

Community News Flash #23

February 18, 2022



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

Important Dates

Monday, February 21 st	- Family Day - Stat. Holiday
Wednesday, February 23 rd	- Pink Shirt Day
Thursday, February 24 th	- Panago Hot Lunch
Friday, February 25 th	- ProD Day

UPDATED Covid Guidelines animated videos

Please note that the animated videos supporting Covid-prevention practices for elementary students have been updated to include vaccination.

Again, they have been translated into French, Punjabi, Mandarin and Arabic, and all have closed captioning. (The videos are also available in a youth/secondary version, which are unchanged).

[Check here to view links to all the videos](#) (click on blue bar)

Or view the videos on Vimeo by clicking the links below:

Covid Guidelines (Elementary) – [English](#); [French](#); [Punjabi](#); [Mandarin](#); [Arabic](#)

Covid Guidelines (Secondary) – [English](#); [French](#); [Punjabi](#); [Mandarin](#); [Arabic](#)

Please share with your school communities!

Budget Consultations 2022

As many of you are aware, in late February, our district typically holds an in-person community forum and invites PAC representatives to attend sessions to learn more about our budget and other key priorities. In the interest of health and safety, we have once again moved our 2022 budget consultations online. All of the presentations have been pre-recorded so they can be viewed safely at home from this web page. As with previous years, there is also an [online survey](#) to gather priorities and feedback from parents, students, staff and the larger community.

This year's agenda includes:

- [Introduction](#) (Surrey Board of Education)
- [Budget 2022](#) (presenter: Simon Ayres, Assistant Secretary Treasurer)
- [Capital projects](#) (presenter Dave Riley, Director Capital Project Office)

Consultations

As mentioned above, Surrey Schools is inviting all staff, students, parents and members of the Surrey, White Rock and Barnston Island communities to learn about and provide input on the 2022-23 district budget. Participants can share their feedback via an [online survey](#), or reach out to us through email (consultations@surreyschools.ca), traditional mail or your local Parent Advisory Council representative. The survey will run until end of day, March 4, 2022.

It is important to remember that while the majority of the district's budget is pre-allocated to operating and capital costs (i.e. school construction, additions, seismic upgrades, teachers, educational assistants, programs/services and supplies), there is some room to address priorities identified by the community. This can include anything from funding scholarships, to classroom enhancement funds to new programs and social initiatives.



lift each other up

*Students are encouraged to wear
pink to support anti-bullying*

Black HISTORY MONTH

ROSEMARY HEIGHTS
FEBRUARY 2021



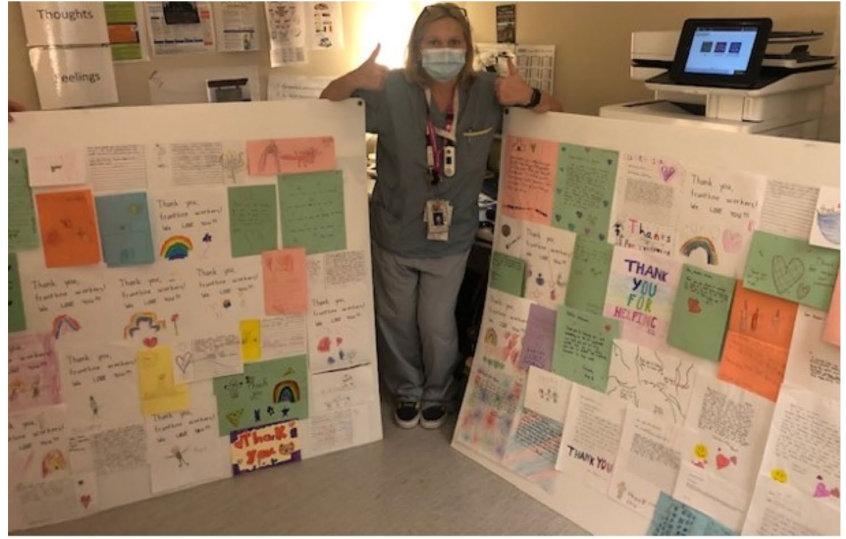
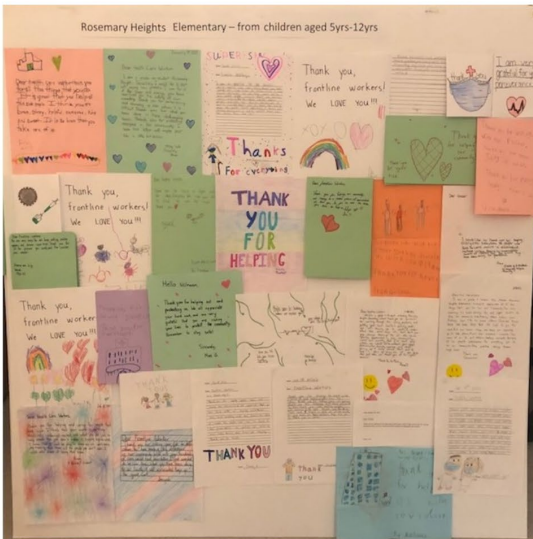
ROSEMARY HEIGHTS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

STUDENTS SAY:

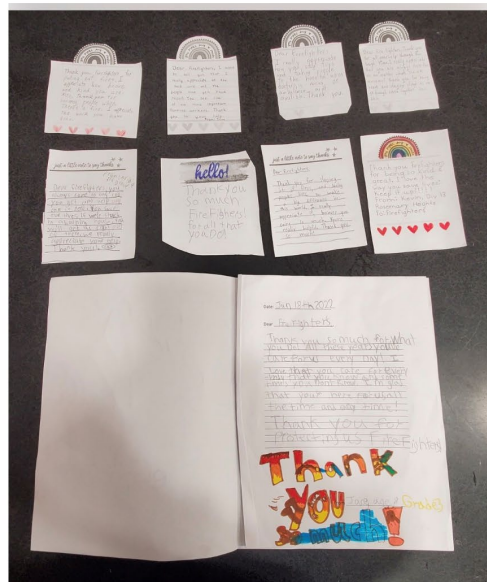
"Thank you"

We have sent letters to Peace Arch Hospital, BC Women's and the Fire Fighters. They have been cherished. Lesson learned: we all make a difference and our words our powerful. Let's always do what we can.

BC WOMEN'S HOSPITAL



FIRE FIGHTERS



NO DROP OF KINDNESS IS EVER WASTED!



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 [Daily Health Check and What To Do When Sick](#) 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 rosemaryheights@surreyschools.ca 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/#/>

