PAC Monthly Newsletter

The latest news and updates for parents of Willoughby Elementary



Welcome back to all returning families and welcome to all the new families! We hope you all had a great summer. Stay connected with the PAC by following our PAC website and Facebook page. Monthly newsletters are also emailed for more information.

We look forward to this year's exciting events such as hot lunch days, treat days, Halloween dance, pancake breakfast, and the Fun Fair. Please consider getting involved in any way to make these events happen. We're excited to meet you at the Welcome Event on September 19!

- PAC Executive Team



All parents/caregivers are members of the Willoughby Parent Advisory Council (PAC).

There are many ways for us to get involved in the school, such as volunteering at:

- hot lunches (lunch hour)
- treat days (after school)
- movie nights (evenings)
- grocery shopping for hot lunch (done anytime)
- Fun Fair (pre-planning and day-of)
- updating our website, designing flyers, updating Facebook posts (done anytime)
- · attending PAC meetings

The full PAC calendar was sent home with students last week, and can be found on our website. If you can volunteer your time, please email us: willoughbypac@gmail.com.



SEPTEMBER 2024

PAC MEETINGS

Meetings are a great opportunity to meet other parents and get to know more about the fun things our children do at school. You have a voice in advocating for what you want to happen in your child's school and what the PAC does.

Next meetings:

- · Mon Sept 16 PAC Meeting
- Wed Sept 25 Special presentation from the Langley School District Assistant Superintendent
- Mon Nov 18 PAC Meeting

UPCOMING DATES

Sept 6 & 13 PAC Treat Day: Freezie Friday (weather-dependent)

Sept 16 PAC Meeting at 6:30pm

Sept 19 PAC Welcome Event (5-8pm) and Meet the Teacher night

Sept 20 Terry Fox Run

Sept 25 Special Parent Meeting at 6:30pm

Sept 26 Individual School Photos

Sept 27 Orange Shirt Day

Sept 27 PAC Hot Lunch: Pizza Pizza (order by **Sept 17**)

Sept 30 National Day of Truth and Reconciliation (school closed)

Oct 4 School Improvement Day

Oct 11 PAC Hot Lunch: Streats (order by Oct 2)

Oct 14 Thanksgiving Day

Oct 17 Great Shake Out

Oct 24 PAC Halloween Dance

Oct 25 Pro-D Day

HOT LUNCH

Order here:

munchalunch.com/schools/willoughby









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Hot lunch can be delivered directly to your child at school! The online lunch ordering



You can order hot lunch for your child for all the dates this year. Full ordering details were sent home with students last week. For any questions, you can reach out by email:

hotlunchwilloughby@gmail.com.

PAC EXECUTIVE TEAM

Chair: Erika

Co-Chair: Natalie

Secretary: Analisa

Treasurer: Katie

DPAC Rep: Laura

Members-at-Large: Amanda, Brooke, Katrina

PAC LIAISONS

We are looking for a parent from each class to help strengthen our communication and community in our school. Parent volunteers will share important updates and information from the PAC to your class.

Please email us to sign up or learn more: willoughbypac@gmail.com

THANK YOU

A group of parent volunteers watered the trees around the school this summer. Thank you for helping to keep our trees healthy and our school beautiful!





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FUNDRAISING

COUPON BOOKS



On sale Sept 16-Oct 1.

A flyer with more details was sent home with students. The coupon book can be purchased on MunchaLunch or returned to school.

SPIRIT WEAR

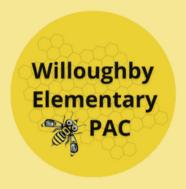
Online ordering is open on MunchaLunch.

Team colour shirts and Willoughby hoodies, full zips, sweatpants, and drawstring bags are available for purchase from September 10-24.



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ONGOING

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mabel's labels

Get name labels from Mabels Labels while supporting Willoughby Elementary! Order online at campaigns.mabelslabels.com and search for Willoughby Elementary PAC (Langley)

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Mention Willoughby Elementary School when you purchase your items at the Willowbrook location and a portion of your sale will come back to the school as a donation at the end of the year.





Willoughby Elementary is part of the Dough Raiser Program at Walnut Grove and Willoughby locations. 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 vear.

Keep an eye out for the next fundraiser:



Gift cards in November, in time for your holiday shopping needs!