

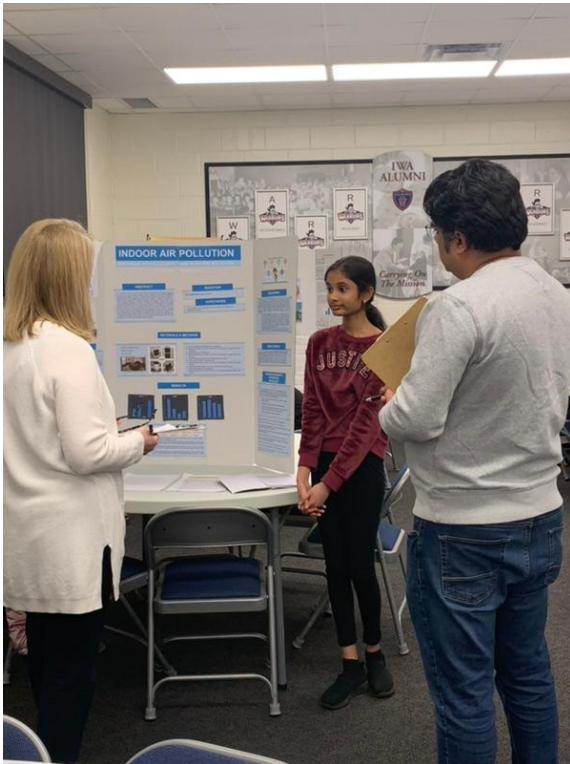


***IWA Newsletter***  
***March 8, 2024***

**CLASSROOM HIGHLIGHTS**

*from the desk of Mrs. Congelio*

**SCIENCE FAIR PREPARATION**



Our seventh grade science fair competitors are gearing up for The Ohio Academy of Science district competition. Students have been working on their project, report, and presentation throughout the year.

The district competition allows the students to learn and practice the principles of scientific research, to meet others interested in scientific study, and to earn recognition for academic excellence.

A special thank you to the mock judges who worked with our students to offer feedback in preparation for districts. IWA alumnus Scott Legeza, Class of '10 and former student of Ms. Rossman, joined the team!

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**LEARNING AT THE PLAYHOUSE**



Our kindergarten students visited the Playhouse Square where they saw the production of Rosie Revere, Engineer & Friends! The production is a musical based on books by Andrea Beaty, spotlighting the STEM curriculum. The lessons from the production reinforces learning in the classroom, especially when utilizing the design process to solve problems.

## CALENDAR NOTES



# 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR CALENDAR

The 2024-2025 school year calendar will be shared next week. Stay tuned!

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A poster for talent show auditions. The background is a dark stage with red curtains and yellow stars. In the center is a yellow starburst containing the text 'TALENT SHOW AUDITIONS!'. Below this, the dates and location are listed: 'DATES: Tuesday, March 26th 3:00pm - 4:30pm' and 'Thursday, March 28th 3:00pm - 4:30pm' at 'St. Joseph's Hall'. A call to action reads 'SIGN UP HERE AND MORE INFO:' followed by a URL: 'https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E4AAC923A6F8C34-48202133-talent'. At the bottom, it says 'Please reach out to Ms. Ruffing or Mrs. Stieglmeyer for additional questions'. The poster is decorated with icons of a microphone, a ballerina, two theater masks, and a guitar.

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**IWA SUMMER CAMP 2024**

# SUMMER MEMORIES AT IWA



**CAMP WARRIOR**

**REGISTRATION OPENS ON  
MARCH 1ST!**

**SEE CAMP  
OFFERINGS  
HERE**



**2024**



**REGISTER FOR CAMPS  
HERE**



# WHERE BRIGHT IDEAS COME TO LIFE



This year's all-new program sparks curiosity and builds confidence as campers collaborate in fun, hands-on STEM challenges led by qualified local educators to help their creativity shine.

**SAVE \$25**  
WITH CODE **FUN25**  
EXPIRES MARCH 27, 2024

**SAVE \$15**  
WITH CODE **FUN15**  
EXPIRES MAY 16, 2024

**SAVE \$30**  
WITH CODE **SIBLOVE30**  
FOR 2 SIBLINGS

**SAVE \$40**  
WITH CODE **SIBLOVE40**  
FOR 3 OR MORE SIBLINGS

## SECURE YOUR SPOT TODAY!

Register at [INVENT.ORG/CAMP](http://INVENT.ORG/CAMP) or 800-968-4332

Grades: K - 6th

Location: Incarnate Word Academy  
6620 Pearl Rd, Parma Heights, OH 44130

Date: June 17 - 21, 2024

Time & Cost: 9:00 AM to 3:30 PM | \$270 (before discount)

Camp Director: Mary Beth Schram | 440-842-6818

If these dates/times don't work for you, please visit [invent.org/camp](http://invent.org/camp) for other locations near you.

