

Inspiring the Next Generation of Environmental Stewards

MARCH NEWS AND EVENTS



In case you missed it, we shared this "thank you" message on Valentine's Day. Thank you for all you do to inspire more love of nature and to support IslandWood!



We've been busy planting seeds with students in the greenhouse. **In this blog post**, we share 9 tips for planting with kids!

The Washington State School for the Blind recently attended our School Overnight Program, as they have for the last few years. **Read this beautiful letter we received from Emily, a science teacher at the school, and an alum of our graduate program** → To go in The dark with a light is to know The light. To know The dark, go dark. Go without oight, and find that The dark, too, blooms and sings, and is traveled by clark feet and

WASHINGTON STATE SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND VISIT



SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION IS OPEN

IslandWood Summer Camp registration for our Bainbridge Island campus and Brightwater Education Center in Woodinville are now open. We have scholarships and after care options!



TEACH OUTDOORS This summer

Do you like kids and the outdoors? Come work with IslandWood's summer camps! You'll work with our educators and gain valuable experience in environmental education.

Register Today

Learn More

FOR EDUCATORS



INTRODUCTION TO LOCALIZING NATIONAL SCIENCE UNITS

IslandWood has been working with teachers, the developers of Amplify Science, school district partners and Educational Service Districts on an approach to localizing national science units and we'd love to share it with you! Join us for this free workshop on Mar 6th on Zoom. **Learn more** →



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IslandWood, Olympic ESD, and Northwest ESD have been working with teachers, developers and school district partners on an approach to localizing national science units for 6th – 12th grade teachers and we'd love to share it with you! Join us for this free Zoom workshop on March 18th. Learn more →



INFO SESSION

Our next priority deadline for applications is March 15th. You can learn about IslandWood's Graduate Program in advance of the deadline at our March 4th online info session.



KARR SCHOLARSHIP

This annual scholarship awards qualifying students \$20,000 towards their studies in the IslandWood Graduate Program in Education for Environment and Community.







Sun \cdot Mar 17 \cdot 2 - 4pm

Renowned paleontologist Elizabeth Nesbitt and author David Williams will share insights from their new book, "Spirit Whales and Sloth Tales," followed by a Q&A. Learn about the state's incredible paleontology, from fossil discoveries to their connection to climate change and extinction. Enjoy fun activities like making a shark tooth necklace and digging for fossils! A local collector will even showcase their personal collection, featuring fossils found on Bainbridge Island!





Sun · Apr 14 · 2 - 3:30pm

Get ready for an exciting and informative journey into the world of geology! Pacific Northwest's own John Cornish is back with his captivating program, Geology ROCKS! Prepare to be entertained, learn about hidden treasures in our region, and even get a chance to have John identify your own special rock or fossil!

Tickets



Afternoon on the Trails Sun · Mar 3 · 1- 5pm



Conservation Work Party Sat · Mar 9 · 10am – 12pm * at Blakely Harbor Park





Dine & Discover

Sat · Mar 16 · 4 – 8pm



Afternoon on the Trails Sun · Apr 7 · 1 – 5pm

Public Site Tour

Sun· Mar 17 · 1 - 4pm



Breakfast with the Birds Fri · Apr 12, 19, 26 · 7 – 9am

Check out our full events calendar here.



This past weekend, former IslandWood board member and world-renowned glass artist, Preston Singletary was featured in our Lecture Series. It was such a great afternoon, and if you missed it, **you can check out a video of the event here**! Preston, as always, was amazing.



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