

PAC NEWSLETTER



GARDEN PLANTS FUNDRAISER!



Aubrey PAC is delighted to announce we will once again be doing the Spring Garden Plants Fundraiser via **Growing Smiles**. Ordering is now OPEN on our Team's website here: www.aubreylementary.growingsmilesfundraising.com/home

Choose from wonderful hanging baskets, planters, veggies, herbs, bedding plants, potting soil, and other items!

Orders are due by end of the day Tuesday, 19 April, and plants will be available for pick-up before Mother's Day, before and after school on **Thursday and Friday, 05 and 06 May**.



Stay tuned for more information and check out the beautiful offerings online [HERE!](#)



GRADE SEVEN BOTTLE DRIVE



This year's Grade Seven students are eagerly looking forward to their Leaving Celebration this June. In order to raise funds for their farewell, they are collecting cans and bottles for the whole month of March and for one mayor **Bottle Drive Day** on **Saturday, 02 April!**

For all of the month of March, you can support the Grade Sevens by taking your cans and bottles in see-through bags to the Kensington Return-In Depot!

Using the self-serve kiosk, enter Aubrey's phone number **604-296-9001**, and print a label for each of your clear bags.

Drop the bags at the back of the depot - easy!

If you prefer to have your clear bags of cans and bottles picked up by this year's grads on **Saturday, 02 April**, please send an email to AubreyGrad@gmail.com and we'll arrange to come to collect your bags, with heartfelt thanks!



ONLINE SAFETY PRESENTATION

Making the Internet a SAFER SPACE For Our Kids – Please join us for a presentation about how to teach your kids to stay safe in internet communications, social media, and online gaming!



You will learn about techniques used to attempt to fool, lure, and exploit kids on the internet, and how to prepare your kids to be savvy when encountering strangers online.

This special presentation will be lead by a facilitator from the local **Children of the Street** organization, and is incredibly valuable for all families whose children are navigating in online communities and social media (like *Discord, Whatsapp, Instagram*, etc), and gaming platforms (like *Roblox, Minecraft*, etc).

Join your fellow Aubrey parents & caregivers on **Monday, 11 April, 6-7:30 pm**, on ZOOM

(This presentation will pre-empt the scheduled PAC General Meeting on this date, and we're grateful to Principal Hartman who will make her principal's report at 6 pm before we get started with the workshop)

CANADIAN PARENTS FOR FRENCH

CPF offers **French language bedtime stories** for primary Immersion students every Thursday evening at 6:30 pm for 30 minutes online. If you are interested, email pac.aubrey@gmail.com and we'll connect you to the organizer.



French language summer camps in Burnaby planned for the weeks of August 08-12 and 15-19. More details to come when available.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Monday, 14 to Friday, 25 March - Spring Break - NO SCHOOL

Saturday, 02 April - Bottle Drive Day for grade 7 leaving celebration

Monday, 11 April - SAFER SPACES Online Safety presentation 6:00-7:30 pm, with **PAC Meeting** principal's report to start, ZOOM

Friday, 15 April - Easter holiday - NO SCHOOL

Monday, 18 April - Easter holiday - NO SCHOOL

Tuesday, 19 April - deadline for ordering plants with Growing Smiles

Monday, 25 April - Pro-D Day - NO SCHOOL

Thurs and Fri, 05 and 06 May - collect your plants before and after school, Aubrey entrance

