**WALK OR BIKE TO SCHOOL ON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16TH**

Island Creek is hosting a “Walk or Bike to School Day” on Friday, October 16th for walking and biking students. Students who walk or bike on this day will be given a sticker and a book mark to commemorate this special day, and will be eligible for a raffle to win a bike seat cover or flashing bike reflector. Please remember that you must wear a helmet to bike to school and you should lock your bicycle when you get to school.

Students who are in SACC, are bus riders or in daycare will have an opportunity to do their walk for rewards during PE class. All bus & daycare students who do the walk will have equal opportunities for the rewards.

**FCPS IS CELEBRATING DIGITAL CITIZENSHIP WEEK OCTOBER 19 – 23**

Every day kids are tested with each post, search, chat, text message, file download and profile update. Will they connect with like minds in positive ways? Or will they spill too much information to the wrong people? Will they behave creatively? Or will they borrow ideas recklessly? Will they do the right thing?

Below are some resources for families to use to support their children as they become digital citizens.

Watch this FCPS produced video for helpful parent tips: [How To Support Your Child in Becoming a Great Digital Citizen!](#)

Read the [Family Media Agreement](#) together and sign as a family.

Are you keeping up with technology and social media? Try this site for advice videos: [Common Sense Media Advice](#). Some examples of content include:

- What is Instagram?
- What is Snapchat?
- What is Twitter?
Visit FCPS main Internet Safety page and sign up for a parent i-SAFE account to access more resources.

**VOLUNTEER ACCOMPANIST NEEDED**
The ICES Chorus is looking for a volunteer accompanist for the following concert dates: December 11th, Jan. 21st, Mar. 31st and Jun 15th. If you or anyone you know is interested, please send them our way!

**YEARBOOK COVER CONTEST**
Island Creek Elementary will be having a Yearbook Cover contest again this year. Students who are interested in entering this year’s cover contest should submit their original artwork (no computer graphics will be accepted) on 8 1/2 X 11 unlined paper. The drawing should be aligned vertically on the page. No pencil please—we need color!! Entries should be turned into the office no later than November 13th. HAVE FUN!

Note: Entries submitted on lined paper, drawn in pencil, computer generated artwork or entries submitted on incorrectly sized paper will not be used.