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Upcoming Dates

Sept. 3 & 21- Milk ordering closes at 11pm

Sept. 4 & 18 - PEI School Food ordering closes at noon

Sept. 9 - Home & School Meeting 6:30 - 8pm

Sept. 15 - **Meet the Teacher Night** Starts at 6pm

Sept.16 - Victoria Theater Group start day

Sept. 26 - Terry Fox Run @1:45 pm

Sept. 30 - KidProof Babysitting Training course. 9am to 4pm at 14 Campbell

Rd.Charlottetown. Register at <https://www.kidproofpei.com/>

Sept. 30 - National Day for Truth and Reconciliation (**No School**)

Oct.9 - School Photos

COSPEI Draws every Tuesday at 1pm

Spelling Bee

Registration is now open for this years Canadian Spelling Bee! For more information go to spellingbeeofcanada.ca/registration



Welcome Back!

Welcome back, Englewood families! We are so excited to kick off another school year with our wonderful community. Whether you're a new family or a returning family, we're glad you're here!

This year, we're looking forward to building on our shared successes and creating an enriching environment for all students. Our first Home & School meeting of the year is a great opportunity to connect with the school community, and we encourage you to get involved with the Home & School Association. We meet on the **second Tuesday of every month from 6:30-8:00pm in the school library.** New members are always welcome!.





Fundraising

COSPEI (Creating Opportunities for Students in PEI) has become our primary fundraiser, and we are so grateful for your support! This weekly online 50/50 draw, which has quickly grown to be a major source of funding for our activities, averaged **~\$800 per month during the 2024/2025 school year.**

We post reminders about the draw every Tuesday morning in our Facebook group. Your support in sharing information about it is incredibly valuable, as it helps us fund the majority of our projects throughout the school year. Thank you for helping us make a difference!

Breakfast Program

We're excited to announce the relaunch of our school's breakfast program! Run by a dedicated team of volunteers and operating on a limited budget, we're starting slow with the goal of eventually providing complete meals for every student.

The only way we can effectively execute this program is with the support of our community. We are asking for donations from community organizations, local businesses, and individuals. If you would like to donate, please contact the school.

Home & School Updates

Picture Day Helpers Needed!

Picture Day at Englewood is an important event, and we need your help to make sure our students look their best! We are looking for volunteers from approximately **8:30 a.m. to noon** October 9 to help with a variety of tasks, including straightening shirt collars and tidying any stray hairs. Your help will be most needed in the morning, as the photographer typically starts with the Kindergarteners and works their way up.

If you are available to lend a hand, please email Rachael Cameron at rachael.englewoodhomeandschool@gmail.com. We appreciate your support in making Picture Day a success!

Playground Updates:

Great news, Englewood families! We have some playground upgrades to share with you. Over the summer the K-3 swing set was replaced. We lost it when a tree fell on it during Fiona and we are so happy to have it back. On the Grades 4-9 playground, the Gaga pit from behind the school is in the process of being moved further back, and the accessible Gaga pit (located beside the new play structure) is also in the process of being installed. There is a volleyball court going in, and also a pathway has been added beside the new play structure to improve accessibility from the parking lot. Look out for two benches, a picnic table, and a sign to go in next! Finally, we added some balls to the ball bin on the basketball court. These upgrades have been made possible with the remaining funds from our Pam's Playground fundraiser (except for the K-3 swings which were replaced by PSB insurance). Thank you for your continued support as we work to make our playground and school more accessible and fun for all students!

School Upgrades:

Over the summer break, work continued on the new siding around the school, and a new front door will be installed in October. We're also excited about the addition of a new accessibility ramp at the front of the school and extra railings to help our younger students safely navigate the stairs to the lower level.

Road Safety

Another school year has begun. Children walk, cycle, or ride to school on a bus or travel in their family cars. This is the time to remind all motorists that children can get to school and back home safely with awareness and education. Find out more info on the Public Schools Branch's [School Bus Planner](#).

