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Incident: APD Launch Project Band-Aid

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The Abbotsford Police Department has partnered with Abbotsford Regional Hospital and Cancer Centre to launch a new initiative for young patients requiring treatment at the facility. Project Band-Aid involves uniformed APD Patrol Officers visiting children in hospital and leaving them with a unique keepsake – a "stuffed animal" police dog with an APD bandana. These keepsakes are not available for sale and will only be distributed directly by officers to kids in the hospital. Project Band-Aid has been made possible through the funding and support of the Abbotsford Police Foundation.

The Abbotsford Police Department wants to offer encouragement to these children as they recuperate or face the challenges involved with their treatments. We hope that a visit from a police officer and a keepsake will be a positive experience for them. Our officers are very much looking forward to the opportunity to spend time with the kids.

Help us name the APD Project Band-Aid mascot. Visit our Facebook page www.facebook.com/AbbyPoliceDept to submit your entry.

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To make Abbotsford the safest city in B.C.



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