



Ellendale Elementary

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At Ellendale, we are committed to creating a supportive environment that promotes successful learning, personal growth, student responsibility, and respect for others.

February 5, 2021

Principal's Message:

Ellendale is in full swing of 2021 and February is already here! We are in full learning mode despite the COVID-19 pandemic and we are grateful to see and work with your children each of every day. We continue to be vigilant about provincial and district health and safety protocols and we thank you for doing the same. Staff members conduct daily health checks prior to arriving to work each day. Thank you for doing the same with your children each day.

This month we look forward to celebrating Black History Month learning, Valentine Spirit and Treat Day, Family Day and Pink Shirt Day.

A reminder to all of our families that this year we will only be allowing the exchange of paper Valentine's Day Cards. We cannot allow Valentines that include treats of any kind, including but not limited to; candy, chocolate, pencils, erasers, etc. Please deliver your Valentine cards by Tuesday, February 9th so that they have time to "quarantine" before being opened on Friday, February 12th.

We encourage all of our families to walk to school with their children whenever possible. This helps a great deal to keep the traffic down in front of the school and in the drive through parking area. A reminder to everyone that the parking lot is for staff

and school buses only, except in the few spots marked for visitor parking, for everyone's safety.

I am so appreciative of the students, their families, our PAC and our staff at Ellendale Elementary. Thank you for all you do to make our community what it is.

What's Happening in February

Fri Feb 12 Pink & Red Spirit Day for Valentine's

PAC Fun Friday Loonie Ice Cream Treat Day

Mon Feb 15 Family Day – NO SCHOOL

Fri Feb 19 Pro-D Day – Students do not attend

Wed Feb 24 Pink Shirt Day

What's Happening in March

Thurs Mar 11 Report Card #2 goes home

Fri Mar 12 Last day of classes prior to Spring Break

March 15 - 26 Spring Break / School Closure

Mon Mar 29 First school day after Spring Break

Wed Mar 31 PAC Meeting – 6:30 p.m.

What's Happening in April

Fri Apr 2 Good Friday - NO SCHOOL

Mon Apr 5 Easter Monday - NO SCHOOL

Tues Apr 27 EARLY DISMISSAL @ 1:30 p.m./ Student-led Conferences/Interm

Wed Apr 28 PAC Meeting – 6:30 p.m.

**THE ELLENDALE PAC'S
NEXT LOONIE
FRIDAY FUN DAY
IS...FEBRUARY 12TH**



\$1 FOR ONE ICE CREAM
(POPSICLES AVAILABLE FOR THOSE WITH ALLERGIES)

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

Please see below information from the Ellendale Elementary PAC and following 2 pages of PAC Fundraising information.

FlipGive:

This year we want to make our fundraising efforts for Ellendale Elementary PAC easier by using an app called FlipGive.

Simply join our team on FlipGive and start shopping through the app or team page and we'll earn money every time you shop with popular brands like Amazon, Starbucks, Indigo, Sportchek and Esso.

Join our team now by going to this link:

https://flipgive.app.link/teams/join?fundraiser_name=Ellendale%20Elementary&joincode=P9PZ4W

If you are prompted for a join code, enter this code P9PZ4W

Remember to use FlipGive before you shop online so we'll earn cash back - make a purchase within the first 14 days of joining and we'll receive an additional bonus!

Bottle Drive

Now its even EASIER to SUPPORT Ellendale Elementary with easy express drop bottle off at your local Encorp Return-it location. Simply bag your bottles and cans in a clear or blue bag, go to your nearest return it depot. Visit the express kiosk, enter the school phone number 604-584-4754 in the kiosk computer, print the number of labels needed, stick to your bag and leave. Its that simple. Every bag will count to our school! Its a simple, time efficient and easy way for you to help out! Pass it on to other friends and family too!

Go to the following link for Encorp Return-It Express Locations

<https://www.return-it.ca/locations/Return-It>

FlipGive

Team Funding Made Easy

Tired of selling cookie dough and raffle tickets? Why not save time and earn cash on the things your team is already buying. Simply get paid whenever you shop, dine out, book hotels or activities.

Shop & Earn Back For Your Team!

Brands on FlipGive pay us a commission whenever you shop with them via our app or website and we share that commission with your team.

<u>Monthly Spend</u>	<u>Earns</u>
\$50 Coffee runs	\$1.50
\$800 Groceries	\$40.00
\$350 Gas	\$7.00
\$300 Hotels	\$15.00
\$400 At Restaurants	\$40.00
\$250 Gifts & Household	\$25.00

You can earn up to **\$1,285** in a year*

A team of 10 can earn over \$12,000 in a year

*Calculated for an average family of 4



Teams Have Earned Over \$20M

How much will YOUR Team Earn?

Team Work Makes The Dream Work

Flipgive works best when the whole team joins in. Imagine how much you'll earn if your entire team did all their shopping through FlipGive.



