



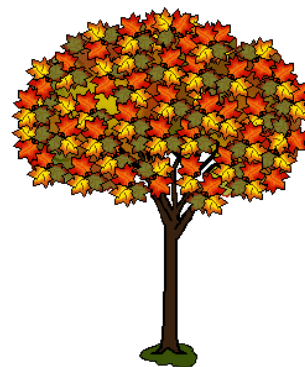
Woodland Park Elementary October 2016 Newsletter

Important Dates

Fri Oct 14	PAC Hot Lunch
Thu Oct 20	Cookie Sales
Thu Oct 20	PAC Fright Night
Fri Oct 21	Pro D Day – no school
Wed Oct 26	Grade 6 Immunizations
Fri Oct 28	PAC Hot Lunch
Mon Oct 31	Halloween Wacky Photo
Fri Nov 4	Pro D Day – no school
Thu Nov 10	Pro D Day – no school
Fri Nov 11	Remembrance Day Holiday
Thu Nov 17	Early Dismissal @ 1:30 am
Tue Nov 22	PAC Meeting @ 6:30 pm

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Allergy Alert – Woodland Park is an Allergy Aware School



A number of students at Woodland Park have life threatening allergies to peanuts and nut products. We have students in all grades that have, to some extent, allergies to peanuts and nut products. For some of these children, the smallest trace of the allergen could cause a severe allergic reaction that may result in death. It is because of the pervasiveness and severity of the allergic responses, we have deemed the entire school an Allergy Aware School.

To reduce the possibility of contact with allergens, the entire school (meaning all divisions) will be treated as “Allergy Aware School.”

If your child accidentally brings or is discovered to have brought something in their lunch that has nuts in it, they must inform the teacher or the lunch supervisor. The staff will take special precaution to ensure that there is no contact with the students with the allergies. As a result, the child brought nut products to school will be moved to an alternate location to consume their lunch. We ask that you please read packaged food labels carefully for the presence of nuts or nut products. It is important to encourage your children to **wash their hands before and after eating and to not share/trade food with others.**

The school cannot “ban” peanuts, peanut products or other allergens, and we do not want to mislead anyone by calling Woodland Park a “nut-free” environment. We are asking for your co-operation to help make Woodland Park as safe a place as possible for students with life-threatening allergies. We apologize for any inconvenience this request may cause, but childrens’ lives could be at stake. For more information on schools and anaphylaxis, please go to www.surreyschools.ca or <http://www.fraserhealth.ca/home/>

Sincerely,

Mr. Taylor,
Principal

Parking Lot Safety

We have had a few “close calls” in our parking lot and in front of the school this fall. Please note:

- The parking lot is for staff parking, field trip drop offs, Surrey District delivery and emergency vehicles only (not for parents to drop-off/pick-up children)
- If you are parking on the street, use crosswalks, do not jaywalk and be aware of “no parking” areas as cars are being ticketed by the city
- Please hold your child’s hand when you are walking them anywhere near traffic
- Remind students to walk on sidewalks only (not through parking lot or on drive through road)

We understand there is a traffic jam at the school during morning bell and dismissal bell. One alternative to avoiding this ‘jam’ is to come a little earlier in the morning and pick up your child a little later at the end of the day. **The drive through area is NOT for parking and waiting for your child, even if you stay in the car.**

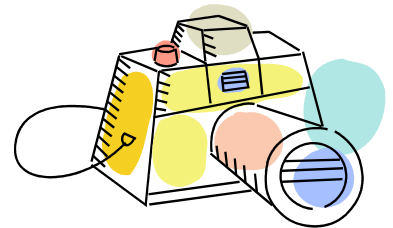


Cookie Sales

The Student Leadership Team will be selling jumbo cookies for \$1.00 during lunch on the following dates. The money raised will help support service puppies in training through the PADS association of B.C. as well as the Surrey Firefighters Burn Camp. **Thursdays: Oct 6, Oct 20, Nov 3, Nov 24, Dec 8.**

Halloween Photo's - Friday October 31

We will be offering Halloween photos (by class) for those students who are dressed up as a fundraiser for the Surrey Food Bank. Pictures will be sold for \$2 each and all proceeds will go to the Surrey Food Bank.



Kids Plus Accident Insurance

The Surrey School District does NOT insure student accidents. You have the option to purchase accident insurance that provides protection against unexpected costs arising from accidental injuries.

The program is especially valuable for families who:

- Do not have medical or dental plans,
- Have limited plans, as it may help supplement health and dental benefits, or
- Have active children who enjoy sports and outdoor activities.

You will find all relevant information and forms on our website under News & Other – Other
Online Application: kidsplus.ca/apply or phone: 1 (800) 556-7411