



# MARK ISFELD ANNOUNCEMENTS

May 8, 2025 **TODAY'S BLOCKS: Day 4 HGFE** This Friday's schedule: Day 4 HGFE Flex NEW! For important but "previously run" current events and reminders, be sure to check the re-runs and items below: Bursary Recipient info session – there will be an information session for those invited to the Bursary night. The session will be tomorrow at lunch in the Library. Congratulations to students who participated in the final round of the BC Colleges Math Contest at NIC. Senior Team / Individual Winners: Dio H. (1st), Caelan M. (3rd), Tristan R., and Carson E. Junior Individual Winners: Miri F.(1st), Lily C. & Sang W. (both tied for 3rd) Thank you to all students that participated in the preliminary round too! Well done! A HUGE congrats to the Isfeld Ultimate touring team who came fourth yesterday at Islands! Last practice/scrimmage of the season tomorrow (Friday) after school for the DEVELOPMENT and TOURING team. Please make sure to bring your jerseys with you or to return them to Ms Courage in room 205. **Congrats to the Senior Girls soccer team** for winning North Islands after beating Gulf Islands in a close 1-0 final. The girls won all of their games at North Islands without conceding a goal. We will be hosting Islands next Thursday + Friday. Reminder that there is practice after school today. Grade 10-12 Badminton Intramurals – is today at lunch. Games start at 12 sharp. Interact Club – meeting today in Room 510 at lunch. Choir – rehearsal today after school 3:15-4:30. Queer and Allies Club (QAC) – meeting today at lunch in Room 300. New members always welcome. **Boys Rugby** – practice today after school on the lower Isfeld field. **Pizza sales** – at the canteen at lunch. \$3/slice, or 2 for \$5. Final call for any **Talent show participants** – today is the last day to apply! See the QR codes around the school. Mental Health Week! Here's the Kahoot for today: Mental Health knowledge Kahoot **MEETINGS AND PRACTICES TODAY** 

TIME	GROUP/ACTIVITY/EVENT	PLACE	REASON
Lunch	Interact Club	Room 510	Meeting
3:15-4:30	Choir	Music Rm	Rehearsal
After school	Boys Rugby	Lower field	Practice
Lunch	Queer and Allies Club (QAC)	Room 300	Meeting
Lunch	Pizza sales	Concession	Pizza sales
Lunch	Bursary Recipient info session	Library	Info session
12 sharp	Gr 10-12 Badminton Intramurals	Gym	Badminton

### **RE- RUNS**

**FREEZIE FRIDAY!!!** — on Friday come enjoy a refreshing frozen treat for only \$2 and help support your MTB team heading to Provincials May 21-23. Freezies will be sold at Lunch in the main foyer. Thanks for your support ISFELD!!

Art term 3 students - your artwork is ready to be picked up.

Student who are taking Math 10 online or want to redo their Numeracy 10 assessment, please see Lisa in the office asap.

**Calling all artists!** Each year the Isfeld Interact Club paints cards to sell at craft fairs. Enter our contest, create a new design and help us raise money for community based projects. We would like black & white line drawings about life in the Comox Valley. Original artwork only please. All submissions are due by Friday, May 23 to room 403. Prizes of gift cards will be given to the winners announced on May 28th. See posters around school for more details.

**The Comox Valley Volleyball Camp** - is July 7th-10th this summer. Please contact Brian at <u>bdstevens@hotmail.com</u> for more information.

Think You've Got Talent? We've got the stage! See the posters around the school for a QR code to sign up. Talent show is on May 28.

### CAREER CENTRE/ WORK EXPERIENCE/VOLUNTEERING

Are you a grade 11 or 12 student interested in the health field but don't know where to start? Then this is the presentation for you! On May 27<sup>th</sup> Guess my job Health/Health Explore will have 8-9 panelists who work in our local hospital in various departments. You will have an opportunity to ask questions to those in the field and learn about various careers. Cost \$10. Location is GP Vanier, there is a bus available leaving from Isfeld but you'll need to sign up for a seat. The event runs from 10-noon. Come to the Careers office to register.

