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## SD 36 WOULD LIKE TO SAY THANK YOU TO THESE GENEROUS DONORS...

### JANE GOODALL INSTITUTE OF CANADA - \$3,000

The Jane Goodall Foundation is supporting three school gardens this year as they continue to develop and grow outdoor spaces for youth to learn from. We are so grateful to be able to support kids in nature and to the Jane Goodall Institute of Canada for making that happen!



### JUMPSTART CANADIAN TIRE - \$60,000

We are excited to share that Surrey Schools is a recipient of a \$60,000 Community Development Grant from Jumpstart for fall after-school programming. With Jumpstart's generous support, we will continue to provide inclusive after-school programming where students can practice physical literacy, fundamental movement, and teamwork skills.

### PCI DEVELOPMENTS INC. - \$100,000

We are grateful for the ongoing support of PCI Developments in supporting the Surrey Schools Meal Programs. Their generous donation has made a profound difference in the lives of students across five elementary schools. Thanks to their support, we are able to provide nourishing meals to students at AHP Matthew, Forsyth Road, Georges Vanier, Lena Shaw and Old Yale Road Elementary ensuring they have the energy and focus to reach their full potential in the classroom. PCI Developments Inc.'s contribution is helping to create a positive, lasting impact on Surrey students' educational journeys, and for that, we are truly thankful.



## PARK RIDGE HOMES - \$22,000



Thanks to the continued generosity of Park Ridge Homes in supporting the meal programs at Bridgeview and Bear Creek Elementary. Their donation ensures that students receive a wholesome meal each school day, empowering them to focus and thrive academically. Without the support of Park Ridge Homes, our students would not have access to the healthy, nutritious breakfast and lunch they need to succeed. We are thankful for their commitment to our students' well-being and academic success.

## SOCIETY FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH OF BC – SAFER STREETS INITIATIVE

Surrey Schools is thrilled to announce that we will be taking part in the School Streets program which uses temporary barricades and road closure signage to create car-free spaces in front of schools, allowing children to pursue active free play opportunities at the start and/or end of the school day. Over the next four years, we will be one of 15+ communities implementing School Streets projects across Canada. We will participate in a nationwide training program and Community of Practice to learn best practices for how to plan, implement, and evaluate School Streets.



## SUPER SAVE GROUP

A huge thank you to the Super Save Group for their ongoing support of our meal programs. Their generosity extends far beyond providing meals, as it has equipped schools with the essential tools to prepare, cook, and store nutritious food, ensuring students have access to healthy meals every day.



**\$20,000**

The STAND Foundation continues to make a big difference in the lives of many Surrey School youth this year. Their generous funding supports our students as they build self-confidence, which is critical for personal growth and development.

By completing certifications and gaining new skills, students will be able to set achievable goals in positive and supportive environments. The opportunities provided, empower our youth and encourage them to take charge of their futures.



## **SURREY FIREFIGHTERS CHARITABLE SOCIETY**



A huge thank you to the Surrey Firefighters Charitable Society, Mayor's Evening of Giving and The Spece Foundation for their donation of refurbished laptops to the District's Welcome Centre! Students and families are thrilled to be able to provide newcomers with key technology to support their transition into the Surrey School District.



## BACKPACKS AND SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Once again we began the school year with so many students in need of supplies. The need spanned from the very young kindergartners to grade 12 students.

The community support this year was outstanding and we are so extremely grateful for all the hard work of so many organizations who strived to see that no child began the year without their much needed backpacks and supplies. We owe a huge thank you to the following organizations who went above and beyond and, combined together, provided over 2,000 students of all ages with brand new backpacks stocked with school supplies.

