



October 12, 2021

Hi Erma Parents,

Welcome to the 2021/22 school year!

We held our first virtual PAC meeting of the school year on Monday September 20th, and the PAC Executive team wanted to provide you with a few updates.

The PAC Executive team for the school year is as follows:

Co-Presidents: Mona Azizi & Yojana Rampersaud

Co-Vice-Presidents: Cathy Ho & Elena Han

Treasurer: Bonnie Zheng

Secretary: Laura Grier

The primary focus for the PAC this year is fundraising due to the increasing needs of the students. PAC funds are used for a variety of initiatives such as Hip Hop Lessons, Student Incentives, Tech Support and Library Books to name a few. This school year we are also looking to raise funds for some of our bigger ticket items such as replacing the schools sport jerseys and student laptops/iPads as the current ones are nearing the end of their lifespan.

From now until October 29th, we are holding a PAC Cheque Drive so that we may fulfill some of these initiatives for our students. On the second page, you will find instructions on how to make a donation to our School. Donations of \$20 and over will receive a tax receipt.

As a reminder, please be sure to visit Erma Stephenson's website for all of the latest information and updates on events. You can sign up to receive communication from Erma Stephenson on this website and you can also find the latest PAC Meeting Minutes under the Parents tab. In addition, the PAC has a Facebook group, which provides information to parents. The page is called the Erma Stephenson Parents Group.

If you have any thoughts or suggestions to help with fundraising and/or donations, please join us at our next PAC meeting on Monday November 15th @6:30pm. We will be holding a Virtual meeting via Zoom & we would love to hear from you!

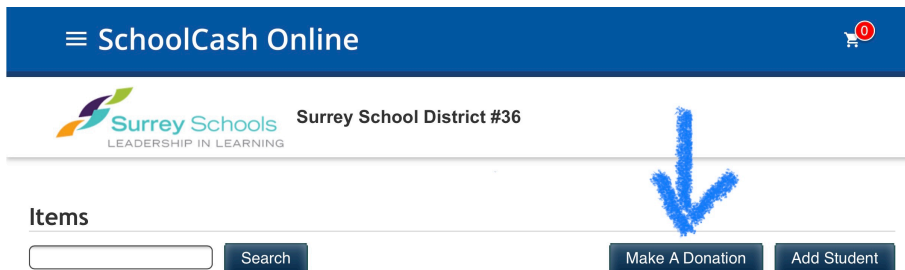


Erma Stephenson PAC Cheque Drive

The Erma Stephenson PAC Cheque Drive will run from now through Friday October 29th. The PAC is hoping to use the funds raised to replace the school jerseys and replace some of the aging laptops.

This year you can donate in two ways:

1. You can log onto <https://surreyschools.schoolcashionline.com> and click on the "Make a Donation" tab under the Items section (shown below). You will then be taken to a second page where you can choose the "Fund Destination" as Erma Stephenson Elementary. A tax receipt will be emailed to you for donations of \$20 and greater upon completion.



2. If you would like to issue a cheque, please complete the form below and return it to the school with your child(ren).

Please make your cheque payable to **Surrey School District No. 36** and include **Erma Stephenson Elementary** on the memo line.

***Donations of \$20 and over are eligible for a tax receipt – please check here for a tax receipt []**

Please complete the following information in full:

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Phone: _____
Address: _____ City: _____
Postal Code: _____

Participation in the Cheque Drive is optional. We thank you for your support!