



October

MARK ISFELD ANNOUNCEMENTS

Oct 16, 2024

TODAY'S BLOCKS: Day 2 BADC

THIS FRIDAY: Day 1 ABCD Flex

NEW!

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

Senior Jazz Band is cancelled for tomorrow morning.

Chocolate Bar raffle at lunch in the front foyer. Cash or Debit for your toonie ticket.

If you are in grades 10-12 and are interested in a “Green Career” with the Municipality. Join us on Thursday Nov 21 and learn about hidden, high paying jobs that help the environment within our region. Come to the careers office for more information.

Cross Country - there will be a cross country practice today after school. This is an important practice as we prepare for Islands.

Gr 9/10 boys Basketball - any Gr 9-Gr 10 boys interested in playing basketball this year please come for a short meeting in room 509 at lunch today.

Any Sr Boys Basketball players wanting to play Sr Boys Basketball this season there will be a meeting in the Room 510 @ lunch (Art Room) today.

Isfeld Sr Boys take on Highland tonight at 7 in the Isfeld gym. Come cheer the team on.

Ms. Riley’s English students – Ms. Riley apologizes, but won’t be able to meet at lunch today.

Gr 8 Boys Volleyball – practice after school 3:30-5pm.

Gr 9 Boys Volleyball – practice today 7-9pm.

Jnr Girls Volleyball – practice today 5:15-7pm.

Snr Boys Volleyball – practice tonight 7-9pm.

Jnr Boys Soccer – practice today on the VV field, 3:30-5.

Pizza sales – at the canteen at lunch. \$3/slice, or 2 for \$5.

Disc golf – practice/play today after school, meet at the flag pole at 3pm.

Gr 8 Volleyball Intramurals – postponed, games will resume next week Oct 23.

Art club – meeting today at lunch in Room 510. New member and all levels of ability welcome.

Gr 8-11 Student Leadership – meeting today at lunch in Room 100.

Model UN – reminder to all students signed up to attend the Shawnigan Lake Model UN conference next week on October 24th. You need to hand in your permission forms to Ms. Beckett in room 201 and pay your conference fee to Brittany in the office.

The Isfeld Spirit wear store is open! - Get your Isfeld t-shirt, hoodie or sweats. GRAD and REGULAR spirit wear available. [Order here](#) or go to our website slider for the live link. Deadline to order is Oct 27.

MEETINGS AND PRACTICES TODAY

TIME	GROUP/ACTIVITY/EVENT	PLACE	REASON
7-9pm	Snr Boys Volleyball	Gym	Practice
3:30-5pm	Gr 8 Boys Volleyball	Gym	Practice

7-9pm	Gr 9 Boys Volleyball	Gym	Practice
5:15-7pm	Jnr Girls Volleyball	Gym	Practice
3:15-5	Jnr Boys Soccer	VV field	Practice
Lunch	Pizza sales	Concession	Pizza sales
After school	Disc Golf	Flag pole	Practice/play
Lunch	Art Club	Room 510	Meeting
Lunch	Gr 8-11 Student Leadership	Room 100	Meeting
After school	Cross Country	MPR foyer	Practice
Lunch	Gr 9/10 boys Basketball	Room 509	Meeting
Lunch	Snr Boys Basketball	Room 510	Meeting

RE- RUNS

Senior Girls basketball - tryouts begin this week. First session is 7:15 am sharp on Thursday morning and will continue Tuesday and Thursday mornings next week. All interested players please attend or see Mr. Cunningham at anytime in the weight room.

Any students taking **English 10 or 12 online** and need to take the Literacy 10 or 12 Assessment, please see Lisa in the office.

The Comox Youth Council is looking for volunteer scare actors in their annual Haunted Hallway happening on **Oct 25th** from 6-8pm. The theme this year is haunted hotel and they would love for some help from students to make it an unforgettable spooky experience. Pizza will be provided and volunteer hours will be rewarded towards your graduation. E-mail comox.youthcouncil@gmail.com if you are interested or for more information regarding the Haunted Hallway.

Spooky Two Sentence story Contest – Have an idea for a scary story? Enter the two sentence story contest in the library. Stories must be: original, school appropriate and exactly two sentences! 1st prize - \$20 gift card.

