



IWA Weekly Newsletter
January 16, 2026

CLASSROOM HIGHLIGHTS

WE BELIEVE: *LEARNING IS INTENTIONAL*



Buzzing with excitement! Our students did an amazing job at IWA's recent Spelling Bee, after learning hundreds of words. Thank you to our teachers, judges, and families for supporting our young spellers!

Our spellers have been practicing for the last several months, from 7-7:30 am weekly, with club moderators Mrs. Cheryl DeBane and Mrs. Rolle, demonstrating the Warrior traits of being Accountable, Intellectual, and Resilient!

A special shoutout to our top performers!

	GRADES 4 & 5	GRADES 6-8
1st Place	Arjun P.	Shamita K.
2nd Place	Mia K.	Samhita M.
3rd Place	Tony M.	Mishika P.

WE BELIEVE: *COLLABORATION MAKES US BETTER*



Meet our first Acer Techsperts!

Congratulations to eighth grade students Dominic T. and Hudson S., who are shining examples of innovation and dedication as current members of the IWA Tech Club! Their recent accomplishment in completing ACER's eLearning Chromebook Repair Program has earned them the esteemed Chromebook Repair Techspert credential—a testament to their hard work and commitment to excellence.

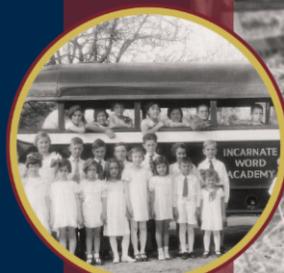
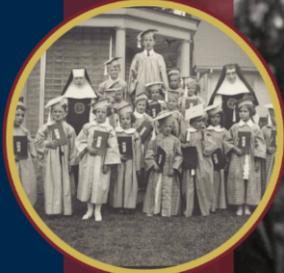


By completing this training and demonstrating competency on a final assessment, both boys earned credentials qualifying them to repair select Acer Chromebooks, gaining more practical work experience as IT staff on campus and preparing them for challenges and opportunities that lie ahead in an ever-evolving tech field. Way to go, Dominic and Hudson!

OPEN HOUSE CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK



Experience a Legacy



CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

Open House

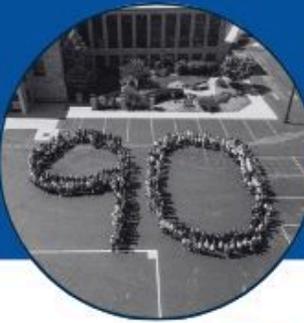
JANUARY

SUNDAY

25

12:30-2:00PM

INCARNATE WORD ACADEMY
6620 Pearl Road
Parma Heights
44130



SUNDAY, JANUARY 25
Celebrating IWA Families & Communities

- Mass at St. John Bosco at 11:00 a.m. including CYO teams
- Open House from 12:30-2:00

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK 2026



MONDAY, JANUARY 26

Celebrating the Military

- Students may add camouflage top or accessories to uniform bottoms
- Honoring military activities



TUESDAY, JANUARY 27

Celebrating the Sisters of the Incarnate Word & Vocations

- All School Mass at 10 am



WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 28

Celebrating Our Nations

- Cultural/Unity Walk
- Students may dress down in cultural attire or red, white, and blue



THURSDAY, JANUARY 29

Celebrating Our Faculty & Staff

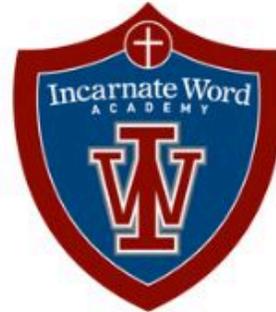
- Students may dress like an IWA teacher
- Faculty Luncheon



FRIDAY, JANUARY 30

Celebrating Our Students

- Students may dress down or wear pajamas
- Bingo in the gym
- 8th grade vs. Faculty volleyball game at 12:45 pm.



Share Your Legacy

We enthusiastically invite all families to participate in our Open House Mass on January 25th at St. John Bosco, in celebration of Catholic Schools Week. Mass begins at 11:00 a.m. Click below to be a reader, altar server, or offer the gifts.

[CLICK HERE](#) to participate in Mass.

Calling All Alumni

Alumni, you are a part of the IWA legacy!
Our Catholic Schools Week Open House is on
January 25th from 12:30- 2 p.m. at IWA.

We plan to showcase our faculty, staff, students, the Sisters, and hopefully you! We are looking for alumni ambassadors that would like to share their experiences with others. Are you a current high school or college student willing to return and share how IWA has helped shape your future? We would love to have you back!

[Alumni, CLICK HERE](#)

IMPORTANT DATES

Mark your calendar with these important dates which can also be found on our calendar in Digital Academy and on our IWA App.

