



BLAKEBURN ELEMENTARY

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Welcome to Kindergarten

We welcomed most of our new kindergartens on Thursday. We hope to see them some mornings at Bounce.

Thank You PAC



The teacher and staff appreciation lunch was delicious and beautifully decorated.

To Unsubscribe:

Please email: sfiset@sd43.bc.ca

Carnival



Activity Day Was Fun!



Ladybugs



Ladybug, ladybug fly away home...

Popsicles



On Thursday May 28th at recess Blakeburn students will have a popsicle fundraiser sale. This fundraiser is to raise money for JDRF, the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation. One of our students Lauren Gunning is living with type 1 diabetes she was diagnosed at a very young age of 15 months. Together Lauren with her sister Erica and friends will be selling popsicles for \$2.00 each in order to raise money for the annual walk to find the cure.

Thank you for supporting this fundraiser

The popsicles are peanut and tree nut free, egg, dairy, soy and gluten free.

Activity Day Fun



Calendar

May/June 2015						
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
17	18 Victoria Day – No School	19	20	21 District Track Meet	22	23
24	25 LICE 911 PAC Meeting 6:30	26 LICE 911 Fruit & veggie program - apples	27	28 JDRF Popsicle Sale \$2	29 PAC Hot Lunch – Hot Dogs	30
31	1 Pro-D Day No school in session	2	3 Kway Gr. 6 for a day Minnekhada Gr. 6 for half a day	4	5 Carnival	6
7	8	9 Saleema Noon 6:30-8:30 Fruit & veggie program – grape tomatoes	10	11 Grade 4/5 Cultus Lake Waterpark	12 PAC Hot Lunch – McDonald's	13
14	15 PAC Meeting 6:30	16	17	18	19 Grade 5 Farewell 1:30	20
21	22	23	24 Farewell Gathering 1:00	25 Last Day	26	27



News From the PAC

Website: www.blakeburnpac.org

Find us on Facebook: "Blakeburn Elementary PAC"

Think about Joining the PAC Next Year – May 25

PAC Elections will be taking place during the PAC meeting on May 25, 2015 at 6:30 in the library.

Interested in getting more involved at Blakeburn and meeting other parents dedicated to helping our school community? The PAC has a number of opportunities for parents to get involved in small or larger roles, from President of the PAC to member at large.

No previous experience is required!

The PAC is seeking parents specifically interested in these positions:

President

This person leads the PAC committee, oversees PAC activities, and liaises with the school administration, parents and other stakeholders.

Parent Volunteer Coordinator

This person helps get parents involved in PAC activities including the Carnival, Walkathon, Staff Appreciation Lunch and may assist in these events.

Multicultural Liaison

This person will facilitate the welcoming of families with backgrounds in different cultures, and encourage the involvement of these families in the school community.

All PAC positions:

Blakeburn parents are invited to run for election for any PAC positions (listed below).

President

Treasurer

Secretary

DPAC

Fundraising Committee

Health & Safety

Parent Communications

Parent Education

Hot Lunch Coordinator

Parent Volunteer Coordinator

Multicultural Liaison

Members at Large

If you are interested or have questions about these roles, email the PAC President, Vandhana Misri, at president@blakeburnpac.org and/or we invite you to attend the next PAC meeting on May 25.

Staff Appreciation Lunch

Thank you to everyone who donated dishes and time for the Staff Appreciation Lunch!

THE CARNIVAL IS COMING**Friday, June 5 – 4:30-7:30pm**

Bring your family for circus-themed fun at the annual Blakeburn Carnival!

Hamster balls, Laser Tag, Bouncy Castle, Pony Rides, Carnival games, Cake Walk, and much more. Plus, enjoy the BBQ, cotton candy, and live music!

VOLUNTEER:

- **Spare an hour** to help with setup, selling tickets, feeding guests or running a carnival game on June 5th. And you'll still have plenty of time to enjoy the Carnival with your kids.
- **Bake a cake/cupcakes** for the ever popular Cake Walk. You might just walk away with one of the coveted awards for Most Beautiful, Most Creative, Best Circus-Themed or People's Choice!

Sign up here ASAP: <http://bit.ly/BlakeburnCarnival2015>

DONATIONS NEEDED by May 22:

- **Carnival Baskets** – Your child's class is putting together a basket to be raffled off at the Carnival. Contribute a small donation and let the theme inspire your creativity! See the notice sent home.
- **Silent Auction** – If you own a business or work for a company that would like to donate services or products, please drop off donations for the silent auction. Your company will be featured in the school newsletter.

Email fundraising@blakeburnpac.org with any questions.