

# NEWSLETTER

Community Events | Parent Teacher Interviews | Picture Retakes

## Upcoming Dates

Nov. 2, 16 & 30- Milk ordering closes at 11pm

Nov. 13 & 27- PEI School Food ordering closes at noon

Nov. 5 - Remembrance Day Assembly

Nov. 6 & 7 - Convention Days (No School)

Nov. 10 - Report Card Day (No School)

Nov. 11 - Remembrance Day (No School)

Nov. 12 - Home & School Meeting 6:30 - 8pm

### Nov.14 - School Photo Retakes

Nov. 15 & 16 - Bluefield Christmas Craft Fair

### Nov.20 & 21 - Parent Teacher Interviews

Nov. 19-21- Scholastic Book Fair

COSPEI Draws every Tuesday



## Parent Teacher Interviews

Parent-teacher interviews are just around the corner! This is a wonderful opportunity to connect with your child's teacher, discuss their progress, and celebrate their accomplishments from the first term.

Scheduling will be done online. An email with a booking link will be sent to all parents. Please keep an eye out for these communications and book your time slot. We look forward to seeing you there!

### Englewood Staff Potluck:

Our incredible teachers are getting ready for Parent-Teacher Interviews on Thursday, Nov. 20th & Friday Nov. 21st! The Home & School Association is organizing a potluck supper on **Thursday, November 20th** to provide them with a delicious meal in the staff room between meetings. This is a wonderful way to show our appreciation for all their hard work.

If you can contribute a dish, please sign up using the link below. We aim to have all food set up by **4:30 PM**. For any questions, you can contact Rachael at [rachael.inglewoodhomeandschool@gmail.com](mailto:rachael.inglewoodhomeandschool@gmail.com).

Thank you for your support!

**Sign up here:** <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C094EA4A92AA7F8C61-59526463-inglewood#/>

(The link is also available on our school's Facebook group.)

## Community Events:

### *Jiu-Jitsu Classes for Kids!*

Join us for Jiu-Jitsu classes designed for children ages 4-8 and 9-14 years old.

Classes are offered on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5:00 - 5:45 PM (4-8 yrs) and 6:00 - 6:45 PM (9-14 yrs) and Saturdays at 10:00 AM (all ages kids) at the Bonshaw Community Center. Led by an experienced educator, qualified paediatric RN and brown belt instructor with a passion for supporting all children, these classes focus on building confidence, discipline, and social skills in a fun and engaging environment. For more details, visit: [westriverjiujitsu.ca](http://westriverjiujitsu.ca).

### *Learn to Ski and Biathlon Programs!*

Looking for a great way for your kids to get active outdoors this winter?

**Nordic Sports PEI** offers two fantastic programs at the Mark Arendz Provincial Ski Park in Brookvale:

**Learn to Ski Program:** Kids ages 6-9 can learn the fundamentals of classic cross-country skiing from experienced coaches. This program runs from January to the end of February.

**Biathlon Bears Program:** Children ages 8-14 will learn the exciting skills of marksmanship and skate skiing. Sessions are held also from January to March.

For more information and to register, please visit their website or contact Program Manager Brad Haltli at [brad.haltli@nordicsportspei.ca](mailto:brad.haltli@nordicsportspei.ca).

## Home & School Updates

### Book Fair:

Get ready to discover your next favourite book! Our school is thrilled to announce that the **Scholastic Book Fair** is on its way. This is a wonderful opportunity to support literacy in our school and ignite a lifelong love of reading, as every purchase helps us put more books into the hands of our students.

Students will have the chance for **sneak peeks** on either the **17th or 18th**.

Fair Shopping Hours:

- **Wednesday, the 19th:** During school hours
- **Thursday, the 20th:** During school hours and during interviews until **8:00 PM**
- **Friday, the 21st:** Open from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM

The fair will be open during Parent-Teacher Interviews so families can browse together! We can't wait to see you there!

### Kindergarten Registration Is Now Open!

It's time to register the class of 2025/2026! If your child will be **5 years old by December 31, 2025**, please register them this week by stopping by the school office: **Monday - Friday, 8:30 AM - 3:00 PM**.

Quick Reminders:

- Please bring all necessary documents (proof of age, proof of address) to complete the paperwork.
- Your child does **not** need to be present for registration.

For questions, call **(902) 658-7850**. We appreciate you sharing our **Home & School Facebook group** with any new families!

### The Breakfast Program Needs your Help!

Englewood School's Breakfast Program helps ensure that every student starts the day ready to learn. While the program receives some provincial funding, it currently amounts to only \$0.18 per student per day—far less than what's needed to sustain this important initiative.

If you are in a position to help, tax-deductible donations can be made to directly support the Englewood Breakfast Program. Every contribution, big or small, makes a real difference.

Please note that cheques or donations **should not** be written to or dropped off at the school without prior arrangements. If you would like to contribute, please contact the school's main office via email during school hours. You can reach Darlene Farquharson at [dbfarquharson@edu.pe.ca](mailto:dbfarquharson@edu.pe.ca) for the necessary details.



