

IWA Weekly Newsletter May 2, 2025

Classroom Highlights from the desk of Mrs. Congelio

What's your superpower? Students in Mrs. Micheli's sixth grade technology class explored robotics using LEGOs and the Warrior Design Process to create an everyday object. Students were challenged create something to unique for the object, serving as its superpower. For the final product, students will use coding to program the object to move.







As a creative culmination to Jacqueline Davies' novel, *The Lemonade War,* the third grade class reimagined their own lemonade stands and wow, were we in for a treat at the offerings they showcased to their peer customers! From mobile booths to bracelets, grandma's iced tea to chocolate, snow cones to paintings, coffee to new lemonade ideas, slime to ice cream, and brownies to cookies, they have got you covered!

Students applied ideas from the book and the entrepreneurial Lemonade Stand Game and made decisions such as their career role, where they could be found and why, pricing (cost and profit), branding, and



more! Recognizing that to compete in the marketplace, a business needs to set themselves apart from the competition, students had innovative ideas such as: senior discounts, price-point deals, buy-one-get-one, customizable creations, and so much more! We would not be surprised to find some of these businesses come to fruition as they worked through the Warrior Design Cycle and have now received some feedback from their peers!



<u>CLICK HERE</u> to register your child for summer tutoring or enrichment. Keep your child's skills sharp, get assistance competing summer work packets, prepare for high school placement tests and more! Registration ends on May 30th!

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STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

Warriors of the Month



Congratulations to our April Warriors of the Month. These students and teacher are were recognized for being Service-Driven.

Service-Driven: We bring the Gospel message to life by serving those in need, especially the most vulnerable amongst us.

Back Row (left to right): Alayna H., Irma B., Magdalene W., Lincoln S., Dominik E., Lottie M., Anna Marie S., Mrs. Hribar



Middle Row: Myrosia H., Makayla G., Mia S., Sivanshi V., Lydia G., Elizabeth B.

Front Row: Matei G., Emma P., Lucea S., Logan C., Ryan S., Lillian C.

Picture Separately: Olexa H.

IMPORTANT DATES

Mark Your Calendar!

Spring MAP Testing for grades K-8 will begin on Monday, April 28th and continue through May 15th. Your child's homeroom teacher will let you know what specific days your child will be testing.

May 8: Marian Devotions will take place at 10 am in Saint Joseph Hall. This school-wide prayer service will be led by our eighth grade class. All are welcome to join us as we honor Mary! Students should be in Mass uniform.

May 9: Annual Military Walk (see details below)

May 10: IWA Spring Fling at St. Joseph Hall

May 12: Kindergarten Signing Day! Incoming 2025-26 kindergarten families, stop by anytime between 3:30-5:00 pm.

May 13: PTSU Meeting/Social at Michael Angelo's Winery at 7 pm.

May 14: Music Concert for Grades 2 & 4 in St. Joseph Hall at 6:30 pm.

May 16: Field Day at IWA! 7th & 8th grade Dance at St. Joseph Hall at 6 pm.



2025-2026 TUITION INVOICES

This week all families were billed for the 2025-2026 tuition based on the personal tuition statement

from Mr. Wisnor sent home in January 2025 with enrollment information. This invoice is due by May 30, 2025. After this date, a \$200.00 surcharge per child will be added to your account. All tuition is to be paid in full by August 1, 2025. When you log into Digital Academy you will see a remaining balance for 2024-2025 tuition on your account. DO NOT PAY THIS. This is the balance of your award from the state that is paid each month. This balance will not be paid in full until June of this year. Again, do not pay this invoice. Please only select to make your payment on the description



that reads 2025-2026 tuition. If you have any questions please contact Mrs. Bleakley before making any payments:

hbleakley@incarnatewordacademy.org.

Should you prefer to take a loan for your 2025-2026 tuition invoice you may apply for an IWA Tuition Loan through <u>Unity Catholic Federal Credit Union</u>.

- 1. Go to Unity Catholic's website by clicking<u>HERE</u>.
- 2. In the upper right corner, click "Apply For A Loan"
- 3. Select "IWA Tuition Loan"
- 4. Select "Individual Credit"
- 5. Someone from Unity Catholic will contact you to complete this process.

We ask that you sign off on the final loan documents by May 16.

KINDER PREP ENROLLMENT

Enrollment for our Kinder Prep program is open! This is a wonderful opportunity to begin your child's educational journey at Incarnate Word Academy.

Please note that your child must be **4 years old** to begin the program and a **non-refundable \$250 registration fee and 10% of tuition are required** at the time of enrollment to reserve your child's place.

If you currently have a child enrolled in Kinder Prep who will remain in Kinder Prep for the 2025-2026 year please contact Mr. Kessler.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Gabe Kessler in our Admissions Office at (440) 842-6818 x304 or by email at <u>gkessler@incarnatewordacademy.org</u>

> Click here to enroll in Kinder Prep

2025-2026 CALENDER

The official school calendar for the 2025-2026 school year is here! Click the button below to download and review next year's calendar.



August 20 - First Day of School for Grades 1-8. August 25 - First Day of School for Kindergarten and Kinder Prep.

2025-2026 Parent Calendar

SPRING FLING

Spring Fling Silent Auction Opens May 7!

Although ticket sales for the Spring Fling have now closed, there's still a chance to join in on the fun! Our silent auction opens **Wednesday, May 7**, and you don't need to be present to bid or win.



We have a wide array of exciting items up for grabs—including a week-long vacation in Florida, a 5-day getaway in North Carolina, Cleveland Guardians tickets, and swag baskets from our local high schools!

Keep an eye on your email or our Facebook page for more information on May 7 for how to join in the fun!

VBS AT SAINT JOHN BOSCO

Vacation Bible School at St. John Bosco is scheduled for July 14-18 in the evening.

CLICK HERE

for more information and to register. This camp is for ages preschool (POTTY TRAINED 3, 4, and 5 year olds) thru incoming 6th grade.



PTSU NEWS

IWA's Annual Field Day is coming up on Friday, May 16—a favorite day for our students! To make it a success, we need parent volunteers for roles like classroom chaperones, game helpers, inflatable monitors, and more.

Check your chosen slot for arrival time; more details will be shared closer to the event.

Spend a fun-filled day with your child—sign up to volunteer!

Click HERE to volunteer

Field Day 2025

Let the Games Begin!





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THURS JULY 31ST

IWA FAMILIES AND FRIENDS ARE WELCOME BETWEEN 11AM - 9PM A PORTION OF ALL MINI GOLF AND ICE CREAM SALES WILL BE DONATED TO IWA PTSU. BE SURE TO MENTION IWA PTSU AT BOTH CHECK OUTS! THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

> 20% OF DAIRY QUEEN SALES; 50% OF MINI GOLF GO BACK TO IWA

BE SURE TO WEAR IWA GEAR OR COLORS TO IDENTIFY YOURSELVES AND MEET OTHER FELLOW FAMILIES

ALUMNI

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!

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