
PAC Newsletter

DECEMBER 2017

Playground Fundraising Completed!

Our playground total is now over \$120,000! WOW!

Hot lunch dates

October 13 - Subway

October 27 - Izumiya Sushi

November 10 - Little Caesars

November 23 - Subway

December 8 - Little Caesars

December - 22 - Izumiya Sushi

Early Warning

If your child is going to be late or absent, it is imperative that you call the **Early Warning System 604-718-4094**. This system allows the school to ensure every student is accounted for.

PAC Calendar

December 8 - Purdy's chocolates pick up

December 8 - PAC Family Skate at Minoru Arena 5:00 pm

December 15 - PAC Christmas Singalong in Gym 6:00 pm

Fall Playground Fundraising

Our fundraising season has come to a close and we are absolutely blown away by the generosity and support of all our Diefenbaker families, friends and the entire community. With your help we have raised just over \$35,000, **and once matched by Townline Homes**, we will have raised over **\$70,000** for our new playground! In addition, we have over **\$50,000** in the playground account that we started in January 2015. We cannot thank you all enough, we truly could not have done this without all your help and support.

So when will the playground be built?

Now that fundraising has wrapped up, we are in the planning stages for the purchase and Summer 2018 installation of our new playground. The main structure will be showcased in the new year, along with a student vote to let us know what THEY would most like to see in the new playground. Stay tuned for updates!

Family Skate Night at Minoru Stadium Rink

December 8, 2017, 5:00 to 6:15pm

Join us this Friday December 8th at 5:00pm for a private Family Skate night at Minoru arena. Your \$10 admission fee includes skate and helmet rentals for the whole family. Please hand in your form with payment by December 6th. Concessions will be open.

Family Christmas Sing-a-long

December 15, 2017, 6:00 to 8:00 pm

The PAC would like invite you all to join us for a Christmas sing along in the gym on Friday December 15th. We will be having a viewing of the original animated short, *How the Grinch Stole Christmas*, carolling, as well as **FREE** hot cocoa and popcorn. And if we have all been good boys and girls there may even be a special guest! We will also be having a small cookie sale, so bring your quarters! A separate notice will be sent home with more details.

Volunteers needed!

- Hot lunch distribution: 2 Fridays per month
- Fruit & Veggie distribution: 1 morning per month
- Flyer delivery (flexible): 1 -2 times per year
- Library: flexible during school hours
- Chess Club: 1 -2 times per month

DRIVE SAFE: Stop endangering our kids!

SLOW DOWN!!

30 km/hour is the school zone speed limit...don't drive fast just because you're in a hurry.

STOP AT CROSSWALKS!

Pedestrians have the right of way, not drivers. Stop for people crossing the road, don't just drive by.

PARK IN PARKING ZONES ONLY!

Park in the parking lot if you must stop. Do not stop in a "NO PARKING" or "NO STOPPING" zone because you feel like it. If you can't find a parking spot then find one down the street...don't let your laziness endanger others.

GET OFF YOUR PHONE!

It's illegal.

Purdy's Chocolates

Thank you to everyone who ordered from our annual Purdy's fundraiser. Over \$750 was raised for PAC! *Pick up for your orders will be after school Friday December 8th at the office.* We hope you will all enjoy your delicious treats this holiday season.

PAC Hot Lunch - "Munchalunch"

Next hot lunch is scheduled for December 8th. We will always have some food for sale on the day of, however it will be *first come first serve*. If your child needs to purchase food please provide them with small bills or change, **we will not be able to break any bills over \$10.** If you do not plan to buy lunch you are responsible for sending food with your child as usual. If you would like to volunteer to distribute lunches please contact us at diefenbakerhotlunch@gmail.com.

Fruit and Veggies Distribution volunteers needed

Our Fruit and Veggie program is always looking for volunteers. The commitment is only one hour on distribution day (always a Thursday) approx. once a month, starting at 9:15am. It's a very easy and enjoyable time. If you are available to help please contact diefenbakerpac@gmail.com

Chess Club: Thursdays after school in Computer Lab

This competitive chess environment is run by knowledgeable and enthusiastic parent, Frank Ju. Please contact diefenbakerchessclub@gmail.com for more information and to sign up. Chess Club meets every Thursday in the computer lab.

Merry 
Christmas 

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