This spring our Graduate Program included a new course about teaching climate change and climate justice to young students. “Education is wrestling, in a number of ways, with the problem of teaching about climate injustice and climate change,” shares Renée Comesotti, IslandWood instructor and designer of the new course. Read the blog post to learn more.

IslandWood summer camps are in full swing at the Brightwater Education Center! Campers are exploring urban forests, combing beaches, creating a field guide, building forts, and much more! Camps are running through August 12th. It’s not too late to register your camper for adventure and exploration in the outdoors! We offer need-based scholarships for our summer camps. Please contact Joan Hutchinson for more information.

The Bainbridge Island Review published a story about our June 12th event, Fashion in the Forest. Guests came to walk our trails AND see artists and their models show off environmentally conscious sustainable fashion. The article featured some of the creative designers and models behind the work.

Ten years ago, Sherry Williams visited IslandWood for a yoga retreat and the experience had a significant impact on her. The themes of connection, nature, and outdoor education for all children resonated with her. Read more about what inspires Sherry’s support of IslandWood here.

As you know, we reach thousands of students, teachers, and community members a year with environmental programming on our Bainbridge campus. But did you know you can host your own group for meetings, retreats, or conferences on our campus? We’ve got both indoor and outdoor meeting spaces, miles of hiking trails, team building activities, overnight lodging, and delicious meals. Best of all, when you have your event at IslandWood, it helps create funding to keep our programs accessible for children all over the region. So come find out why Seattle Times named IslandWood as one of the best corporate off-site retreats near Seattle! Learn more here.

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