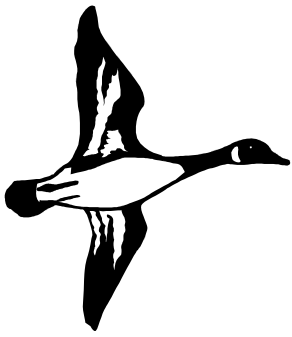


School Fundraisers



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Hello Jessie Lee Families!

We would like to thank everyone that participated by either volunteering or purchasing entertainment books in our very first fundraiser of the year! If your family did purchase books at Wal Mart please message PAC immediately at jessieleepac@gmail.com, facebook, or note at the office asap so we can calculate proper numbers of sold books. It was a great success and we are sure all the children are looking forward to their great prizes!

We would like to explain why throughout the school year we do fundraising, as well what will be coming up in the following months.

The money raised during the school year is distributed throughout the school to assist in different things including fieldtrips, class celebrations, music and sports equipment, as well as giving each division funds towards a "wishlist" they may have.

The past few years the majority of funds raised went towards the primary and intermediate playgrounds since these have been completed we have a new goal! This year we will be putting funds towards in classroom technologies.

UPCOMING EVENTS

PAC Meeting
October 17th
6:30pm

Entertainment
Book
Returns Due
October 9th

Hot Lunch
Thursday October
18th

Document Cameras and Projectors

Document cameras allow classroom teachers to take any piece of paper and project it onto a screen. Student journals/writing become live documents that are used to teach grammar/editing lessons (without the added step of first making an overhead transparency which then needs an overhead projector). Document cameras project not just paper, but anything placed under it thereby allowing students and teachers to write the answer to say a math question while the whole class watches as they do it. It is a great math tool because students can use any classroom object to demonstrate a concept like patterning, and rather than having to draw individual objects, students can use the real thing. Yes even Cheerios can become a great teaching tool.

A video projector is used together with the document camera. Now add a laptop computer into the mix and each of our classrooms become very dynamic teaching environments with instant access to hands on/real time information.

Our goal this year is to ensure all classrooms have these three teaching tools. Mrs. Mrak has taken care of the laptops for each room - our job is to earn enough for the projector and document camera. Document camera is about \$100.00 each, while the projectors are \$650.00.

Throughout this year we will be doing a variety of fundraisers including, Hot Lunches, QSP Magazine Sales, a Craft Fair, a Clothing Drive, and as always our favourite the Fun Fair in June! Volunteers are needed immediately for Hot Lunches and the Craft fair as well as throughout the year if you are interested please email jessieleepac@gmail.com or leave a note at the office for the PAC!

If your family would like to opt out of receiving fundraisers in the future and would prefer to donate a specific amount to the school please fill out the form located on the back of this newsletter and include a cheque made out to Jessie Lee Elementary PAC or cash in an envelope.

You will be added to a list and fundraising packages will not be sent home to your family. If you change your mind at anytime you can ask to have your name removed or pick up the fundraising packages at the schools front entrance.

We would like to let everyone know that this will be the last paper copy of PAC information to be sent home. We will be posting our PAC minutes, newsletters and event information on the schools website <https://www.surreyschools.ca/schools/jessie/Pages/default.aspx> at the “parents” tab under PAC subtitle.

My Family would like to donate \$_____ to Jessie Lee Elementary School PAC. Please do not send home fundraising packages with _____ Division #_____.

Please List additional children's names and divisions here:

Name_____ Division # _____
Name_____ Division # _____

Please Place in Envelope with PAC Donation written on the front

THANK YOU FOR YOUR DONATION