

#### **ZONE 2 – SEPTEMBER 2024**

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Discover exciting fall activities and resources for youth, including Band-Aid, the Youth Speak Up Forum, community tree planting, and more!

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#### EJS SCHOOL OF FINE ARTS

Grow in skills and confidence! Try something NEW! By getting your students involved in the Arts this new school year! READ MORE

# **KWANTLEN POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY**

Kwantlen Polytechnic University invites you to join us for fun, games, and the chance to win cool prizes-including free tuition!--at our annual Open House on Saturday, October 5 from 11am-2pm! READ MORE

# **PROGRESSIVE INTERCULTURAL COMMUNITY SERVICES SOCIETY (PICS)**

Intercultural Youth Microgrants Service Corps (IYMSCorps) is a federally funded, needs skills enhancement and volunteer program for youth aged 15-30 years serving participants across BC. Apply for a Free Micro-Grant and take the first step toward making a meaningful impact in your community. **READ MORE** 

## SCHOOL IS EASY TUTORING

In Home or Online Tutoring Support for Grades 1-12 (All subjects). Light up your child with confidence to soar into their future.

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#### **SFU SCIENCE AL!VE YOUTH**

SFU Science AL!VE offers FREE fun and hands-on science, coding, and engineering programs for K-12 students.

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#### **SHAD CANADA**

Get ready for the best summer of your life!

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#### **SURREY NOW LEADER**

Amazing stories about local students making a difference in Surrey. If you know of a student who has impacted Surrey in a positive way, please let us know. NEXT GEN READ MORE

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# THE HIVE CLIMBING & FITNESS

Youth Climbing Programs - help kids build confidence, coordination, problem solving and social skills, all while having tons of fun!

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

# ASSAI - \$158,000

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to ASSAI for their incredible generosity and support. With their donation of \$158,000, ASSAI is making a significant impact on the Surrey School District's afterschool programs. This funding will be used to purchase adaptive sport and art equipment, ensuring that students with diverse abilities can fully participate in activities.

The Community School Partnership department is dedicated to offering equitable programming for all students including those with disabilities. Thanks to this enhancement fund, we can invest in adaptive equipment and continue collaborating with program partners who bring valuable expertise and connections to our students. ASSAI's commitment helps create inclusive, enjoyable, and safe spaces where every student has the opportunity to engage in enriching after-school experiences.



Thank you, ASSAI, for helping us make a difference in the lives of our students and fostering a sense of community and belonging.



#### BC HYDRO - \$2,000

BC Hydro has generously donated \$2,000 for preemployment certification training for the Clay & Community project delivered through our Education Services School. With these funds students will obtain additional training that will prepare them to enter the workforce. We are grateful for the support of BC Hydro in delivering this program to youth across the district.

#### **BREAKFAST CLUBS OF CANADA - \$36,600**

Breakfast Clubs of Canada is supporting 25 schools in Surrey with breakfast funding for the 2024-2025 school year. Continuity of programming provides students with a nutritious breakfast each day so that they can start the day off correctly. Thanks to Breakfast Clubs of Canada for their continued partnership here in Surrey!





## CN RAIL - \$5,000 for GIA

A huge thanks to CN Rail for supporting the Girls In Action program, inspiring female identifying youth across the district to lean into leadership and look to the future with pride! Your support has huge implications for students across the district and we are so excited to see what this year has in store!

#### **CANADIAN TIRE JUMPSTART - \$10,000**

Canadian Tire Jumpstart provided \$10,000 in funding for summer programming for students across the district. Funding ensured that students had a safe, productive, and fun environment for them to spend time and interact with their peers over the summer. We are continually grateful for our partnership with Canadian Tire and the opportunities they provide for our students throughout the year.



#### **MUSICOUNTS - \$19,000**

KB Woodward Elementary has been awarded a band aid grant from MusiCounts for \$19,000 to support their Morning Beats programs. MusiCounts Band Aid Grants are intended to equip school music programs with the necessities to give students the chance to discover their talent, empowering them with skills that will help them excel in music and culture! With the new instruments and dedicated community presenters that will help instruct in the Morning Beats program, students will learn the importance of group cooperation and Indigenous culture while building confidence and self-esteem.

#### PC CHILDREN'S CHARITY - \$343,756

PC Children's Charity is providing \$343,756 to support breakfast and lunch at 27 sites in Surrey. This funding will ensure that students receive nutritious meals throughout the day and are able to maximize their educational potential throughout the day. We are grateful that PC Children's Charity makes this possible.





#### **RBC FOUNDATION - \$60,000**

With continued support for Surrey Schools, RBC Foundation has donated \$60,000 to the REACH and Bike Repair/Sheet Metal Programs in the district. Students who take part in these programs will gain invaluable hands-on, preemployment skills that will help foster a sense of responsibility and community as they look to their futures. We want to thank RBC Foundation for their role in making these programs a reality for youth throughout the district.

# COMMUNIT-e-BULLETIN

# SEPTEMBER 2024

#### **SOUTH SURREY SMILES - \$1,500**

South Surrey Smiles provided bursaries to grade 7 classes in South Surrey in recognition of their volunteer work throughout the year. These funds provided students with the opportunity to celebrate all their hard work throughout the year and prepare for high school with a smile!





#### TZU CHI SUMMER CAMPS - \$4,500

The Tzu Chi Foundation generously came forward this summer with \$4,500 to support summer camps thorough the District's Community Schools Partnership Department. These camps provided opportunities for students to build new skills, gain confidence, and strengthen peer relationships during the summer months.

#### **UNITED WAY - \$62,500**

United Way Foundation of the Lower Mainland is supporting our Feeding Futures department with a grant of \$62,500 to support Critical Food Infrastructure. With this generous donation, we will be able to support hot lunch meal programming as it pilots in the district. Thanks to United Way for their generous support.

#### WEEKEND FOOD PROGRAMMING

Weekend food support would not be possible for our students in need without the ongoing support from our compassionate donors Backpack Buddies, City Dream Centre and Relate Church. With their support, a total of 42,280 weekend food bags were given out and 1,208 students benefited from this support in the 2023/24 school year. This program ensures that students who rely on school meal programs have food support that extends into out-of-school time. We are immensely grateful for the support these organizations have provided to our students over the years.