



September

MARK ISFELD ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sept 17, 2024

TODAY'S BLOCKS: Day 2 GHEF

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NEW!

For important but "previously run" current events and reminders, be sure to check the re-runs and items below:

Jnr Boys Soccer - tryouts today after school.

Garden Club – starts today at lunch in room 401. Bring your lunch and your garden ideas! We will be starting our mushroom block, gleaning sweet pea seeds, and planning our first field trip. Everyone is welcome! If there are any staff who want to join us, you are also welcome!

Model United Nations club/class - meeting at lunch today in the LIBRARY. Come learn more about this club and our plans for the year as well as how you can earn course credit. If you have any questions beforehand, see Ms. Beckett or Ms. Mather.

Gr 10 Boys Volleyball – practice today 3:30. And tomorrow morning at 7:15.

Model UN – meeting today at lunch in the Library.

Garden Club – meeting today in Room 401 at lunch.

Gr 8 Girls Volleyball - important Grade 8 girls Volleyball meeting today at lunch in the gym.

Leadership Gr 8-11 – first meeting in room 100 at lunch tomorrow, Wednesday.

Grade 8 Band Students - please hand in your Instrument Choice Sheets by the end of school Thursday.

Grad Council - the first Grad Council meeting for the Class of 2025 will be held this Wednesday at lunch in Mr. Janzen's room (106). All grads are welcome! See you there!

Lunch-time intramurals at Isfeld is back! Registration for volleyball intramurals is happening this week. You can sign up with a friend or solo outside the PE office. Games will start the week of September 24th. See Mr. MacKinnon if you have any questions about intramurals.

Cross Country - there will be a XC practice for all team members on Wednesday at 3:15pm. Meet in the gym lobby by the drama room door. All athletes intending to race MUST have their forms in by Wednesday at the latest. Please put your completed forms into the XC envelope inside of the drama room door or give it to Ms. Reintgen.

Congratulations to the Sr Boys Volleyball Team on their 3rd place finish at the Camosun College tournament. We packed 7 games into 24 hours! We had strong serving with 47 aces, combined team stat. Tournament All-Stars included Kiefer Stushnoff! It is a good start to our season.

Senior Jazz Band - First rehearsal is next week - Tuesday Sept. 24th. Doors open at 7:30am and rehearsal begins at 7:45am. If you still want to be in this course please see Ms. Duncan.

Disc Golf - there will be a meeting to sign up for the disc golf club on Wednesday, September 18 in room 102. No experience necessary and we can loan discs if you don't have discs. Come and learn a new sport while socializing with your friends. The season only last 4 weeks and we play every Wednesday after school.

CONSENT AWARENESS: *Did You Know only 28% of people in Canada fully understand what it means to give consent?* ([Canadian Women's Foundation](#)). Addressing this starts with awareness, action, and accountability. Students are invited to join us in the front foyer to test their consent awareness with an interactive game – check it out and earn a prize!

MEETINGS AND PRACTICES TODAY

TIME	GROUP/ACTIVITY/EVENT	PLACE	REASON
Lunch	Model UN	Library	Meeting
Lunch	Garden Club	Room 401	Meeting

After school	Jnr boys Soccer	VV Field	Try outs
3:30pm	Gr 10 Boys Volleyball	Gym	Practice
Lunch	Model UN	Library	Meeting
Lunch	Garden Club	Room 401	Meeting
Lunch	Gr 8 Girls Volleyball	Gym	Meeting

RE- RUNS

Clubs Day – happening this Thursday at the outdoor classroom at lunch. Come check out all the awesome activities that Isfeld has to offer, there’s something for everyone!

Trail Closure – if you use the trail running along Glen Urquhart Creek (chip trail), please be aware that the trail will be closed between **Sept 16-19** between Thorpe Ave and Browning Place/Sitka Ave.

Prize to say “Hi”! To enter to win a Starbucks gift card find room A107 in the Student Services and meet Kyla – Youth and Family Program worker. Once you have **spoken** to Kyla, your name will be entered into a draw. 2 names will be picked out of a “hat” and will get a Starbucks gift card. The draw will close on **Friday September 27th** at 3:10. If you are the winner a gift card will be brought to you during TA.

Isfeld’s annual Terry Fox run – We are less then 3 weeks away from Isfeld's Terry Fox Run. Thanks to those who have donated to the Terry Fox Foundation so far. Remember you can donate any money fundraised from family, friends and community members directly online to your TA at "<https://schools.terryfox.ca/79229/>" OR you can give cash to your TA teacher, who will give it to the accounting office. Happy fundraising!

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CAREER CENTRE/ WORK EXPERIENCE/VOLUNTEERING

Project Watershed needs you as a volunteer! Do water quality monitoring in local waters and get your volunteer hours, or build it into a Capstone project in grade 12. Training starts next week **Sept. 18-19**. Sign up at www.projectwatershed.ca/!

First Aid Certification - we are offering a First Aid certification on **Thursday Oct 3**. If you are interested, come to the career’s office to register.

Volunteer opportunity - are you looking for a rewarding volunteer opportunity? Big Brothers Big Sisters of Victoria is looking for In-School Volunteers for Valley View School for this school year 2024-2025. Volunteering takes place during school hours. Come to the Career’s office for more information.

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