



## COMMUNIT-e-BULLETIN

## Families – Secondary

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#### CHANG'S TAEKWONDO MARTIAL ARTS

Give your child the tools to succeed—our martial arts program at school helps build confidence, improve focus, and encourage respect and discipline, all while having fun and staying active! 🥋💪📚

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#### CHARTERED PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTANTS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Educating students about money management at a young age can help prepare them for a successful financial future. Request a free financial literacy session with CPA British Columbia today!

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#### CITY OF SURREY ACTIVITIES & RESOURCES – YOUTH

Join BC's largest Earth Day celebration, **Party for the Planet!** Explore nature this spring with **Environmental Extravaganza**. Celebrate **BC Youth week** across Surrey and show your dance moves at **Surrey Slam Jam**. Reminder: **summer program registration** begins next month.

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#### EJS SCHOOL OF FINE ARTS

Exciting Summer Camps and Lessons: Summer Flex lessons, Art Camps and Musical theatre Camps Don't miss out!

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#### FIRST AID HERO / LIT FIRST AID AND LIFEGUARD TRAINING

First Aid Hero offers Red Cross courses in Babysitting, Stay Safe and Child Care First Aid and LIT Lifeguard Training offers lifeguard certification courses for children and teens!

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**NEW AGE ACADEMY**

New Age Academy offers expert tutoring in Math, Pre-Calculus, Physics, and English—plus FREE Public Speaking classes for all enrolled K–12 students!

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SFU Science ALIVE offers FREE and paid hands-on science, coding, and engineering programs for K-12 students.

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**STUDIO NORTH DANCE COMPLEX**

Studio North: the world-renowned dance studio that feels like home.

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**SURREY FOOD BANK**

Summer's coming - see how you can help the Surrey Food Bank keep shelves stocked.

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**SURREY NOW LEADER**

Read about the success of our local Surrey students.

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**YORK REGION EDUCATIONAL SERVICES**

The Canada Youth Volunteer Success Project, led by York Region Educational Services (YRES) and funded by Canada, empowers youth aged 12-30, by providing flexible volunteer service placements (in-person and/or virtual placement). These opportunities address pressing social issues and are available in Greater Vancouver, Ottawa, Greater Toronto, and Alberta, helping youth gain skills and contribute to their communities.

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

### BC HYDRO – CLAY AND COMMUNITY - \$2,000

BC Hydro generously donated \$2,000 for pre-employment certification training for the Clay & Community project delivered through our Education Services School. With these funds, 10 students obtained forklift training that prepared them to enter the workforce. We are grateful for the support of BC Hydro in delivering this program to youth across the district.



### JUMPSTART COMMUNITY GRANT - WINTER PROGRAMMING - \$60,000

We are incredibly grateful to Jumpstart for their generous donation of \$60,000 in support of afterschool programming across our district. With this funding, students at 26 schools now have the opportunity to participate in extracurricular activities that promote access, inclusion, participation, and a sense of belonging. Thank you, Jumpstart, for empowering our students and helping them grow through play, teamwork, and opportunity!



## OPERATION WARM - SHOE DONATION TO ROYAL HEIGHTS

A huge thank you to Operation Warm and Fed Ex for supplying Royal Heights Elementary with new shoes and socks for the spring and summer seasons! Proper fitting shoes are fundamental to a child's health and well-being and we are excited for students to run and play, with the support and confidence that new footwear brings!



## THE SINGH FOUNDATION - \$42,000

Thank you to The Singh Foundation for their generous support and active involvement in our school communities. Their incredible contribution is making a meaningful impact at six secondary schools, providing essential sporting equipment, funding extracurricular clubs, covering team fees for students in need, and offering basketball scholarships. Thank you for helping our students thrive!



## TZU CHI FOUNDATION - \$40,500

A heartfelt thank you to the Tzu Chi Foundation for their incredible generosity! This school year, they have donated \$30,000 to support breakfast programs at Forsyth, Riverdale, and Kirkbride Elementary. Additionally, they contributed \$10,500 to fund spring break camps at Riverdale and Holly Elementary, ensuring more students had access to enriching experiences.

Thanks to their continued support, over 150 students have benefited from these programs.



## VANCOUVER SUN ADOPT A SCHOOL - \$398,580



We extend our heartfelt thanks to the Vancouver Sun Adopt A School Fund for their generous support and unwavering commitment to student success. Their remarkable contribution of \$398,580 in emergency funding across our district is helping to remove financial barriers that can stand in the way of a student's full participation in school life.