



International FRIENDSHIPS

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Volunteer Ministry Newsletter

"IF's mission is to extend life-changing hospitality and friendship to international students out of reverence for Jesus!"

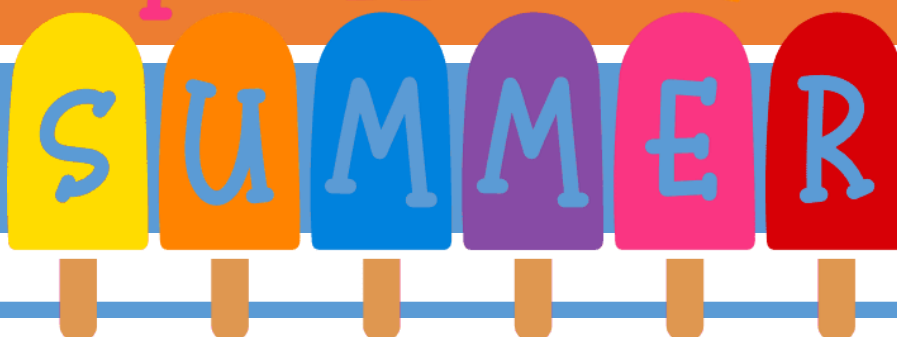
Even though school is out for the year, many of our students are still in the area and would be blessed by your involvement! Here are some ways to connect in the coming months:

Save the dates...

- ⇒ **Monthly Barbecues at Ridgeland Community Church!**
Ridgeland Community Church - 260 Beckwith Rd, Henrietta, 14586 - There is a monthly barbecue at Ridgeland the first Friday of every month. The dates this summer are June 2nd, July 7th, August 4th and September 1st! Bring a dish to pass and contact Hannah & Peter about intent to participate and student rides.
- ⇒ **July 21st - BARN DANCE!!! YEEEE-HAW!** Grab some student and swing them 'round to Great Bend Barn at Dave & Joan Beinetti's (160 Plains Road, Honeyoye Falls, New York). Contact Hannah & Peter for details and to connect for student rides.
- ⇒ **August 28th - New semester starts!**
- ⇒ **Welcome Picnic for New Students!** Great opportunity to welcome new students and kick start the year! Date to come soon (will be in August)



Hello





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Quotable Corner

Sound bites from our students

“I really appreciate it, I made it so far thanks to your support.”

“The support, caring and love you are giving to the students despite their origins or religious beliefs is honestly inspiring...and we are lucky to be wonderfully exposed to beautiful and generous families like you.”

Memorable Moments

- The Graduations on May 12th & 13th were a great day of celebration!



Answers from last edition:

- ♦ The original IFI Team members are Dave & Joan Beinetti, Kathy Goodwin, Rachel Clark, Linda Kvasnica & Hannah & Peter Putz in June 2020!
- ♦ Our volunteers represent 12 different churches!

New Trivia!

- ♦ What are the top 5 religions in India?
- ♦ What is Afghanistan's National Dish?

Check for the answers in our next issue!



Friendly Reminder!
Please no photos of students on any kind of social media. It is imperative that we protect student privacy!



Contact Corner

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