

April News and Events

DINNER
in the
WOODSCELEBRATE ENVIRONMENTAL
EDUCATION WITH DINNER IN THE WOODS
AND COMMUNITY WEEK

Celebrate the power of environmental education with us on May 8th, as we host our complimentary **virtual Dinner in the Woods** event! In the week leading up to Dinner in the Woods, we'll be presenting our first-ever **IslandWood Community Week**, with different activities to participate in each day. To learn more and to register for the event, visit DinnerInTheWoods2021.org.

IN-PERSON DAY PROGRAMS
ON BAINBRIDGE ISLAND

Teachers, are you looking for a safe, in-person opportunity for your 3rd - 6th grade students to bond, have fun, and explore outside? We're offering **immersive day programs** on our Bainbridge Island campus to help students connect with each other while deepening their understanding of the impact science and engineering can have on their communities and the planet.

[Learn more →](#)

VIRTUAL
STORMWATER PROGRAMS

We're now accepting registrations for spring **When It Rains It Pours!** Designed for 3rd - 5th graders, this free three-part virtual lesson series helps build students' understanding of stormwater systems in their communities, and includes optional at-home extension activities.

[Learn more and register →](#)

UPCOMING TEACHER PROFESSIONAL
DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Earn STEM clock hours and gain equity-based, easy-to-use strategies to support students' well-being, socio-emotional growth, and learning with this month's teacher professional development opportunities!

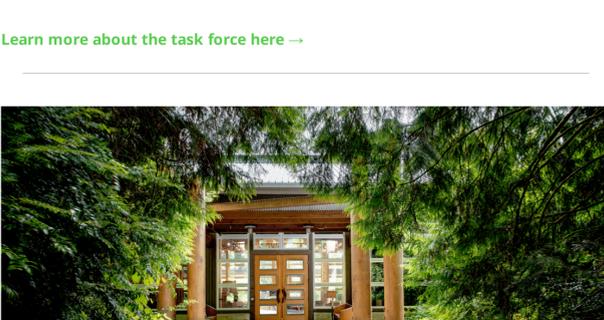
Register for our **Mapping Community Assets for Science Instruction workshop** on Thursday, April 22, or join us for a new cohort of our popular **Community Science course** beginning on Saturday, April 24.

[Explore all our upcoming professional development opportunities →](#)

ISLANDWOOD DIRECTOR JOINS
SEATTLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS
OUTDOOR & COMMUNITY TASK FORCE

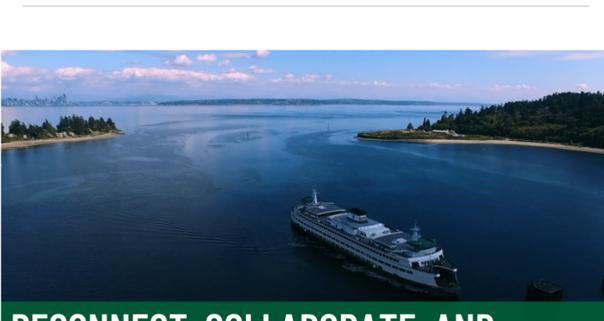
We're honored that Kate Biedent, IslandWood's Director of Urban School Programs, has been asked to join Seattle Public Schools' Outdoor and Community Education Task Force! The goal of the task force is to make recommendations to support outdoor and community-based learning opportunities as a standard feature of education in Seattle Public Schools.

[Learn more about the task force here →](#)

WHAT PHASE 3 MEANS
FOR ISLANDWOOD

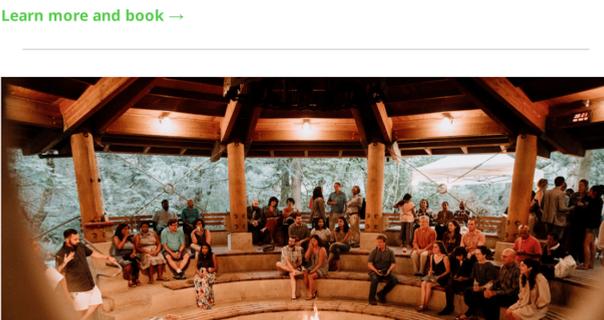
Now that Washington State has moved to **Phase 3 of the Healthy Washington plan**, we've been able to broaden the events and programming offerings that we can hold on our Bainbridge Island campus. While we continue to practice careful health and safety protocols, we are now able to offer overnight accommodations in up to 50 of our lodge rooms, indoor dining for up to 85 people, and wedding ceremonies for up to 175 guests.

Looking to safely book an event with indoor dining and overnight lodging? [Learn more about the events we offer here.](#)

RECONNECT, COLLABORATE, AND
RECHARGE WITH YOUR TEAM
AT ISLANDWOOD

After a year of working remotely, we know that many teams are looking to safely reconnect in person. Now that Washington is in Phase 3, we're thrilled to be able to offer groups overnight stays in our cozy lodge rooms! Delicious dining, optional team-building opportunities, flexible meeting spaces, and 250 acres of stunning natural beauty await you and your team.

[Learn more and book →](#)

HOST YOUR EVENT AT OUR
FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE CAMPFIRE

Whether you're planning a birthday party, celebrating a special event, or just looking to brighten your weeknight, our Friendship Circle is the perfect space to celebrate, have fun, and unwind. Get cozy and roast s'mores around the campfire, watch a movie on our projector, share drinks or dinner al fresco, and more! To inquire about pricing, availability, and optional add-ons to enhance your experience, please reach out to our team at eventassistant@islandwood.org.

READ OUR
FISCAL YEAR 2020 REPORT

Fiscal year 2020 (July 2019 – June 2020) was a year unlike any other in our history. Read our latest annual report [here](#).

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