

Eagles Extra Newsletter



Island View School enjoyed a visit from the Saint John Sea Dogs this week! Let's keep the fun rolling with a school community spirit night as we cheer on our local heroes, the Saint John Sea Dogs, at TD Station Saturday, Jan. 24th @ 4pm. Tickets were sent home with students this week.

Let's fill the stands with Island View spirit, wave our colours, and make some noise for the Sea Dogs. It's hockey, it's community, and it's going to be a whole lot of fun. See you at the game! 🐾

Champions of Reading

Elementary students are encouraged to read books and apply for [TD Station's Champion of Reading program](#) to win free tickets to a Sea Dogs game!



February 9- 13, 2026

It's time to celebrate the incredible teachers and staff who make our school such a great place to learn and grow! During Appreciation Week, our Home & School Association will be organizing fun décor and food theme days to help show our gratitude all week long.


Want to lend a hand or sprinkle in some joy?

- To donate your time, please contact Alex Baxter, Home & School President, at ivshomeandschool@gmail.com
- To make a monetary donation, please visit School Cash Online

Thank you for helping us make this week extra special for the amazing people who support our students every day.

IVS Home & School Family Skating

Join us for a fun afternoon of family skating at TD Station on Sunday, February 22, 2026
1:00–3:00 p.m.

 Free event, but registration is required. Please register online at [School Cash Online](#) to reserve your ticket.

Important reminders:

- A parent or guardian must accompany their child
- CSA-approved helmets required
- No hockey sticks permitted

We look forward to seeing you on the ice!



School Closures & Bus Delays

You can find out about school closures and bus delays by checking out our [school website](#)

Calendar Events

[Click here](#) to check new events!
Winter Carnival is coming
Feb. 23-27th

For more community events:

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Support for Island View Families

Island View School and the PSSC care about our families and want to provide resources that matter most to you. Please take a few minutes to complete our short survey to let us know what topics you'd like more information on and how you'd prefer to access it.

Your feedback will help us plan sessions, share helpful tips, and include valuable content in our newsletters.



[Click here to complete the survey](#)

IVS School Crests for sale.

Proceeds go to the Grade 1 & 2 Romero House Soup Project. Students can bring \$5 to school to buy them from Mrs. Karatzios/Mrs. Hazen's class.



FRENCH SECOND LANGUAGE PROGRAMS

VIRTUAL PROGRAM INFORMATION MEETING



IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL KINDERGARTEN & GRADE 5 ENGLISH PRIME FAMILIES

An information session regarding program selection for September 2026 will be held virtually via TEAMS for all Education Centers. Please choose ONE of the meeting dates listed below, as each session will be identical.

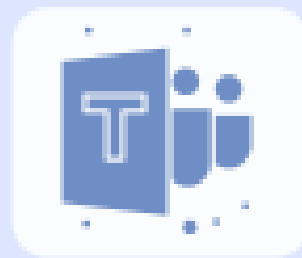
INFORMATION PROVIDED ON ALL PROGRAM OPTIONS:

English Prime
Program

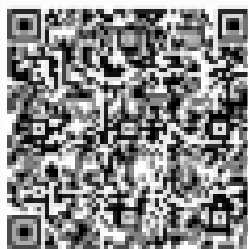
Early French
Immersion Program
(Grade 1 entry)

Late French
Immersion Program
(Grade 6 entry)

JANUARY 20TH, 2026
6:30PM



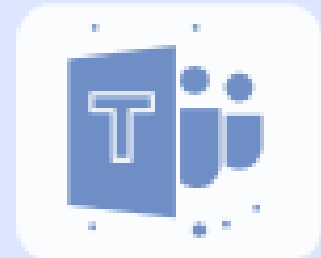
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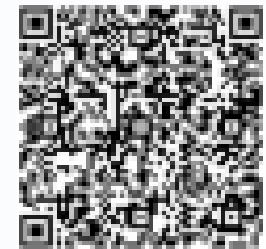
3 WAYS TO JOIN THE MEETING:

1. Microsoft Teams Meeting (click the icon)
2. Type in the link (this link is case sensitive)
3. Scan the QR code to join on a mobile device.

