

IMS BULLDOGS

SEPTEMBER 25, 2026

Message from Principal Gill

It has been another exciting week of learning at IMS!

On Monday, our 7th- and 8th-grade students joined the IHS students for a presentation on the dangers of social media. Our students received great compliments for their attentiveness and excellent behavior during the assembly.

- Spirit Week: We can't wait to celebrate all week long with our school community!
- Meet the Principals & Title I Parent Meeting: Join Assistant Principal Nevills and me on Thursday, October 1st from 7:15-8:00am at IMS. Stop by for coffee, donuts, and conversation!

H.E.R.O today. Stronger leader tomorrow. Bulldog for life!



8th Grade H.E.R.O.s of the Week!!!



6th Grade H.E.R.O.s of the Week!!!

Upcoming Events

Sept. 25: No School - Staff PD

Sept. 28 to Oct. 2 - Spirit Week

Oct. 1: Donuts with the Principals & Title I Mtg. 7:15-8am

Oct. 6: Picture Retake Day!

Oct. 7: Student Count Day!

Oct. 20: Parent/Teacher Conferences 5-7:30pm

Oct. 22: Parent/Teacher Conferences 1-4pm & 5-7pm

Oct. 23: No School!!!

Lunch Menu: Sept 28 - Oct 2

Monday - Nashville Hot Chicken Nuggets

Tuesday - Beef, Bean & Cheese Burrito

Wednesday - French Toast Sticks

Thursday - Pepperoni Pizza Breadsticks

Friday - Teriyaki Chicken Stir Fry

GENERAL INFORMATION

H.E.R.O's of the Week!

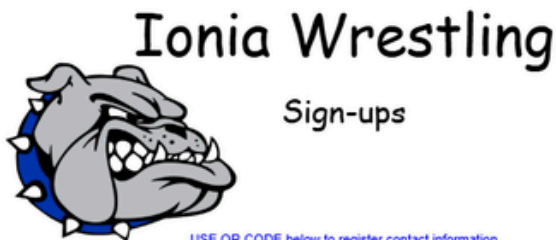
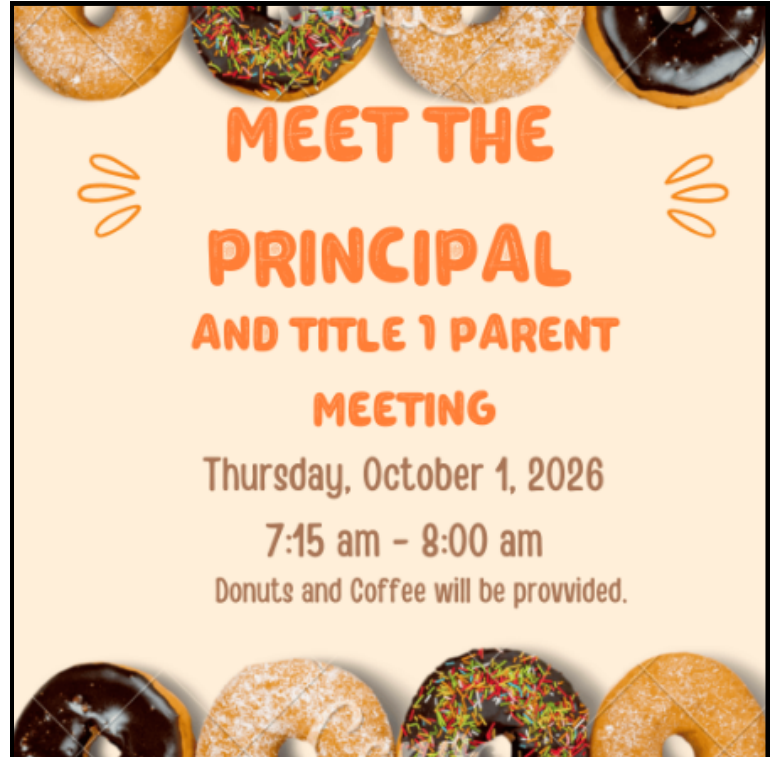
Each week, teachers can recognize one student as an IMS H.E.R.O of the Week! Congratulations to the H.E.R.O's selected this week.



7th Grade H.E.R.O.s of the Week!!!

After School Tutoring

After-school tutoring has begun on Tuesdays and Thursdays in the library from 2:40–3:30 pm.



USE QR CODE below to register contact information

<https://forms.gle/9ANuhusukabWJXvuoZ>



1st Practice will be Monday OCT. 19th

Must have a Sports physical complete and turned in Online before 1st practice. Please see Ionia Athletic website for more information.

Questions or Concerns please contact

Coach Grummet

Email: kgrummet@ioniaschools.org

Coach Smalley

Email: ismalley@ioniaisd.org

IMS Athletics

Check out the link for Athletic Schedules on the IPS Website: ioniaschools.org



H.E.R.O. TODAY

STRONGER LEADER TOMORROW

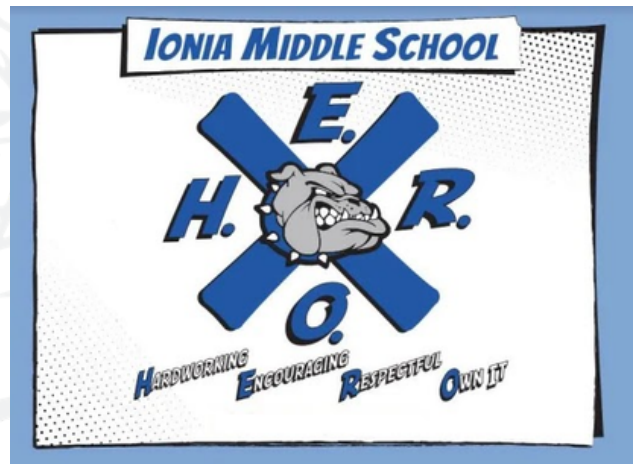
BULLDOG FOR LIFE

Science Classes Reward Day

As a reward for completing all of their assignments and performing well in class, many of our students participated in the Science Class Reward Day. During science class, they could choose a game or activity to share with their classmates.



