

PAC NEWSLETTER



TERRY FOX RUN - OCT 01



On Friday, 01 October, all of Aubrey's students will be running to raise funds for the **Terry Fox Foundation**, in support of research in the fight against cancer!

This year, we especially honour one of our own, **treasured music teacher, Mrs. Heard**, and raise funds in her name. Please donate via our school's page at [LINK](#), and help us meet and beat our \$1000 goal!

Support all of Aubrey's runners, and help us send Mrs. Heard all our very best wishes and love while she is on leave this year!

CANADIAN PARENTS FOR FRENCH

For all in the French Immersion stream or who are interested in French language education, we encourage you to join the **Canadian Parents for French (CPF)** organization.

Membership is \$25 per family for the year! All membership fees paid in September and October 2021 will be given directly to our local Burnaby Chapter, making a true impact on your child's experience of French Education.

CPF supports French learners across Canada, and in our community with activities and resources. Click on this [LINK](#) to reach their membership page.



FRENCH LESSONS FOR PARENTS

One fabulous offering from the CPF is the opportunity to join French lessons with other parents on Zoom!

Lessons starting soon in Beginners (Mondays or Tuesdays, 6-7:15 pm) and Intermediate (Thursdays, 6-7:30 pm) levels.

For more information email CPF at this [LINK](#) and to book French lessons click this [LINK](#).

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

As a parent of an Aubrey student, you are already a member of the *PAC, the Parent Advisory Committee*. Throughout the year, there may be many **volunteer opportunities** with the PAC, and we'd love to be able to reach out to you.

Please add your name to our list of people we can call upon in our easy sign-up sheet by clicking on this [LINK](#).



FOOD DONATION DRIVE - OCT 06



Ryan's Rainbow Outreach is holding a food drive at Aubrey for all the things to help local families over Thanksgiving.

We are low on important staples for our hampers, *specifically: sugar, canned pumpkin pie filling, coffee, tomato sauce, pasta, stuffing, gravy, and dry beans!* (Kindly please check expiry dates before donating - hugest thanks!)

Bring your donations at morning drop-off time to the Aubrey main entrance covered area from **8:30-9:15 am on Weds, 06 October**. For more information about Ryan's Rainbow, click this [LINK](#)!

COFFEE AND CONVERSATION

Thanks to all who attended the **Coffee and Conversation** meeting last Wednesday, a wonderful Emotion Coaching session from our very own Aubrey Counsellor, Chloe Deane. For anyone who missed the session, you can see her recorded presentation by clicking this [LINK](#).



Coming up next this term (ZOOM links to come closer to these dates):

> **Wednesday, 20 October, 9:15-10:00 am** - COVID protocols at Aubrey and management if cases arise, with speaker Principal Lisa Hartman

> **Wednesday, 01 December, 9:15-10:30 am** - Safer Space (Internet safety and child exploitation), with speaker Courtney Liem of *Children of the Street*

All Aubrey parents and caregivers are welcome to this wonderful way to connect and learn!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS



Wednesday, 29 Sept - Orange Shirt Day - *students invited to wear an orange shirt to show they stand with the children of Indian Residential Schools*

Thursday, 30 Sept - National Day for Truth and Reconciliation - NO SCHOOL

Friday, 01 Oct - Terry Fox Run Day

Wednesday, 06 Oct - Thanksgiving Food Drive - 8:30-9:15 am

Monday, 11 Oct - Thanksgiving Day - NO SCHOOL

Thursday, 14 Oct - School Photo Day

Tuesday, 19 Oct - **PAC General Meeting**, 6:30 pm, ZOOM

Wednesday, 20 Oct - Coffee and Conversation, 9:15-10:00 am, ZOOM

Friday, 22 Oct - Pro-D Day - NO SCHOOL

Wednesday, 27 Oct - Saleema Noon Body Health presentation for parents (details to come)

Weds, 03 Nov - Photo Retake Day

Thurs, 11 Nov - Remembrance Day - NO SCHOOL

Wednesday, 17 Nov - **PAC General Meeting**, 6:30 pm, ZOOM

Friday, 26 Nov - Pro-D Day - NO SCHOOL

Wednesday, 01 Dec - Coffee and Conversation, 9:15-10:30 am, ZOOM

Friday, 17 Dec - Last day of school for 2021!

