

IMPORTANT PAC UPDATE

NEW MEMBERS NEEDED



Dear Parents,

As we come to the close of another successful school year, we are already thinking about the 2016/17 year ahead and we are communicating with you at this time because things have been changing and we are seeking your help, giving you the entire summer to <u>"think about it".</u>

We know that many of you offer your assistance to the PAC whenever you can and we are indeed very grateful. The PAC is an integral part of our children's school by acting as a liaison between the teachers, administrators and parents. We share your thoughts, concerns and ideas with the hope that it will better all of our children's experiences. We operate as a type of small business raising money, managing a budget and allocating funds to further enhance the opportunities that our children receive.

PLEASE THINK ABOUT GETTING INVOLVED....YES! It does require some involvement and commitment of personal time but it's very rewarding. WITHOUT PAC, our children would lose out on many of the benefits and opportunities they are currently receiving. EG.-Field trips, special presentations, updated technology, new band equipment, (the list goes on) and <u>all would come to a screeching halt.</u> So...because our children get older and move on and ourselves with them, several current members of the PAC are in the process of moving on, therefore we are seeking new members to STEP UP! SPEAK UP! SHOW UP!

On Wed September 21st at 6:00pm we will meet to vote in a new Executive Council and fill our Non-Elected positions. This meeting will pave the way for a successful 2016/17 school year. Please consider joining our team ...even if you are only able to devote a small bit of time. The list of typical duties for all positions can be found attached to this update, posted on the bulletin board in the lobby of the main office and posted on the school website under the PAC section. If you wish to stand for a position you can add your name or someone you feel could be a valuable asset to the nomination forms which are also posted in the school lobby or simply e-mail to <u>riverdale.pac@hotmail.com</u>

Thank you very much for your consideration, RIVERDALE PAC

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