Congratulations to these students for their hard work and success in the Creative Writing Class!!!



IMS HOMECOMING SPIRIT WEEK

**9/28 -
10/2**

MON 9/28 Pajama Day
Roll out of bed and into Spirit Week!!

TUES 9/29 CAMO DAY
HUNTING FOR SCHOOL SPIRIT! CAMOUFLAGE & CONQUER!

WED 9/30 WESTERN DAY
YEEHAW, BULLDOGS—SADDLE UP! BOOTS, HATS & BULLDOG PRIDE!

THUR 10/1 Thursday- Throwback Thursday
6th Grade: Throwin' it back to the 2000s
7th Grade: It's totally the '90s!
8th Grade: Big hair, big spirit, big '80s energy
Staff- Vintage vibes only!

FRI 10/2 FRIDAY- BLUE & WHITE DAY!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
BLEED BLUE, SHINE WHITE—BULLDOG SPIRIT DAY!



SMILE FOR THE CAMERA!!!

PICTURE RETAKE DAY!

Tuesday, October 6





youth floor hockey

SERIOUSLY FUN / COED AGES 5-12

If your child has shown a knack for any of the following, we highly recommend that you please consider registering at cityofionia.org or call 616-523-1800 prior to 10/9/26



USING OUTDOOR VOICE INDOORS (SCREAMING)
NON-STOP RUNNING INDOORS / GENERAL SAVAGERY
CONFUSION OF COUCHES FOR TRAMPOLINES
ENJOYMENT FROM HITTING OBJECTS WITH A STICK
WEARING MASKS WITH FLAMES OR EAGLES ON THEM
SLEEPLESSNESS DUE TO LACK OF HOCKEY PLAYING



Youth Floor Hockey



Boys and Girls ages 5-12, can join one of our most exciting leagues!
SPOTS ARE LIMITED / (AGE AS OF 11/5/26)

- Register:** Sign up at the Armory Community Center at the recreation office upstairs.
439 W. Main St., Ionia, MI 48846 or online at cityofionia.org
- Ages:** **Division 1:** 5-8 years old / **Division 2:** 9-12 years old
- Where:** Games and practices will be played at the Armory Community Center Gym.
Practices start Week of October 19th. Games will begin Nov 5th.
Number of games dependent on number of teams/participants.
- When:** **Both divisions will have Tuesday and Thursday games** due to gym availability and holidays. Days/times of play may be changed depending on registration numbers and/or cancelations. Game times will be 5:30, 6:30 and 7:30. Practice times will vary depending on the coach and gym availability. Teams may practice on Saturdays.
- You Need:** Players will be able to use the Parks and Recreation sticks, eye goggles and goalie equipment. Players can wear and use their own equipment. Players are required to wear eye protection. Mouthguard and shin guards are optional.
- Parents:** Stop by the Armory on October **15th or 16th to pick up packets of information.** Packets will have roster info game/practice schedules and picture information.
- Coaches:** Coaches are needed, please let us know when you register if you are interested in coaching your son or daughter's team.

Registration Fees

Regular: Now— October 9th: \$60 for residents and \$75 for non-residents

Refund Policy: Refunds will not be given 48 hours after the registration deadline.

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TRUNK OR TREAT HALLOWEEN 2026



ON THE CIS TRAIL IN MUIR
TRUNK OR TREAT

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2026 FROM 6 PM TO 7 PM

Trick or Treat along the CIS Trail Only, between Railroad Park and
Center Street in Muir



TRUNKERS NEEDED TO SET UP BETWEEN 5:00 PM AND 5:45 PM ALONG THE TRAIL FROM PRAIRIE ST TO CENTER ST. PARKING ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF THE TRAIL ONLY BETWEEN LIBERTY AND CENTER. NEW PARKING FOR TRICKERS FAMILIES ALONG RAILROAD STREET ABOVE THE PARK. RAILROAD IS ONE WAY ONLY.

***LIONS CLUB WILL BE HANDING OUT BAGGED
POPCORN BEHIND VILLAGE OFFICE***

MUIR VILLAGE WILL BE HANDING OUT FREE HOT DOGS ALONG THE TRAIL

***FIRE DEPARTMENT WILL BE BLOCKING CROSS ROADS FOR SAFER TRAVEL
FOR THE CHILDREN.***

***DONATIONS OF CANDY AND TREATS FOR THE LIONS CLUB
HANDOUT STATION WILL BE ACCEPTED AT THE LYONS VILLAGE
OFFICE, 212 WATER ST., MUIR VILLAGE OFFICE, 122 W SUPERIOR
ST. AND THE LUMBER MILL INN.***



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Questions: Call 989-855-2144

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