**

We'll provide the supplies.  
You provide the  
creativity!



**GAMES**

Warning: May Cause  
Laughter & New  
Friendships.



**MOVIES**

CHILL & WATCH A  
MOVIE



**CRAFTED BOOK  
SELECTIONS & BLIND  
DATE WITH A BOOK**

Find Your Next Favorite  
Read. Handpicked Just  
For You.



**SURPRISES**

Giveaways? Snacks?  
You have to come to  
find out!



ONE CARD =  
SO MANY  
POSSIBILITIES



Books &  
Ebooks



Audiobooks  
& Movies



Online  
Learning



Museum  
Passes



Research  
Help

**TAKE A  
BREAK**

**DROP IN ANYTIME!**

Come hang  
out, get  
creative, &  
take a break

SAVE MONEY. LEARN MORE. STRESS LESS.

**WE ARE SO HAPPY YOU  
ARE HERE!**

Join us in the Small  
Conference Room



# Homebase Requirement Opportunities



# HOMEBASE REQUIREMENT OPPORTUNITIES

## Upcoming Events & Services

# Calendar of Upcoming Dates

### September

## Tunnel to Towers Golf Tournament

Exciting volunteering opportunities are available for this annual charity tournament. Reach out to coordinate your shift!

### CONTACT PERSON

**Kristal McIntyre**

### PHONE & EMAIL

**772-643-6457**

**[kristal@tidalgolf.org](mailto:kristal@tidalgolf.org)**

### Later!

## Sol Mar Block Party

Join our community celebration and help support operations and guest services during this lively local street festival.

 **EVENT DATE**

**Saturday, Nov. 14**

 **PRIMARY ROLE**

**Event Volunteer Support**



# HOMEBASE REQUIREMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Volunteer Opportunity • September

## Key Club Volunteer Event

### Event Details

 **DATE & TIME**

**Saturday, Sept 5th**

8:00 AM – 12:00 PM

 **VOLUNTEERS**

**15 Volunteers Needed**

On-site support needed

 **HOW TO JOIN**

**Google Classroom**

**Code: zodx4rt7**

### Project Details

Students will be installing a fence at the ARC.

This is a hands-on project, and participants will receive official volunteer hours for their contribution.



**Goal:**

Improve local community infrastructure while earning service hours.

### Location & Guidelines



**LOCATION**

The Arc of Indian River  
(2449 5th Street SW)



**DRESS CODE**

Closed-toed shoes only



**PROVIDED**

Work gloves, water, and snacks



# HOME BASE REQUIREMENT OPPORTUNITIES



*Golf Tournament*  
★ SUPPORTING ★  
**TUNNEL TO TOWERS**

The Tunnel to Towers Foundation honors the sacrifice of our nation's first responders and military heroes by providing mortgage-free homes to Gold Star and fallen first responder families, and by building specially adapted smart homes for our most catastrophically injured veterans.

— HONOR ★ SUPPORT ★ REMEMBER —

*All proceeds benefit THE TUNNEL TO TOWERS FOUNDATION*

**SEPTEMBER 11, 2026**

**8:30 AM CEREMONY STARTS**  
CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST INCLUDED

**9:00 AM SHOTGUN START**

**18 HOLES OF GOLF**

**\$100 TICKET INCLUDES LUNCH**

**ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT TUNNEL TO TOWERS FOUNDATION**

**SIGN UP IN THE PRO SHOP!**  
*Donations & Sponsorships Opportunities Available!*

772-469-0197 | MANGROVESANDS.COM | VERO BEACH, FL

HONORING OUR HEROES. ★ SUPPORTING THEIR LEGACIES. ★ NEVER FORGET 9/11

## Golf Tournament Details

 **SEPTEMBER 11, 2026** |  VERO BEACH, FL

### Schedule

**8:30 AM** — Opening Ceremony (Continental Breakfast included)

**9:00 AM** — Shotgun Start (18 Holes of Golf)

### Registration & Pricing

**\$100 Entry Fee** — Includes green fees, cart, and lunch

♥ All proceeds directly benefit the Tunnel to Towers Foundation

### How to Register

Sign up directly in the Pro Shop!

For donations, sponsorships, or inquiries:

 **772-469-0197** or visit  [mangrovesands.com](https://mangrovesands.com)



# HOME BASE REQUIREMENT OPPORTUNITIES



**SOL MAR**  
COCKTAIL LOUNGE

**SOLMAR**  
**FALL**  
**BLOCK PARTY**

Hosted by Sol Mar Cocktail Lounge  
& The Portales of Vero Beach

**LOOKING FOR STUDENT VOLUNTEERS!**

Be part of one of Vero Beach's most exciting community events while earning **community service hours!**

Join us for a festive Fall Block Party featuring live music, local vendors, food, family activities, and hundreds of guests.

