

APRIL

MARK ISFELD ANNOUNCEMENTS

April 18, 2024 TODAY'S BLOCKS: Day 4 HGFE THIS FRIDAY: Day 1 ABCD

BRAND NEW! (First time announced)

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

Choir - Friday morning altos 8-8:20, sopranos join at 8:20-8:40.

Senior Music Trip Students – please come to school tomorrow and Friday ready to take some wire stands home with you for the trip.

Interact Club – meeting today at lunch in Room 506.

Bad Stitches – meeting today at lunch in Room 401.

Girls Rugby – practice today from 3:30-5pm at Valleyview.

Ultimate Frisbee - practice Friday at 3:15 on Valley View fields.

QSA – meeting in Mawhinney house at lunch today. New members always welcome!

Track & Field – athletes please make your way quickly to the Vanier track today for 3:30 practice start. Practice will go until 5pm. Please ask your teacher to excuse you 10 minutes early to get to the field on time.

Gr 8s who had Home Economics in Term 1 with Ms. Morellato – your stuffies that you sewed are in the office for pick up. They will be held until Tuesday.

Gr 8 & 9s – be sure to check your MyEd portal to see which Exploratory course you have starting Monday next week.

All students – as the weather turns nice and you are outside in the community during lunch and after school, please don't litter out there. Thanks for being good citizens.

MEETINGS AND PRACTICES TODAY

TIME	GROUP/ACTIVITY/EVENT	PLACE	REASON
3:15-4:30	Choir	Music Rm	Rehearsal
Lunch	Interact Club	Room 506	Meeting
Lunch	Bad Stitches	Room 401	Meeting
3:30-5pm	Girls Rugby	Valleyview	Practice
3:30pm	Track & Field	Vanier	Practice
3:15	Ultimate Frisbee	VV field	Practice
Lunch	QSA	Mawhinney House	Meeting

RE-RUNS

Dual Credit - there will be a DUAL CREDIT information meeting at 12 noon in Student Services on Monday, **April 22**nd for Grade 11 students interested in taking post-secondary courses at NIC/VIU/Camosun next year.

Explore Program interviews – will be held on **Wednesday, April 24** in the Seminar Room. Your time has been allotted to you, please come to the office to find out and record your interview time.

Library contest alert! Do you have ideas for the Isfeld Library Learning Commons space? Do you like design thinking? If you want to share your design ideas and help us make the library more student-friendly, come down and pick up a blueprint. Entries are welcome for the entire **month of April**. If you have any questions, see Ms. Armstrong.

Family Movie night fundraiser - Isfeld, Vanier, and Highland's Interact Clubs are collaborating to support Doctors Without Borders and Foundry! They will be hosting two family-friendly movie nights. The first is a viewing of "Zootopia" from 6-8pm on **Friday, April 19**th at Vanier, and the second is a viewing of "Kung-Fu Panda" from 5:30-8pm on **Friday, May 3**rd at Isfeld. More details on their Instagram @isfeld.interact.club.

Camosun College tour - the Careers Department is offering a tour of Camosun College on **Wednesday, May** 15th to Grade 12 students. Cost is \$10. Permission forms may be picked up in the Work Experience Office. Limited seats available.

North Island College - If you are going to North Island College in the fall or are in Grade 12 and interested in meeting with a North Island College Advisor about what NIC has to offer. Please come to Student Services to sign up for a scheduled NIC Advisor time at Isfeld on Wednesday **May 1st.**

Are you interested in environmental issues and how people in the Comox Valley are solving them? Come help out with this year's Eco Fair, held right here at Isfeld. The event is run by Isfeld's Environment Club and involves sustainable organizations from around Vancouver Island. Environment Club needs help with prep work, set up, and running fun interactive stations on the day of the event, **Friday, April 26**th. If you are interested, or want to learn more, come to **meetings every Monday** at lunch in room 202 or talk to Ms. Beckett for more information about this great opportunity.

CAREER CENTRE/ WORK EXPERIENCE/VOLUNTEERING

Islander Pizza – is hiring student for part time after school work. Evenings and weekends are required, approximate times are 4pm-8pm. Starting wages up to \$20/hr. See job board outside WE for more info.

Volunteer opportunity - Miracle Beach Elementary PAC is hosting their annual Fun Fair on **May 31**st from 3:30 – 8:30pm. Students need to get their own transportation. Sign up in the Work Experience office.

The Shoreline Orthodontics Tri-K Triathlon is looking for event day volunteers on Sunday, May 26th. To sign-up please contact the Work Experience Office.

Volunteer opportunity at the Comox Valley Farmer's Market. Flexible hours. All jobs outside. Setup and tear down market, info booths, kids activities, parking and more. Apply online at: https://forms.gle/jC42pvAGAEgofnbz6. See board outside WE office.

The Careers Department is offering a **tour of UVIC** on **Thursday, May 9th** for Grade 12 students. Cost is \$10. Permission forms may be picked up in the Work Experience Office. Limited seats available

BURSARIES/SCHOLARSHIPS

Auxiliary Society for Comox Valley Healthcare Bursary – this \$2000 bursary is open now if are you planning to study in a healthcare field at a post secondary institute. Applications are at the office or on our website. Deadline to apply is **May 31, 2024.**

Oceanside Classical Concerts Scholarship – scholarships in any genre of music will be awarded to Gr 12 students enrolled in a post secondary program in the Fall of 2024. For details to go www.oceansideclassicalconcerts.ca or by request at scholarship@oceansideclassicalconcerts.ca. Deadline to apply is **April 30, 2024.**

GRADS

Grads – check your e-mail! Grad is only 8 weeks away! The Grad survey is out, let us know things like ceremony info for stage crossing, car parade interest, valedictorian info, voting on grad song. **Due by April 26.**

Grads - Valedictorian applications are due by **May 1**. Info in the survey.

If you haven't sent in your baby picture, please e-mail to tina.fagan@sd71.bc.ca.

The Grad Class 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 project will operate out of Comox Valley Dodge at 278 North Island Highway (Old Canadian Tire building) on Saturday of the following dates, from 10:00am-3:00pm: April 20th, May 4th, May 25th. You can book a fitting appointment using the following link: https://www.comoxvalleyschools.ca/grad-attire-program/