Berkshire Park PAC

Making Your School the Best Place to Learn and Grow

<u>Art Cards:</u> We are thankful to each teacher for taking the time to allow our students the opportunity to design and create their own Card. The Art our students did was simply perfect! To place an order for your child's card, go to <u>artcardsbykids.com</u>, and click on 'Parent Order'. **Orders due: Monday, November 22nd**

<u>PAC Meeting:</u> We can't gather in-person still, but <u>we really want to see you!</u> From the comfort of your own home, please join us <u>Thursday, November 25th at 7pm (on Zoom)</u>. Zoom Link <u>HERE</u> (ID: 96127225486, passcode: CthmS5Mv). **FREE HOT LUNCH DRAW ENTRY for all parents/quardians who attend**

- To keep meeting on time, please email us as soon as possible at <u>BerkshireParkPAC@outlook.com</u> if there are any ideas, questions, concerns, compliments you would like to add to the Agenda
- o Meetings start on time the welcome screen will remain on until the Chair opens the meeting
- Please sign in to meeting at least 5 mins before the meeting start time to make sure everything is working for you, allowing us to assist you if there are any difficulties
- We will be monitoring our email (<u>BerkshireParkPAC@outlook.com</u>) and Facebook parent group, for any difficulty signing in or questions you may have
- o Be Kind! We are all in this together! We are all learning together!
- o Due to time, the Chair may need to call meeting to order and/or defer topics for future review

<u>We value your input!</u> What have you been enjoying? Ideas for events? Able to help with volunteering for 30-minutes every couple months? Know a small business we can team up with? Any questions or concerns? Any compliments? Please email us anytime at BerkshireParkPAC@outlook.com to share!

<u>Cobs Bread (Guildford):</u> They missed the deadline for our One-Stop Holiday Gift Guide but have an amazing opportunity for our school! This is an ongoing fundraiser, which means every time you shop, tell them you are part of Berkshire Park Elementary and they will donate 5% of every purchase. Like Spicy? Try their Jalapeno Cheese Bread. Like Sweet? Their Cinnamon Buns are delicious. All their items are made fresh daily, they are a local business, and support our community. It's a Win, Win, Win!

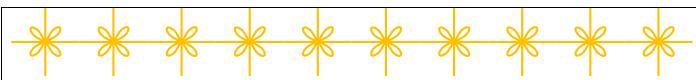
Important Dates/Fundraisers/Events:

- o Art Cards Orders Due: Monday, November 22nd
- o **PAC Meeting (via Zoom)** Thursday, November 25th at 7pm
- o Ralphs Market and Meridian Meats Orders Due Friday, November 26th
- o **Hot Lunch and Snack Days (December)** Orders Due at <u>Munch-a-Lunch</u> 10 days prior to each Hot Lunch Day (Hot Lunch: 1st and 3rd Fridays, Snack Day: last Friday)
- o Clothing Drive Coming Soon *bag up your items to get them ready!*
- o **Surrey DPAC Meeting** Every 4th Wednesday Monthly (register at SurreyDPAC.ca)

Thank you! All of you! For all you do in inspiring our students and keeping them healthy and safe.

When we all work together, we can make the world a great place.

One child. One family. One act of kindness, at a time!



~ Still available from our Holiday Gift Guide ~

Ralphs Farm Market and Meridian Meats Market

"Meridian is an old-fashion style butcher shop specializing in 100% grass-fed beef, free-run poultry, local pork, <u>sustainable</u> seafood and the latest <u>plant-based protein</u>. Ralph's and our Farm Market locations also include local fresh fruits & vegetables, artisan deli, fresh baked breads and grocery essentials."

Offer the gift of food and nourishment, or purchase for your own home. These Gift Cards never expire. With locations in Walnut Grove (Closest to our school), South Surrey, Tsawwassen, Maple Ridge, Mission, Port Coquitlam, Langley, and North Vancouver, these Gift Cards can be purchased with anyone in mind. *gift cards can be used in-store at any location*

Order link: <u>munchalunch.com/schools/berkshirepark</u>

*Orders Due: November 26th

*Pickup at the school the week of December 6th (Time TBD)

FundScrip

Gift Cards shipped direct to you with all purchases directly supporting our school. With vendors such as Ivanhoe Cambridge (Guildford Mall), Winners, Home Sense, Old Navy, Winners, Shell Gas, Lowes, Staples, Boston Pizza, The Ultimate Dining Card, and SO MANY MORE, there is something for everyone.

Purchase cards for your own home, to use as gifts, to purchase ahead of using for holiday shopping in-store or online, or for your personal every day use for things such as groceries and gas. Place your order to ship direct to you, or to the school. Our school code is: EC5FTH. Shopping link: FundScrip Berkshire Park

*Ordering available ongoing, however **Group Ship Orders to the School are Due: November 18th**

*Deliver direct to yourself, or Pickup at the school week of December 6th (Time TBD)

TruEarth



Manufactured in Canada, TruEarth is revolutionary. An Eco-friendly laundry detergent, that's as sensitive on your skin, as it is to the environment. Do laundry without the waste. Products are Hypo-allergenic and Vegan friendly (no byproduct, and not tested on animals). Holiday sale on now, at up to 35% off, including special Holiday Bundles! Buy some for your home, as gifts, or to donate to local Food Banks or Shelters.

Shopping link: https://fundraising.tru.earth/BerkshirePark

Ordering available ongoing, however Holiday Sale ends soon

