LEIGH PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL

# Leigh PAC

# **Together We Accomplish More**

DATES TO NOTE: Volume 2, Issue

May 2013

#### McDonald's Activity

- McDonald's Activity
   Day lunch May
   17th
- Carnival May 31st 4pm to 8pm
- PAC Meeting -June 5th 7pm to 9pm
- PAC Recess SnackJune 12th
- Movie Night June 14th
- PAC Lunch June 21st

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# **April and May Successes**

- On April 26th we had 87 boys and their moms come out to the Boys Night Out. Everyone had a great time exploring the wonders of space with HR McMillan Spacelab. Other highlights of the evening were the chocolate fountain, dance room complete with mirror ball and lights, street hockey and tug of war games and of course a visit from the fire truck and police car. We would like to thank all the boys and their parents who came out, all the volunteers who helped to plan, set up, decorate and clean up this event. We could not have done it without you!
- May 1st we had our **Annual LPAC Meeting and Elections**, more about the results on page 2.
- On May 7th we celebrated Staff Appreciation Day at Leigh. PAC volunteers decorated the Multipurpose room and set up a lunch for the teachers and support staff. We would like to thank all the families who donated food and their time to make this event a success. We also thank Ingrid Bahng for her creativity and energy in organizing the whole event as well as Mary Lo-Sng, Kulli Yee, Lori Daoust-Chow, Michelle Tuan and Natalie Walker for their help with set-up.



The **Spring Plant Sale** ending on May 10th was a great success raising about \$932.79 for the school! A big thank you to all the volunteers who helped with organizing this event!



"Did you know that every parent or guardian who's child is attending Leigh Elementary School is part of the Leigh PAC?"

### Leigh PAC 2013/2014 Elections

LPAC elections for the 2013/14 school year were held at the May 1st Annual General meeting.

We were happy to see some new parents stepping up and taking on active roles this year.

LPAC would like to thank our current President **Michelle Tuan** for her hard work for the past 2 years. For the 2013/14 school year, Michelle will assume the Vice President's role as **Natalie Walker** will take over the new PAC President's position.

Our current Treasurer **Anthony Bichoff** will be leaving Leigh for
the next school year and we welcome **Christine Cyr** as the new
Treasurer. Thank you, Anthony,
for your hard work; we will miss
your precise budget reports!

We thank our current Secretary **Barb Wolgemuth** for all her hard
work, Barb will not continue in
this role so the Secretary's position **remains open.** 

Laura Cain and Robyn Hollingshead will continue as the PAC Hot Lunch Coordinators and Christine Knoll will continue as the Fruit and Veggie Program Coordinator. Christine has also had a key role in setting up and maintaining the Munch-a-Lunch online ordering system.

**Allison Sanderson** has stepped up as an Emergency Preparedness Coordinator, we thank her for taking on this important role.

**Kulli Yee** is stepping down from the Parent Communications Coordinator and newsletter editor position, this role **remains open** for the next school year.

**Deidre Pattenden** will continue as the Minnekhada Liason for 2013/14 school year.

We thank **Ingrid Bahng** for being our District PAC Representative this year, Ingrid will not continue next year and this position is open.

#### **Open Positions for 2013/2014 school year**

- Secretary
- District PAC Rep
- Fundraising Coordinator
- Parent Education Coordinator
- Parent Communications Coordinator
- Newsletter Editor

### Leigh Carnival May 31st 4pm to 8pm



Our biggest fundraiser of the year, Leigh Carnival is drawing near. You don't want to miss out this year, it will be a fun event for the whole family!

We have lots of games and prizes. Some of them are our very popular Photo Booth, the Rock Wall and your chance to soak a grade 5 in the Silly Shower.

Come out for dinner and enjoy a burger, hot dog or pizza, and for dessert don't forget the Cotton Candy.

We also need lots of parent volunteers for the Carnival this year so please send in your volunteer sheets. If you would like to volunteer or make a cake for the very popular cake walk, please email or call Kim Egli at kimegli@shaw.ca or 604-941-9768.

#### June PAC Meeting - June 5th 7pm to 9pm

Our last PAC meeting of this school year will be held on June 5th from 7pm to 9pm at the Library. We plan on celebrating this year's successes and make some plans for upcoming school year. Look for the agenda to be posted soon in the PAC section of the school website.

If you are interested in taking on one of the positions that remains open, come out to the meeting and get your name added to our list of active parents and make a difference in your child's school. **Free child minding is provided!** 

#### PLEASE OBEY THESE SIMPLE DRIVING SAFETY RULES ON SCHOOL GROUNDS:



Slow down
Don't stop in the cross walk
Don't park in the drop off zone
Don't block traffic or the school bus
Don't stop or park in no parking zones