UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Monday Oct 13**th: Columbus Day Holiday – NO SCHOOL
- **Tuesday Oct 14**th: Field Day for Grades 1-3
- **Wednesday, Oct 15**th: Field Day for Grades 4-6
- **Thursday, Oct 16**th: Field Day (Rain Date) for grades 1-3
- **Friday, Oct 17**th: Field Day (Rain Date) for grades 4-6
- **Saturday, Oct 18**th: 8am-12pm PTA Hidden Treasures Sale
  PTA Family Photo Day (by appointment)

WALK WITH THE CROCS AT HAYFIELD HOMECOMING

Please join us on Friday, October 10th at the Hayfield Homecoming football game. All crocs wishing to walk at halftime should meet Mrs. Connell and the SCA advisors near the scoreboard before halftime.

FIRE ALARM SYSTEM TESTING

The fire alarm at Island Creek Elementary School will be tested during the week of October 13, 2008. Typical hours of testing are from 10PM until 5AM, Monday through Friday. In an effort to minimize disruption to citizens, the testing of the audible portion (horns) of the system is performed at the end of the total system test (the last testing day). The approximate amount of time the audible portion (horns) is activated will be 15 minutes.

The safety of our students and staff are of the highest importance to us; it’s imperative that the Fire Alarm system functions properly in the event of an emergency. This yearly testing helps achieve that safety goal. Thank you for your understanding in this matter.

THURSDAY COMMUNICATIONS GO ELECTRONIC

We will now be sending the *Weekly Words* and the monthly *Croc Courier* home electronically for those who requested it on the technology survey. This will save both time and money. Parents of over 500 students have already signed up to receive these communications electronically. If you have not yet, but want to receive this electronically, please send an email to: theresa.painter@fcps.edu