



Weekly SPOTLIGHT

October 9th, 2026

Principal's Corner

Happy Friday, IC Families!

October is the Month of the Holy Rosary, with the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary celebrated on October 7. On Wednesday morning, our students gathered before school to pray a decade of the Rosary, led by Mrs. Yaros. What a beautiful way to begin our school day—reflecting on our faith, praying together, and drawing closer to Jesus through Mary.

Fun Run Update!

We are excited to share that we have raised **\$13,600.00 toward our school goal!** We have until Sunday to reach our goals of \$15,000 for an extra day off at Thanksgiving break and \$ 16,500 for taping me to the wall during an assembly. Although Mr. Ricard has bravely shaved his head in years past, I had to draw the line! So seeing how much tape it takes to get me to the wall seems like a fun incentive!

Thanks for your support so far, our students have earned a **free jeans day and Kona Ice visit.** A date for both of these rewards will come at a later time. Your generosity is helping make this Fun Run a success and supporting our students, classrooms, and programs. Keep up the great work, IC families. Shout out to Coach G, the PTC and volunteers who helped make fun run awesome for our students this week.

Next week we have no school on Thursday October 15th and Friday October 16th for Teacher Professional Development. With our short week, we will celebrate Mass together on Wednesday October 14th. Please remember mass uniforms.

Lunch Update:

Please help us keep our school day running smoothly by sending your child with a lunch from home or ordering hot lunch for the day. We ask that families refrain from bringing or having fast food delivered for student lunches, as multiple lunch drop-offs interrupt office operations and the school day. Thank you for your understanding, cooperation, and continued support!

I have a few uniform policy reminder, please read below:

1. Please note for appropriate school shoes per our handbook: Shoes may be dress or casual (solid color black, brown or navy or saddle shoes). There are to be no conspicuous logo on the shoes. Soles of the shoes should be of a non-marking material with a minimal tread. Heels should be no higher than a ½ inch. No boots of any style are allowed in the classroom - only to and from school and during recess.

NO GREY school uniform dress shoes are approved or shoes with noticeable brand logo's such as Hey Dudes, Nike, NB, Adidas, Ugg, etc for examples. These 2 stipulations do not comply with our dress code. Shoes need to also fit tightly for safety during recess.

Have a wonderful weekend and enjoy this beautiful Fall weather.

Many Blessings,

Mrs. Coesens

Updated School Calendar, October Lunch Menu & Events



UpdatedSchoolCalendarandEvents2026.pdf

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Important Upcoming Dates

10/14 Mass Day, Please remember Mass uniforms

10/14 8th Grade Fundraiser dinner night @ Trini's Mexican Carryout

10/15-10/16 No School Teacher Professional Development

10/21 Picture Retake Day and Preschool 4's

10/23 NJHS Induction after mass

10/23 PTC Trunk or Treat 6:30pm-8:00pm. Decorating beings at 5:00pm

10/30 No School IC Records Day

10/30 Middle School Dance @ St. Mary McCormick 6:00pm-8:00pm

Join us for the annual PTC

Trunk or Treat

Donuts & Cider available for purchase

Grab your costume and candy bag for a night of spooktacular fun!!

Immaculate Conception School
Parking lot

October 23, 2026
6:30-8 pm

Bring 1 Can good/ non-perishable for admission

Car decorating begins at 5:00 pm and must be done by 6:15 pm



October Lunch Menu.pdf

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Anchor Bay Busing: No Bus Days



These dates were provided to us from Anchor Bay. As changes come to Mrs. Wolf we will update accordingly through email & text alerts.

Nov 3, 2026

Nov 19-20 No P.M. Buses

Nov 23-24 No Buses

Nov 25-27 No Buses

Jan 18 No Buses

Feb 12 No Buses

Mar 11-12 No PM Buses

May 4 No Buses

June 8-9 No Buses

IC Sports

We have found our Athletic Director. Mr. Matthew Pelyak has accepted this role to lead our basketball season for IC. Please email him with any questions regarding the season at:

athleticdirector@iccatholic.org

Cross Country has wrapped up their season. Great job to the team and Mrs. Gordon for coaching our athletes. Carter took first in JV boys against the completing schools. Well done!

Volleyball is about to finish their remaining 5 home games. Even though this season did not happen the traditional CYO route, I want to send a heartfelt thank you to Mr. Kehoe, Mr. Arant and Mr. Hoffman for leading the teams and all the parents who have helped and volunteered during games.

