

Our Northridge Values: Safety, Kindness and Respect

February 11, 2021

Good afternoon Northridge Community,

We have been lucky this year that we have not encountered a snow day, given out latest weather that may change. For parents if you think that school could be cancelled due to inclement weather please consult the District website - <u>https://www.sd61.bc.ca/</u> for any updates on school closures. In addition, local media will often have this information and be broadcasting it regularly on this day.

With this being Family Day weekend and many of us are staying around home, we wanted to share with you all a poem one of our Grade 4 students wrote:

HOME IS IMPORTANT TO US – Divnoor Kaur

Oh my dear home, If you weren't there How would I live without fear?

I love you to the moon and back, You are like superheroes who care!

> Without you, I wouldn't feel Protected out there!

There's family and love And friends can come For a party and play here.

Oh my dear home, What would I do without you? You keep me safe and sound

Inside, you give a very nice view! Snow or rain outside? I don't have to have a clue

When at home I feel warm, I dance, I sleep, I drink, and chew.

Dirty bugs and lizards outside, Can't come inside, phew!

You're a friend, loyal and true

Everyone should have a home, Whether old or new! Here's to a wonderful long Family Day Weekend and maybe even some snow! We are always available if you have any questions or concerns.

Read Jorgensen and Katie Simmonds

Pink Shirt Day Pledge- Kindness Day

Pink Shirt Day is on Wednesday, February 24th. Students pledge "to care, help change things, to be a leader in being kind and respectful, and to know that standing up for someone is the right thing to do." Thank you to everyone who supports the day by wearing pink and being kind every day.

Dates to remember

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February 12th – Pro D Day – no school February 15th – Family Day – no school February 24th – PINK Shirt Day February 26th – Pizza Hot Lunch

Here is some new art work that is brightening our hallways