LIBRARY CONTEST – Hallowe'en Spookfie – see the poster outside the library for details!

Calling all basketball players of all grades – Our spirit wear shop is getting rolling so please fill out this survey to help be a part of making the spirit wear to the players liking! Another design survey will be out soon so keep an eye out. [2024 BASKETBALL SZN SPIRIT WEAR – Google Forms](#). Go to our website to the Announcements to get this live link. Deadline is **Friday, Oct 18**.

The Study and Go Abroad / School Finder Fair - is on **Saturday, October 26th** at the Vancouver Convention Centre. The event is focused on post-secondary education, hosting top-ranking university and college recruiters from Canada and around the world. As well, there are several vocational, work experience and Gap Year/Career Break program providers. REGISTER @ <https://www.studyandgoabroad.com/registration-form/>

The 2024 Brandon Langhjem Essay Contest celebrates academic excellence and fuels the ambitions of the next generation of scholars and leaders in Canada. This year's topics include Government Regulation of Artificial Intelligence and Government Regulation of Hate Speech. First and second place winners will be awarded \$2000 and \$1000 respectively. **Deadline is October 27, 2024**. To find out more go to <https://www.jccf.ca/essay-contest/>

Explore the essence of freedom through art! In any democracy, individual freedoms are paramount, safeguarded by the Charter in Canada. Art serves as a potent medium to capture and shape these freedoms. Enter the Justice Centre for Constitutional Freedoms (JCCF) first annual Photography/Digital Art Contest and unleash your creativity to depict what freedom truly signifies to you. First and second place winners will be awarded \$2000 and \$1000 respectively. **Deadline is October 27, 2024**. To find out more go to <https://www.jccf.ca/photography-contest/>

VIUMUN - registration is opening - Conference is Friday, **Nov 15**. Departure from Isfeld at 8am, return by 6:30pm. \$40 Lunch included. More information on our MUN Teams page. Please RSVP to Ms. Mather or Ms. Beckett ASAP if you would like to attend, or RSVP via Teams. We will discuss details at FLEX in rm 201 and 404.

Youth Climate Summit - are you interested in environmental issues and being part of creating solutions? If you are, there is a great opportunity coming up for you! **On November 14th** from 9:30-3:30, the second Regional Youth Climate Action Summit - IGNITE for students grade 8-12 is happening at the Florence Filberg Centre. The conference is a youth centered with a focus on optimism and positive environmental action. The day will be full of guest speakers, Q & A, action workshops, art, music and activities. This will be an opportunity for youth around our region to connect and share their passion for environmental advocacy. If you are interested in going, please see Ms. Beckett in room 201.

Gr 9-12, do you have a flair for content creation? – Do you dream of making a real impact while showing off your skills? Here's a chance to shine and become a Habitat Influencer by entering the Habitat for Humanity's Habitat Student Reel Impact Contest! Contest is now open until **Nov 30**. To reward your creativity there will be a prize: 1st place \$300, 2nd place \$200, 3rd place \$100. Check out the notice board for the qr code.

CAREER CENTRE/ WORK EXPERIENCE/VOLUNTEERING

Attention any students in grades 10-12 who are interested in getting into the Trades, we have two programs that are perfect for you. STEP and the Trade Samplers. Please come to the Career's office and find out more.

BURSARIES/SCHOLARSHIPS

GRADS

Post Secondary Institute evening – Tuesday, **Oct 29** 6:30-8:30pm at Isfeld.

Click here to register: [Post Secondary Institute Evening Registration](#)

Grads! – for information on Grad events throughout the year, be sure to follow isfeldgrad_25. Don't miss out on anything.

The Grad Attire program welcomes all grade 12 students in Comox Valley Schools to have the opportunity to wear a gown or suit on graduation day without the financial burden of purchasing a brand-new outfit for their milestone event.

The Grad Attire program will operate out of Comox Valley Dodge at 278 North Island Highway (Old Canadian Tire building) on the following dates from 10:00am-3:00pm: Saturday, November 2nd, Saturday, November 23rd, Saturday, January 18th, Saturday, February 8th, Saturday, March 8th, Saturday, April 12th, Saturday, May 10th.

You can book a fitting appointment using the following <https://www.comoxvalleyschools.ca/grad-attire-program/>