



## BOWEN ISLAND COMMUNITY SCHOOL E-BULLETIN

### BICS this Week: June 10-14, 2024

#### Monday

- Sailing Field trips for Division 6
- June is Pride Month and we are celebrating at BICS this week. Today we will start the creation of a Kindness Wall. Think about messages of kindness you can share, and students will be given the chance to write them on post-it notes to put on a bulletin board.

#### Tuesday



- Sailing Field trips for Division 4
- Gr 7 Parent Committee meeting at 2:45 pm

#### Wednesday

- Division 9 to Grouse Mountain
- Rainbow Day: Celebrate by wearing the rainbow today (colourful clothing and accessories). Create a rainbow snack if you are feeling creative.

#### Thursday

#### Friday

- Sports Day! Our theme is  Planets  . Have your child dress in their team's colour.
- No hot lunch today – please make sure your child packs a full lunch with lots of snacks! The PAC will be providing a treat for all students to enjoy at the end of the day

#### Upcoming dates:

- June 17<sup>th</sup>: Camp Bow-Isle (Div 3) and Canoeing (Grade 7)
- June 19<sup>th</sup>: Ocean Ambassadors – Grade 6
- June 20<sup>th</sup>: Ocean Ambassadors – Grade 7; PAC AGM at 5:30pm

#### School Supplies for next year

School supply lists for next year are now on our [website](#) or visit <https://creativepacks.ca/collections/packs>.

#### Booking BICS – transition plan:

BICS continues to be a central hub for Bowen Island, with West Vancouver Schools committed to ensuring the building remains accessible and that programs and opportunities continue to connect students, families, and the broader Bowen Island community.

As before, all BICS facilities will remain available to the community. In September, there will be a new process for booking the rooms in the building. The gym, kitchen, community use room, multi-purpose room, and other spaces will be booked through the West Vancouver School facilities rentals department. More specific details about the booking process will be communicated as September approaches.

Community programming and enhanced learning opportunities will remain an integral part of the BICS experience. Programs like Grand Friends and the community garden will continue to run. The community will also be invited to participate in and utilize BICS for special events and other opportunities as they arise.



**Join Us for an Interactive Community Workshop**  
Bowen Island



**Date:** Tuesday, June 18, 2024  
**Time:** 6:00 - 7:30 PM  
**RSVP for full event details.**

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We've gathered a list of the feedback we've heard from your community and Ferry Advisory Committee. Now we need your help!

We want to understand which, of the many topics we've heard about, are most important to you.

Join us for an interactive workshop and help us shape the list of your community priorities.

Learn more and RSVP at [bcferriesprojects.ca/bowen-island](https://bcferriesprojects.ca/bowen-island) or scan the QR code to learn more.



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In partnership with Bowen Island Community Recreation, the Bowen Island Library, local preschools and BC Ministry of Education and Childcare. We gratefully acknowledge the financial support of the province of BC through the Ministry of Education and Childcare.

**A DAY OF FUN!**

# CHILDREN'S FAIR

**Featuring Music with Marnie**  
Games | Music | Crafts | Snacks | Drumming Circle & much more  
Parents, caregivers, and children 0-5 please join us at the  
BICS Gym from 10:30 AM - 12:30 PM  
on Sunday, June 9th, 2024



We are **setting** the stage to get **ready** to welcome you into our joyful community of learners

