



From the Principal's Desk

February 2, 2025

In my conversation with a staff member, they commented how strange last week was. The comment was not that it was Catholic Schools Week, but because we had an early dismissal on Monday, a delay on Tuesday, the day off on Wednesday and a half day on Friday. Another staff member was amazed that she was able to fit in all her activities into such a short week! Special thanks go to Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Bombard, Mrs. Maitland, Mrs. Chamberlain, Mr. Montondo, Mrs. Minter-Powell, and all the faculty for their help with Catholic Schools Week!

IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO BE GREAT!
IHC'S annual SOUPERBOWL
FOOD DRIVE
IS ACCEPTING CANNED FOOD &
NON-PERISHABLE ITEMS NOW
THROUGH **MONDAY, FEB. 3RD**

DONATE

MOST REQUESTED ITEMS:

CANNED:
SOUPS
TUNA
PASTA SAUCE
VEGGIES
FRUIT
BEANS

also...

RICE
OATMEAL
PASTA
RAMEN
DRIED BEANS

DROP OFF IN MAIN HALL

ALL PROCEEDS WILL SUPPORT OUR LOCAL
WATERTOWN URBAN MISSION
FOOD PANTRY

One of our root beliefs at IHC is that we believe we love the God we cannot see by loving the neighbor we can. One of our traditional service opportunities is our SouperBowl Food Drive. Please see the flier for our most needed items at the Urban Mission. We are accepting donations until Monday, February 3rd.

We are also participating in the Northern New York Community Foundation Youth Philanthropy Council Clothing Drive. This drive is accepting gently used coats, hats, gloves or other winter clothing for the Salvation Army through February 7 (see the flier below). Special thanks to IHC Sophomore Julia Tontarski for coordinating this drive!

If you have not yet had the opportunity to participate, we invite you to help. The food drive drop off is in the main hall of each building. The clothing drive drop off is at the Jr/Sr High school. Thank you for your help with each of the drives!



Last week, I sent a memo regarding our Cognia reaccreditation. Part of the reaccreditation process involves stakeholder input through surveys. The links to the surveys can be found directly on our website (www.ihcschool.org). Please note there are two surveys for each group (PreK and K-12). **The surveys will be open until February 10.** Thank you for your help in completing the surveys!

Northern New York Community Foundation
Youth Philanthropy Council

Clothing Drive

We accept: coats, hats, earmuffs, gloves, mittens, scarves,
boots, thermal underwear, and other winter clothing
gently used or new (no tears or missing/broken zippers or buttons)



Dates: 1/15/25-2/7/25

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