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End of April/May Upcoming IPS Events

IPS Vision & Hearing Screening Clinic

Tuesday, April 24, 2018

Information and permission forms have been sent home with students the first week of April. Please return asap!



Track & Field Day

**Thursday, April 26th
Afternoon**



Students from Kindergarten to Grade 6 will participate in planned outdoor track & field activities in the afternoon. This will provide IPS students an opportunity to try the many different sporting events that track and field offers. Families wishing to join us and cheer on the student athletes are welcome to take the 12:00pm ferry to Centre Island and walk to school. Contact the school for further information ☺

Island PS School Council Presents:

Social Media Fitness – Listen, Understand & Connect Presentation

Monday, April 30th @ 6:15pm

Harbour Square Party Room

Social Media Fitness - Listen, Understand & Connect

Join Presenter Chris Vollum for an exciting journey into the world of Snapchat, Twitter, Instagram, Facebook and more. And leave inspired skilled and confident to support your family's journey through Social Media. Our kids are already engaged in this space. *We need to be engaged, too.*

Core Discussions

- Daily Habits; Important vs. Urgent
- Achieve Balance; less screen time
- Increase Online Confidence & Skill
- Mental Health; Stress & Anxiety
- How Students are Evaluated, Online
- Building a Sustainable Reputation

PLEASE NOTE: School Council has scheduled Chris Vollum to present to Grade 3 to 6 Students on the afternoon of April 30th called Social Media Fitness: Choices, Behaviour, Values, Peer Pressure. This interactive presentation will bring relevant skills, awareness and safety strategies to prepare students for their future, online!

IPS ARTS DAY



FRIDAY, MAY 11th

1PM TO 3PM



Island Public School Students will celebrate the variations of artistic expression in The Ontario Art Curriculum at this event! Dance, Drama, Music, and Visual Arts!

**School-wide Art
& Photograph
Show**

**In-class
Multi-Media
Presentations**

**In-class
Theatre, Poetry
& Story-telling**

**Kindergarten
Spring
Concert!**

**Scholastic
Book Fair**

**Sidewalk Art &
IPS Interactive
Landscape
Project**

IPS Families are invited to join us for this celebration!

Island Public School Arts Day Celebration - Information Overview

ARRIVAL OPTIONS

- City-side Families may take the 12:00pm ferry to Centre Island and walk to the school (approximately a 20-30 minute walk)
- City-side Families may take the 12:30pm ferry to Ward's Island; a school bus will be there to meet you. Reminder: Strollers are not permitted on the school bus.
- Island-side Families may take the 12:45pm school bus from Ward's Island to the school.

SCHEDULE OF PLANNED ART ACTIVITIES & EVENTS

1:00pm – Welcome & Opening Messages @ The Flag Pole

1:15pm – Primary & Junior Classroom Presentations

2:15pm – Primary & Junior Classroom Presentations (Repeated)

1:30pm, 2:00pm & 2:30pm Kindergarten Spring Concerts (Common Room)

3:00pm End of Arts Celebration

1:00-3:00pm – Ongoing Art Activities & Events

School-wide Arts Show featuring original works by IPS Students

Bondar Challenge Photographs *“Canadian Landscapes & Nature on the Island”* – Gymnasium

“IPS Infinity Mirrors” Art Installation Inspired by the AGO *“Infinity Mirrors”* Exhibit – Main Hallway

“Side-walk Chalk Frames” & *“Paint-Chip Landscape Art”* – Outside Front of School

Island Public School Early Years Outdoor Classroom Maps – Outdoor Classroom

Book Fair – Library

DEPARTURE FROM THE SCHOOL

- 3:00pm City-side Families may walk to Centre Island to take the 3:30pm ferry (if you are taking your child, please sign-out prior to leaving) (if the day is beautiful another ferry is at 4:30pm)
 - 3:00pm – City-side Families may start to catch the school buses for Hanlan's Point to catch the 3:45pm ferry to the city (if you are taking your child, please sign-out prior to leaving)
 - 3:40pm Island-side Families ONLY may board the bus with their child to Ward's Island
 - All Students will depart at the regular dismissal time unless signed out by parents/guardians through their teacher
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