Who to invite?

Invite those who will benefit from the money raised – that could be parents, players, managers and coaches.

How to get your Teammates on board

Every FlipGive Team has a unique invite code listed under the Team members section of the app. Share your code with your teammates via email or social. When your teammates sign up they simply enter the code and they'll be added onto your Team.

How To Get Started?

Create New Team

Download the Flipgive App or visit www.flipgive.com to sign up. Click "Create New Team" and enter your team info and you're all set - it's that simple!



Join Existing Team

Download the Flipgive App or visit www.flipgive.com/join to sign up. You will be asked to enter your unique team code to join

Ellendale Elementary PAC

Enter Your Team Code:

P9PZ4W



Still have questions?

Contact our Team Funding Coaches at
1-855-583-2510 or www.flipgive.com/pages/coaching-calls





NOW ITS EVEN EASIER TO SUPPORT
ELLENDALE ELEMENTARY WITH EASY
EXPRESS BOTTLE DROP OFF.

SIMPLY BAG YOUR BOTTLES AND CANS
IN A CLEAR OR BLUE BAG, GO TO
YOUR NEAREST RETURN IT DEPOT.
VISIT THE EXPRESS KIOSK, ENTER THE
SCHOOL PHONE NUMBER
604-584-4754 IN THE KIOSK
COMPUTER, PRINT THE NUMBER OF
LABELS NEEDED, STICK TO YOUR BAG
AND LEAVE. ITS THAT SIMPLE.

EVERY BAG WILL COUNT TO OUR
SCHOOL! ITS A SIMPLE, TIME
EFFICIENT AND EASY WAY FOR YOU TO
HELP OUT! PASS IT ON TO OTHER
FRIENDS AND FAMILY TOO!

'intheknow'

Information and Support

For families and caring adults who
are parenting a child or youth with
mental health challenges.

**IN THE KNOW PROVIDES EXPERT SPEAKERS ON TOPICS IMPORTANT TO FAMILIES.
CONNECT AND LEARN WITH OTHER FAMILIES FOR AN ONLINE DISCUSSION
JOIN BY COMPUTER OR PHONE.**

For Families: A Conversation about Eating Disorders

Families don't cause eating disorders but they can be one of the most effective influences in their child's recovery. Listen to a young person, parent and Eating Disorders Therapist share their perspective and knowledge as they talk about the continuum of disordered eating, what to be aware of, the importance of connection and strategies that can support recovery.

Communities: Surrey, Delta, White Rock

Cost: Free of Charge

Date: Thursday, February 25, 2021 at 6:30pm

Registration Required: www.familysmart.ca/itk

Discussion facilitated by FamilySmart Parent in Residence.

Watch a video with us and come together with other families for a facilitated discussion.



GUILDFORD ATHLETIC CLUB

WE ARE EXCITED ANNOUNCE OUR THREE FOR FREE PROGRAM

Guildford Athletic Club has been serving the local community since 1965 by providing soccer programming for youth. We are excited to offer opportunities for girls and boys from 5 to 18 years of age to play soccer and to develop their skills from entry level to the top levels of competitive play.

We have an extremely successful safe return to play program that is currently running. We are following all of the Provincial Health Officers guidelines to ensure the safety of our players and their families as they are our number one priority.

Our club would like to extend an invitation to all students in Kindergarten to Grade 7 to participate in 3 FREE SESSIONS led by our club technical staff. These sessions will be Non-Contact, technical sessions introducing the basic skills of the game of soccer.

When :Sundays Mornings - Feb.21/Feb.28/March.7

Where : Hjorth Road Park, Turf #2 - 10275 148 St (Located behind Superstore on 104Ave)

Time : 10:00AM-11:00AM

How To Register for the Three for Free:

With covid protocols necessary, participants need to sign up ahead of time to allow us to follow our return to play protocols. Families can sign up by sending us an email at : registrar@guildfordac.com or by phone/text : 604-616-6414

Regards,
Mike Newton
Director Of Player Development - Guildford Athletic Club



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WHO IS READY FOR SPRING?????

SIGN UP FOR OUR SPRING PROGRAM TODAY AND TAKE ADVANTAGE OF OUR FEBRUARY FRENZY PRICING WE ARE OFFERING TO YOUR SCHOOL!

We are excited to share our February frenzy registration offer to new registrants to our spring soccer program which runs from April to July:

Girls: \$200 regular price.
February Frenzy offer only \$100!
Boys: \$200 regular price.
February Frenzy offer \$150!

How To Register:
email: registrar@guildfordac.com
by text / phone: 604-616-6414
www.guildfordac.com

As a club we strive to be inclusive to all players, and can assist with families that are in need of financial assistance.

LIMITED TIME OFFER,
MENTION PROMO CODE: FEBFRENZY21