Camp Invention is not a school-sponsored program or school-affiliated activity.

**REGISTER HERE!**

Camp Invention is a nonprofit program of the National Inventors Hall of Fame.



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U.S. Department of Defense (DoD) STEM  
Walton Family Foundation

## PARADE THE CIRCLE - FAMILY COMMUNITY EVENT

Looking for an opportunity for your family to collaborate in community arts? If so, we want you to join us in the first-ever Incarnate Word Academy [Parade the Circle](#) entry? STEAM Advisory Leader, artist, and parent Bernadette Glorioso and her collective have been chosen to lead Parade the Circle, a most wondrous annual event in University Heights, this June 8! Want to learn more about this event? Explore [Parade the Circle Village](#). We hope you and your family may be able to join us, just sign up at the link below! Questions? [Click here to email Mrs. Hribar!](#)



[Click here to sign up!](#)

## FIELD DAY 2024 T-SHIRT ORDER FORM

Field Day 2024 will be here before we know it! Click the button below to purchase your child's Field Day t-shirt through Digital Academy.

[Click here for Student Field Day TShirt Order Form](#)

## SPRING CHESS CLUB REGISTRATION

Save the date for the spring session of the IWA Chess Club! Chess will be held on Thursdays after school from 2:45 to 3:45 p.m., beginning April 11, 2024 and ending on May 16, 2024. The program is open to students in Grades K-8. Click the button below to register!



[Click here to register!](#)

## PTSU NEWS



IWA PT&A  
MARCH MEETING



WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13TH

@ 7 P.M.

@ SAINT JOSEPH HALL

 ALL PARENTS &

STAFF ARE WELCOME!



**LENT SOUP SUPPER & STATIONS**



# PLEASE JOIN US



**LENTEN SOUP SUPPER  
&  
LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS  
PRESENTED BY THE CLASS OF 2024**

Wednesday, March 27th  
6:00-8:00 p.m.  
Saint Joseph Hall

\$5 per person or \$15 per family will be collected at the door to support the CRS Rice Bowl program.

**TO RSVP FOR THE EVENT PLEASE [CLICK HERE!](#)**



## IWA ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION NEWS

### Monthly Meeting and 2024-2026 Board Nominations

The IWA Athletic Association invites all parents and guardians to attend its monthly meetings which are held on the second Monday each month. Our next meeting is on Monday, March 11, 2024, at 7 p.m. in the Sisters Hospitality Room in St. Joseph Hall.

Nominations and volunteers are now being sought for the 2024-2026 IWA Athletic Association Board. If you have any interest in serving on the Board, please contact Chris Brooks at 440-409-6291 or attend the next monthly meeting.



# SPRING SPIRIT WEAR SHOP CLOSES NEXT WEEK!

This warm weather has got us thinking about Spring and the IWA Spring Spirit Wear shop is open! Check out the variety of items available just in time for the warmer weather.

The online shop is open now through Friday, March 15, 2024. All orders will be filled and delivered to the school free of charge before Easter break. [Please click here to contact Mrs. Bleakley if you prefer to pick up your order at the office when it arrives.](#)



Remember that all sales are final. Click the link below to shop now!

[Click here to shop the spring Spirit Wear store!](#)

## SOUND OF MUSIC: CALL FOR PROGRAM ADS AND SHOUT-OUTS



The hills are alive with the Sound of Music! Help support your Drama Club superstar by placing an ad in the program, writing a personalized shout-out, and ordering a recording of the production to enjoy for years to come! Click the links below to place your orders.

All orders are DUE BY MARCH 15.

[Program Ads](#)

[Shout-Outs](#)

[DVD/USB Order](#)

## YEARBOOK 23-24 ORDERS

Orders close March 11

# YEARBOOKS ARE ON SALE NOW!

[CLICK HERE TO PRE-ORDER  
YOUR 2023-2024 YEARBOOK](#)

Questions? Call the studio local or toll free at 216.631.0664 or 800.686.7427 ext. 1.  
[customerservice@ripchostudio.com](mailto:customerservice@ripchostudio.com)    [www.ripchostudio.com](http://www.ripchostudio.com)

## IWA ALUMNI NEWS

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

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