

# IWA Newsletter - January 13, 2023

## **CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK 2023**

Family Mass and Open House - Sunday, January 29



Please join us on Sunday, January 29, at 10:30 am in Saint Joseph Hall as we kick off Catholic Schools Week with Mass! Families are invited to walk through the school immediately following Mass until 1 p.m. for an Open House. Click below to RSVP. All are welcome!

> IWA Family Mass RSVP

#### Call for International Prayers

We are highlighting the many cultures of IWA during Catholic Schools Week through a virtual prayer service. If your child knows a prayer in another language and you would like them to participate, please click on the button below!

> Catholic Schools Week International Prayers

### Parent Volunteers Needed!

Please help us celebrate the teachers during Catholic Schools Week by volunteering to cover their lunch period while they enjoy a special lunch provided

by the PTSU. The volunteer will watch the students and help them create a "thank you" craft for the teacher. All materials will be provided to the volunteer. Click on the button below to sign up!

#### PTSU Classroom Volunteer Sign Up

### **SHARE IWA!**



As we look to continue growing the IWA Community, YOU, our families, are our greatest supporters! If you know a family that's interested in attending IWA next school year, please bring them with you to our Family Mass and Open House on Sunday, January 29!

We'd love to meet them and schedule a personal tour. Kindergarten and Kinder Prep fill up quickly, so please be sure to have interested families contact Mrs. Schmuhl at hschmuhl@incarnatewordacademy.org or at (440) 842-6818, ext. 304.

### SISTERS' RAFFLE TICKETS DUE JANUARY 23!

\*Please note that tickets cannot be paid for on Digital Academy. Checks are to be made payable to the Sisters of the Incarnate Word.\*

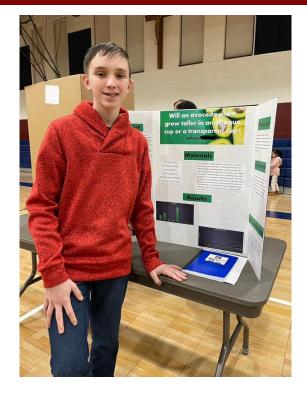


Annual Raffle tickets were sent home with the youngest/only child in each family in a green envelope in November. Please note that only Pre-K students with older siblings at IWA received the ticket envelope. Each family is required to sell \$100 worth of raffle tickets. Funds raised will be used to transition convent space on the second floor for use by IWA students, faculty and staff. The highest ticket selling family will receive \$500! Extra tickets are available in the Attendance Office.

Questions? Please contact Sharron in the Sisters' Development Office at (440)886-6440 ext. 415 or at <u>siwdevelopment@yahoo.com</u>.



### **CLASSROOM HIGHLIGHTS** from the desk of Mrs. Congelio





Science Fair Open House! Families were invited to Saint Joseph Hall on Wednesday night to preview the seventh grade science projects. The students have been working on the projects all year, focusing on data collection, research, writing, and speaking skills. Thank you, Ms. Rossman, for continuing to provide this opportunity for our students.

### **BOWLING CLUB CALENDAR UPDATES**

There will be no Bowling Club on Monday, January 16, 2023.

Bowling Club Correction The last day of the Bowling Club has been extended to January 30, 2023. Please make sure to make changes on your calendar.



### **DANCING WARRIORS CLUB FOR GRADES 1-5**



Practices will begin on Tuesday, January 17, and will take place on Tuesdays and Thursdays after school from 2:30 to 3:45 p.m. in St. Joseph Hall through May 11.

Questions? Contact Mrs. Shipley at <u>ashipley@incarnatewordacademy.org</u>.

Click here to register for Dancing Warriors by January 13!

FIELD DAY LOGO DESIGN CONTEST

All logo designs are due by next Friday, January 20, 2023

Click here for a Field Day Logo Design contest entry form!



### We could be wearing <u>YOUR</u> design for Field Day!

In the past, PTSU has graciously helped design and organize T-Shirts for our annual Field Day Event. We are asking all students in grades Pre-K through Eighth grade who are interested in showing off their creative skills to submit a T-Shirt Logo Design for the school to proudly wear at this year's Field Day.

The logo designs will be due by Friday, January 20, 2023. Please turn in your design to the Attendance Office addressed to Harb/FD Logo. Logo designs will not be accepted after the <u>due date</u>. Please make sure to turn them in on time.

Carefully read the instructions for the LOGO DESIGN. Logo designs will not be considered this year if the design does not meet the requirements.

Two designs will be selected from each homeroom and the IWA faculty and Staff will be a part of the anonymous voting process to select our Winner.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact: Mrs. Harb at lharb@incarnatewordacademy.org Tim DeGeeter at tdegeeter@cox.net



## PADUA ART SHOW WINNERS

Congratulations to the following IWA student artists whose artwork was entered into the Padua Franciscan High School Art Show! Eighteen schools participated in this year's show and over 150 works of art from students in Grades K – 8 were entered. The artists were recognized during the art show and awards ceremony on Sunday, January 8, at Padua Franciscan High School.

*Kindergarten:* Lola H. (1st Place) and Hunter H. (2nd Place) *First Grade:* Elizabeth B. *Second Grade:* Emma S. (1st Place) and Addison T. *Third Grade:* Phoebe P. and Eva S. *Fourth Grade:* Olivia G. *Sixth Grade:* Arianna B. (2nd Place) *Eighth Grade:* Jacquelyn T.



## PTSU MOTHER DAUGHTER EVENT NEWS

To help IWA PTSU plan the Mother Daughter event, we are asking for your feedback! Please click on the button below to complete a brief survey by Monday, January 30, that will help us plan our event in May.

#### Click here to complete the 2023 Mother Daughter Event Survey

## SCIENCE OLYMPIAD: GRADES 4 - 6



Exploring the World of Science

ATTENTION 4th, 5th and 6th grade scientists! It is time to sign up for this year's John Carroll University Science Olympiad!



Please click on the link below to register to join us. More information about days and times for practices will be sent in a follow up to all registrants.

Parents, consider facilitating! If interested, contact Mrs. Hribar at <u>ahribar@incarnatewordacademy.org</u>. The event this year will be at John Carroll University on Saturday, March 18. Registration is open to students able to commit to that date. <u>Last day to sign up is next Sunday, January 22</u>.

> Science Olympiad Registration

# **IWA SPIRIT WEAR**

If you are in need of a hoodie or sweatpants for gym class, the online store is open. Please note that there is a shipping fee as all items will be shipped directly to your home. Click the button below to begin your order!

Click here to shop!

## **COMMUNITY EVENTS: Parma Heights**



Interested in part-time work? This position begins at 11:00 a.m. and ends at 1:00 p.m. daily; however, you can commit to as many days a week that fits your schedule. Contact Alexis Flinn to learn more. Aflinn@incarnatewordacademy.org

## IWA ALUMNI NEWS



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