# **Community News Flash #28**

April 8, 2022



# PLEASE REMEMBER TO COMPLETE THE DAILY HEALTH CHECK BEFORE SENDING YOUR CHILD(REN) TO SCHOOL EACH DAY.

## Important Dates

April 13<sup>th</sup>
April 15<sup>th</sup>
April 18<sup>th</sup>
April 26<sup>th</sup>
April 27<sup>th</sup>
April 28<sup>th</sup>

- PAC Meeting in the Library - 7:00pm

- Good Friday - STAT

- Easter Monday - STAT

- Ready, Set, Learn - 1:15pm - 2:15pm

- Early Dismissal - 1:30pm- Early Dismissal - 1:30pm

- Class Group Pictures



# Ready, Set, Learn

Dear families,

All three and four year old children that  $\underline{\text{are not}}$  entering kindergarten in September are invited to attend Ready, Set, Learn on Tuesday, April  $26^{\text{th}}$  from 1:15- 2:15 in the school library. Please call the school to preregister your child.

Ready, Set, Learn is an early learning initiative sponsored by the Ministry of Education to foster positive connections between families, the school system and community agencies. It is designed to provide children and parents/caregivers with an opportunity to participate in a series of play-based learning activities within school or community settings. It also provides an opportunity for families to receive information from participating community agencies. Three- to five-year-old children and their families are invited to attend one of the Ready, Set, Learn events held by each school throughout the district.

For more information and registration details, please contact the school directly.

Parents/caregivers will receive helpful tips to support their children's learning and development, as well as information about early learning programs offered by the school district and various community resources available to families.

#### Resources

- The <u>Ministry of Education Ready</u>, <u>Set</u>, <u>Learn website</u>, which includes links to the parent booklet in multiple languages other than English.
- Not sure which school is closest to you? Visit our <u>Locate a School page</u> for district maps and our school locator tool.



#### COSMIC CARNIVAL

Rosemary Rockets get ready to blast off!

We are so excited to announce we have begun planning our Spring COSMIC CARNIVAL! After a 3 year hiatus, it is no surprise, the plans are big... very big!

#### And we need your help!

Here are some of the jobs, big and small. You can volunteer to take on leading these following jobs, or volunteering to be a part of the team!

- Silent Auction/Fundraising help procure items and gather donations, sponsorships and cash donations
- Classroom Raffle Baskets help organize the raffle items donated by each Division
- 50/50 Organize and moderate the 50/50 the day of
- Concession
- Menchies Ice Cream Bar
- Volunteer Coordinator coordinate highschool students
- Prizes Table purchase and distribute prizes
- Cake Walk solicit cookies, cupcakes, bars, cakes etc...
- Face Painting
- Punch Cards and Marketing
- Set-up
- · Take Down



Email <u>rosemaryheightsfund@gmail.com</u> if you'd like to be a part of the Carnival Committee!

We will meet twice a week in April and once a week in May! The Carnival is on JUNE 9th!

OTHER WAYS TO HELP - if time is not your thing:

We are looking for donations for our SILENT AUCTION: Ask your local butcher, dentist or nail gal if they'd like to donate an item or a gift card. Attached is the official donation letter you can show them or take to them! Or if you have a business and you'd like to put something together you can email rosemaryheightsfund@gmail.com

Stay Tuned for more details through your class parents!

And book off the date! JUNE 9th!

Thank you!
Rosemary Heights Elementary School PAC

### Grade 7 - YWCA Guide to High School Program

For many students, the transition from elementary school to high school can be challenging and complicated. Concerns about changes in work load and school environment, different friends, new social pressures, and increased responsibilities can sometimes make this time seem overwhelming.

YWCA Metro Vancouver recognized the need to support students in their transition to high school, and in consultation with the Surrey School District, developed innovative after-school programs for Grade 7 students which have been running successfully for more than 15 years.

The Grade 7 programs are now being offered in person at Rosemary Heights as Guide to High School (previously known as Being Me). Grade 7 students are invited to a weekly afterschool program to build skills for healthy relationships, decision-making, and self-esteem in high school. While connecting with other Grade 7 students in their school and community, students will learn how to manage stress, make new friends, resist peer pressure, and more. Sessions will take place every Friday from April 22 to June 10 from 2:45pm-4:25pm. Program is free for participants. To register click here.



The Surrey School district invites applications for the following position:

#### **SUPERVISION AIDES**

This is an ideal part-time opportunity for retirees, post-secondary students studying from home and adults who relate well to children and youth. You will work one hour per day providing lunch supervision to elementary and secondary students. The hourly rate is \$22.21 per hour, and preference will be given to those available Monday to Friday.

Apply online at www.surreyschools.ca/careers

Questions? Contact Heidi Haywood, Human Resources 604-595-6145

Note: Successful applicants will be required to consent to a Criminal Record Search prior to employment. Only those persons selected for interviews will be contacted. To all others, thank you for your interest.

# Daily Health Check

The Ministry of Education has released an updated <u>Daily Health Check and What To Do When</u> <u>Sick</u> resource. Please use this updated resource to do your daily health check. It applies to both staff and students. Please use this link to access the new daily health check. http://www.bced.gov.bc.ca/bulletin/20220121/daily-health-check---jan-2022.pdf



#### Student Absences

If your child is going to be away from school or late to school please email the office at <a href="mailto:rosemaryheights@surreyschools.ca">rosemaryheights@surreyschools.ca</a> and include the following information:

- First and Last Name
- Teacher
- Division
- Reason for Absence

If you choose to email your child's teacher, you will still need to notify the office of your child's absence, or the office will need to call to confirm absence.

# Rosemary Rockets App

Keep up to date with our school calendar by downloading our Rosemary Rockets app from the app store or google play. https://rosemary.appazur.com/#/

