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Independent Day School-Corbett Campus Honors Trustees For Commitment and Service

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The Board of Trustees of Independent Day School - Corbett Campus (IDS-CC) recently honored two long-time board members, Bette Maniscalco and Cindy Mathias, for their extraordinary service and commitment to the school.

Maniscalco, who has been on the IDS-CC Board of Trustees for more than 25 years, served as board president. As a trustee, she has been responsible for numerous fundraising events and annual giving campaigns, which were instrumental to the school's growth and development. Maniscalco's four children, Laura, Michael, Jennifer and Lisa attended IDS-CC. She currently chairs the school's Alumni Committee. In this position, she recently coordinated the school's 35th anniversary celebration, an effort she has undertaken during previous milestone anniversary years.

"Bette has provided extraordinary service and leadership to IDS," said Board of Trustees President Jim Conlin. "She has been continuously devoted to nurturing, protecting, and growing the school's child-centered philosophy with deep love, great devotion, boundless generosity, endless hours, and years of modeling and reminding all that a superior education is 'All About Kids.'"

Mathias has served on the IDS-CC Board of Trustees since 1989. As chair of the Trustee Committee, she has led the board's efforts to develop and implement critical policies and bylaws, which have contributed to the school's reputation as a model of educational excellence. In addition, she has helped provide for superior school leadership by ensuring an effective process for the selection of dedicated and qualified Board members is maintained. Mathias' two children, Shelby and Doak, are also IDS-CC graduates.

"Cindy has been an outstanding member of the IDS Board of Trustees," said Conlin. "Her exceptional service and leadership have helped the school soar. We continue to be grateful for her many contributions, all marked significantly with endless giving of her heart and soul to ensure the strength and success of IDS, and every child within its care. We will miss her guidance as a Board member."

Founded in 1968, Independent Day School - Corbett Campus is a fully accredited, independent school located in northwest Hillsborough County. It serves 500 plus students in grades Pre-K through 8. At IDS, all children experience learning in a nurturing and highly academic environment focused on excellence and developing a positive self-concept. IDS-CC has become recognized as an exemplary school with over 1200 visitors observing and learning from and with IDS-CC teachers. For more information about IDS visit <http://www.idsyas.com>.

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