

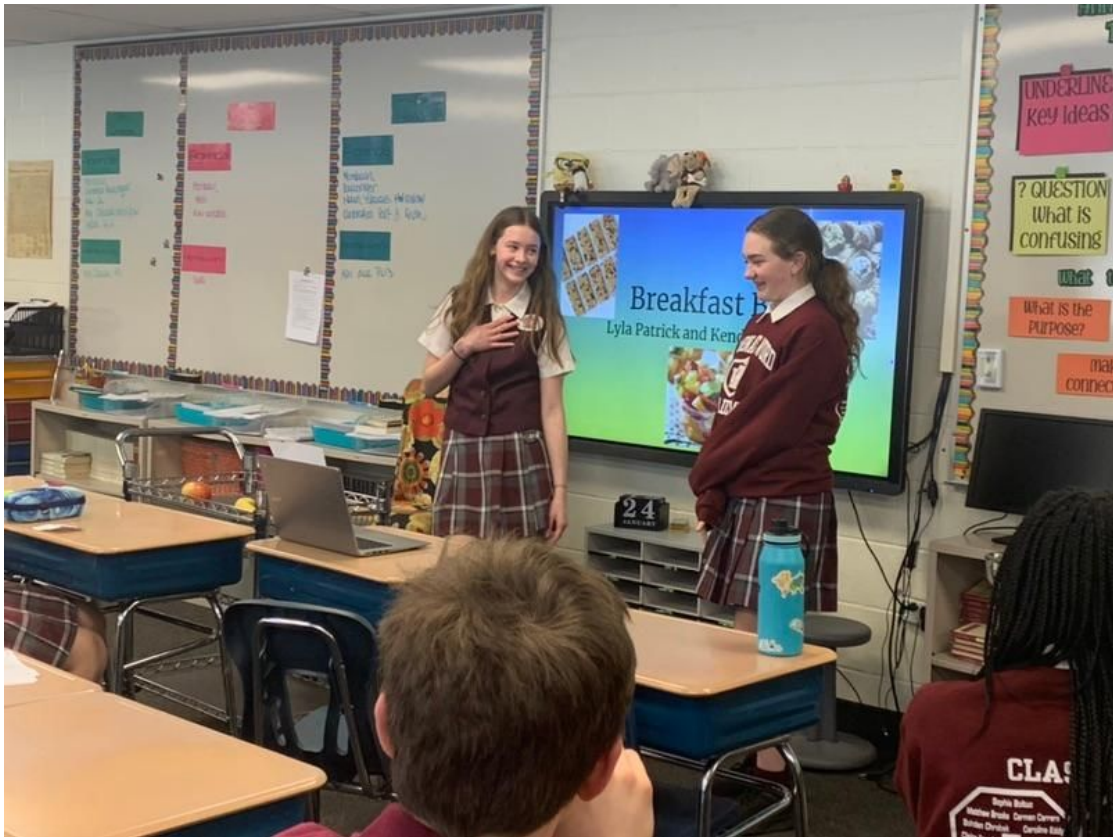


IWA Newsletter - January 27, 2023

CLASSROOM HIGHLIGHTS

from the desk of Mrs. Congelio

How can we make IWA more exceptional?



Our eighth grade students have been working on a problem based learning unit exploring what new policy or idea could be implemented at IWA to make it a *more* exceptional school! The culmination of the project included student pitches that showcased their ideas. The group above proposed a breakfast bar idea so that all students would have access to a healthy breakfast before starting the day. Thank you to our guest judges, Mrs. O'Rourke and Mrs. DelBane! We will be sharing the top ideas next week!

IWA SPELLING CLUB NEWS



Pictured from L to R: Mrs. DelBane, Ross M., Samhita M., Aadith S., Nazar P., Maria S., Advait N., and Mrs. Rolle.

This week, Grades 4 – 8 Spelling Club members participated in the IWA Spelling Competition in St. Joseph Hall. Spellers in Grades 4 and 5 participated in the Excellence Division while students in Grades 6 – 8 competed in the Championship Division. All spellers were given a list of over 4,000 words to study!

In the Excellence Division, Markian A., Priscilla C., Molly D., Katherine H., Laya J., Shamita K., Samhita M., Ross M., Penelope P., Phoebe P., and Aadith S., spelled words such as squinched, counterfeit, and lustrum. Samhita M. came in third place while Ross and Aadith battled for first. After a written round, Aadith came in second place and Ross took first.

Waard B., Sofia B., Annabelle C., Ariana D., Saharsh G., Kiran J., Demyan M., Advait N., Nazar P., Aayaan S., Maria S., and Anna Marie S., all competed in the Championship Division. They spelled words such as vesuvian, limousine, and cauterize. Nazar took third place, Maria clinched second place and Advait came in first place. Advait's winning word was cermet.

Special thanks to our second grade teachers, Mrs. Rolle and Mrs. DelBane, for their hard work in working with and preparing our students for competition.

Advait will compete in the Online Testing Platform beginning on February 15. IWA wishes you continued success in the next round!