Volleyball Remaining Home Game Schedule:

Saturday 10/10 10:00 am (2 games)

Monday 10/12 6:00pm Eighth Grade Parents Night

Tuesday 10/13 6:00pm Last Game

Fun Run Ends October 11th! Please Keep Sharing!

Our Fun Run end on October 11th, please continue to share to help us reach our school goals!

Thank you for all the sharing and donations so far, we are truly blessed at IC for all the support!



IMMACULATE CONCEPTION SCHOOL
FUN RUN

FUN RUN EVENT DAY: Oct 5, 2026

WITH YOUR HELP WE CAN REACH OUR FUNDRAISING GOALS!

GOAL	AMOUNT
STUDENT GOAL	\$100.00
SCHOOL GOAL	\$18,000.00

HERE'S HOW TO GET STARTED!

- 1 Register or log in to your Parent Dashboard and customize your student's page! Scan the QR code below or visit www.immaculateconception.org/parent-dashboard
- 2 Make a donation to help your child (and their classmates) reach their individual goal! Your donation date is Oct 11, 2026!
- 3 Share your child's page with friends and family! Text, email, or post on social media. You can do it right from your phone. This makes the biggest impact!

SCAN TO REGISTER!

DURING GYM CLASS

[HTTPS://WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/ICSCHOOLPTC](https://www.facebook.com/ICSCHOOLPTC)

UPCOMING EVENTS

Fun Run: 10/5/2026
DONATE & SIGN UP YOUR CHILD ABOVE



Fun Run 2026 Announcement -2026.pdf

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IC Fun Run Fundraising Rewards - 2026.pdf

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8th Grade Fundraiser 10/14



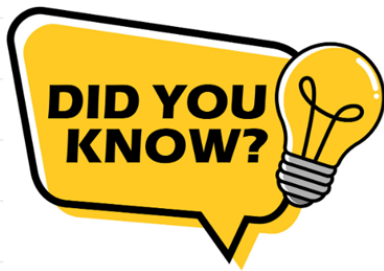
Enjoy Dinner Out While Supporting our 8th Graders

10% of proceeds go to our 8th Grade end of the year trip. Take your family out and enjoy some dinner while supporting our students!

Come Support our 8th Graders!

We would love to see our IC families there supporting them! Go Cougars!

Horn of Plenty



Did you know the Horn of Plenty has raised over \$50,000 in the past two years for School Capital Improvements? Your support can make a difference and we need your help more than ever to spread the word, inspire others to give and keep the momentum going.

We are still looking for volunteer help, please contact Samantha Mehay at smehay@iccatholic.org to learn more and earn service

hours.

How can you help right now? By donating a raffle item, you can help make this fundraiser a success! Here is the link to our Amazon Wish List

<https://a.co/01DMkNtM> (Today & Tomorrow are Prime Big Deal Days) and you can also donate giftcards and get tuition credits by ordering from RiaseRight, just have the physical cards shipped to the coordinator. Any donations are appreciated to help make themed baskets as well: pet, coffee lover, samplers, relaxation, cooking, sports, etc. Please send donations directly to the school office by November 13th, if shipping directly to the school put Horn of Plenty in the attention line. School Address: 7043 Church Rd, Ira MI 48023

Local Community Events

Austin Catholic High School.org

FALL OPEN HOUSE OCTOBER 25

1-3 PM



Sunday, October 25, 2026
1:00 - 3:00 p.m.



Discover Austin Catholic High School

- Explore academics, athletics and faith-centered learning that help students thrive in the classroom, on the field and in their faith.
- Tour Austin Catholic High School, and meet our teachers, coaches and students.
- *PREREGISTER FOR A CHANCE TO WIN A \$2,500 TUITION VOUCHER.

*ELIGIBILITY: TO BE AWARDED TO ONE INCOMING 9TH GRADE STUDENT



AUSTINCATHOLICHIGH SCHOOL.ORG

SM/MCA
MIDDLE SCHOOL

HALLOWEEN DANCE

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30TH
6 - 8 PM

**ST. MARY/MCCORMICK
CATHOLIC ACADEMY GYM**
1429 BALLENTINE ST.
PORT HURON, MI 48060

**BLUE WATER VICARIATE
MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS INVITED!**

COST: \$5.00
DUE FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23RD
ALONG WITH SIGNED PERMISSION SLIP

COSTUME RULES:

- NO WITCHES, DEMONS, GORE, WEAPONS, OR MASKS.
- COSTUMES MUST MEET DRESS CODE REQUIREMENTS (AT LEAST FINGERTIP LENGTH BOTTOMS, AT LEAST 4 FINGER WIDTH FOR SHIRT STRAPS, STOMACH SHOULD BE COVERED).

