

## Media Advisory

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Re: Please forward the following information to the appropriate news media organizations serving District 62.

Can you also please send this information to all of the D62 schools?

### Information to be released:

Iroquois Community School will hold its 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Cystic Fibrosis walk. The Iroquois Student Government established this event to support an ICS student who is afflicted with this disease. This year we are teaming up with the Maine West National Honor Society to help the Greater Chicago Chapter of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation raise funds for research, medical treatment, and education. You can be a big part of this success by walking with us and getting others to support your walk with pledge donations.

Cystic fibrosis (CF) is a devastating genetic disease that affects tens of thousands of children and young adults in the United States. Research and care supported by the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation is making a huge difference in extending the quality of life for those with CF. However, we continue to lose precious lives to CF every day. That's why your help is needed now more than ever to ensure that a cure is found sooner - rather than later. To learn more about CF and the CF Foundation, visit [www.cff.org](http://www.cff.org). Although research is making tremendous progress, the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation needs people like us to increase the survival rate or even find a cure for this devastating disease. So PLEASE consider walking with us this year!

Information for this event can be obtained by contacting Mr. Manuel Bustos at Iroquois Community School at 847-824-1308, or by emailing [BustosM@D62.org](mailto:BustosM@D62.org). District 62 staff and students can get registration/sponsor forms from the ICS main office and Maine West students and staff can get registration/sponsorship forms from the main office at Maine West High School. These forms will be available beginning Friday, May 1<sup>st</sup>.

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