

ALUMNI NEWSLETTER

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Christmas Story

By Illiana

The Meaning of Christmas

Christmas tells the story of Jesus Christ's birth, who is the Son of God and the Savior. According to the Bible, Jesus was born in Bethlehem to Mary and Joseph. Mary was specially chosen by God to give birth through the Holy Spirit's power. His simple birth in a stable shows God's love and His choice to enter the world in a humble way.

Angels shared the happy news with the shepherds. A star led the wise men, showing that Jesus was meant for everyone.

While many people celebrate Christmas, for Christians, it's a time to remember God's promise and think about the hope, love, and salvation that Jesus offers.



Mar 28th @5PM

Family Fun Events



By Alyvia

Upcoming Basketball Games

By: Maverick

Away: 01/06/26 at 7:00 pm

St. Ignatius - Chesterton Academy vs Wolf River Lutheran High School

Home: 01/9/26 at 6:00 pm

Stock bridge vs Wolf River Lutheran High School

Home: 01/12/26 at 6:00 pm

NEWCHAA vs Wolf River Lutheran High School

Away: 01/15/26 at 6:30 pm

Faith Christian vs Wolf River Lutheran High School

Home: 01/24/26 at 6:00 pm

Chesterton Academy vs Wolf River Lutheran High School

Away: 02/10/26 at 6:00 pm

NEWCHAA vs Wolf River Lutheran High School

Away: 02/17/26 at 6:00 pm

Stock Bridge vs Wolf River Lutheran High School

Away: 02/20/26 Tournament at 5:00pm and 02/21/26 at 9:00 am

Faith Christian Academy vs Wolf River Lutheran High School

Home: 02/24/26 at 6:00 pm

St. Ignatius - Chesterton Academy vs Wolf River Lutheran High School

As the season just started, we're doing okay. There is a lot to improve on as we go, but as the team progresses together. The team will achieve victory this season!

Having more players on the team is a great experience to learn and grow, and it's so much fun!

GO SILVER EAGLES!

Academic Decathlon

By: Ben Swaer

This year, Wolf River started an Academic Decathlon team. I decided to ask about Academic Decathlon and here's what I learned. Academic Decathlon is an extracurricular class, where everybody essentially studies and takes tests to demonstrate their knowledge. Next semester they will begin public speaking with impromptu and prepared speeches. They also did pretty well in the last competition.

Some notable achievements from the competition include:

- Julia Young: 1st Place Overall (WRLHS)
- Mina Reichle: 2nd Place Overall (WRLHS)
- Vincent Peebles: 3rd Place Overall (WRLHS)
- Emiley Moon: 4th Place Overall (WRLHS)
- Vincent Peebles: 1st place, Social Science (Area 4)
- Violet Buchholz: tied for 2nd place, Mathematics (Area 4)
- Mina Reichle: 3rd place, Art (Area 4)

The next competition is Regionals, which will be held in Green Bay on January 8th & 9th, 2026.



Devotion

By Kaylee B

Life can become stressful and can feel more like a burden than a blessing, we can get so caught up in our problems that we forget that God is there with us every step of the way. As humans we have the need to fix our problems on our own. We don't want help, and are too ashamed to ask for it. In Matthew 6:34 the Bible says "Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own". When things are hectic and you are worrying about more things than you can handle. Stop. Take a deep breath. Remember this verse. We need to focus on the things we can control at that very moment and realize that tomorrow will worry about itself. I hope this verse brings you the comfort it brings me.

Please pray with me.

Dear Heavenly Father, please help me to not worry so much about the things I can't control at this very moment. Give me Your peace and the knowledge that You have it all under control. Amen



7th Grade Visit Day

By Ellie

On November 19th, Wolf River hosted 7th graders from St. John in Suring, St. Paul in Bonduel, St. Martin in Clintonville, and St. James in Shawano. The day started with the Wolf River students in the gym, while Mr. Steinhaus explained how the groups would work, and the rotations between classes. Then he sent us off to crowd the lunch room with as many tables and chairs that would fit until the buses began arriving one by one. Everyone piled back into the gym where we met Pastor Hayden Lucas, who told stories and played music with his guitar, which everyone sang along with. Afterwards, the high school kids and 7th graders all got paired up into groups and were set off to begin the activities. We ended the day with lunch and fellowship.

The Bowling Team

By Lane

Our school's bowling team has been doing great this year! There are two juniors, Micah and Teagan, two freshman, Grayson and Julius. They play almost every Sunday at Lakeshore Lanes here in Shawano. They will sometimes get a pizza to share, and Teagan has been keeping up to post a photo of them bowling with the caption "we bowl" to his socials and then adding an e to the we each time he posts for when he attends.



16th Annual Auction

By: Chloe

The auction this year was a record setting event raising a net total of just over \$50,000. There were many items that were bid on throughout the night, such as vacations, signed Packer items, a freezer full of meat, and many more! I talked with Mrs. Brendemuehl, Alyvia, and Violet about their experiences at the auction and this is what they had to say:

Mrs. B mentioned how she really liked how supporters could watch the numbers of money raised throughout the auction LIVE. Very exciting!! That was brand new this year she said. Overall the auction was a great experience!

Alyvia mentioned that there were over 100 baskets in the silent auction that were sold! Last but not least, Violet told me that there was a lot of biddings on the live auction items. There were several games run by student volunteers that was a big success.

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Thank you again to all of our sponsors and donors, you all made the auction possible!

Save the date for next year's auction:

Saturday, November 14th, 2026

