

# Willoughby Elementary PAC

## Monthly Newsletter

*The latest news and updates for parents of Willoughby Elementary*



SEPTEMBER 2022

## Welcome back! SY 2022-2023

We hope you all had a fantastic summer! We welcome all the new families and welcome back to those returning. Stay connected with the PAC by following our Facebook page. We will also be sending monthly newsletters to keep everyone informed.

For this year's PAC meetings, we will try a hybrid format offering both in-person and virtual options for parents to attend. For those joining online, we ask for your patience and understanding as we endeavor to host the event in this model, and to ensure participants on Zoom can hear the discussions and participate.

We look forward to some exciting events we usually have every year such as hot lunch days, treat days, in-person PAC meetings, Halloween dance, pancake breakfast, and many more. We're excited to meet you at the first PAC meeting this year!

- PAC Executive Team

## YOU are part of the PAC!

All parents/caregivers are members of the Willoughby Parent Advisory Council (PAC). There are many ways for us to get involved in the school like volunteering to help with events like hot lunch days, family dances, and movie nights. There is a need for hot lunch volunteers for this school year! If you would like to volunteer, please connect with the PAC executive team. Everyone is welcome to join regularly scheduled monthly PAC meetings! This is the perfect opportunity to meet other parents and get to know the fun things our children do at the school. You have a voice in advocating for what you want to happen in your child's school and what the PAC does. Come join the first meeting on September 20th!



## FIRST PAC MEETING

September 20 (Tues)  
7 pm - Hybrid meeting

(The meeting is moved to this new date in line with the new federal holiday on Sept. 19th)

In-person: at the school's learning commons  
Zoom:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85819086844?pwd=R3d1MnRwcCtkUUIzWmk0NTUxakI6dz09>

Meeting ID: 858 1908 6844

Passcode: WESPAC2022

We'll see you there!

Next Meeting: Oct 17

## UPCOMING DATES

Sep 16 Treat Day: Freezie Friday  
(weather-dependent)  
Sep 19 Federal Holiday: Queen's Funeral  
Sep 20 First PAC Meeting at 7 pm  
Sep 22 Meet the Teacher Evening  
Sep 22 Terry Fox Run  
Sep 23 School Improvement Day  
Sep 29 Activities to honour National Day of Truth and Reconciliation  
Sep 30 National Day of Truth and Reconciliation  
Oct 7 Hot Lunch: Panago Pizza  
Oct 10 Thanksgiving Day  
Oct 19-20 Parent-Teacher Interviews  
Oct 21 Pro-D Day  
Oct 28 Hot Lunch  
Oct 28 Halloween Dance



For Willoughby Elementary Parents, please join our Facebook group!

[facebook.com/WilloughbyElementaryPAC](https://facebook.com/WilloughbyElementaryPAC)

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## HOT LUNCH



Hot lunch can be delivered directly to your child at school! The online lunch ordering system is open through <https://munchalunch.com/schools/willoughby/>. You can order hot lunch for your child for all the dates this year. For any questions, you can reach out by email: [hotlunchwilloughby@gmail.com](mailto:hotlunchwilloughby@gmail.com).

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed for treat days, hot lunch and other events!

If you can volunteer your time, please email the PAC Executive team at [willoughbypac@gmail.com](mailto:willoughbypac@gmail.com)



Willoughby Elementary is part of the Dough Raiser Program at Walnut Grove Cobs Bread. Mention Willoughby Elementary School when you purchase your items and 5% of your sale will come back to the school as a donation at the end of the year.

### PAC Executive Team (SY 2022-2023)

President: Janel  
Vice President: Erika  
Secretary: Natalie  
Treasurer: Kara  
DPAC Rep: Monica  
Members-at-Large: Analisa, Marnie, Sarah

Looking to volunteer with the PAC? We'd love to connect with you!

## FUNDRAISING

It's back again this year! Shop local & save money while helping raise funds.

•• Look inside for over \$3,500 in local savings ••

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COMMUNITY VALUES COUPON BOOK

Local Savings

Family Activity Section

- Features custom coupon templates and ideas to craft a meaningful gift.
- Weekend jar coupons: no-cost ideas on spending family time in your community.

More info to come!

## Spirit Wear



Ordering will also be available online through MunchaLunch. Team colour shirts and Willoughby hoodies will again be available for purchase. Stay tuned for ordering info.

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Still need name labels for this school year?

Get them from Mabel's Labels while supporting Willoughby Elementary! Order online at [campaigns.mabelslabels.com](https://campaigns.mabelslabels.com) and search for Willoughby Elementary PAC (Langley)