



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

Highlights of the Week:

Fantastic turnout for Friday Floor Hockey this week. The team spirit and growth and development is inspiring to watch and be a part of. Big thanks to Sheri and the team for preparing a beautiful chili lunch.



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

Parent Calendar: [📅 24/25-ICE_Calendar Parent](#)

Upcoming Events at Island ConnectEd	
PAC - Nanaimo Art Gallery Exploration Series (K-7)	Monday, Oct 7th - 1-2:30pm - Stop Motion Animation
In-Person Classes	Tuesday, Oct 8th
Fire Drill on site @ ICE	Tuesday, Oct 8th - 10:20am
1st day of Clubs	Thursday, Oct. 10th
Roald Dahl Kids Book Club ICE Library	Thursday, Oct 10 - Noon -1pm (K-7)
Floor Hockey/Student Lunch Friday	Friday, Oct 11th (Gr2-12 11-12:45pm)
Thanksgiving Monday - School Closed	Monday, Oct 14th
Silver Meadows - PAC Farm Event	Wednesday, Oct 16th

1. Fire Drill Tuesday, Oct 8th at 10:20am: It can be a good idea to talk to your child(ren) at home about what to expect (noise, moving quietly through the halls, waiting quietly outside), especially if they have never had a fire drill experience before.



2) Photo Day - Retake Schedule

For those that missed photo day this week, Lifetouch will be offering retakes at Woodlands Secondary from 9am-Noon. We will also have retakes again in March onsite at ICE.

3) Thursday Clubs - Start Next Thursday - Link below - Final Call



Here is the link for clubs: <https://forms.gle/YECx4AbqHLXjJzmb9>

**** Please note that Clubs start next Thursday (9:30 – 11:30am)

4. PAC Pumpkin Patch activity at Silver Meadows Farm

Sign Up Link: <https://simpli.events/e/c927b6>

ICE PAC Presents a morning at the pumpkin patch at Silver Meadows Farm on Wednesday, October 16th, from 10am-11pm! This is a parent participation event, please attend with your child - siblings welcome, please make sure to add a ticket for each member of your family that is joining. Adult tickets include one trip through the corn maze, children's tickets include one trip through the corn maze and one small pumpkin.

Please note that parental supervision is required, and Silver Meadows has a lake/pond area, so please monitor children closely. You may park in the parking lot, and parking continues on one side of the road if the lot becomes full. Due to an event occurring after our time slot we ask that all ICE families leave by 1pm.

We can't wait to celebrate autumn with you!

5. Floor Hockey Friday/Lunch and Games Day next Friday, October 4th “Pizza”



Schedule:

Grade 2-5: 11am - 11:45

Lunch K-12 - 11:40 -Noon

Grade 6-12 - Noon-12:45

Games Club - 12:45 -1:45pm

6. Roald Dahl Day - PAC Kids Book Club Event



Thursday, October 10th

In the library 12pm-1pm

Any interested K-7, but more geared to primary students

Parent Supervision Required

7. Safer Schools is offering free student and family sessions on Digital Communities this school year.

Family sessions on “Establishing Safe, caring and respectful Digital Communities” can be found [here](#)

These sessions are recommended for Parents/Caregivers/Grandparents and youth aged 10 and up.

8. Island Health - Update Pertussis

- **Please see the attached Island Health update on Pertussis.**

Have a safe and restful weekend!