



# THE IHM WEEKLY

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IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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### *IHM Mission*

*Immaculate Heart of Mary School is a Community of Faith in which school and parents join together in the formation and education of each child to achieve a balance of faith, character, and academic excellence.*

### MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL



Welcome back, everyone!!!!!! I've missed you all very much! These hallways were so lonely without you! We're excited to see old and new faces! Please be sure to introduce yourselves to the new families. It's especially great to see tons of alumni bringing their kids here! We thank God for an amazing summer and for an even more exciting school year filled with new, fun, challenging, and innovative learning!

Thank you to the Shea Foundation and to all of you, parents, for helping in the renovation with this year's PTA fee! All the carpets were removed, new windows and light fixtures were put in, short-throw projectors with Apple TV's and iPads were put into all of the classrooms, the computer lab was renovated, the water fountains were redone, and the auditorium curtains were changed. Lots of renovations were done thanks to all of you and to the Shea Foundation. Thank you! Thank you! Thank you!

If you haven't done so already, please be sure to turn in registration payment of \$350 online via SMART or through the office by Tuesday, Sept. 1st. Please be sure to turn in the beginning of the year packets that were given to you on the first day by Monday, August 31st. These are important paperwork that we need to have on file ASAP!

Some safety concerns that need to be addressed:

- Please be sure to use the crosswalks when picking up and dropping off your children.
- Please be sure to pull forward when dropping off and picking up your kids to leave room for other parents to drive behind you. Please do not disembark from your vehicle.
- Please do not block the sidewalk. Leave space for children to pass. We don't want them getting hit by the cars driving close to the sidewalk.
- Please be sure to sign-in and out of the office when entering pass the office and get a visitor's pass. This is to ensure that we know who is in the premise at all times.

Thank you for all that you do! Have a great rest of the week!

God's Blessings,  
*Ms. Alberto*

### BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT



Next Wednesday, September 2nd, is our annual Back to School Night at 6:30pm! All parents MUST attend. You will be given more information about the school year, as well as meet your teachers and get more details about the class curriculum.

### LOS ANGELES SPARKS NIGHT!!!

Support our school for the first PTA Fundraiser (as well as our Los Angeles Sparks) on Sunday, **August 30<sup>th</sup> at 4:00pm**. Bring the family for Sunday Funday!!! Please see attached flyer and form for more details.



### JUST IN CASE YOU LISTEN TO KIIS FM (102.7) WITH RYAN SEACREST...



Just in case you happen to listen to KIIS this week, they are giving away \$2,000 every day to the 102<sup>nd</sup> caller when you hear a school bell/buzz. If you do, I hope you think about our amazing school and try to call in! ☺

### CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR AMAZING SCHOOL CHOIR!!!

This summer our choir participated in the Golden Gate International Competition in Berkeley. IHM competed against many choirs from around the world. We are proud to announce that we received all silver ratings, winning third place in the Spiritual/Gospel category. What an amazing experience for the kids to build friendships with other talented youth from around the world! Great job, IHM Choir! And thank you, Mr. Avendaño (our music director), for your guidance and hard work!



- **Aug. 28:** 8:15 Mass; 12:30 Dismissal
- **Aug. 30:** 4:00pm Sparks Game
- **Aug. 31:** First Full week of school; STAR Testing Begins; School Paperwork Due
- **Sept. 1:** Registration Due
- **Sept. 2:** 6:30 Back to School Night – Mandatory Event for ALL Parents

### Crack of Dawn Menu for Next

#### Week

- **Mon. (8/31)** - BBQ pulled pork sandwich w/salad/fruit OR Broccoli Quiche w/salad/fruit OR Roast Turkey Croissant sandwich w/salad/fruit OR Chicken Caesar salad w/dinner roll/fruit
- **Tues. (9/1)** - Chicken Teriyaki w/rice/fruit OR Veggie Teriyaki bowl w/rice/fruit OR Ham & Cheese sandwich w/chips/fruit OR Chicken/bacon/cobb salad w/dinner roll/fruit
- **Wed. (9/2)** - Beef burger/salad/fruit OR Veggie burger/salad/fruit OR Grilled cheese sandwich w/salad/fruit OR Chicken, mix green salad w/dinner roll/fruit
- **Thurs. (9/3)** - Spaghetti/meatballs/garlic bread/fruit OR Spaghetti/marinara/garlic bread/fruit OR Roast chicken salad w/dinner roll/fruit OR Tuna hoagie sandwich w/chips/fruit