



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

Highlights this week include:

- **It was fantastic to see some of our grade 12 graduates on campus this past Tuesday for a scholarship meeting and check-in. June is fast approaching and we are looking forward to hosting our grade 7 and grade 12 graduation ceremonies here at Island ConnectEd on Thursday, June 13th.**
- **A great turnout for Clubs “Round 3” and our Friday Floor Hockey, Lunch and Board Games afternoon. Thank you again to our families and leadership students who have been really helping out with the preparation and clean-up of our Friday lunches. We appreciate you.**

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

[23/24-ICE Calendar Parent](#)

<i>Upcoming Events and Activities at ICE</i>	
Non-instructional Day	Monday, February 5th
Non-instructional Day	Tuesday, February 6th
Clubs Day	Thursday Feb. 7th
PAC Free Skate - Frank Crane	Thursday, Feb 8th - 1:30-2:30pm
Floor Hockey/Lunch/ Games	Friday, Feb 9th - 11am-1:45pm
In-Person K-7 Classes Wear Red and White	Tuesday, Feb 13th

### **1) ICE is closed this coming Monday and Tuesday, February 6th and 7th**

- Scheduled Non-Instructional Days - District Teacher and Staff Pro-D Days
- Our regular schedule will resume on Wednesday.

### **2) PAC Sponsored Science and Music activities are now full.**

- Both Indiana Bones and the Elementary Music activity are full.
- Please look for upcoming activities.
- Sign up for the March "Terrariums" activity will be sent out in the coming weeks.

#### Nanaimo Science Workshop: "Indiana Bones"

- Date: Wednesday, February 7<sup>th</sup>
- Time: 11:00am – 12:00pm
- Who: K-7 Students
- Where: Room 116

#### Elementary Music Class

- Date: February 21<sup>st</sup>
- Time: 11:00am – 12:00pm
- Who: K-3 students (interested siblings can join as well)
- Where: Room 116

### **3) Feb 13th - K-7 In Class Day (Kindness and wear Red and White Day)**

- Students are encouraged to wear red and white
- Students will be participating in a short (15-30min) Kindness activity where we prepare kindness messages for our Kindness Tree outside the office

**4) PAC Free Skate continues this Thursday, Feb 8th from 1:30 - 2:30 PM at Frank Crane Arena.**



- Sign up: <https://forms.gle/DDGWRotPKUehAYJM8>

**5) Friday Floor Hockey, Lunch and Board Games this Friday, Feb 9th**



- 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

## 6) Grade 12 grad Photos and K-12 Photo Retakes

- Grade 12 - Grad Photos - Wednesday, February 21<sup>st</sup> @ Wellington - Sign up is through the photographer's [website](#) and the session will become available to view / book on their website in early Feb. Use the [school search](#) function and not the 8 digit code function.
- Grade 12 - Grad Photos - Thursday, March 7<sup>th</sup> @ Island ConnectEd - ICE has 20 minute time slots starting at 10:00 and going until 11:40. Please let Josh Gillingham ([josh.gillingham@sd68b.ca](mailto:josh.gillingham@sd68b.ca)) know if you would like to book a spot now as he will be handling our onsite schedule for grad photos that day.
- K-12 Photo Retakes - Onsite in the multipurpose room Friday, March 8th

## 7) Safe Schools Together – Family Sessions (Feb 8th, and 28th)

Safe Schools Together is pleased to announce that in partnership with the Ministry of Education and Childcare, they have opened up four more dates for their “Social Media Awareness” Family Sessions. These sessions were designed to support families and caregivers navigate the digital world.

Dates, times and information to register can be found in the link below.

[erise Family Sessions \(saferschoolstogether.com\)](https://saferschoolstogether.com)

***Thank you and have a fantastic weekend!***

Justin Mark | Principal