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Both in the STEM room and the classrooms, IC students across all grade levels have started this year with many hands-on activities and lessons to sharpen their Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math skills!





Oct. 14 : K-8 Dress Down Day Salsa Night, 6–8pm in the gym Oct. 27: Fall Picture Day

Congratulations to the Tigers of the Week! These students have gone above and beyond in living the mission of the school by practicing Catholic values and serving as witnesses to the teachings of Jesus. In recognition of their achievement, the students received an award and certificate.



#### Johann Ortiz Grade I



#### Ana Victoria Power-Maltez Kindergarten



## Week of September 26

Julianna Palacio Grade S



Week of October 3

JohnPaul Osorto Grade 3



### Chase Belanger Grade 7



Maria Martinez Grade 6







The IC Cross Country team recently competed in their first meet of the season, racing at Gibson Park in Revere against St. Mary's-Melrose and St. Pius V-Lynn. Congratulations to the following student athletes for their successful scoring results and to all team members for finishing the course!



<u>Girls' Results</u>

Ava Curran (7) - 3rd place Riahna Rosario (6) - 6th place Grace Velasquez (7) - 7th place Maria Martinez (6) - 8th place Sara Mejia (6) - 14th place

#### **Boys' Results**

Matthew Leone (8) - 3rd place Matteo Reitano (7) - 4th place Vinny Martinez (4) - 12th place Joseph Visconti (6) - 13th place Sage Bullard (4) - 14th place



Today's Staff Spotlight features our 4th grade teacher, Ms. LeBlanc and one of our third grade teachers, Ms. Wydan!



Mrs. LeBlanc, our fantastic fourth grade teacher, has been an educator for 20 years! She previously taught at IC for six years and is now thrilled to be in her third year back! She identifies the families and community as her favorite parts of IC. Ms. LeBlanc was born in Boston, raised in Swampscott, and attended Salem State University. She has a son and a daughter and enjoys going camping and hiking in her free time. Spain is at the top of the list when it comes to places Ms. LeBlanc would like to travel. She is inspired by the quote – "The comeback is always greater than the setback."

New to IC this year, Ms. Wydan is one of our tremendous third grade teachers! She was born in Michigan, grew up outside of Philadelphia, and says her favorite subject in school was Social Studies. She graduated from Iona University and is now part of Boston College's Urban Catholic Teaching Corps. When not in the classroom, Ms. Wydan enjoys exploring Boston, yoga, swimming and traveling. She says if she could travel to any place in the world, she would go to Scotland and Ireland. Winston Churchill's famous saying - "Success is not final, failure is not fatal: it is the courage to continue that counts." - is Ms. Wydan's favorite inspirational quote.



The following IC students have been named Peter Lynch Scholars by the Catholic Schools Foundation for their academic achievements, work ethic, and exhibiting care for others in the school community:

> Teagan MacPherson – Grade 8 Nicholas Adolphus – Grade 8 Randy Bui – Grade 7 Melania Bartalini – Grade 6 Dante Ibanez – Grade 4