

# Whiteside PAC

## Monthly Newsletter



## THANK-YOU!

The PAC would like to extend our thanks to everyone who was able to donate to our “Opt Out” Fundraiser this year. So far donations have totalled more than \$2500! These funds will help to offset the loss of profits from the cancellation of other fundraisers including Hot Lunch, movie nights, freeze sales, the Halloween Party & Spring Fair which raise nearly \$10,000 a year. Anyone still wishing to donate can still do so at the office. Please mark the donation as “Opt Out PAC fundraiser” so we can make sure it’s tracked properly.



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### NOVEMBER PAC MEETING

DATE: Nov. 18th, 2020  
6:30 pm

Whiteside Gym

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### WINTER FUNDRAISING PACKAGES OUT

First week of November

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### WINTER FUNDRAISING RETURN DEADLINE

November 24th, 2020

## Winter Fundraising

Look out for Winter Fundraising packages for purchases of Purdy's chocolates, Wolf Wear and Gift Cards the **first week of November**. The deadline to order will be November 24th. Pick-up for Purdy's and Gift Cards will be the first week of December. Wolf Wear will be shortly after that. This year we are selling new Wolf Wear styles and a new colour to go along with the traditional royal blue. These are all great gifts for Christmas!

## Spread Joy Not Germs!

Whiteside Wolf masks are still available for purchase on MunchaLunch and in person at the office. We have both adult and children sizes. Each mask is printed with the Whiteside logo and has an adjustable ear strap to fit you perfectly. Masks are \$10 and all funds raised go towards the PAC!

## PAC Meetings

Our October PAC meeting was held in the school gym with support of Ms Corneil. The gym is ample size for everyone to keep 6 feet apart & all attendees are asked to use sanitizer & wear masks. We are exploring the idea of using Zoom during our meetings to allow all parents to attend from their homes. Please email the PAC to identify your interest in attending. As always, parents are all encouraged to attend!



## The PAC needs YOU!

The PAC is still seeking a member to represent our school at the Richmond District PAC (RDPA) for 2020/21. The position involves attending RDPA meetings, voting on behalf of our PAC and providing any updates at Whiteside PAC meetings. Currently RDPA meetings are being held online so you can do this position from the comfort of your own home! If you are interested in this, or any other position, please visit the PAC section of the school website for more information or contact us via email:

<https://whiteside.sd38.bc.ca/parents/pac/2020/02/25/pac-duties-and-responsibilities>

### ONGOING PAC FUNDRAISERS:

Personalized Labels! **AVAILABLE ALL YEAR**

- [www.mabelslabels.com](http://www.mabelslabels.com) - Support a fundraiser and choose "James Whiteside Elementary PAC (Richmond)" from the dropdown menu
- [www.oliverslabels.com/whitesidePAC](http://www.oliverslabels.com/whitesidePAC)
- [www.emilypress.com/whiteside](http://www.emilypress.com/whiteside)

Cobs Bread! **AVAILABLE ALL YEAR**

- Visit the Blundell Centre and Richmond Centre locations and mention Whiteside when you purchase. A portion of the sales come back to the PAC.

