# November

## MARK ISFELD ANNOUNCEMENTS

| Nov 2, 2026 | TODAY'S BLOCKS: Day 1 ABCD | This Friday's schedule: Day 1 ABCD 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:

**The Library is closed all this week** – please do not print anything there. If students have to print to the office during class, please send one student towards the end of the class to pick up all the print jobs, instead of sending multiple students throughout the class.

Hey Mark Isfeld! Come to the front foyer at lunch for a special treat! **Classic and Oreo rice krispie squares** for only 2.50$! Don't miss out on this delicious treat!

**Sports Leadership** – there will be a meeting today at lunch time in room 510.

**A big shout out to the four Isfeld swimmers** who represented ICE this weekend at Zones in Victoria, on Halloween. Great finishes from Sophia Lee, Avery Winder, Christy Okumoto and Juliya Rothstein. Next stop: Provincials in November!

**Congrats to the Senior Boys Soccer team** for winning North Islands last Thursday / Friday! The boys beat Brentwood 4-2 and Carihi 3-1 in the final on Friday to capture the North Island title. They are off to Islands at SMUS next Monday / Tuesday.

**It has been an outstanding week for the Isfeld Cross-Country Team**, with all four teams (*Jr. Boys, Jr. Girls, Sr. Boys, Sr. Girls*) and our para-athlete (*Jackson Jules*) qualifying for the BC High School Provincial Championships in Abbotsford on Saturday, November 7th! Congratulations to all our athletes on this remarkable achievement! This is a historic accomplishment for Isfeld, and our coaching staff could not be prouder of the hard work, dedication, and determination demonstrated by every athlete throughout the season. We wish you all the best as you represent Isfeld at the Provincial Championships next weekend!

**MUN -** meeting tomorrow (Tues) at lunch in the Library: All students who are newer to MUN. All students in their first year of MUN, or who have attended only one or two conferences. Today: reviewing the criteria for position papers.

**Pumpkin Winners!** Congrats to TA 14 (Ms. Bower), 38 (Ms. Courage) and 44 (Mr. Mackinnon) for your impressive work! Some really fun displays this year; thanks everyone for participating.

## SPORTS! (Check below section for regularly occurring practices)

**Volleyball Intramurals** - this is the final playoff week for volleyball intramurals! Grade 10–12 playoffs will take place on Tuesday, Grade 9s will play on Wednesday, and Grade 8s will finish up on Thursday. Good luck to all teams!

**Senior Girls Basketball Tryouts –** we'll have our second tryout tomorrow Tues from 3:30 PM to 5:15 PM. If you didn't make the first tryout, but are still interested in playing Senior Girls Basketball, this tryout is open to all Grade 11 and 12 students interested in playing this season. Go Ice Go!!!

**Junior Girls Basketball** – second tryout will be TONIGHT from 7pm-8:45pm.

**Grade 9 boys basketball** - practice tomorrow (Tues) from 3:30–5:00 p.m. If you are currently a member of the Grade 9 boys volleyball team, you are not required to attend this practice, and your absence will not affect your basketball tryout.

## REGULARLY OCCURRING EVENTS

**MONDAY**

**Snr Girls Volleyball practice 5:15-7pm @ Gym**
**Jnr Girls Volleyball 5:15-7pm @ Gym**
**Gr 8 Girls Volleyball 3:15 @ Gym**
**Gr 8 Boys Volleyball 3:15-5pm @ Gym**

Cross Country practice 3:15 Gym lobby
Choir practice at lunch in Rm 511
Environment Club Lunch @ Rm 201

**TUESDAY**

Snr Boys Volleyball practice 7-8:45am Gym
Gr 10 Boys Volleyball practice 5:15-7pm Gym
Gr 9 Boys Volleyball practice 5:15-7pm
Snr Jazz 7:40-8:45am @ Rm 512
Tasty Tuesday @ front foyer

**WEDNESDAY**

Snr Girls Volleyball practice 5:15-7pm Gym
Snr Boys Volleyball practice 7-9 Gym
Gr 10 Boys Volleyball practice 7-9pm Gym
Gr 9 Boys Volleyball practice 5:15-7pm Gym
Gr 9 Girls Volleyball 7-8:30pm @ Gym
Gr 8 Girls Volleyball 7:15am @ Gym
Gr 8 Boys Volleyball 3:15-5pm @ Gym
Cross Country practice 3:15 Gym lobby
Garden club Lunch Rm 401
Leadership club Lunch Rm 101
Improv after school @ Drama room
3D printing Lunch @ Library (all October)

