

# Code of Ethics

A parent who accepts a position as a PAC Executive member or Committee Chair:

1. Upholds the constitution and bylaws, policies, and procedures of the PAC.
2. Performs his/her duties with honesty and integrity.
3. Works to ensure that the well-being of students is the primary focus of all decisions.
4. Respects the rights of all individuals.
5. Takes direction from the members, ensuring representation processes are in place.
6. Encourages and supports parents and students with individual concerns to act on their own behalf and provide information on the process for taking forward concerns (See APPENDIX 10 of Constitution & By laws).
7. Works to ensure those issues are resolved through the due process.
8. Strives to be informed and only passes on information that is reliable.
9. Respects confidential information.
10. Supports public education.
11. Shall refrain from partisan political action or other activities, which do not serve the interests of the school community.
12. Read and complete the Statement of Understanding upon election into Executive or appointment of Committee Chair (see APPENDIX 9 of Constitution & By laws).
13. Review and agree to the "Role of Committees" (see APPENDIX 2 of Constitution & By laws).

## Statement of Understanding

I, the undersigned, in accepting the position of \_\_\_\_\_ on the Bear Creek Elementary PAC, have read and understood, and agree to abide by the Code of Ethics set out in this document. I also agree to participate in the Dispute Resolution process that has been agreed to by the electing body, should there be any concerns about my work.

Name of Member: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # or Email: \_\_\_\_\_