

February 5th, 2016



Re: Ian's Cup

Ian's Foundation is dedicated to the memory of our son, Ian Fincke. Ian tragically passed away at the age of 16, in October of 2008 as the result of fatal wounds sustained during a skateboarding accident. Ian was a previous student at Hardy Oak Elementary, Barbara Bush Middle School and both Reagan and Johnson High Schools. The foundation was formed to advance the safety and welfare of San Antonio youth through education and scholarship awards. To date over \$29,000 in scholarships has been awarded. Ian's Foundation continues to do helmet safety talks at local schools and organizations throughout the San Antonio community and supports STRAPS (South Texas Regional and Paralympic Sports). STRAPS was inspired by Ian's Foundation as a way to allow anyone in San Antonio with physical disabilities the opportunity to enjoy the game of soccer, the sport that Ian truly loved. Ian's Foundation also provides scholarships to the YMCA to allow underprivileged youth in San Antonio the opportunity to play soccer.

We will be offering our annual spring soccer clinic for the San Antonio youth as one of our major fundraisers for the Ian's Cup scholarship fund (formerly known as The Fincke Cup). The clinic will be held on Sunday, February 28th at the Mays YMCA from 2-4PM (with registration from 1:30-2:00). The cost of the clinic is \$30 if pre-registered and \$35 the day of the clinic. It will include a 2hr clinic as well as a 2016 Ian's Cup t-shirt (while supplies last). The deadline for t-shirt pre-orders and pre-registration for the soccer clinic to ensure a 2016 Ian's Cup t-shirt is Monday, February 15th but pre-registration for the clinic will remain open through Saturday, February 27th at 6PM. Trainers will include local high school coaches, club trainers and high school soccer players from Johnson and Reagan, as seniors must volunteer at one of the foundation's community service events to be eligible for a scholarship.

The Ian's Cup soccer match between Johnson and Reagan in memory of Ian will be held at Blossom Athletic Center on Tuesday, March 1st. The boys will play at 5PM followed by the girls at 7PM. The scholarship award winners for both schools will be announced at the end of each game and the school with the highest aggregate score for the night will take home the coveted Ian's Cup trophy and bragging rights for the year. The new 2016 T-Shirts can be pre-ordered online with several delivery options available. The deadline to place an order to guarantee a shirt by the night of the game is Monday, February 15th.

There will be fundraiser nights designated for both RHS and JHS at Beefy's Backyard 25900 US Hwy 281 N. Beefy's Backyard will donate a percentage of sales from both nights to Ian's Foundation. Reagan Night is Tuesday, Feb 23rd and Johnson Night is Wednesday, Feb 24th, both from 4PM-9PM. Come out and help show your school has the most spirit!

More information about the foundation as well as volunteer and sponsorship opportunities can be found at <u>www.IansCup.com</u>. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely, Stephanie and Christopher Fincke www.lansFoundation.org Stephanie@Ians.Foundation