**Volunteer Hours Opportunity** - if you are looking for volunteer hours here is a fun event you can help with. Nautical Days is looking for volunteers to help on August 2-4. Please reach out to <u>nauticaldays@comox.ca</u> for more information and to sign up.

If you are **16 years of age or older** you can earn **four grade 12 credits** over the summer, simply by working a job. Come to the Careers office for more information.

**Volunteers needed for Comox Valley Farmer's Market** - all the jobs take place outside. Some of the volunteer tasks include market set up and tear down, sign board artwork, market information booth, kid's activities, parking, special events, recycling program, equipment repair and maintenance, and more. From April to October, The Market takes place at the Comox Valley Exhibition Grounds. Set up starts at 7am, the market runs until 3pm. From June to September, there is an additional market that takes place downtown Cumberland on Sundays, starting at 8am-2:30pm. Volunteer for as little as 1-2 hours per market. Students can apply directly online at: <a href="https://forms.gle/jC42pvAGAEgofnbz6">https://forms.gle/jC42pvAGAEgofnbz6</a>

**Youth Work in Trades** - are you connected to someone in a trade — a family member, friend, or local business — who could apprentice you? If so, you might be eligible for the **Youth Work in Trades** program! Start your apprenticeship while still in school, earn **16 high school credits** (Just for working), gain paid work experience, and log hours toward your trade certification. Students who report 900+ hours may even qualify for a **\$1000 award**! Learn more: <u>comoxvalleyschools.ca/career-programs/youth-work-in-trades</u> or contact Tammy Williamson at <u>tammy.williamson@sd71.bc.ca</u>

**Healthcare field opportunity** - the <u>Step Up Youth Program</u> is an Island-wide program that offers Vancouver Island youth aged 15 to 18 the opportunity to volunteer at select Island Health hospitals and long-term care homes. From September to April each year, Step Up Youth volunteers provide social engagement support to patients and residents during after-school shifts at local healthcare facilities. The program introduces and promotes Island Health's C.A.R.E. values and fosters responsibility, compassion, and leadership development. Volunteers enrich the experience of patients and residents through the gift of time, empathy, and companionship. Volunteers also participate in a virtual monthly Guest Speaker series and are eligible to apply for Scholarships and Bursaries offered by Island Health. Applications are open **until May 15**. Visit <u>www.islandhealth.ca/stepupyouth</u> or email <u>stepupyouth@islandhealth.ca</u>

## **BURSARIES/SCHOLARSHIPS**

### GRADS

**Grads!** - Any grads interested in participating in the **Grad Car Cruise** on Grad day, please sign up in the office with Lisa to ensure you get a seat in a car.

A gentle reminder that students must be in a position to graduate in order to take part in the graduation ceremony on June 14th. Please **review all online courses** to ensure you will earn credit by the deadline of **May 30, 2025.** 

A reminder to log in and make your Post Secondary Institution selections in the <u>StudentTranscripts Service</u> (STS). You will need to do this for post secondary institutions to be able to access your Transcripts. <u>Most public BC and</u> <u>Alberta universities and colleges and the Ontario Universities' Application Centre (OUAC)</u> can retrieve ongoing transcript updates as soon as authorized by the student in STS. Grade 12's attending NIC in the Fall!/Winter! An NIC Advisor will be here on Wednesday, May 14<sup>th</sup> from 9noon to support students with their program plan. Sign up in student services for your 30 minute appointment. Please note that students must have paid their tuition deposit as requested by admissions.

**The Grad Attire program** welcomes all Gr 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 Saturday **May 10<sup>th</sup>** (last date) from 10:00am-3:00pm. You can book a fitting appt using the following <u>https://www.comoxvalleyschools.ca/grad-attire-program/</u>