



*IWA Newsletter*  
*May 25, 2024*

## **CLASSROOM HIGHLIGHTS**

*from the desk of Mrs. Congelio*

## **STEWARDS OF CREATION**

Campus Wide Waste Audit





Partnering with the Cuyahoga County Solid Waste District, students at IWA participated in a campus wide waste audit. An Education Specialist from CCSW facilitated a hands-on activity that extended student learning in math, science, and religion.

The students collected a day's worth of garbage at IWA, then sorted, weighed and will now analyze the results to determine how we can become a greener campus. This thinking aligns perfectly with Pope Francis's message upon which he calls on the Catholic faithful to "pledge our commitment to raising awareness about the stewardship of creation."



A very special thank you to Mrs. Liz Hjort (Director of Campus Ministry), Mrs. Anne Hribar (STEAM Building Coach), SIW Congregational Leaders Sister Margaret Taylor and Sister Carol Tobler, Mark Wentz (Director of Facilities), and the IWA Maintenance Team for planning and executing this opportunity.

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## IWA HOSTS 16th ANNUAL MILITARY APPRECIATION DAY



IWA paused on Wednesday to honor and remember the heroic men and women who served our country. Led by Ms. Shalala and her 7th grade students, this patriotic day began with a student-led prayer service at St. Joseph Hall that included recognizing Veterans in attendance and setting the POW/MIA Table to acknowledge those who have not returned home.

The day continued with a 2.5 mile "Exercise Your Freedom Walk" to the Cuyahoga Community College Western Campus. While at Tri-C, students had lunch and listened to US Army Veteran guest speaker, Matt Miller. As a designated Purple Star School through the Ohio Department of Education and Workforce, the annual Military Walk is just one of the ways we support the troops

## PREPARATORY ENRICHMENT COURSE SHOWCASES LEARNING



Students in Mrs. Micheli and Mrs. Kovacs Pickleball Course have just completed this semester-long course,



focusing on learning the game and designing an effective paddle. Learning included the use of an online Digital Design Notebook, various programs such as Sketchpad, Pixie (digital design), Tinkercad (3D design) and Publisher to create a prototype of a pickleball paddle.

On Friday, the students had the opportunity to play pickleball with the paddles they designed and made!

## SUMMER TUTORING AND ENRICHMENT



[\*\*CLICK HERE TO REGISTER\*\*](#)

**Mrs. Shipley**

Math  
Entering grades 2-5  
Tuesday & Thursday  
Location: IWA

**Mr. Hjort (Faculty at St. Ignatius)**

Computer Science & Math  
Entering 7th-9th  
Tuesday & Thursday  
Location: IWA

**Registration ends  
May 24th!**

**Mrs. Borden**

English, Reading & HSPT &  
High School Prep for English & Reading  
Entering grades 5-9  
Monday, Tuesday, & Thursday  
Location: IWA

**Mrs. Battaglia**

On-Track & Honors Math  
Math/Contest Prep  
Summer Bridge Program (requires teacher  
recommendation for students entering 7th)  
Entering grades 6-9  
Tuesday & Thursday  
Location: IWA

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Treehouse Berea is an IWA family-owned business providing STEAM-based enrichment experiences for ages 6-12 in Berea and surrounding suburbs. Check out some of their STEM summer camps below!

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Ohio | Department of Education | Qualified Education Service Provider  
Ohio Department of Education 2023  
aceoio.org/marketplace/201623

www.treehousebera.com  
216-232-2395  
33 E. Bridge Street, Berea



## STEM SUMMER CAMPS!

### ROBOTICS CAMP

Monday July 29th - Friday August 2nd

9am - 12pm

ages 9 to 12

\$249 per student

limited to 12 students



### MINECRAFT CAMP

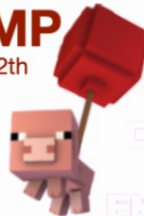
Monday July 8th through Friday July 12th

1pm - 4pm

ages 8 to 12

\$249 per student

limited to 12 students



### GAME DESIGN CAMP

Choose June or July!