JANUARY 27TH, 2026
6:30PM



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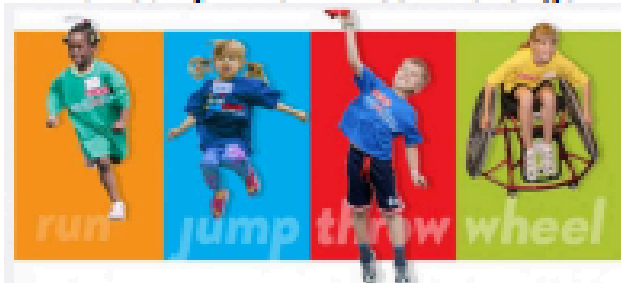


Please note, you may be prompted to download the free app to access the meeting.
A copy of the presentation will be available on the ASD-5 website.

[Anglophone School District - South](#)
[Website: French Second Language Education](#)



Saint John Track & Field Run-Jump-Throw-Wheel Challenge



Irving Oil Field House
29 McAllister Dr, Saint John, NB E2J 2S7
January 30, 2026
2:00 pm – 4:00 pm

The Saint John Reds Track & Field Club is pleased to welcome students, schools, families, and volunteers to our Free School Track Meet, called the Run-Jump-Throw Challenge. This event is about learning about the events of track & field, participation, encouragement, and the joy of sport. We hope today creates positive memories, builds confidence, and inspires a lifelong love of athletics.

Meet Information:

- The event is open to:
 - Elementary grades 3-4-5
 - Middle School grades 6-7-8
- Athletes can compete in a maximum of 3 events
- Events offered include – 60m, 300m, 800m, Relays, Shot Put and Long Jump
- Athletes will be organized based on grade however some grade categories may be combined based on numbers.

Registration:

- The Event is Free to local students
- Registration will be done online to register your participation <https://trackie.com/event/RJTWSJINDOOR2026>
- Registration deadline is 5:00pm on Wednesday, January 28th, 2026

Questions can be emailed to:

- Bill MacMackin SaintJohnTrack@gmail.com
- Oyinko Akinola oyinkoakinola@gmail.com

TENTATIVE Event SCHEDULE

Event	Run	Jump	Throw
2:00 pm	Check in, warm up and organization of athletes		
2:15 pm	60m – Grades 3-4-5 60m – Grades 6-7-8	Long Jump – Grades 3-4-5	Shot put – Grades 6-7-8
2:45 pm	300m – Grades 3-4-5 800m – Grades 6-7-8	Long Jump – Grades 6-7-8	Shot put – Grades 3-4-5
3:15 pm	Relays 4x100m – Grades 3-4-5 4x200m – Grades 6-7-8		

KPOP DEMON HUNTERS

PARTY ♦ FÊTE



Saturday, January 24

10:30am - 12:30pm

samedi le 24 janvier

10h30 à 12h30



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ASD-S School String Program 2026

To: Parents of students interested in joining the ASD-S School String Program

From: District String Program

Re: Opportunity to start beginning violin lessons

Weekly after-school beginner violin lessons will be starting after March Break on Thursdays from 7-7:45pm at Glen Falls Elementary School.

This program operates within the Anglophone South School District and is available to students who are presently in Gr 3. Requests from other grade levels are usually accepted. Students are taught in groups and are exposed to a wide variety of music (classical, fiddle, etc)

Studying a stringed instrument has many benefits. It not only teaches a child to play an instrument, it also builds character, self-esteem, coordination and powers of concentration. It is an ideal opportunity for those students who thrive on extra stimulation and academic challenge.

We invite interested parents and students to attend an information meeting, where information will be presented on the following topics:

- Frequency and length of lessons
- After-school orchestra rehearsals (after the first year)
- Acquisition of an instrument (rental and purchase options)
- Practice habits and the role of the parent
- Viola, cello and bass – future opportunities to play these instruments
- Small annual registration fee

Interested parents are invited to attend one of the following meetings listed below. Please mark these dates on your calendar. *No other notice will be given.*

Meeting #1: Wednesday, February 11 at 7pm at Glen Falls Elementary School
OR

Meeting #2: Thursday, February 12 at 7pm at Glen Falls Elementary School

Please bring your child to the meeting, to be measured for the correct instrument size. If you have a violin already, we will be happy to check its size and condition at the meeting.

If you need to contact the string program, please email alison.leonard@nbed.nb.ca