

École Élémentaire Laronde Elementary

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Dear Laronde Community Members,

We wanted to share some information with you about a few ongoing incidents that have taken place at our school during the past month. We are hoping that you may be able to assist us in stopping the vandalism that has been occurring at École Laronde Elementary.

The vandalism has been occurring mainly on weekends between 6pm and 2 am. There has been a group of about 4-5 people who have been seen on and around the school grounds riding bikes and/or scooters. They are reported to be wearing all black including face masks and/or balaclavas. Neighbours have reported hearing very loud banging noises on school grounds late at night.

We would like to ask parents to have conversations with their children, especially our older students, about any information they may have or seen online about the vandalism that has been taking place at Laronde. If your child(ren) share any information with you please report it to me, the RCMP non-emergency line or to PSST (Protecting Surrey Schools Together) at https://www.psst-bc.ca/ (you can report anonymously on this site).

If you see or hear anything that seems out of the ordinary or suspicious please call the RMCP non-emergency line immediately at 604-599-0502. Please stay safe and do not approach or confront any individuals or groups.

We thank you in advance for your assistance.

Warm regards,

Mme Niro, Principal