

SAFE ROUTES 2 SCHOOL UPDATE

March 2018



SR2S Enrichment Day @ Eaton Elementary

On Friday February 16th, Eaton Elementary School held its annual Enrichment Day. Enrichment Day is a day that aims to take basic curriculum subjects and expand them, looking at them in more depth and from different perspectives. It is a chance for various community members to come and speak to students about topics ranging from the difficulties of firefighting to the benefits of yoga. Cupertino Safe Routes 2 School took part in the event and spoke to 1st and 2nd graders about pedestrian and bicycle safety. The students learned about cycling hand signals, smart street crossings, and many other safety tips for navigating the streets of Cupertino. Thank you to Eaton for having us at this event!



Hyde Middle SCHOOL Valentine's Day Walk & Roll

For Valentine's Day this year, students at Hyde Middle School took part in Hyde's first Walk & Roll Day of the year. The event was a huge success with hundreds of students walking and biking to school! In the spirit of Valentine's Day, students were given candy and red reflective stickers for making the effort to walk and bike to school. Cupertino Safe Routes 2 School would like to give special thanks to Hyde Middle School parent champions Katriina Laihia and Babi Thapa for their work planning and organizing the event. Without their help this Walk & Roll event would not have been possible. We also thank all the parent volunteers who came out to support the event and the families that supported by allowing their kids to walk and bike to school.

SR 2 S CROSSING GUARD OF THE MONTH

This month we would like to acknowledge Kennedy Middle School crossing guard, Hoang Uyen, as our Cupertino Crossing Guard of the Month. Hoang works hard to ensure student safety by working the busy intersection of Hyanisport and Fort Baker, located in between Monta Vista High and Kennedy Middle. Huang is a kind and respectful guard who shows early to her location and stays late to help make sure that all students can cross the street safely. She does a good job at managing the flow of traffic by clumping students in groups to cross rather than having them cross individually. We appreciate Hoang for her contributions to Kennedy Middle and the City of Cupertino.

GET INVOLVED!

Help with upcoming events by contacting: saferoutes@cupertino.org



Cupertino Community Visioning Workshop

Cupertino SR2S Hosts Community Visioning Workshop!

Do you have ideas for how to make your route to school safer for you and your kids? Do you like to build stuff?? If you answered yes to either of these, bring yourself and your kids over to Cupertino Community Hall to BUILD the safe routes you'd like to see in Cupertino! On March 13th Cupertino SR2S is hosting a "Building Safe Routes Community Visioning Workshop" for families that live or attend schools in Cupertino!

Bring your K-12 students for this hands-on, family event with legendary Urban Planner and Community Activist, James Rojas. Light refreshments will be served.

*** If kids are young, please ask them to bring their favorite stuffed animal to the event!!

For more information, contact Chelseab@Cupertino.org or call (408) 777-7609.



UPCOMING EVENTS

March 13th, 2018: SR2S Working Group Meeting/ Community Visioning Workshop, 3:30 -5 PM,
@ Conference Room C (City Hall)

ABOUT SR2S

Cupertino Safe Routes 2 School is a partnership program between the City of Cupertino, Cupertino Schools, Fremont Union High School District, Cupertino Union School District, and the Santa Clara County Sheriff's office. We aim to reduce traffic and pollution and increase safety by bringing people together to craft solutions to the impending traffic concerns facing our community.

CONTACT US

For more information or ways to get involved, visit: cupertino.org/saferoutes or email saferoutes@cupertino.org

