



ICRS Parent Newsletter

Immaculate Conception Regional School provides an education rooted in Catholic beliefs and values for the students in Skagit and surrounding counties. ICRS emphasizes the spiritual, moral, intellectual, and physical development of its students, while fostering community among students, parents and staff.

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“A single rose can be my garden...
a single friend, my world.” (Leo Buscaglia)

PRINCIPAL’S MESSAGE

December 8 was the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception, the feast day of our Patroness. To celebrate Mother Mary the children attended Mass on Friday in family groups, then enjoyed lunch in family groups. To learn

more about the Immaculate Conception (which refers to Mother Mary), see “Understanding the Immaculate Conception” on YouTube, or “Mary’s Immaculate Conception” on USCCB.org.

FROM THE OFFICE, STAFF AND COMMUNITY

SERVICE PROJECTS (cont. from last week)

- **1st, 4th, and 5th** are participating in the Make a Wish project, where every letter to Santa earns \$1 for the Make a Wish Foundation.
- **STUDENT COUNCIL** is collecting toiletry items from each class. They will assemble care packages for the homeless. The parish office will get half and a homeless shelter will get half of the care packages.
- **8th graders** sang Christmas carols to residents at Mountain Glen Retirement Home last Tuesday. See photo below.
- **STUDENT COUNCIL FREE DRESS** raised \$350.25 for Sacramento Archdiocese and students who are victims of the California Camp Fire.

DCG ENGINEERS are partnering with ICRS science teachers again next January to develop engineering lessons for students.

FULCRUM FOUNDATION TUITION ASSISTANCE. Applications due Jan 4. Go to FulcrumFoundation.org and submit your tuition

assistance grant (TAG) online. The school uses the same application to disburse in-house funds.



BOOSTER GROUP INVITATION. Mark your calendar for a fun night for the entire family! ICRS families are invited to cheer on Ricky Robinson (aide in Ext. Day) and the Skagit Valley College men’s basketball team on Wednesday, January 2 at 7 p.m. when the Cardinals take on Green River College. Admission for ICRS students is FREE when they show their school ID card. Admission for adults is \$7. Let’s fill the SVC DuVall Pavilion and cheer the Cardinals on to victory! Questions? Email caitlin_bond@hotmail.com.

Dec 14 8:00 Liturgical Choir in SJC Foyer

9AM Advent Prayer Service (7th)

9:45 Concert Band Christmas Tour

Dec 17 3:10 Newspaper Club

Dec 18 3:10 STEM Club

Dec 19 8:30 Power Hour

9:30 Late Start

Dec 20 3:30-6:30 Staff Christmas Party, No After School Programs (except Ext. Day)

7PM Christmas Program

Dec 21 8:00 Liturgical Choir in SJC Foyer

11:15 Advent Prayer Service (2nd/3rd)

Noon dismissal, No Extended Day

CHRISTMAS VACATION Dec 22-Jan 6

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

Jan 7 School Resumes

3:10 Newspaper Club

Jan 8 3:10 STEM Club

Jan 9 8:30 Power Hour

9:30 Late Start

3:15 Staff Meeting

Jan 10 3:10 Newspaper Club

Jan 11 8:00 Liturgical Choir in SJC Foyer

10:30 School Mass (8th grade)

Jan 16 4:45 Finance Meeting; 6:15 Commission Meeting

