

PAC NEWSLETTER

October, 2024

A Message from your PAC Chair

Hello Everyone! Here we are starting another new year of school. I just want to let you know we have a dedicated group of PAC Executives and volunteers working on some good foundations for years to come.

To get an idea of our PAC duties, you can find our Constitution & Bylaws along with our Code of Ethics on the school [website](#).

Remember PAC is not just the executives, it includes you and all the other parents/guardians of our students.

This year we are working hard to keep you as informed as possible. Please join us and become a member of our [Facebook Group](#). You will find most of the school info there and we would love to hear your feedback in the comments.

Sincerely,
Brian Leong

Munch-A-Lunch

Stitó:s is getting Munch-A-Lunch!

This is will make ordering for our fundraisers and even your treats (like popcorn) SO much easier!!

Please see the flyer attached to this newsletter for all of the information you need to know for setting up your account.

Thank You!!

Thank you SO much to FreshCo and Save-on Foods for their generous donations in June for our school Sports Days!!

Fundraising Updates

Panago Pizza Vouchers

Purchase vouchers for \$15 on Munch a Lunch and then use them to buy any medium size pizza on the Panago menu. The average medium pizza price at Panago is approximately \$20 so this is a great deal for you and the students!

Please note that vouchers are valid for approximately 3 months and will be marked with an expiry date.

Vouchers will be delivered to teacher mailboxes to be given to your student.

All proceeds go towards Stitó:s Band Trip.



Bottle Return-it Account

Drop off your clear or blue bags of bottles and cans at your nearest Return-it depot, using the school's phone number, to donate funds to this year's grade 8 class!



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Smoothie Day Fundraiser

A delicious real fruit smoothie from A&W's fabulous new Brew Bar menu made with real fruit puree and crushed ice. Check out the A&W website for detailed calorie and ingredient info. Only \$3.50 for a 9 oz smoothie. Order on Munch a Lunch. All proceeds go towards Stitó:s Band Trip.



Parent Information Sessions

PAC is teaming up with our amazing school counselors to offer some information sessions throughout the year.

The first session will be held in November and will focus on Stress and Anxiety being dealt with by our children, and how to help them through this.

This will take place in the school library from 7-8pm, and there will be free child-minding available.

Mark Your Calendars

October 18 – Early Dismissal (11:31am)
October 24 – Picture Retake Day
October 25 – Pro-D Day
October 31 – Halloween
November 1 – Pro-D Day
November 4 – Smoothie Day
November 8 – Pro-D Day
November 11 – Remembrance Day (No School)
November 13 & 14 – Popcorn Days
November 15 – Rock Your Mocks!
November 20 – Parent Info Session (7:00pm)
November 21 – PAC Meeting (7:00pm)
November 27 & 28 – Popcorn Days

Help Wanted

Would you like to volunteer at your child's school? Then we want you!

Volunteers are needed for events throughout the year, including Popcorn Days, Sports Days and more!

Reach out to your PAC Exec for more info.

A current criminal record check must be on file with the school for any adult volunteers.

Find us on Facebook [Stitó:s Lá:lém Tot:lt PAC](#)

Email us slt-pac@sd33.bc.ca

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MunchaLunch Online Ordering Program Announcement

You asked, and we answered!

We are pleased to announce that you will now place your popcorn, treat day, and select fundraising orders online using **MunchaLunch.com!**

You can pay for your orders online using a credit card (Visa/Mastercard), debit-credit card, Google Pay, Apple Pay or pre-paid credit card.

HOW TO REGISTER:

- 1) Go to: <https://munchalunch.com/schools/SLT>
- 2) Click the "Register Here" button (as shown below). The system prompts will guide you through.
- 3) After adding your children, click the green "Order Lunch!" or "Fundraising Open!" button to order.
- 4) Next time, just click the "Login Here" button to access your account.



ORDERING INFORMATION:

- We are kicking off with a BANG! Online ordering is live for the following:
 - POPCORN DAYS for both Elementary and Middle through year-end
 - A&W Smoothie Days – All Grades Nov 4th & Dec 5th (supporting Spring Band Trip)
 - Panago Pizza Vouchers – limit order to 2 per student pls (supporting Spring Band Trip)
- All parents/families are asked to register on Munchalunch, regardless of whether or not they intend to place orders. This allows us to communicate and disseminate information consistently to everyone.
- If your student is away, you can come to the school to pick up their order (please email us beforehand). Unclaimed orders will be considered a donation and given away to other students.
- Consistent with previous years, no refunds or credits will be issued.
- Ordering generally will close approximately 1 week before Events (Treat Days, Popcorn etc) unless otherwise specified. No late orders will be accepted.
- Orders must be paid within 1 hour, or they will auto-cancel. Please check junk folders for confirmation.
- If you need assistance with ordering or set-up, please contact us at: slt-pacfund@sd33.bc.ca

With a school this large, we are always in need of **Volunteers!** There is a volunteer page within the online system where you can checkmark which dates you are available to help. Our Fundraising Coordinator or another member of our team will then contact you to confirm the schedule and details. *(Look for more info on this launching shortly!)*

Our thanks to the **Stitō:s Lá:lém Totí:lt** parent community for supporting this important initiative, and to our wonderful Volunteers who help make these programs a success for our students!

*cash/chq orders are still available, though we encourage the above methods to streamline processes for volunteers and staff. Larger sum deposits can be held and drawn from your Munch account and are encouraged if possible. ** Servery is not included in this at this time, as they are a separate business.