9am-12pm or 1pm-4pm

ages 8 to 12

\$249 per student

limited to 12 students



### JR. ROBOTICS CAMP

Monday July 15th - Friday July 19th

1pm - 3pm

ages 6 to 9

\$199 per student

limited to 12 students



### POKEMON S.T.E.A.M. CAMP

Monday July 15th - Friday July 19th

10am - 12pm

ages 7 to 11

\$199 per student

limited to 12 students



**SUMMER CAMPS, AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS, GAME NIGHTS & MORE!**

[www.treehousebera.com](http://www.treehousebera.com)

## DIGITAL ACADEMY ACCOUNT BALANCES DUE MAY 22

### Balance Due!



As we near the end of the school year, this is a friendly reminder that all balances in Digital Academy are due upon receipt.

All invoices past 30 days are to be paid in full to receive the last progress report for the 2023-2024 school year.

Thank you for your attention to this matter!

## Fall Sports Sign-Ups are open!

We continue to encourage all Warriors interested in Fall Sports to sign up before the end of the school year. The links herein for Volleyball, Cheer and Cross Country have not changed.



**HOWEVER, there is new and additional detail for FOOTBALL through St. Anthony set forth herein. Please review.** The IWA Registration Fee for Volleyball, Cross Country and Cheer is \$125 per athlete (with a waiver of any fee for the third or more athletes in a family). **The registration fee for St. Anthony is \$125 through May; \$150 in June; and \$175 in July.**

Please contact Chris Brooks (440) 409-6291 or Tony Lee (440) 539-4962 with any questions.

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### Football: Boys in Grades 1 - 8

**TACKLE** - Boys in Grades 5 – 8 IWA athletes will play for St. Anthony. There will be two teams: (i) one for 5th and 6th Grade (ii) one for 7th and 8th Grade.



**FLAG** – Boys in Grades 1 - 4

**PLEASE REGISTER THROUGH BOTH THE IWA AND THE ST. ANTHONY LINKS HEREIN. PAY REGISTRATION FEE ONLY ON THE ST. ANTHONY LINK. REGISTRATION FEES FOR ST. ANTHONY ARE AS FOLLOWS: \$125 through May; \$150 in June; and \$175 in July.**

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[Click here to register with IWA](#)

[Click here to register with St. Anthony](#)



### Cheer: Boys & Girls in Grades 1 - 8

Cheer is open for girls and boys in Grades 1 - 8. Click below to register!

[Click here to register for Cheer!](#)

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### Volleyball: Girls in Grades 2 - 8

Volleyball is open for girls in Grades 2 - 8. Click

below to register!

[Click here to register for Volleyball!](#)



### **Cross Country: Boys & Girls in Grades 1 - 8**

Cross Country is open for girls and boys in Grades 1 - 8. More details to follow. Click below to register!

[Click here to register for Cross Country!](#)

## **Eucharistic Procession ~ All Are Welcome!**

**IWA will celebrate the Feast of Corpus Christi on Sunday, June 2 with a Eucharistic Procession sponsored by Saint John Bosco Parish.**

The procession will begin after the 11:00 a.m. Mass. Participants will journey down Pearl Road from SJB to IWA, stopping for **Prayer and Benediction** along the way. Participants will return to SJB via Big Creek Parkway. The event will conclude at 1:40 p.m.

**All ages are welcome and volunteers are needed!**

Anyone who would like to help set-up or serve as an Altar Server during the procession can email **Mrs. Hjort** at [ehjort@incarnatewordacademy.org](mailto:ehjort@incarnatewordacademy.org).

**We hope to see you there!**

## **Vacation Bible School at St. John Bosco**

St. John Bosco is hosting Vacation Bible School for children in grades Pre-K to 6 from July 15-19. To register your child, or to volunteer, [click here!](#)

## **5K Run/Walk for Charity**

Please join the St. John Bosco Parish community for the 10th Annual Run with Me 5K! The course will wind along Big Creek Parkway on the MetroParks path. The race will be chip timed and awards for the 5K will be presented to the top male and female overall and the top 3 in each age group! Sponsorships are also available. Please click the link below for more information and to register!

[Click here to register for the SJB Run with Me on June 1!](#)



# IWA SUMMER CAMP 2024



**SUMMER MEMORIES AT IWA**

**CAMP WARRIOR**  
REGISTRATION OPENS ON MARCH 15!  
SEE CAMP OFFERINGS HERE

**2024**



**Camp Invention**

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Register at [INVENT.ORG/CAMP](https://www.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

REGISTER HERE!

**CAMP WARRIOR REGISTRATION**

**CAMP INVENTION REGISTRATION**

## IWA ALUMNI NEWS

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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Address: 6620 Pearl Rd  
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**Get In Touch**

