



IWA Weekly Newsletter
January 23, 2026

CLASSROOM HIGHLIGHTS

WE BELIEVE: *LEARNING IS INTENTIONAL*



Our emerging educators read Margie Palatini's *THE PERFECT PET* to our kinder prep students and then engaged on a design session building their own perfect pets! In the story, Elizabeth really wants a pet but her family feels it is not the best decision. Be sure to ask what pet she ended up with! Mr. Halusker is sure to approve one of them!

WE BELIEVE: *COLLABORATION MAKES US BETTER*



More Acer Techsperts!

Last week we shared that Dominic T. and Hudson S. completed ACER's eLearning Chromebook Repair Program and earned the esteemed Chromebook Repair Techspert credential.



We are excited to share that Katherine H. and Laya J. have also joined this elite group of Acer Techsperts, as they successfully completed the required training and demonstrated competency on a final assessment. We are so proud of our students' determination!

YOUR VOICE MATTERS!

Calling all Stakeholders: Parents, Alumni, and Friends of IWA!

Incarnate Word Academy is embarking on a strategic planning process designed to set our future course. An important part of this process is to gather feedback from key stakeholders like you.

We invite you to share your perspectives of the school by clicking on the survey link below. Your responses will be sent directly to Mike Wisnor who will aggregate all results to maintain your confidentiality. ***The survey should take 5-10 minutes to complete.*** We request that you complete the survey no later than January 30.

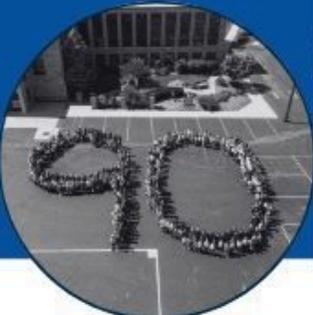


[Click here to begin the survey.](#)

Please be open and honest in your feedback so we can best develop our strategic plan. Thank you in advance for your time and commitment to Incarnate Word Academy's future.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

ANNIVERSARY
1935 **90TH** 2025
CELEBRATION



Sunday's Open House has been canceled due to weather conditions.

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



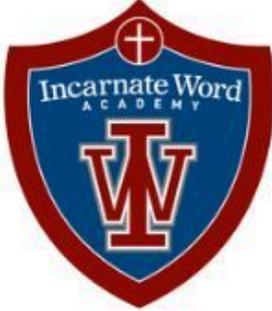
THURSDAY, JANUARY 29
Celebrating Our Faculty & Staff

- 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.



ALUMNI ACHIEVEMENTS

Congratulations to the following IWA alumnae who achieved academic honors during the first half the 2025-2026 school year at Saint Joseph Academy!

The students listed below achieved a GPA of 3.7 or higher for the first semester in the 2025-2026 school year with the following honors level:



Yeva B. - High Honors	Adelyn H. - High Honors	Joelle P. - High Honors
Carmen C. - Honors	Sophia H. - Honors	Genevieve R. - High Honors
Maya C. - High Honors	Peyton N. - High Honors	Samantha S. - High Honors
Ariana D. - High Honors	Lyla P. - High Honors	Victoria S. - High Honors
Caroline E. - Honors	Alexa P. - High Honors	Julia S. - Honors
Megan F. - High Honors	Sophia P. - High Honors	Keshema S. - High Honors

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 26

- Re-enrollment Begins!

January 27

- Q2 Report Cards sent home electronically

January 30

- IWA Performing Arts Talent Show

Dress Down for the IWA Fund has been rescheduled to **Friday, February 6th**. This dress down day was moved due to no school on Friday, Jan. 23.

TALENT SHOW TICKETS!

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. Ticket sales close on January 30 at 8 am.



Adults- \$5
Children (3-14)- \$4
Under 3- Free

[PURCHASE TICKETS HERE](#)



Summer Updates & Notices at IWA

Please see [THIS COMMUNICATION](#) regarding summer improvements, summer camps and tutoring at IWA for the 2025-26 school year.



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!](#)

KINDERGARTEN SCREENING

Kindergarten screening will take place on **Monday, March 9** and **Tuesday, March 10**. Children who are currently enrolled in Kinder Prep at IWA do not need to sign up for a screening time.

Screening sign-ups are only required for children who are not currently enrolled in Kinder Prep at IWA.

Click the link below for additional information and to reserve a screening time.

[Click here to sign up!](#)

AVAILABLE POSITIONS

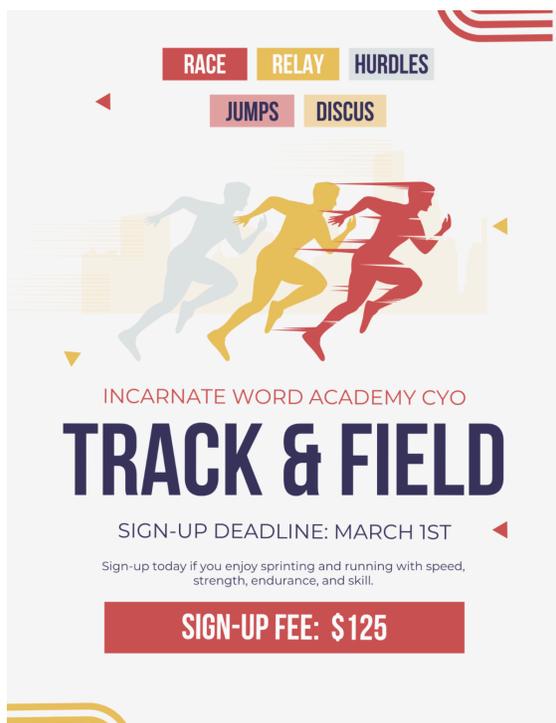
Lunch Monitor

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



RACE RELAY HURDLES
JUMPS DISCUS

INCARNATE WORD ACADEMY CYO
TRACK & FIELD

SIGN-UP DEADLINE: MARCH 1ST

Sign-up today if you enjoy sprinting and running with speed, strength, endurance, and skill.

SIGN-UP FEE: \$125



INCARNATE WORD ACADEMY CYO

BASEBALL

SIGN-UP **\$125** DEADLINE **1 MARCH**

JOIN THE EXCITEMENT
OF BASEBALL

Are you ready to hit a home run this season? Sign up for CYO Baseball and give your child the opportunity to learn, grow, and have fun on the field!

TEAMWORK • LEARN SKILLS • HAVE FUN

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

A flyer for 'Homework Club' with a blue background, white clouds, and illustrations of school supplies like a pencil, a backpack, and a pencil case. The text is centered and uses various colors for emphasis.

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

[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 a basketball player on the left and a cheerleader on the right, with a pom-pom graphic in the top right corner. The background has a light orange and white color scheme with a large 'W' shape.

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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