

# PAC NEWSLETTER



## WE HAVE SO MUCH TO CELEBRATE!

*Our dear Aubrey community, we wish you all a very happy and healthy new year ahead. Looking back to the end of 2021, we have so many things to celebrate and be grateful for!*



Term one saw **three very successful donation drives** at Aubrey! At Thanksgiving and Christmas, Aubrey families were incredibly generous donating food to Ryan's Rainbow. After Halloween, families donated an amazing number of coats for kids to the Burnaby Neighborhood House and winter gear and candies to Ryan's Rainbow.



The winter **Coffee Fundraiser raised \$815.00** for the Aubrey PAC - funds that are deeply appreciated and will be used to enrich the school experience for all Aubrey students!

Huge thanks to our Aubrey families who donated a whopping **\$5832.40 through the ADD Aubrey donation drive** this autumn. These funds will improve the learning and activity opportunities at Aubrey for all students, especially while we continue to navigate challenges caused by COVID.

And finally, before winter break Aubrey PAC gave each Aubrey staff member a festive jar of jam and Christmas or Holiday **Message of Thanks** on behalf of all families. Our heartfelt thanks to the Aubrey staff - what an incredibly flexible, caring, and supportive team you are, and Aubrey families are grateful for everything you do for our kids all throughout the year!



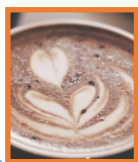
## FRENCH IMMERSION INFO NIGHT

Do you and your child want to learn more about continuing in French Immersion in Secondary School? All Aubrey parents of kids K-7 are welcomed to a special evening presentation by **Alpha Secondary French Immersion Department Head, Pierre Dube**, on *Thursday, 20 January, at 7:00 pm on Zoom*. This will be the second half of the PAC General meeting starting at 6:30.



## COFFEE AND CONVERSATION

The **Coffee and Conversation** series provides Aubrey parents a wonderful opportunity to learn about important topics as well as meet with one another and share ideas. Join us for:



**Wednesday, 02 February, 9:15-10:00 am** - Positive and Peaceful Aubrey: Conflict resolution tools for Aubrey Students, with Aubrey counsellor Chloe Deane.

\* ZOOM link to come closer to this date - and all Aubrey parents welcome!

## EARLY DISMISSAL - CONVERSATIONS



**Wednesday, 02 Feb and Thursday, 03 Feb**, all students are dismissed early for **Term 2 Virtual Conversations** between parents and teachers - *French students at 1:45 pm and English students at 2:00 pm.*

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS

**Thursday, 20 Jan** - **PAC General Meeting**, 6:30 pm, and French Immersion Information session, 7:00 pm, ZOOM

**Wednesday, 26 Jan** - Burnaby North Secondary virtual Open House, 6:00 pm, ZOOM (details to come)

**Wednesday, 02 Feb** - Coffee and Conversation, 9:15-10:00 am, ZOOM,  
AND early dismissal 1:45 pm French and 2:00 pm English

**Thursday, 03 Feb** - Alpha Secondary virtual Open House, 6:00 pm, ZOOM  
(details to come) AND early dismissal 1:45 French and 2:00 English

**Tuesday, 15 Feb** - **PAC General Meeting**, 6:30 pm, ZOOM

**Monday, 21 Feb** - Family Day Holiday - NO SCHOOL

**Wednesday, 23 Feb** - Pink Shirt Day - Wear pink to support anti-bullying!

**Thursday, 24 Feb** - Term 2 Learning Update is sent home

**Friday, 25 Feb** - Pro-D Day - NO SCHOOL

**Mon, 14 Mar-Fri, 25 Mar** - Spring Break - NO SCHOOL for two weeks

