

What is the PAC? Commonly asked questions...

What does PAC stand for? Parent Advisory Council

What are the objectives of the PAC?

- To enhance communication between parents, students, community, School Board, School Administration and Staff.
- To provide a formal means of consultation and recommendations for: school budgetary matters, curriculum offerings, new instructional programs, facilities and equipment, learning resources, disciplinary issues, and goals and philosophies.
- To promote cooperation between the home and the school in providing for the education of children.
- To contribute to the effectiveness of the school by promoting the involvement of parents and other community members.
- To organize and provide additional resources to the school through volunteer activities.
- To support the philosophy that parents in a public school should have the opportunity to choose how they want their children to be taught. The PAC's goal, therefore, is to support the Fundamental Alternate Program.

How long can you be on the PAC?

Each position is a one year term with a maximum of two years. But you are able to then put your name forward for a different position once your two year term is up.

Can anyone attend the monthly PAC meetings?

Yes all are welcome to attend. It's a great place to find out what's going on in your child's school and to find out how you can get involved without even being on the PAC.

When do I have to have my name in by in order to be put on the nomination ballot?

You will need to have your name or the person that you are nominating, to a member of the nominating committee before May 25.

Who is on the Nominating Committee? Wendy Young (wdyoung@telus.net) and Jacqui Jack, please contact either of them if you are interested in putting your name forth.

When does the voting take place? Monday, June 9 at 6:30pm at our AGM

Are there ways to get involved even if I am not a PAC member?

Of course, there are always ways to get involved. From volunteering at concession on sports day, helping decorate for the Christmas Tea, helping out the Hot Lunch Team and many more ways. And a good way to find out where you can help is attending the monthly PAC meetings.