**THURSDAY**

Snr Boys Volleyball practice 7-9pm Gym
Jnr Girls Volleyball 5:15-7pm @ Gym
Gr 9 Girls Volleyball practice 5:15-7pm @ Gym
Gr 8 Girls Volleyball 7:15am @ Gym
Interact lunch @ Rm 506
Choir practice 3:15-4:30 Rm 511
QAC lunch @Port 3
Snr Jazz 7:40-8:45am @ Rm 512
Homework club 7:55-8:55am @ Rm 400
Reset@lunch 12 @ MPR

**FRIDAY**

Cross Country practice 7:30AM @ Gym lobby
Choir practice 8am Rm 511
Ice Cubed Math club Lunch @ Room 103
Improv Lunch @ Drama room

## RERUNS

**Stitch Club is starting next Wednesday, Nov 4!** Stitch Club is open to anyone interested in hand sewing, machine sewing, embroidery, repairs, or textile projects. All skill levels are welcome in Room 405!

Are you interested in the **Engineering Program at UBC?** They are offering at least 3 online Workshops for Women who are interested in Engineering. Go to the careers info board for further information. The deadline to sign up for the first workshop is **Nov 15.**

**Repair Café & Free clothing event** – there will be a repair event put on by Lake Trail Community Education Society on Sat **Nov 14** 11am-3pm at Lake Trail school. You can take clothing, small appliances, bicycles, jewelry, tools and more to get fixed. You can also donate clothes in good condition during the event.

Anyone interested in submitting **artwork for the Yearbook Cover contest**, please email, share, or submit in person to Ms. Stuart, the theme for the yearbook is "Beyond the Ice".

**Interact card competition** has been extended until **Nov 6**. Submit your design to room 506 before this date. Prizes will be awarded! Reminder it is black and white lined card theme.

## CAREER CENTRE/WORK EXPERIENCE/VOLUNTEERING

**Attention all Grade 9/10 student who are interested in the Trades**. We have a Carpentry Focus Day happening on **Nov 13th**. If you enjoy learning with your hands and want to know more about the Carpentry industry, this is for you. See the Careers office for sign up.

**Volunteer Opportunity -** Do you want to help teach Adaptive Snowsports, give rewarding experiences to clients and receive benefits at Mt Washington? This is the opportunity for you! Come to the careers office for more information.

**Volunteer Opportunity: Girls to the Power of Math –** are you a female interested in mentoring girls in Math in Gr 2-4? The program runs Oct-Dec with a choice of either Huband Park or Airport elementary locations. It runs for one hour once a week, with a set lesson plan. Must be punctual and able to communicate well with adults and children, and have a passion for math. See more details posted outside of the Careers office. Go here to sign up.

**Summer Work Experience –** if you started a WEX12 course over the summer, please bring in your packages to the careers office ASAP.

## BURSARIES/SCHOLARSHIPS (check *Grad/Bursary & Scholarship* tab on our website)

**Grad Scholarships & Bursaries** – check out the Scholartree website for Scholarships and Bursaries open now for applications. Don't miss out on money for your first post secondary year!

## GRAD

**Grads – BC Education PlannerBC** is hosting 2 virtual live info sessions. ***Programs & Applications*** (Wed, **Nov 4** & Tues, **Nov 17** 6:30-7:30pm) will explore programs and skills training opportunities, learning how to create an account and how to apply to study in BC. ***Parents & Supporters*** (Wed, **Nov 25** 6:30-7:30pm) will explore post secondary opportunities & career paths, and resources for caregivers to support their student in planning for their future.

**GRADS** - reminder to all **GRADS** to **book a Counselling appointment to complete your GRAD CREDIT CHECK**. Go to the website front page and click the *Book a Counselling Appointment* icon. Ms. Buckle & Mrs. Williams can also support you with post-secondary applications and transcript sharing so connect with your Counsellor soon! December 1st is deadline to complete your credit check but don't wait until the last minute...

**Grads** – please check your student email as a message has gone out to grads about communication concerning grad events and how to join the Grad Executive Instagram account.

**Grads** - 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: November 21st 10am-3:15pm, January 23rd 10am-3:15pm, March 6th 10am-3:15pm, April 17th 10am-3:15pm. You can **book a fitting appointment** using the following link. If you have questions or would like to donate to the program, please contact gradattire@sd71.bc.ca