January 19

- No School - MLK Day of Service

January 21

- Science Fair Open House-*rescheduled from Jan. 14*

January 23

- Dress Down for IWA Fund-*rescheduled from Jan. 15*
- Q2 Report Cards sent home electronically

January 25

- Catholic Schools Week Family Mass & Open House

January 26

- Re-enrollment Begins!

January 30

- IWA Performing Arts Talent Show

DRESS DOWN for the IWA Fund has been rescheduled for Friday, January 23rd!

SAVE THE DATE!

Help us wrap up Catholic Schools Week and support our students' talents at the IWA Performing Arts Talent Show. This fundraising event will be held on **Friday, January 30th at 5 pm** in Saint Joseph Hall.



Tickets go on sale next Friday!



Get a bird's eye view of the clubs offered at IWA throughout the year. Registration for clubs can be found in our newsletter closer to the date when the club starts. Click clubs@IWA!

AVAILABLE POSITIONS

Lunch Monitor

We are currently looking for a lunch monitor to assist during our school lunch periods. If you or someone you know is interested, please contact Mrs. Congelio for more information. Your support would be greatly appreciated!

Custodial/Maintenance

IWA is looking to hire a full-time custodial person to join our maintenance team. The position offers a competitive salary, benefits, paid time off, and a great work environment. If you know somebody who might be interested, please have them contact Mike Wisnor at mwisnor@incarnatewordacademy.org.

SPRING SPORTS SIGN-UPS

Get ready for an exciting spring season! Students can now sign up for **Track & Field** and **Baseball**. Don't miss the chance to be part of the team, build skills, and have fun representing IWA. **The deadline to register is March 1.** Click the link below to sign up today!

[Click here to sign up!](#)

THE LION KING, JR.

Support the Drama Club by purchasing an ad in our program!

Looking for a splashy option that includes a photo or business logo? An **Ad** is the perfect choice. Want to wish your favorite cast or crew member good luck? A **Shout-Out** is a great way to show your support.

Ads and shout-outs need to be submitted by Friday, February 27th.



[PURCHASE AN AD](#)

[PURCHASE A SHOUTOUT](#)

FIELD DAY T-SHIRT DESIGN

We could be wearing YOUR design on field day!

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 wear proudly at this year's Field Day.



Designs are **due by January 23**.

Click and review the attached flyer for all the details.

[Click here for more details](#)

HOMework CLUB-SEMESTER II

HOMework
CLUB

AN AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAM FOR
STUDENTS IN GRADES 3-6

2:45-3:30 P.M.
MONDAY- THURSDAY

- A CALM AND QUIET SPACE FOR STUDENTS TO FOCUS
 - TEACHER SUPPORT AS NEEDED
 - A CHANCE TO DEVELOP GOOD WORK HABITS
- AN OPPORTUNITY TO DEVELOP SKILLS TO BECOME INDEPENDENT LEARNERS

LED BY MS. ALBERT
FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE!

**Now Enrolling
for
Semester II**

A purple backpack filled with various school supplies including pencils, pens, notebooks, and a ruler. The backpack is positioned in the bottom left corner of the flyer.

[CLICK HERE TO ENROLL](#)

ROBOTICS SUPPLIES NEEDED

WANTED

Robotics Team Supplies

Our IWA robotics team has a wish list! If you happen to have any of these items (we do not want people to have to spend money, especially after the holiday, but maybe some of these items are things you have that you don't use! If so, our team would be happy to put them to good use.
Simply send in to Mrs. Hribar!



AN RC
MOBILE



POWER SWITCH



STORAGE

STUDENT SAVERS PROGRAM

Unity Catholic Federal Credit Unions **Student Savers Program** is an excellent way for your child to learn about money and how to save. Unity Catholic is providing an opportunity for your child to open their own savings account.



Mrs. Kelly Reddy will be at IWA on Friday from 7:30-8:00 am. For more information see the attached flyer!

[CLICK HERE FOR MORE INFORMATION](#)

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION NEWS

Join us for our upcoming Athletic Association meetings! These gatherings are a great opportunity to get involved, share ideas, and support our Warrior athletic programs.

All parents and supporters are welcome. Come see how you can make a difference for our student-athletes!

- **Monday, February 9th @ 6p**
- Monday, March 9th @ 6p
- Monday, April 13th @ 6p
- Monday, May 11th @ 6p



Join us for the

ATHLETIC MEETINGS

MONDAYS @ 6PM

ST. JOSEPH HALL HOSPITALITY ROOM

DECEMBER 15TH
JANUARY 12TH
FEBRUARY 9TH
MARCH 9TH
APRIL 13TH
MAY 11TH

JOIN US TO DISCUSS ATHLETICS AND ANY QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS YOU MAY HAVE

The poster features illustrations of a basketball player, a cheerleader, and a basketball.

ALUMNI UPDATE

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

[Are you an IWA alum? Click here!](#)

PTSU



We've moved!

All PTSU related meetings, information, events, and fundraisers can now be viewed **EVERY THURSDAY** in our newly created PTSU newsletter. Find everything you need in one location!

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