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Recognition: Tamanawis Secondary Global Awareness Club



Social responsibility is so important to student education. Responsibility and caring...for ourselves...for others...for our community...and our environment...are all so important to our future as individuals and as a society.

So, it's a particular pleasure for our board to have the opportunity to recognize a group of students and two teachers tonight who together, have been very successful in acting on a variety of social responsibility issues.

Over the course of this school year alone, the Tamanawis Global Awareness Club has been promoting awareness and taking action on a great variety of issues, including energy consumption, poverty, water conservation, clean communities and much more. The club reaches beyond its school into the community and into elementary schools.

The club's members truly model the behaviour they would like to see in matters that are vital to a harmonious, caring and sustainable society. They all contribute ideas and countless hours in their efforts to make a difference.

The Tamanawis Global Awareness Club has been recognized with several community grants and awards for its initiatives. And tonight:

The Surrey Board of Education recognizes the Tamanawis Global Awareness Club for its exceptional commitment and contributions in supporting and promoting social responsibility in the Surrey School District and our community.

I invite the teacher leaders and student representatives of the Tamanawis Global Awareness Club to the podium, along with principal Jim Lamond to introduce them.