

### Richard Bulpitt Elementary PAC

# February Newsletter

## February Already?

We can't believe that we're into February already! January came and went so fast. We hope that you have managed to get through the cold and flu season unscathed.

Spring Fling Planning is ramping up! The raffle basket donation collection will be starting on Monday February 3rd for those families in divisions 10 to 29. Your teachers should have emailed you your basket themes along with a link to a sign up sheet. You can find the list of themes and links on our <u>PAC Facebook page</u> too. If you have any questions connect with your class parent or email us at rbepacspringfling@gmail.com. If you would like to join the planning team, check the next page for a link to our facebook group!

Every year we like to fundraise for the CKNW Kids' Fund on Pink Shirt Day with our Donut Day fundraiser. You can get all the details on the next page!

We are always looking for volunteers for Fun Lunch and the various events coming throughout the year. If you are interested in helping out please email our volunteer coordinator Edith at rbevolunteers@gmail.com.

Watch the <u>PAC Facebook page</u>, our instagram (<u>@rbepac</u>), our <u>website</u>, and the "This Week at RBE" emails for ways to get involved! If you are not receiving the TWARBE emails, please email Ms. Davies at cdavies@sd35.bc.ca to be added to the list.

If you have any questions or concerns please email our PAC President, Rahima Rana at bulpittpac@outlook.com.

### **Upcoming Dates**

**Feb 3 Spring Fling Raffle Basket Donation Collection Begins** 

Feb 4 Order Deadline for Fuel Hot Dog & TCBY Fun Lunch Day

Feb 10 No School, Pro-D Day

Feb 12 Donut Day Presale Begins on Munchalunch

**Feb 14 Valentine Colour Day** 

Feb 14 Fuel Hot Dog & TCBY Fun Lunch Day

Feb 17 No School, Family Day

Feb 18 Order Deadline for Pokerrito & Subway Fun Lunch Day

**Feb 21 Last Day for Donut Day Presale** 

Feb 24 No School, Learning Update

**Prep/Design & Assessment Day** 

Feb 25 Rainbow Day

**Feb 26 Pink Shirt Day** 

Feb 26 Donut Day Fundraiser, after school

Feb 27 This Is Me! Day

**Feb 28 Multicultural Day** 

Feb 28 Last Day to Bring in Spring Fling
Raffle Basket Donations

Feb 28 Pokerrito & Subway Fun Lunch Day

# Fun Lunch Dates Order on Munchalunch

Fuel Hot Dogs & TCBY on Feb 14 Order by Feb 4

Pokerrito & Subway on Feb 28 Order by Feb 18

### **Next PAC Meeting**

March 3 - 7 PM RBE Library

# **Next Spring Fling Planning Meeting**

Feb 24
On Google Meet\*

\*You can find the link to the meeting and more information about getting involved in our planning group here:

<a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/745815738765109">https://www.facebook.com/groups/745815738765109</a>



Donut Day Presale for Pink Shirt
Day (Feb 26) will open on
Wednesday Feb 12 on
Munchalunch until 11:59 PM on
Feb 21st

\$15/6 donuts or \$3 each on day of

Choose between Pink Vanilla Dip and Chocolate Dip donuts with sprinkles

# All proceeds go towards the CKNW Kids' Fund!

- **Preorders are required** for orders of 6 or more donuts.
- Students who go to after school care can pre-order online and their donuts will be delivered to the classroom before dismissal.
- Order pick up and "day of" sales will be after school in the courtyard (behind the school) on February 26
- Single donuts can be purchased day of, with a **limit of 2 per person.**

# COBS BREAD Doughraiser

Did you know that we have an ongoing fundraiser with the Walnut Grove COBS Bread location?

Simply mention Richard Bulpitt Elementary at the Walnut Grove location when you make a purchase.

They're donating 5% back to us! Note that a minimum of \$500 sales requirement is required for a Dough Raiser cheque to be issued to our school.

## SPRING FLING

IS COMING! FRIDAY JUNE 6TH 5 - 8:30 PM

Thank you for supporting PAC initiatives!

### **Fun Lunch FAQs**

#### How do I order fun lunch?

To order fun lunch, please use this link: <a href="https://munchalunch.com/schools/Bulpitt">https://munchalunch.com/schools/Bulpitt</a>. When ordering a fun lunch for your child(ren) please note the deadlines for ordering. We have to preorder 10 days in advance so restaurants can prepare for the large orders we submit, especially since we now have over 600 students in our school. It is for that reason that we cannot accept last minute orders. Fun lunch ordering is done each term (three times), so please ensure that you order each term, so your child(ren) doesn't miss out!

### What happens after I order?

It is imperative that you successfully order and pay for your child(ren)'s fun lunch orders within 6 hours of creating it. Munch-a-Lunch will not save orders anymore.

Munch-a-Lunch also sends a reminder email the day before the fun lunch day, with a list of what you have ordered for your child(ren). If you do not get this email, it means your child(ren) will NOT be receiving a fun lunch.

### What if my child is absent?

If your child will be absent on Fun Lunch Day, please come to the PAC kitchen between 12 and 12:30 pm to pick it up. If you cannot pick it up, please consider it as a donation as there are no refunds.

### What to do on a fun lunch day?

Connect with your children the morning of fun lunch to remind them what to expect for lunch – or if they will not be receiving.

Double check your email to see if you got a reminder email from Munch-a-Lunch the day before (usually Thursday morning) about what your child(ren) should be receiving. If you didn't get this email, please make sure you pack a lunch for your child(ren).

### What if I notice an error?

If on the fun lunch day, your child notices an error with their order, please have them communicate with their teacher, so that the teacher can either come to the PAC kitchen, or send your child there for assistance. We will do our best to make sure the error is corrected, so your child does not go without lunch.

If your child comes home and communicates an error to you, please email Zoe or Brianna at hotlunchbulpitt@outlook.com with your child(ren)'s name(s), division number(s), and the nature of the error. In future, please let your child know to communicate with their teacher right away, so that the error can be corrected promptly.