

# **School District No. 51 (Boundary)**

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RE: Bus Route Changes Effective October 12, 2021

Dear Grand Forks and Christina Lake Busing Families,

Changes to bus routes in Grand Forks and Christina Lake are being implemented on Tuesday, October 12, 2021 and will affect students who ride Route 1, Route 2, Route 4, and Route 6.

Route 4 has been amalgamated with Route 2, and some stops from Route 2 have been moved to either Route 1 or Route 6.

Please review the following NEW route schedules to confirm your child(ren)s stop, as well as pick-up/drop-off times:

Route 1 – Eholt-Carson-Reservoir-Eagle Ridge

Route 2 – Gilpin-International-Carson-Almond Gardens

Route 3 – North Fork-Brown Creek-Granby (No change)

Route 4 – Almond Gardens (Amalgamated with Route 2, no longer exists)

Route 5 – East Christina Lake-Grand Forks (No change)

Route 6 – Christina Lake-Ponderosa-Nursery-Valley Heights

These schedules have also been posted on the District website at <a href="https://www.sd51.bc.ca/our-district/transportation/">www.sd51.bc.ca/our-district/transportation/</a>

For ease of reference, a summary of the changes to each route is also attached to this letter.

We kindly ask for your patience while students and bus drivers adjust to the updated schedules. Please ensure students are ready and waiting for the bus 5 minutes before scheduled pick-up times, and please allow for up to 5 minutes variance on drop-off times.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the School Board Office at 250-442-8258.

Sincerely,

Miranda Burdock Secretary Treasurer

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#### **SUMMARY OF BUSING CHANGES, OCTOBER 12, 2021**

# **ROUTE 1 – Eholt-Carson-Reservoir-Eagle Ridge (GREEN)**:

All previous Route 1 stops remain on Route 1; however, pick-up and drop-off times have been amended.

In addition, the following stops from Route 2 have been added:

- North Fork Rd & Copper Ridge
- Eagle Ridge Mailboxes T/A
- 3160 London Rd
- 3305 London Rd
- 8210 Outlook Rd
- Hardy Mtn Rd Mailbox
- Hardy Mtn Rd & Plotnikoff Rd
- North Fork Rd & Koftinoff Rd

# ROUTE 2 – Gilpin-International-Carson-Almond Gardens (BLUE):

All stops from Route 4 have been added to Route 2, and some stops from Route 2 have been moved to Route 1 or Route 6.

#### **ROUTE 3 – North Fork-Brown Creek-Granby (WHITE):**

No change.

# **ROUTE 4 – Almond Gardens (BROWN):**

Amalgamated with Route 2 – No longer exists.

# ROUTE 5 – East Christina Lake-Grand Forks (RED):

No change.

#### **ROUTE 6 – Christina Lake-Ponderosa-Nursery-Valley Heights (PURPLE):**

All previous Route 6 stops remain on Route 6; however, pick-up and drop-off times have been amended.

In addition, the following stops from Route 2 have been added:

- 500 Atwood Rd
- Stop Sign Atwood/Nursery
- 5895 Nursery Rd
- Corner Negraeff & Nursery Rd
- 6195 Whitehall Rd