



NEWSLETTER

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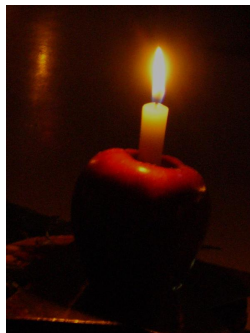
Friday, November 27

Parent/Teacher Interviews
No Classes

Sunday, November 29

*10:00 - 11:00 am Advent Spiral
for BAK Families*
*11:30 am - 12:30 pm Advent
Spiral for SSK Families*

Advent Spiral at SWS



*Where there is darkness let there be
light*

*Whether it be the light of the Menorah,
the Advent wreath, The Divali Lamo
It all means the same*

*These are the universal signs of hope,
peace, love and joy*

And when we put on "our armour of light"

And we take up our candle instead of the sword

We hammer the weapons into plough shares

1:00 - 2:00 pm Advent for
Grade 1 Families

Wednesday, December 2

7:00 - 9:00 pm Parent
Association Meeting

Monday, December 7

1:45 - 4:30 pm Boys
Basketball, Saltspring Island

Friday, December 11

1:00 - 3:00 pm Winter Recital

[View Calendar](#)

No Classes and Early Dismissal Days

Nov 27 No Classes
Dec 21 to Jan 1
No Classes

Report Cards

We apologize for getting report cards out later than announced. We have experienced a serious technical difficulty and this has delayed the process. We are hoping to have all report cards distributed by the end of the day Thursday. Thank you for your patience.

Parent/Teacher Interviews

Friday, November 27

If you haven't signed up yet, the sign up sheets are outside the office. The office will be open

And we take our spark of light into the world
~Jan Ney Patterson

With the dimming of the light, and with a spirit of inner preparation all the grades children will celebrate Advent. Our school's celebration of Advent involves...[read more](#)...

Winter Recital



We are again looking forward to our annual Winter Concert presented by the grades children on Friday, December 11 at 1:00 pm. The teachers and children are busy preparing pieces to share with parents and friends of the school community. They will be showcasing singing, instrumental music, folk dances, speech, and recitations. It will be another wonderful opportunity to sample the arts as they are practiced within our classrooms. Please ensure that your child(ren) are dressed in festival clothing with white tops/dress and dark bottoms. No boots are to be worn and dress shoes are preferred. We look forward to seeing you there!

A Question From the Social Health Committee



Do you know all of the names of the students, their siblings and the parents in your child's class? We suggest this lovely and simple place to start in getting to know your community. If you don't know all of their names, take some time to learn them so that when you see each other at pick up and drop off, you can address each other by name. Basic manners is one of the fundamental ways that we can model healthy communication, create strong bonds, and attached relationships for our families and children.

2015/16 SWS Basketball Teams

Our girl's and boy's teams will be competing starting in December and games will be announced in the

Friday and you can call to book your appointment.

Basketball Season Schedule

Girl's

December 14 vs Saltspring

Leaving school at 1:45

January 6 vs Cowichan

Leaving after school

January 18 vs. Saltspring

Leaving school at 1:45

January 20 vs Cowichan

Leaving after school

Boy's

December 7 vs Saltspring

Leaving school at 1:45

December 16 vs Duncan

Christian School

Leaving after school

January 13 vs Frances Kelsey

Leaving after school

February 4 vs Cowichan

Beverly St. Campus

Leaving after school

February 11, year end

tournament at Duncan

Christian School 9:00 am start.

The SWSPA Cubby is

Missing its Key

The key to the SWSPA shed that sits on a wooden dowel in the PA cubby has gone missing before Winter Fair. Whoever might have it, or know its whereabouts please return it to the cubby asap or [email](#).

Classifieds

newsletter. Come out and support our teams!

Representing SWS this will season will be:

Girl's Team:



Meenah A (8)

Xinyao C (7)

Milena J (8)

Maja P (8)

Lily T (7)

Jessica W (8)

Boy's Team:



Arc A (7)

Jordan A (8)

Dziva C (8)

Jonah C (8)

Jamie F (7)

Connor H (8)

Luke T (7)

Rowan Z (7)

Go teams!

Winter Fair Thank You



The SWS Parent Association is very grateful for the parents, staff, IOHS students and other volunteers who were able to coordinate, run and make the 2015 Winter Fair possible this year! It was intentioned as a simpler, smaller, and Advent-

focused event. Please share your feedback via

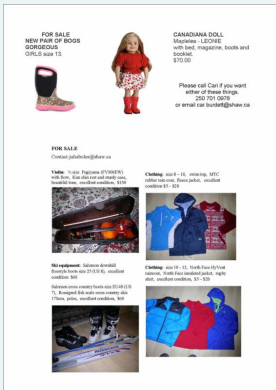
[email](#) or by calling Diana at 250-746-4624, or

by coming to the December SWS Parent Association meeting on Wednesday, December 2, at 7:00 pm.

THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU!!

Island Oak High School Invites SWS Community

Click on the image below to view December Classifieds. January Classifieds will come out early January with a deadline of January 3.



We invite you to kindle your inner light for Advent at Island Oak High School, Sunday, November 29. Two sessions: 1:00 - 2:00 pm and 3:00 - 4:00

pm . An indoor event for all ages. Walk a green-boughed spiral and light a candle in a contemplative mood, accompanied by gentle live music. Enjoy tea and seasonal baked goods before and afterward. The event is a gift to the community from a small group of alumni parents. Your donations pay for musicians, candles, apples and refreshments.

We are also looking for volunteers to help create the magic of the Advent Spiral this Saturday starting at 10:00 am.

Glenora Farm Invites SWS Community



4766 Waters Rd. | Duncan  events@glenorafarm.org
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Enjoy the Glenora Farm Christmas Fair on Sunday, December 13, 11:00 am - 4:00 pm. There are children's activities, hay rides, music, handmade gifts, vendors, yummy treats and a whole lot of fun!

For more information call Glenora Farm at 250-715-

1559

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