



November

MARK ISFELD ANNOUNCEMENTS

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TODAY'S BLOCKS: Day 4 HGFE Flex

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NEW!

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

Grade 8 girls basketball – practice tonight at 5:15-7pm.

We still need more scorekeepers for the Senior Boys "Ice Invitational" basketball tournament this Friday/ Saturday. If you are interested in helping, come see Mr. MacKinnon or Mr. Tobacca in the PE office.

Grad Movie night tickets -on sale at lunch in the front foyer. \$5. The movie "Rio" is tonight. Don't miss out on this fun Grad tradition. Doors open at 6:30, movie starts at 7pm. No in and outs.

Interact Club – meeting today in Room 510 at lunch.

At the concession today - grilled cheese sandwiches \$4. Yum!

Choir – rehearsal today after school 3:15-4:30.

Jr Boys Volleyball Players – please return your jerseys to Mrs Hagel ASAP to avoid being charged for them.

Jnr B girls basketball – game today after school at Isfeld vs Gaglardi. Check your e-mail for details.

Gr 10-12 Soccer Intramurals - today is the second round of grade 10-12 Indoor soccer intramurals at lunch. New players are always welcome to join.

Queer and Allies Club (QAC) – meeting today at lunch in Mawhinney House. New members always welcome.

This week is Careers Week! Come by the front foyer at lunch to check out a few career options.

Careers Week focus today is on **Entrepreneurship** = "individual or a small group of partners who strike out on an original path to create a new business."

Check out one the short video clips (~ 3 min) showcasing some of our local businesses!

[West Coast Karma - Winner of the People's Choice at the 2024 SBBC Awards](#) West Coast Karma strives to create unique, comfortable clothing and accessories decorated with hand drawn, nature inspired designs. They source local and ethically made clothing as much as possible, with a focus on building their local economy in the **Comox Valley** and bringing community together in a supportive and inclusive way.

[Bigfoot Donuts - Winner of the People's Choice Award at the 2021 SBBC Awards](#)

[A Day in Life of BigFoot Donuts](#) Family owned and operated, Bigfoot Donuts is on a mission to reinvent the humble donut. Stop by their café in **Courtenay** and discover a variety of handcrafted, decadent treats.

[Mint Cleaning - Winner of the E-Commerce Experience Award | 2023 SBBC Awards](#) Located in **Ucluelet**, Mint Cleaning offers small-batch cleaning products that optimize results while being eco-friendly, all-natural, and non-toxic.

[Homalco Wildlife & Cultural Tours | Runner-up Business Impact | 2023 Small Business BC Awards](#) Homalco Wildlife & Cultural Tours is an award-winning Indigenous tour company in **Campbell River**. They deliver immersive experiences focused on the stunning natural beauty of the region along with the cultural history of the Homalco First Nation and its neighbours.

MEETINGS AND PRACTICES TODAY

TIME	GROUP/ACTIVITY/EVENT	PLACE	REASON
Lunch	Interact Club	Room 510	Meeting
3:15-4:30	Choir	Music Rm	Rehearsal
Lunch	Queer and Allies Club (QAC)	Mawhinney House	Meeting

Lunch	Grilled cheese sandwich sales	Concession	Lunch sales
5:15-7pm	Gr 8 Girls Basketball	Gym	Practice
Lunch	Gr 10-112 Indoor Soccer Intramurals	Gym	Soccer

RE- RUNS

Any student taking Math 10 online and needing to take the Numeracy 10 Assessment in January, please sign up with Lisa in the office.

Comox Valley Volleyball - December Camp is **December 21st and 22nd** at Highland School. The morning session is for grades 5-8 and the afternoon session is for grades 9-12. Please email Brian at bdstevens@hotmail.com for more information.

EDAS – “Oh the weather outside is frightful”...and that’s why you should donate to EDAS! EDAS stands for Everyone Deserves A Smile. Isfeld is collecting men’s and women’s scarves, new and lightly used and clean. Please drop off your donations in the box in the main foyer this week. **Nov 29 is the cut off date.** All items will be handed out to those in need in the valley and on Vancouver Island.

Attention Intro to Business students! We are running a Foodsafe course here at Isfeld **Dec 11**. Q1 students check your Teams for a message, current or future Business students, or students age 14 and over, please talk to Ms. Armstrong if you are interested.

Shoebox Project Campaign – Interact club is now collecting basic necessities like mini shampoos, soaps, sewing kits, gloves and toques for their campaign to provide to young people in need. Bring in your hotel toiletries and any clean gloves and toques you no longer use. Drop them **off by Nov 29** in Room 403.

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

First Aid Certificate Opportunity - Careers department will be offering a First Aid certification on **Jan 8th 2025**. Cost is \$60. If you would like to register, please come to the Careers office.

Calling all grade 11’s who might be interested in doing a **Dual credit course(s) or program** in your grade 12 year, we are now accepting applications for 2025 -2026 school year. Please come to the Careers office for information.

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

Gr 12s - a gentle reminder to check the Scholarship Deadline Calendar frequently (under Grad Tab on Isfeld webpage) for links to numerous Scholarship offerings. Don't miss out on these opportunities to access FREE\$\$\$\$\$!

GRADE 12's - reminder to make an appointment with your Counsellor Ms. Buckle or Ms. Williams for your **GRAD CREDIT CHECK!** Deadline to have this completed is 2 weeks away on **Monday, December 1st!** A Big Thank You to all Grade 12's we have already met with! Much appreciated!

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 Saturdays from 10:00am-3:00pm: January 18th, February 8th, March 8th, April 12th and May 10th. You can book a fitting appointment using the following <https://www.comoxvalleyschools.ca/grad-attire-program/>