



WILDCAT PARENTS

HIGHLIGHTS

July 2025



CALLING ALL HIGH SCHOOL BAND DIRECTORS & STUDENTS!



Mark your calendar: August 5, 2025

Let's make it unforgettable!!

NOMINATIONS & REGISTRATION ARE NOW OPEN!

Wildcat All-Star Band 2025 Registration!

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We're thrilled to once again partner with [Drum Corps International](#) to announce the 3rd Annual Marching Wildcats All-Star Band, presented by [DeMoulin Bros. and Co.](#), - happening during DCI Championships at Indiana Wesleyan University on August 5, 2025!

This honor band brings together outstanding woodwind, brass, and percussion students (grades 9-12) nominated by their band directors. The All-Star Band will perform the National Anthem to kick off the DCI Open-Class Finals at Wildcat Stadium!

There is NO COST to participate - for students or directors!

After the performance, all participants and directors will receive FREE admission to stay and enjoy DCI Open-Class Finals!

Don't miss this incredible opportunity to perform in-front of an international audience and be part of one of the most exciting nights in the marching arts!

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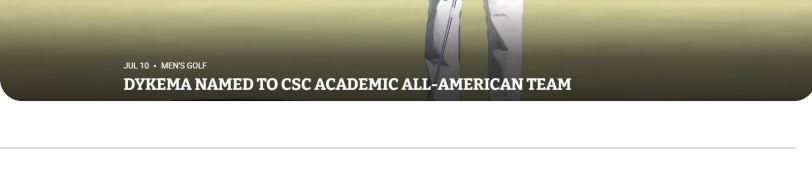
DYKEMA NAMED TO CSC ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICAN TEAM

Indiana Wesleyan men's golf saw Sam Dykema named to the NAIA All-Large Academic All-American First Team, following nationwide voting by College Sports Communicators members.

The CSC Academic All-America team is based upon both athletic and academic achievement.

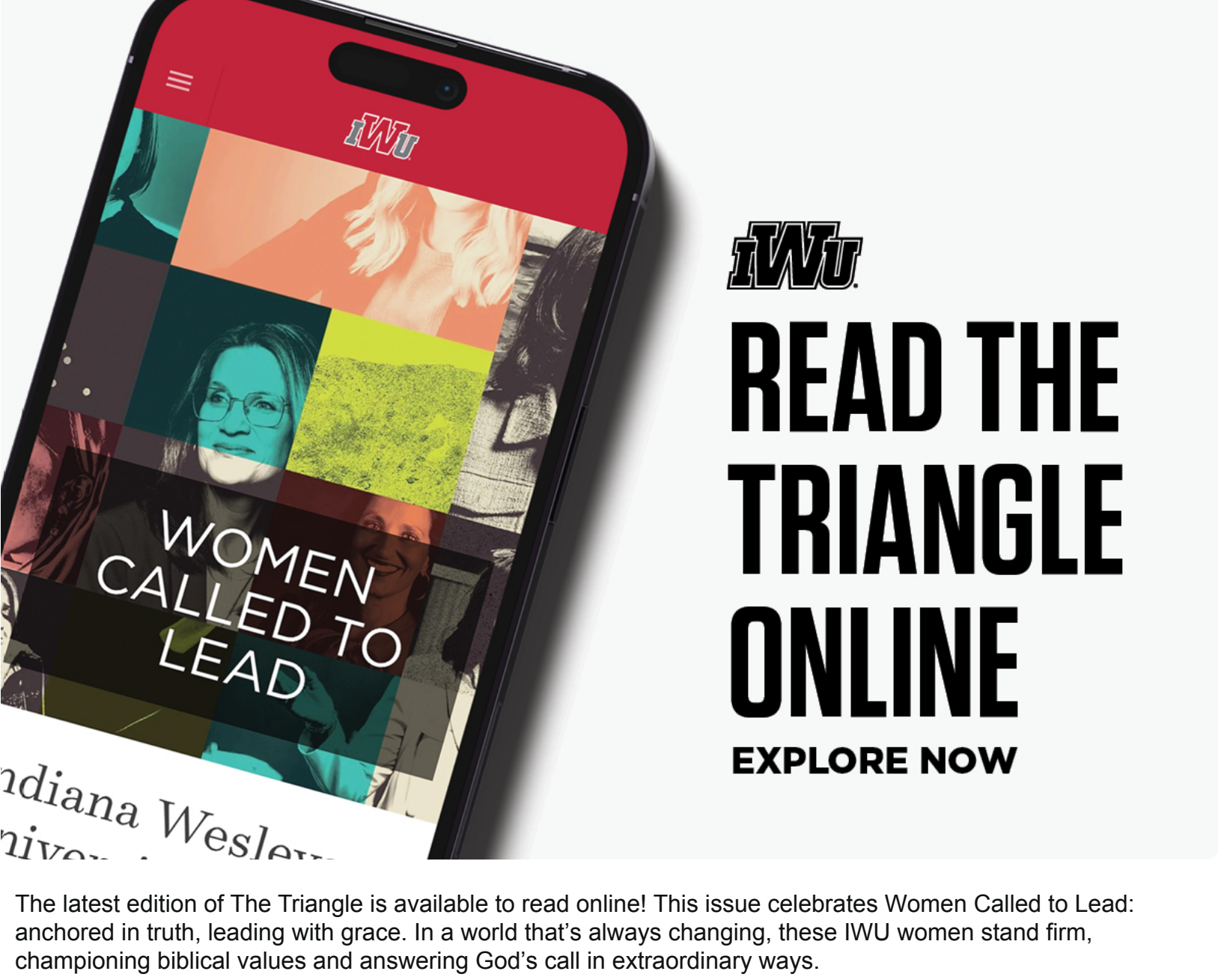
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IWU Triangle Magazine

Read Online Today!