## Community Events:

### *Fall Indoor Soccer with Delta Soccer!*

Get your kids ready for some indoor soccer fun! Join Coach Joel for one of Delta Soccer's six-week fall programs. Designed for children born between **2014 and 2021**, each session uses fun play to build movement skills, confidence, and a love for soccer.

Sessions run from **November 4th to December 19th**. To learn more and register, visit [deltasoccer.ca](http://deltasoccer.ca) today!

### *Island Gymnastics Academy*

#### **Now Registering for our Winter session!**

Boys and girls of all ages are invited to join the fun at **Island Gymnastics Academy!** Our gymnastics, dance and parkour programs build strength, confidence, and coordination in a safe and supportive environment. Spaces fill quickly - register today!

[www.islandgymnasticsacademy.com](http://www.islandgymnasticsacademy.com)

### *Volunteers - Leadership Training Workshop*

@ Tignish Elementary School  
Westisle region's Home & Schools are invited to a **Home & School Leadership Training Workshop.**

Date: Thursday, Nov. 13th, 2025

Time: 6:30 - 8:00 pm

Place: Tignish Elementary School.

Cost: FREE

Content: Guidance for executive positions, bookkeeping tips, and general information for all volunteers.

Please register by

email: [ssmedleyjay@gov.pe.ca](mailto:ssmedleyjay@gov.pe.ca) or call 902-620-3186 by Nov. 10th.



### Englewood Christmas Flea Market:

Our Annual Christmas Flea Market is Back!

It's time for our Fourth Annual Christmas Flea Market! This beloved in-school event gives students the chance to buy Christmas gifts for their families for just **\$1 per item**. It's a fantastic way for them to experience the joy of giving.

We are happily accepting donations of new or gently used items to make this a successful event. We will start collecting donations at the school on **Monday, December 1st**.

As you prepare for the holidays, please consider setting aside items that would make great gifts! We are especially looking for:

- Items for men
- Jewelry
- Christmas decorations
- Toys
- Sealed chocolates (nut-free, please!)

Please **do not donate** clothing, stuffed animals, or large, easily breakable items.

We're also in need of supplies to help our young shoppers wrap their gifts! Donations of **gift bags of all sizes, tissue paper, gift tags, and packing paper** are greatly appreciated!

Lastly, we'll need volunteers to help everything run smoothly. Keep an eye on our Facebook group for a virtual sign-up page coming soon.

Thank you for your generosity in making this a event special for our students!

### Spooktacular Success!:

Our annual event was a massive success, filled with creative costumes, fun games, and a wonderful community spirit. A huge thank you to our dedicated **teachers and staff** for organizing the activities, and to all the **Englewood families** who attended!

Thanks to your incredible support and participation, we raised funds that will go directly toward supporting our school's programs. We're already looking forward to next year!

## Community Events:

### *Parent Leadership Grants*

Parent Leadership Project grants for up to \$500 are available to Home and School Associations. Leadership projects are to focus on parent leadership and engagement in your school community.

Go to: <https://peihsf.ca/grants>.

Submission deadline: Nov. 30th

### *Recognition & Awards Program*

Awards recognize deserving individuals in school communities. The Crossing Guard Award Nominations, announced last month, are due Nov. 7th.

The Federation is proud to open nominations for its Extra Mile Award to celebrate school staff personnel. Nominations are due Jan. 17. Read more at: <https://peihsf.ca/awards/>

## Local Craft Fairs

Christmas in the Country Craft Fair -  
New Dominion, November 1

Church Mouse Christmas Sale -  
Crapaud, November 7 & 8

Gallantry Farmhouse Christmas -  
Albany, November 9

Christmas in a Barn Craft Show,  
Bonshaw, November 13 to 16

Crapaud Christmas Craft Fair -  
November 15

Christmas Craft Sale - New Dominion,  
November 15

Borden-Carleton Christmas Craft Sale -  
November 22

7th Annual Christmas Craft Fair -  
Kinkora, November 22

Small is Beautiful Christmas Craft Fair -  
Breadalbane, November 22

## Bluefield Christmas Craft Fair:



# MIDDLE SCHOOL LEAGUE

1st Step Basketball is now offering a Fall/Winter Middle School Basketball League!



This League is only open to players that have not made their middle school teams.

Payment MUST be made in advance of the league start date.



## DATES AND TIME:

### NOVEMBER

9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup>

### JANUARY

4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>

### FEBRUARY

1<sup>st</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>



GRADE 7-9 9AM-12PM (SUNDAYS)

## REGISTRATION LINK:



<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=9KUeeE99IUaXGGaCg81bvvyV2SkyIrlNhg607qoRmupU0jChCS0cxWjY4TIA2M1kyQVVBMzk4V1dVTi4u>



**COST: \$200 PER PLAYER (11 SESSIONS)**



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