

# Aubrey PAC April News

## Staff Appreciation Luncheon

Aubrey parents are hosting the annual **Staff Appreciation Lunch** on Wednesday, **May 18**.

We are asking parents to create a dish as a way of saying thank you to the teachers and staff at Aubrey Elementary for all the fabulous work they do. Sign-up forms will be sent home in the next few weeks.



If you choose to participate in this wonderful event, your dish should be delivered to the staff room by 11:00 a.m. on May 18.

## Aubrey's Annual Used Book Sale

The book sale will run **May 25, 26, and 27** over the lunch hour and from 2:45-3:30pm.

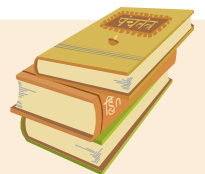
**All books are just \$1, so stock up for summer!** Volunteers are needed to help sort books and run the book sale. To volunteer, please contact Stella at [aubreypacvolunteers@gmail.com](mailto:aubreypacvolunteers@gmail.com).

## **BOOK DONATIONS NEEDED!**

Book collection will start Thursday, May 12.

Please bring your gently used books to the school and deposit them in the boxes in the foyer. The deadline for donating books is May 24.

Generally, all genres of books are needed, but please do not bring in your university economics text book from 1995. Nobody wants it.



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## School Musical DVD

The PAC will be offering families an opportunity to purchase a DVD of the school musical for the low price of \$20. This is a one-of-a-kind keepsake of this year's *Little Mermaid* production. Preserve this special memory for a lifetime by pre-ordering your DVD.

The DVD will be professionally created by Digital Cyclops Productions. Please check them out at [www.digitalcyclops.com](http://www.digitalcyclops.com).

**Please note, there will be no photography or videography permitted during the performances.**

## Roses for Your "Little Stars"

*When they get a chance to shine like a star, show your child how proud you are.*

The PAC is providing a wonderful opportunity to acknowledge your child's performance in the school musical.



**Single, long stem red roses are \$5 each** and will be available for pre-order. Buy a rose or two or three, all while supporting your PAC for a stronger community.

We appreciate all the love and support the Aubrey families have contributed to our school community thus far. Please continue to show your support by purchasing a rose to give to your child on the night of their Little Mermaid performance!!!

## Reminder- Spring Cleaning Clothing Drive Tomorrow!

*"Don't own so much clutter that you will be relieved to see your house catch fire."* Wendell Berry

**Friday, April 1** bring your bags of donatable items and drop them off in the undercover area in front of the school between 8:30 and 9:15am.

To volunteer, please contact Pat at [runpkc@gmail.com](mailto:runpkc@gmail.com).



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## PAC Meeting

**April 14**  
**8-9pm in the Aubrey Library**

### ***The New Curriculum***

Join us for part 2 of our series on BC's new curriculum. Teachers Mme. Taylor and Mrs. Carlsen will share their expertise as they have already embraced many of the changes. They will share some of the exciting ways they have incorporated the new curriculum into their classrooms this year, why the new directions in BC's education are great for our learners, and answer more questions from the parent group. Please forward your questions, in advance, if you have any to [sgray@vsb.bc.ca](mailto:sgray@vsb.bc.ca)

If you require babysitting during the meeting, please contact Stella at [aubreypacvolunteers@gmail.com](mailto:aubreypacvolunteers@gmail.com) 48 hours in advance of the meeting.



## Aubrey's Annual Walk-a-Thon

The Aubrey PAC is excited to organize a new Walk-a-thon this year. **The Walk-a-thon will be held on May 12 at the Burnaby North track.** We are focusing our fundraising efforts to purchase an additional playground structure for the lower field, to help build the outdoor classroom, to fund the purchase of sports equipment, and more.

With your help, we can make this our most successful walk-a-thon ever! Your participation is vital to helping us achieve our goals for Aubrey.

As usual, we will have **fabulous prizes** for our top pledge earners! Stay tuned for more information.

## Mark the Calendar

**April 1-** Food Day

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**April 14-** PAC Meeting  
8-9pm

**April 14-** DVD and Rose  
Orders Due

**April 15-** Food Day

**April 19-20-** School Musical

**May 5-**Walk-a-thon Pledges  
Due Back

**May 6-** Food Day

**May 12-** Walk-a-thon

**May 18-** Staff Appreciation  
Luncheon

**May 25-27-** Used Book Sale

**June 2-** Sports Day

**June 9-** PAC AGM 7-8pm

**June 10-** Food Day

**June 24-** Food Day