The latest edition of The Triangle is available to read online! This issue celebrates Women Called to Lead: anchored in truth, leading with grace. In a world that's always changing, these IWU women stand firm, championing biblical values and answering God's call in extraordinary ways.

Click here to read the digital issue: <https://bit.ly/4niMWVm>

Be inspired and share it with friends and family!

NEWS & NOTES

Journey to Fall Info

Payment Plans

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ACI Payment Plan Instructions

Setting up your plan:

- Go to <https://payplan.officialpayments.com/>
- Click on the **Enroll in a Plan** link located in the middle of the page.
- Select **Indiana** as your State.
- Select **Indiana Wesleyan University Marion Campus** as your Payment Entity.
- Select **Tuition and Fees** as your Plan Group and click continue.
- Type in the student's 7-digit ID Number and First/Last Name. Select an available plan - 4, 5, or 6 months and click continue.
- Type in the amount of your plan and click calculate. Your monthly installment amounts and due dates will appear below. Click continue.
- If this is your first time using ACI, click the green **Sign Up** button.
- If you have previously used ACI, log in to your account on the left-hand side of the screen.
- A few additional steps will be required, and your plan will be complete once you receive a confirmation email for the \$25.00 set up fee.

Additional Important Information:

- Installment payments will be automatically withdrawn on the 10th of each month.
- If a payment plan is set up after the 10th, be prepared to pay the \$25 set up fee along with the first installment payment today.
- If you are using a credit card or debit card, please note that a 2.45% service fee will be charged for each installment payment. Using your checking account via e-check is free!
- If you wish to increase or decrease your payment plan at a later date, please contact our Student Account Services office at 765-677-2411.

For questions, contact:

- Student Account Services: (765) 677-2411
- ACI Customer Services: 1-866-964-4020

Student Account Due Dates...

FALL SEMESTER CHARGES: **July 31st**

SPRING SEMESTER CHARGES: **December 15th**

SUMMER CHARGES: **Due by the 1st day of class. Varying class start dates throughout the summer.**

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SLINGSHOT INFO

If you want to help your child find the most economical way to purchase books, encourage them to log in to indwes.slingshotedu.com and sign in to their account (IWU email and password).

Navigate to "Buy Books" and if your child is registered for classes, you should see their book list for first semester there. Make sure you choose method of delivery (buy/rent/digital). But also use the ISBN numbers provided to price books on Amazon, Abebooks and Thriftbooks. You MIGHT find less expensive options if you want hardcopies.

You can opt-in or opt-out of Slingshot. There are some great perks with the service. Dorm room book delivery is one. But if you find a cheaper option on a book, make sure your child **doesn't break the seal** on the book and they can return it for a full refund to the campus store. Also, you can pay by credit card or charge to your student's account. If charged to the account, you can do the extra math now to know how much more you'll need for payment plan/purchase cost!

[Slingshot Website](#)

Housing and Meal Plans

NEW STUDENT HOUSING INFO

Students, check out our Portal Page for more information about what to bring to campus, hall layouts, and floor plans, and more!

MEAL PLAN

All residential students are required to have a meal plan. Students, please go to the meal plan tab of your Fall 2025 Housing application to see or select your meal plan. You can change your meal plan until the second Friday of the semester.

Housing Quick Links

New Student Housing

May Term & Summer

Meal Plan Options

Bed Lift Rentals

Accommodations

Off-Campus Housing

Graduate Housing

Married Housing

[Housing Website](#)

Wildcat Welcome Week



August 23, 2025 8am-8pm

Families, we have special moments planned just for you!

Alumni Parents: You and your family are invited to the Alumni House from **1:30-2:45 pm** for refreshments and reconnection.

Wildcat Welcome: Join us at **3:00 pm** as we officially kick off this exciting journey for all new students and families!

Afterward, students will connect with their Peer Educators and First-Year Experience faculty, while you'll have the opportunity to meet other families and loved ones, learn about resources for IWU, and more.

Family Dinner: Come back together with your student and enjoy a meal provided by IWU and Pioneer Catering Services.

New Beginnings Ceremony: We'll close our time together with a meaningful worship and benediction service to celebrate this important milestone.

For more details and a full Welcome Week schedule, please explore this link <https://my.yapp.us/IWU25>. Or, you can download the Yapp App and search for IWU25. We are so thankful for you and your student, and we can't wait to celebrate together as they begin their journey at Indiana Wesleyan University!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Early Move In Dates

PERCUSSION
COLOR GUARD
DRUM MAJORS

Friday
AUGUST 15

Save The Date

IWU MARCHING WILDCATS
BAND CAMP MOVE-IN

WOODWINDS
BRASS

Monday
AUGUST 18

Soccer

August 1

Football

August 4

Cross Country

August 15

Grandparents Day

Friday, September 26, 2025

Pay tribute to the special relationships that exist between your student and their grandparents, or those who have filled that role in their life! Grandparents Day at Indiana Wesleyan University is a celebration of these relationships and the caregivers God has placed in our lives. Grandparents and special guests will get to see firsthand what college life is like for your student!

Our guests will attend a **Continental Breakfast**, learn more about Indiana Wesleyan University during a morning **Welcome Session**, attend **Chapel** with their grandchild, and enjoy a **Special Musical Performance** by IWU students.

[Register Today](#)



DATES TO REMEMBER

GRANDPARENTS DAY
September 26

FAMILY WEEKEND
November 7-9

HOMECOMING
October 24-25

WILDCAT CARE PACKS
Spring & Fall

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