

# Community News Flash #10

November 5<sup>th</sup>, 2021



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

## Important Dates

Wednesday, November 10 <sup>th</sup>	- Remembrance Day Assemblies - Boston Pizza Hot Lunch
Thursday, November 11 <sup>th</sup>	- Remembrance Day - School Closed
Friday, November 12 <sup>th</sup>	- Non-Instructional Day - School Closed
Wednesday, November 16 <sup>th</sup> - Monday, November 19 <sup>th</sup>	- Scholastic Book Fair
Tuesday, November 23 <sup>rd</sup>	- Purdy's Orders Due
Wednesday, November 24 <sup>th</sup>	- Photo Retake Day
Thursday, November 25 <sup>th</sup>	- Grade 6/7 Immunizations

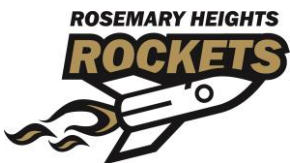


## Student Absences

If your child is going to be away from school or late to school please email the office at [rosemaryheights@surreyschools.ca](mailto: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/#/>

## Parking

With the fall/winter weather upon us, we are sending out a friendly reminder about our drop off and pick up routines which are in place to help keep our students safe. The lanes in front of the school are for drop off only; please **do not** leave your vehicle and walk your child to their class. If you need to bring them to their outside door, please find a parking spot either in the parking lot or on the street. Parking in our parking lot is limited, so if you need to drive, please come early. Please also be mindful that the cul-de-sac has four large cones clearly marking this area, as this is a no stopping zone as well.

This week, we have seen quite a number of kids running out from the parking lot to cross the road to the front of the school. Children should only be crossing at the designated cross walk as they are not always visible to cars driving through. Also, please be mindful that the orange cones at the front of the school are in place to designate the spots for buses and vans dropping off and picking up for daycare centres; please do not move the cones or double park beside them and leave your car to pick up your child.

We are very hopeful if we all work together, we can ensure that drop off and pick up times will run smoothly and safely.



## ***The Poppy***

Our school will be handing out a poppy to each student for our Remembrance Day Assemblies on November 10th.

This year, your donation has never been more important. A new generation of veterans is coming home and turning to the Legion for housing, career transition counselling and trauma relief. And we will be there, with your support! Wear a poppy. Give generously.



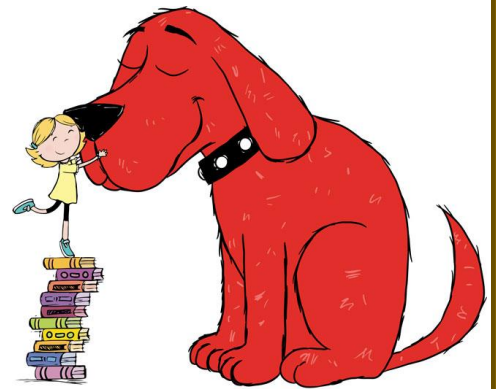
Please donate online at [www.schoolcashionline.com](http://www.schoolcashionline.com)

## **Scholastic Book Fair Coming Soon!**

**Tuesday, November 16 - Friday, November 19**

*(Before school every day and after-school Tuesday/Friday only)*

We are super excited to announce the return of the Scholastic Book Fair to Rosemary Heights, just in time for the Christmas shopping season! Discover the newest books hot-off-the-press, grab some meaningful gifts, or find your next read. In addition to the in-person fair, a weblink will be sent to parents who prefer to shop in the comfort of their home (purchases delivered to the school for pick-up).



**Every purchase supports our school and keeps kids reading, so join us whichever way you can!**

Promotions: Don't forget to remind your kids about the colouring contest for their chance to win a book fair gift certificate! Deadline November 18th. Ms. Leslie will be handing out the entry forms next week.

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Parent volunteers greatly needed. Click the link to sign-up!

[https://docs.google.com/document/d/1\\_4P7IV7nTLQxQvwRGb5I5EAKbzR8JwstMMsLw6SSUBY/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1_4P7IV7nTLQxQvwRGb5I5EAKbzR8JwstMMsLw6SSUBY/edit?usp=sharing)



## Rosemary Heights Purdy's fundraiser

It's that time of year again when we look to the upcoming holiday season and indulge in all things chocolate! Stock up on chocolatey treats for your family, friends and of course yourself as well. All proceeds of this PAC fundraiser will go toward upgrading our aging school computers. Orders will be sent home with your child the week of Dec 13<sup>th</sup>.



Ordering is easy. Click on the link below, enter your email address and click "Join Campaign" and start shopping on Marketplace. Our Campaign number is 59499  
<https://fundraising.purdys.com/1257592-86441>



# DAILY HEALTH CHECK

KEY SYMPTOMS OF ILLNESS	WHAT TO DO
Fever (above 38°C)	<p><b>If yes to 1 or more of these symptoms:</b> Stay home and get a health assessment.</p> <p>Contact a health care provider or 8-1-1 about your symptoms and next steps.</p>
Chills	
Cough	
Difficulty breathing	
Loss of sense of smell or taste	
OTHER SYMPTOMS	WHAT TO DO
Sore throat	<p><b>If yes to 1 symptom:</b> Stay home until you feel better.</p>
Loss of appetite	
Headache	<p><b>If yes to 2 or more of these symptoms:</b> Stay home for 24 hours.</p> <p>If symptoms don't get better or get worse, get a health assessment; contact a health care provider or 8-1-1 about your symptoms and next steps.</p>
Body aches	
Extreme fatigue or tiredness	
Nausea and vomiting	
Diarrhea	
INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL:	WHAT TO DO
Have you returned from travel outside Canada in the last 14 days?	<p><b>If yes:</b> All students and staff who have travelled outside of Canada are required to <a href="#">self-quarantine</a> for 14 days after arrival under both provincial and federal orders.</p> <p>This includes students who are attending school from abroad. Students from outside of Canada should plan to arrive in Canada at least two weeks before they are scheduled to attend school to adhere to the selfquarantine orders. Additional information is available <a href="#">here</a>.</p>
CLOSE CONTACT	WHAT TO DO
Have you been contacted by public health and notified that you are a close contact of a person confirmed to have COVID-19?	<p><b>If yes:</b> Please follow the instructions provided by Public Health.</p> <p>You can call 8-1-1 anytime to get advice about how you are feeling and what to do next. Pay attention to how you are feeling. If it becomes harder to breathe, you can't drink anything or feel much worse, seek urgent medical care at an urgent care clinic or emergency department.</p>

Check your symptoms with the [K-12 Health Check](#). If you have any questions, or the symptoms get worse, contact your healthcare provider, or call 8-1-1. For more information on COVID-19, please go to [www.bccdc.ca](http://www.bccdc.ca). If you develop severe symptoms, such as difficulty breathing (e.g. struggling to breathe or speaking in single words) or chest pain, call 9-1-1 or go to the nearest Emergency Department.

Please check BCCDC's [Symptoms of COVID-19](#) regularly to ensure the list is up to date.