|  <b>EVENT DETAILS</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |  <b>VOLUNTEER RESPONSIBILITIES</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |  <b>BOUNCE HOUSE SUPERVISOR NEEDED!</b>                                                                                                                              |  <b>WHY VOLUNTEER?</b>                                                                                                                                                                                   |
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|  <b>Saturday, November 14, 2026</b><br><br> <b>4:00 PM – 9:00 PM</b><br>Volunteer shifts available before, during, and after the event.<br><br> <b>Sol Mar Cocktail Lounge</b><br>The Portales of Vero Beach<br>Ocean Drive<br>Vero Beach, FL | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Welcome guests</li><li>• Help with event setup &amp; breakdown</li><li>• Assist vendors as needed</li><li>• Monitor activity areas</li><li>• Direct guests</li><li>• Keep event spaces organized</li><li>• Support event coordinators throughout the evening</li></ul> <p><i>No experience necessary—we'll show you everything you need to know!</i></p> | <p>We will have a bounce house at the event and are looking for a responsible student to serve as the supervisor during shifts while others take turns.</p> <p><i>This is a great opportunity to lead and help keep everyone safe and have fun!</i></p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ Earn Community Service Hours</li><li>✓ Gain real-world event experience</li><li>✓ Meet local business owners &amp; community leaders</li><li>✓ Be part of a major community event</li><li>✓ Have fun while giving back to your community!</li></ul> |

**Interested?** Please contact: **Anjie Fonseca** 772-713-4676

 We can't do it without you!

 INDIAN RIVER CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL |  SOL MAR COCKTAIL LOUNGE |  THE PORTALES OF VERO BEACH



*Just for...*



# *Just for Seniors*



## **Parent Meeting**



**Date:** Tuesday, Sept 1st



**Time:** 6:00 PM



**Location:** Richardson Center



## **Important Notes**



### **Seniors Only:**

This meeting is exclusively for senior students and their parents/guardians.



### **Action Required:**

Please make sure to share this information with your parents!

# *Just for Senior Girls \_Powderpuff is here!*

## Join the Team

For those interested in joining the Senior Girls Powderpuff Team, please join our classroom for updates.

Google Classroom Code

**xx5uc46**

## Important Info

### Practice Dates

Practice dates and times will be released soon through Classroom.

### Have Questions?

For any immediate questions, please email **Mr. Mo** directly.



# *Just for Seniors*



## Testing

### Testing:

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## Important Notes



### Seniors Only:

This meeting is exclusively for senior students and their parents/guardians.



### Action Required:

Please make sure to share this information with your parents!

# *Just for Juniors & Seniors*

## **JUNIOR SCIENTIST FELLOWS PROGRAM**

2026 - 2027 Research Experience for Indian River County High School Students

### **Why Join?**

Are you interested in science, love nature, and want to make a positive impact on your local environment?

- ✓ **Gain hands-on** research experience
- ✓ **Work directly** with professional scientists
- ✓ **Strengthen** your college applications
- ✓ **Satisfy 50+** required volunteer hours
- ✓ **Directly benefit** local conservation efforts

### **Important Details**

#### **Program Begins:**

Sept 8, 2026

Tuesdays 3:00 - 6:00 PM at FAU Harbor Branch (twice monthly)



**Deadline: Aug 28, 2026**

[Apply Online Here](#)

Questions? Call FAU Harbor Branch:

**772-242-2293**

### **School Representatives**

Contact your school representative to learn more about the program:

#### **Ms. Moreau**

Indian River Charter High

#### **Ms. Daniel**

Sebastian River High

#### **Mr. Bush**

Vero Beach High

#### **Ms. Carlson**

Masters Academy



FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY  
Harbor Branch  
Oceanographic Institute



# 2026 - 2027 Junior Scientist Fellows Program

Research Experience for Indian River County High School Students

## Attention Incoming Juniors and Seniors:

Are you interested in **science**? Do you love **nature**? Would you like to make a positive impact on your **local environment**?



- **Gain hands-on research experience**
- **Work with other students, scientists, and land managers**
- **Strengthen your college application**
- **Satisfy 50+ volunteer hours**
- **Directly benefit local conservation**

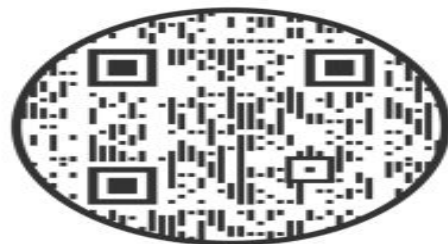
### The Program Begins September 8, 2026

*Sessions are hosted at FAU Harbor Branch Oceanographic Institute Tuesdays from 3 to 6 pm, from September through February (excluding holidays), and twice a month through mid-March*

**Application Deadline:** Friday, August 28, 2026

*\* Space is limited! Apply now!*

**To learn more and apply, scan the QR Code, or ask your school's representative!**



**Ms. Moreaux**  
Indian River Charter School

**Mr. Bush**  
Vero Beach High School

**Ms. Daniel**  
Sebastian River High School

**Ms. Carlson**  
Masters Academy of Vero Beach

**Or call the FAU Harbor Branch Ocean Discovery Visitors Center at 772-242-2293**



# IRCHS BLOOD DRIVE

*Giving blood saves lives!*

**Tuesday**  
**September 22nd, 2026**  
**9 AM- 3 PM**

- Save the Date!
- Sign-ups & info will be sent to your email.

## IRCHS Blood Drive

Giving blood saves lives!



**Tuesday, Sept 22, 2026**

9:00 AM - 3:00 PM



### Student Eligibility

For students aged 16 and older. Provides essential volunteer hours!



### What's Next?

Save the date! Full details and sign-up links will be sent to your email next week.

# *Final Thoughts*



Have a  
great week!

