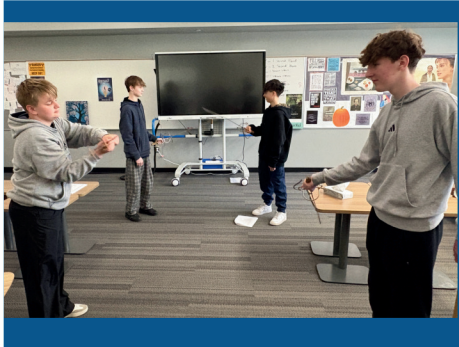


INNOVATION CENTER

NEWSLETTER

Monthly Highlights

What's New at the IC



SERVANTS & SWORDS

Students in Mr. McCulloch's ELA 9 class began acting out Act 1 Scene 1 of Romeo and Juliet where a sword fight breaks out pulling in all of the citizens of Verone into a brawl. Students are learning about fight choreography, staging, and how to speak "Shakespeare" while studying the famous play.



FINDING THE UNKNOWN

AP Chemistry students conducted a Titration Laboratory experiment, using quantitative chemical analysis to determine the unknown concentration of a specific analyte. An analyte is a substance whose chemical constituents are being identified and measured.



IT'S NOT JUST FLUFF

Lessons in socialization are important not just for teens, but for puppies as well. Socialization helps them develop into well-adjusted, confident, and happy members of their communities, whether human or canine.



BATTLE OF THE MINDS

ELA 10 students have developed the skills necessary for debate. Two teams engaged in argumentation, either supporting (Affirmative) or refuting (Negative) a given resolution. They presented arguments through constructive timed speeches and rebuttals aimed at countering the opposing team and emphasizing the use of evidence and effective communication.

UPCOMING EVENTS



- Apr. 6 - Spring Break Ends
- Apr. 7 - Classes Resume
- Apr. 14 - Standardized Testing - No AM at IC
- Apr. 15 - Standardized Testing - No AM or PM at IC

ADMINISTRATOR'S MESSAGE

March brought a month full of learning opportunities for our students; in all classes. These next 4 weeks or so of the school year represent a pivotal time for students as Advanced Placement test prep will get underway and many of our students are finalizing their college decisions or conducting college visits. With the start of Spring comes a sense of excitement for what the future will bring in the Innovation Center from a course offering standpoint. I hope our students and families are able to enjoy Spring Break.

With Kind Regards,
Michael Walling



FOLLOW



INNOVATOR OF THE MONTH



Brayden Vernier
9th Grade

Brayden received a gift bag full of goodies, which included an IC water bottle, portable phone charger power bank, and some sweet treats. Congrats to Brayden!

STAFF SPOTLIGHT

Getting to Know...



KECIA ROWLAND



What is your favorite aspect of teaching?

"When the student has that 'ah ha' moment and seeing the concept click"

What is one thing about you that most people would not guess?

"I lived on a sailboat for 2 years"

If you could only eat one meal (repeatedly) for the rest of your life, what would it be?

"That would be torture! Probably Pasta"

What is your favorite sports team?

"not really crazy about sports but hope the Lions win the super bowl this year"

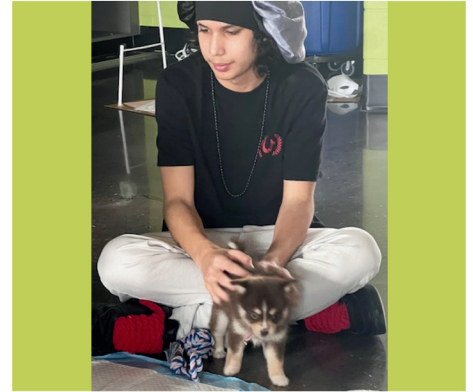
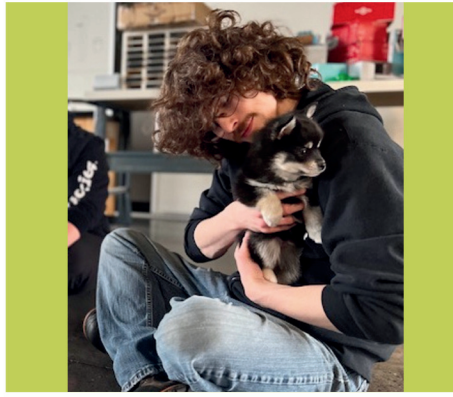
What was your favorite thing from this past summer vacation?

"Spending time with my dad in Texas"

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THE GALLERY



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