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK 2023

[Click here for the 2023 Catholic Schools Week](#)

Family Mass and Open House - Sunday, January 29



Please join us on Sunday, January 29, at 10:30 a.m. 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. All are welcome!

Please RSVP at the link below if you are attending!

**IWA Family Mass
RSVP**

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**

2023-2024 ENROLLMENT FOR CURRENT FAMILIES

Enrollment for current families is open. To re-enroll your current students, please log into your Digital Academy account. On your home page, you will see a yellow box alert on the right hand side that will prompt you to begin the enrollment process.

Please note that if you are enrolling a Kinder Prep student, you will need to complete a New Student Application. You will see a link as you re-enroll your current students.

If you need any assistance as you move through this process, please contact Heather Schmuhl at hschmuhl@incarnatewordacademy.org or 440-842-6818 ext. 304.

2023-2024 TUITION ASSISTANCE

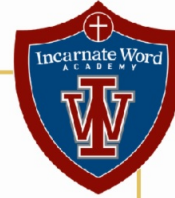
We understand and appreciate the financial commitment that comes with the investment in an education from Incarnate Word Academy, and strive to make tuition affordable for all families by offering financial aid based on family need. If

you are interested in applying for financial aid, please complete a FACTS application no later than March 15, 2023. More information is available at <https://online.factsmgt.com/aid> and in the information below.

**Diocesan Tuition
Assistance Timeline**

**Diocesan Tuition
Assistance FAQ**

SAVE THE DATE FOR WARRIOR WEEKEND!



Save the Date for IWA's Third Annual Warrior Weekend!

**IWA Spring Fling
Saturday, April 29, 2023**

Join us as we honor:

*Sr. Elizabeth Cooper, SIW
Sr. Elizabeth Ann Sheahan, SIW
Mrs. Cheryl DelBane '83
Dr. Chester A. Bizga*

**IWA Fun Run
Sunday, April 30, 2023**



Tickets and sponsorships will be available soon!

PTSU EVENT NEWS

Save the Date! Mother Son Bowling: Sunday, February 5



IWA
BOWLING
Mother/Son Event

SUNDAY 5 FEB <hr/> 12:00 PM- 2:30PM	YORKTOWN LANES <hr/> \$15 PER PERSON	INCLUDED: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 1.5 HR BOWLING• SHOES• 2 PIZZA SLICES• CHIPS• POP• COOKIE	DETAILS: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• IWA SONS AND MOTHER FIGURE ONLY• DEADLINE TO REGISTER: 02/01/2023
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[Register here or via your Digital Academy dashboard!](#)

[Questions? Click here to contact PTSU!](#)

Mother Daughter Event Survey

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](#)

Father Daughter Dance: Friday, March 10



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 Spirit Wear!](#)

HELP WANTED: LUNCH GUARDS

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 at Aflinn@incarnatewordacademy.org.

CAN YOU HELP OUR NEW CLUB?

We have several students that would like to start a club that features creative writing and drawing, specifically poetry and comics.

If you or someone you know would be interested in helping with this club, please contact Steffany Congelio at scongelio@incarnatewordacademy.org.



IWA ALUMNI NEWS

Paul Mraz - IWA Class of 1981

Paul Mraz '81 has joined FzioMed, Inc., a global leading surgical biomaterials company, as its new President and CEO and member of the Board of Directors. Paul has broad industry experience at multiple medical device companies from innovative startups to the world's largest healthcare companies and has been responsible as CEO for the success of numerous game changing medical technologies during his 30+ year career in the life sciences industry.

Congratulations to you, Paul!

St. Ignatius High School Honor Roll

Congratulations to the following Incarnate Word Academy Alumni for their Honors Achievements during their first semester at St. Ignatius High School!



Owen Anderson '23 - Second Honors
Maksim Andrich '23 - Second Honors
Liam Bracken '26 - Second Honors
Luke Bracken '23 - Second Honors
Evan Calton '23 - First Honors
Justin Chan '25 - First Honors
Rafael Fini '26 - Honors
Roman Fini '23 - First Honors
Jack Finkle '26 - First Honors
Noah Gabric '25 - First Honors
Andrew Haas '25 - First Honors
Blake Herman '24 - Second Honors
Andrew Morris '25 - First Honors

Matthew Muntean '25 - First Honors
Charles Pafford '23 - First Honors
Nihar Patel '25 - Honors
Evan Richter '25 - First Honors
William Rosby '26 - Honors
Anthony Ruffa '26 - Second Honors
Colin Southworth '25 - Second Honors
Pierce Spencer '23 - Honors
Anthony Thein '24 - Second Honors
Nathan Trickett '23 - First Honors
Harshil Tutukuri '23 - Honors
Victor Vysotskiy '23 - Honors
Edward Zalar '23 - First Honors

Are you an Incarnate Word Academy alumni? We'd love to hear from you! Please take a moment, click a button below and send us an update!

Are you an IWA Alumni? Click
here!

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