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Help us earn easy money!



Use our COOP Membership #74721 or just let the staff know you are supporting Bayside Middle School.

Get your Thrifty's reloadable shopping Smile card. No expense to you but 5% of all your purchase goes to PAC.

Buy your coffee beans at Fresh Cup and \$4 per bag is given to PAC. At your next purchase, please mention that you support Bayside!

Money, money, money - How do we raise it? Where do we spend it?

Our Bayside PAC has been busy this year! This year's approved budget is just over \$27,000. Approximately half of our budget comes from funds raised through our monthly pizza day at Bayside, the Smile Card program, Monk's school supply program, Co-Op Membership program, and donations.

These funds are used to host parent education nights, classroom funds for teachers and students, membership and conference fees for PAC members, open house and welcome night for parents and families, Staff Appreciation, and cultural activities at

Bayside. The other funding comes from our annual Gaming Grant. Under this grant, there are many extracurricular activities that are funded for our students, which include field trips, Gr.8 year end activities, school clubs, equipment and uniform for our sports teams, Band Festival fees, and funding for our Late Bus on Wednesday afternoons.

Funding Requests are separate from our budget items. These requests come from both our parents at Bayside and our school staff. Each request is discussed at our PAC meetings, and decisions are made based on the input provided by our members. So far this year PAC has approved Swim Club, Spelling Bee prizes, Knitting Club, Athletic supplies, a Gravity Car Track, partial

funding for the Gr. 8 year end Camp, and the canoe project.

We always look forward to hearing from our membership, and encourage many voices added to the discussion when it comes to deciding how to spend YOUR money!

If you have any ideas for a funding request at Bayside, please contact our PAC Executive, or fill out a request form at the school office.

Thank you for your generosity, and we hope to see you at a PAC meeting soon.





What happens at PAC Meetings?

We get together once a month at "PAC" meetings to talk about issues and raise questions so we know what is happening with our children in the school.

We also brainstorm to come up with ideas on how to help our children in the school environment.

We plan and organize social, sport and educational events to make the community fun and supportive.

Excluded from the PAC meeting discussions are private issues arising with administrators, teachers, parents and children of our school.

At times we fundraise for special events and needed projects to benefit the children. The PAC members are also seeking new participation and never more than this year. With a number of people planning to step down (as their children are changing schools etc) we will be seeking new representatives to continue the great work that has occurred over the past years.

We hope you will be interested to join us.

Other ways to helping Out In The School

Pizza Helper:

Pizza Days are held on the first Thursday of most months. Let us know if you can help out on these exciting days.

Miscellaneous Jobs:

We are always in need of volunteers to help with miscellaneous jobs throughout the year. The jobs would be one time only and of a short duration.

Staff Appreciation:

Each year a week is selected as Staff Appreciation Week (tba). During this time the student's are encouraged to voice their appreciation through various activities. In addition, the parent's show their appreciation. Let us know if you can help out.

Who are PAC?

Parent Advisory Council members are people like you!

Did you know all guardians as well as parents of Bayside students are members of the Bayside PAC?

We need a wider variety of skills, talent and energy to run our PAC activities. Even if you can only offer help for a few hours, we'd love to hear from you.

JOIN US OUR OUR NEXT
PAC MEETING

7.00 pm, April 21, 2015

@ Bayside Middle School.

Mother's Day 2015 Celebrate it with flowers and chocolate

Students will be selling Purdy's chocolates and flower baskets during April 10-27th leading up to this year's Mother's Day.

Please support this special fund raising effort that will help fund Grade 8 camp Imadene and also finance new shelves for our library.