NO REENTRY
(STUDENTS MAY NOT LEAVE THE BUILDING AND REENTER)

**SCAN HERE
TO SIGN UP
TO HELP!**



Cardinal Mooney Robotics Team 12 Hour Fall Crafting Crop



Saturday, November 14, 2026

Full day: 9am - 9pm - \$50 Per Person

Half day: 9am - 3pm OR 3pm - 9pm - \$25 Per Person

Includes: Continental Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner, Beverages & Snacks

Add Friday evening: 6pm - 11pm - \$15 Per Person (inc. Pizza & Pop)

Location: St. Catherine's Activity Center
1103 Washington, Algonac 48001

Vendors onsite!

Raffle and Door Prizes!

Register by November 2nd, 2026

Name: _____
Phone: _____
Email: _____
I would like to sit with: _____

***Make checks payable to "CMC Robotics" with "Fall Crop" on Memo line.**

Sponsored By:

Cardinal Mooney Robotics Team

Mail registrations to: Cardinal Mooney High School
660 South Water St.
Marine City, MI 48039
Attention: Mary Morgulec & Christina Foster



OPEN HOUSE

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2026 | 12-3 PM

DISCOVER DE LA SALLE COLLEGIATE

Join us for an inside look at how *Builders of Boys, Makers of Men* is more than just a motto at De La Salle Collegiate.

Tour **Steve & Kathy McShane STEM Innovation Center**, and the new **Bloomberg Business Center**, cutting-edge spaces designed to inspire innovation, creativity, and hands-on learning in business, science, technology, engineering, and mathematics.

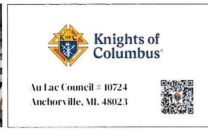
- Explore our classrooms and learn about our rigorous academics, AP and honors courses, and college-prep curriculum rooted in Lasallian values.
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- Experience the brotherhood that defines the De La Salle community both inside and outside the classroom.

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Book Travel

Uniform Information



School sanctioned uniforms must be worn at all times beginning the first day of school until the last day of school for all KDG-8th grade students. The Immaculate Conception Uniform Closet will be available, as well, and will be accessible through out the school year. It is located in the cafeteria and the uniforms are available at no cost. (Clean, gently used uniforms are accepted.) You may look

in the uniform closest at pick-up until 3:00 pm before our school office closes.

French Toast is no longer providing our required school uniforms. We are working on a new vender coming later this Fall.

Connie's Childrens Wear www.shopconnies.com

Land's End – Landsend.com/school **Source Code:** 900088709

1-800-469-2222, reference #900088709, grade level and gender.

ColorScape Printing Mass/School Uniforms

<https://www.colorscapeprinting.com/collections/immaculate-conception-school-uniforms>

EA Graphics- Gym Uniform Shirt & Spirit Wear Store

<https://stores.eagraphics.com/immaculateconception/shop/home>

Required Training For ALL Volunteers & Chaperones!

Remember that ALL parent/family volunteers must take the Protecting God's Children course BEFORE volunteering at school. If you took the course in 2022 or prior, you must retake it. PGC is now required every 3 years. See the link below for the schedule of classes available. Additionally, all volunteers must complete a background check form, which may be obtained from our office.



Please click the link below for dates and times of the course.

https://www.virtusonline.org/virtus/reg_list2.cfm?theOrgID=15163&theme=0

Protecting God's Children Workshop



Attendance is required for anyone who volunteers or works in and around the church and school; and interacts with minors, the elderly, or the handicapped. This free three-hour workshop is mandated through the Archdiocese of Detroit and is for persons 18 years of age and older. This workshop builds awareness and empowers attendees to intervene and prevent potentially harmful situations or behavior. Participants are taught to identify situations that could leave a child, the elderly or the handicapped vulnerable.

All participants must register online at www.virtus.org or use the QR code below. Be sure to select the Diocese of Detroit and the location that you will be serving. If you do not have online access, please contact Colleen Wooten at the parish office.

Seating is limited to 100 participants. Late arrivals will not be admitted. Certificates will be sent to you approximately 2 weeks after the workshop.

Wednesday, November 18, 2026
5:30pm Light Meal
Workshop 6:00pm to 9:00pm in the Parish Hall

Immaculate Conception Parish

9764 Dixie Highway
Ira, MI 48023
586-725-3051



Immaculate Conception Catholic School

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Mrs. Kim Wolf, School Office

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Website: <https://www.immaculateconceptionschool.org/>

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Phone: (586)725-0078



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