



Hello K-12 Island ConnectEd Students, Parents and caregivers,

Highlights this week include: :

- Fantastic CTC presentation - well attended. Thank you to Kirsten for organizing. I really feel like this presentation inspired some of our students to get moving on their course completions and plan for their future.
- Another fantastic clubs Thursday. It was an added bonus seeing such a great turnout for the Clay Candle Holder Workshop. Thank you to our amazing PAC for organizing this creative event.
- Another awesome Friday of drop-in English, Floor hockey, Lunch and Board Games. Big thank you to Sheri and her leadership team for preparing the Wonton Soup today. .

Please find our upcoming events calendar and link to our parent calendar below:

Parent Calendar: [23/24-ICE_Calendar_Parent](#)

<i>Upcoming Events and Activities at ICE</i>	
PAC Meeting	Tues, Oct 17th - Room 116 9-10 am
PAC Kindergarten/Grade 1 - Book Club	Wed. Oct 18th - Library - 11am -12pm
Earthquake Drill "Great Shakeout"	Thurs, Oct 19th - 10:19am
Thursday Clubs	Thurs, Oct 19th - 9:30-11:30 am
Non-instructional Day (PSA) - School closed	Fri, Oct 20th
PAC Free Costume Skate - Frank Crane	Thurs, Oct 26th - 1:30-2:30 pm
Costume Parade - Between In-Person Classes	Tuesday, Oct 31st - 12:15 - 12:50
Thursday Clubs	Thurs, Nov 2nd - Grade K-7
Cookie Monster Cookie and Read - After Clubs	Thursday, Nov 2nd - Grades K-7 - 11:30am Library

1) Earth Quake Drill "Great Shake-Out" Thurs, Oct. 19th 10:19am

This coming Thursday at 10:19am, students and staff onsite at Island ConnectEd will take part in "The BC Great Shake OUT" This is the day millions of people worldwide will practice how to "Drop, Cover and Hold On" during Great ShakeOut Earthquake Drills.

During Thursday's K-9 Clubs, students will drop cover and hold on as we simulate an earthquake over the PA, count to 60 and repeat the 60 count



before evacuated with the teacher to our muster point behind the school. Please take this opportunity to discuss with your child.

2) PAC meeting reminder (Tues October 17 at 9:05 am, room 116)



3) - Halloween Skate with sign up link (Thurs Oct 26 at 1:30 pm, Frank Crane)

sign up link: <https://forms.gle/qULPXUCaGH6DKfa78>



4) - Cookie Monster event with sign up link (Thurs Nov 2 at 11:30am, ICE Library)

sign up link: <https://forms.gle/5GdQM2ckKBPWA2Bk7>



5) Grad Meeting



Are you planning on graduating this year?

Please come to a meeting on Tuesday, October 17th.

10 am at Island ConnectEd in room 116

Topics include:

- Scholarships
- Applying for Post-Secondary
- Grad ceremony
- Grad photos

6) Grade 10-12 In Person support Classes next week

- Monday, October 16th – **Grade 10-12 Art Class**
 - 10 am In room 116
 - Please wear painting clothes
- Monday, October 16th – **English 11 Essay writing session**
 - At noon in room 116

- Wednesday, October 18th – **Math help drop in**

- AW 10/11, FPC Math 10 - 10am room 116

- Monday, October 23rd – **Resume workshop** – 9:30 am – Computer Lab

7) Friday Floor Hockey, Lunch and Board Games



When: Friday, October 13th

Grade 4-7 - 11am - 11:45am

Grade 8-12 - 11:45 - 12:30pm

Lunch after hockey

Board Games at 12:30 in the grade 8/9 room

8) PAC Picture Book Club for K/1 students (and their younger/older siblings).



ROOM ON THE BROOM! Book Club (PAC)

When: Wed Oct 18 from 11 am - 12 pm

Where: ICE Library

Who: Ks, 1s and siblings (older or younger)

What: We will read the book together, do a witchy themed craft and a sensory activity. Come as a family (no supervision provided).

More details: This is planned and facilitated by parent volunteers, if you are willing to host a picture book club please do! You can choose the book and activity (canvas has great ideas), we can book the school library for a date that works for you and the PAC can support material cost.

RSVP and/or questions: danna.whitson@gmail.com

Thank you and have a fantastic weekend

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