Fall Outdoor Soccer Programs

Delta Soccer offers skill-building, fun, and confidence-boosting programs for players born 2014 to 2021.

First Kicks & Other Tricks

(2021-2020) - Intro to soccer and basic movement skills.

Soccer ABCs (2019-2018) - Agility, balance, coordination through games.

Soccer 123s (2017-2016) - Shooting, passing, dribbling fundamentals.

Goalazo! (2015-2014) - Improve shooting and finishing.

NO FEAR Defending (2015-2014) - Learn to defend with confidence and smart decision-making.

Starting September 9th, all programs are 6 sessions long and take place at the Grace Christian School soccer field. For program descriptions, schedules and to register please go to deltasoccer.ca.

School Nutrition Policy

A new School Food Project

Coordinator, Margaret Young started on May 5th at the Department of Education and Early Years to work with the school board and update the school nutrition policies. If you wish to find out more: mhyoung@gov.pe.ca / 902-374-1673

Home & School Federation Updates

Semi-Annual Home & School Federation Meeting

Date/Time: Tuesday, October 7, 2025, 5:45 – 8:00 PM

Place: Central Queens Elementary School, (19821 Rte. 2 Hunter River)

Topic: Child Protection

Speakers:

#1 Senior Manager, Canadian Center for Child Protection, child sexual abuse, reducing risk, and how we can talk to our kids about their personal safety.

#2 RCMP Officer, child protection, and how to keep your child safe All are welcome.

Cost - \$8 per person/Free for students.

Register: <https://forms.gle/Mw6PoEJxhUdat5EWA> or contact a member of your local Home & School group to attend.

School Board Elections

Elections PEI has launched its promotional campaign for the 2025 School Board Trustee Elections.

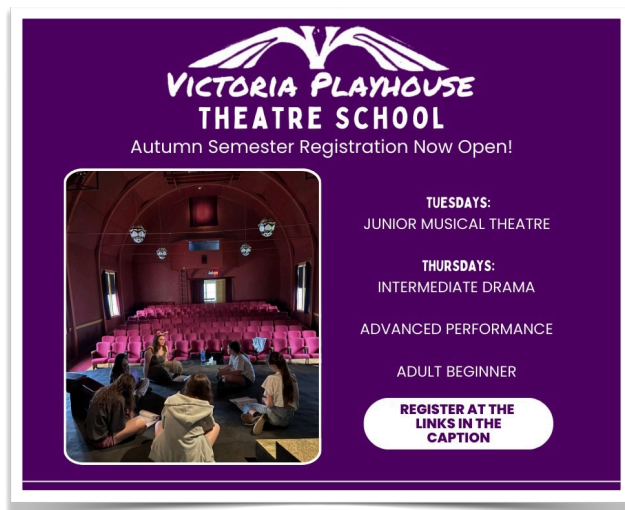
Candidates submit nominations to Elections PEI by Fri. Sept. 26

Voters must register to vote online or by mail-in ballot; beginning Sept. 8, 2025, the online portal will be open, allowing you to register to vote.

Who can vote? All eligible PEI voters can vote in this election. Election Day Friday, October 17, 2025.

Victoria Playhouse Theatre School

Registration is Now Open! To register email Becca Griffin at thecatspajamastheatreco@gmail.com



The poster features the Victoria Playhouse Theatre School logo at the top, with a stylized bird emblem above the text. Below the logo, it says "Autumn Semester Registration Now Open!". On the left side, there is a photograph of a theater stage with an audience seated in the foreground. On the right side, the poster lists the following activities:

- TUESDAYS:** JUNIOR MUSICAL THEATRE
- THURSDAYS:** INTERMEDIATE DRAMA
- ADVANCED PERFORMANCE
- ADULT BEGINNER

At the bottom right, there is a white button with the text: "REGISTER AT THE LINKS IN THE CAPTION".