



# ICDF Newsflash

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## Social Media

Dear ICDF Friends

We are, as most other organisations, making use of the social media platforms to engage with our members, supporters and casual visitors. Some we have been running for a few years already, but there are others that we are exploring for the possibilities that they may hold. In this Newsflash we want to introduce you to ICDF in the Social Media.



### Facebook

On Facebook we have both a page and a group. Unfortunately the group is set up as a "closed" group but if you are interested in joining:

- click and ask to join the group on Facebook OR
- let us know by email to [icdfworld@gmail.com](mailto:icdfworld@gmail.com) so that we can add your name

Get involved by:

- joining the group and "like" the page
- sharing our posts with your dance groups or friends

Search for the following ICDF Network groups:

ICDF Dance for Children; ICDF Network for Creative Arts and Social Concern; ICDF Network for Fitness, Well-being and Movement Meditation (Christian Holistic Fitness Network)

### Twitter

Twitter is used to keep you informed of any updates made to the other platforms and of special events. Follow us by signing up through the website <http://www.icdf.com> OR search our name on Twitter

### Network Blogs

These can easily be reached through the website. Find the Wordpress icon on the Home page bottom right. One of the latest additions to these blogs is a slideshow of the Networks combined with a poem that was presented at the conference in Ghana. To see the slideshow go to:

<https://icdfnetworks.wordpress.com/2016/10/21/poetry-in-motion/>

Access via website from Home page: <http://www.icdf.com>

Direct link to blogs: <https://icdfnetworks.wordpress.com/>



## YouTube

ICDF has recently launched its own YouTube channel. It is intended for official ICDF / Countries / Networks videos and it will be added to with time. The channel can be found under the name of International Christian Dance Fellowship on the web at [www.youtube.com](http://www.youtube.com)

To submit your video to be added to the channel please email [ICDFchannel@gmail.com](mailto:ICDFchannel@gmail.com)

## Discussion Board

Various discussions on different topics can be accessed via the website:

<http://www.icdf.com/en/connect/discussion-forum>

The most recent topic can be reached through the website by clicking on the Quick Topic symbol on the bottom right corner of the home page.

## Website Survey

We are conducting a survey to see if we should make our website more "smart phone" friendly. *Please join us by completing the survey at ....*

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/6DBJPKX> or answer the question on our Facebook page.

## Instagram & Pinterest

We have taken our first baby steps on Pinterest and Instagram. Please look out for us - add us, tag us and include us on your boards. Even though we have not started to post much, tell the family of our existence so the followers will build and we can get material from their 3rd party pages/accounts. *We can be found on both platforms under [icdfsocial](#).*

If you are enthusiastic about Pinterest or Instagram and want to join our Social Media team, please let us know at [icdfworld@gmail.com](mailto:icdfworld@gmail.com) or [icdfsocial@gmail.com](mailto:icdfsocial@gmail.com)



## Hashtags

ICDF now has its own hashtags for you to use whenever posting a photo so that they can be gathered into one place for easy viewing and you can be one of the first to use them. *These are:*

[#ChristianDance](#); [#ICDFworld](#); [#ICDFfamily](#)

Be part of the fun and the international family by making use of these descriptions :-))

**Looking forward to you joining us on these platforms. May you be blessed as you do.**