PAC UPDATE



Welcome Back!...Welcome Back!....Welcome Back!...

(Insert old TV Show theme song here!)





We are trying something new!!!

In order to be inclusive, flexible and appealing to a new group of parents, PAC is going to switch around the PAC meetings for the remainder of the year. Some will be daytime meetings and some will be evening ones. Stayed tuned to newsletters and the school website for when each monthly meeting is.

Next SES PAC Meeting: Friday, February 7th @ 9:15 am in the SES Foods Room (Ask at the office for directions when you check in Bring your coffee and curiosity!

ALL PARENTS AND GUARDIANS INVITED



- Bring the kids! -- They are always welcome!
- You can come and leave whenever you want & works for your family!
- You can bring a friend and come even if you have never attended a PAC meeting before!
- Prepare to laugh, have fun & hear cool things about school!

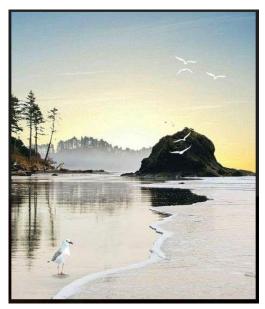
Paint Night

Thursday, January 23rd. Time to have some adult fun, socialize with other parents and laugh at all our paint skills! SES PAC has organized a paint night for family and friends of Springwood.

- When: Thursday, January 23 from 6:00-8:00pm
- Where: Thalassa Restaurant\Qualicum Memorial Beach Golf Course 469 Memorial Ave, Qualicum Beach
- Cost: \$30 Email PAC: springwoodpac@gmail.com to say you are coming and reserve your spot. Then please drop your \$30 (with your name) in the box outside the office to complete the signup. NOTE: There is a maximum of 35 spots only so reserve as soon as you can. Food and alcohol will be available for you to purchase there as you desire. Team up with friends for car pooling and designated drivers.
- Why: Because we all survived the holidays and we need to get out there and laugh and produce some incredibly rare and skillful art pieces!!

Check out the work of art we will be creating!!

(Hey...maybe we can sell all pieces of art after as a masterpiece collection and make millions and all retire early!!??) :0)



Bringing hot lunch to our school wouldn't be possible without a team of parent volunteers!

THANK YOU to the Hot Lunch organizers and volunteers who put in hours to help <u>Administer</u> MunchaLunch, <u>Buy Groceries</u>, <u>Cook</u> hot dogs, <u>Cut</u> fruit & veggies, <u>Contact</u>



<u>Vendors</u>, <u>Count</u> out items down to forks and chopsticks, <u>Sort</u> orders between classrooms, <u>Carry</u> bags and boxes to <u>Deliver</u> to 21 classes and <u>Recycle</u> Pizza Boxes...all for hundreds of kids ordering hot lunch every couple weeks!

- We currently have a group of around 10 hot lunch volunteers that always help or assist when they
 can but we aren't like an Olympic sports team who have locked in our team and are making
 matching t-shirts and not accepting new team members...WE LOVE NEW FRIENDS AND COUNTERS!!!
- Just like our kids are growing, changing classes and schools, our hot lunch volunteer team must always change and grow too so the hot lunch program at SES is sustainable when we are all sent to High School.
- If you are interested in checking out how the Hot Lunch magic works (truly...we are magical Olympic athletes in that respect...as we so skillfully count and sort hot lunch items and deliver them with Gold medal precision!!) Email springwoodpac@gmail.com and let us know you are interested and we will give you the lowdown!















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MunchaLunch is NOW OPEN for the 2nd session

which will include all the hot lunches for JANUARY to JUNE, including some hot dog days & also the annual Ice Cream/Freezie days.

Jan 17th Boston Pizza

Jan 31st Domino's Pizza/Sam's Sushi Feb 10th Hot Dog Day *Monday* Feb 28th Domino's Pizza/Sam's Sushi

Mar 6th Hot Dog Day Mar 13th Boston Pizza

Apr 3rd Domino's Pizza/Sam's Sushi Apr 17th Boston Pizza and ice cream

Apr 24th Hot Dog Day

May 8th Domino's Pizza/Sam's Sushi May 29th Boston Pizza and ice cream

June 12th Domino's Pizza/Sam's Sushi & ice cream

Just a friendly reminder that All orders MUST be placed online and can be paid 2 different ways:

1) ONLINE- Orders that are paid for online MUST be paid by 4PM on the Sunday before hot lunch Both Visa and Master Card Credit as well as Debit(Visa/MC) cards are ACCEPTED through MunchaLunch. The process has been simplified so that you do not need any additional verification or login other than your MunchaLunch account. When prompted, simply enter your credit card number, Exp date & CVV and your payment will be processed. Payments will be processed through a credit service called "Stripe" which is a verified service NOTE: MunchaLunch DOES NOT SAVE your credit card information. It will need to be re-entered at the time of each payment.

2) DROP BOX outside of the office-

Cheque (made payable to Springwood PAC) or Cash

Cash/check payments must be received at the "Drop Box" the FRIDAY before hot lunch at 2:50PM outside the admin office. (Unless noted a Wed/Thurs for Pro D) PLEASE NOTE: Orders that have NOT been paid CANNOT be processed. ALL orders must be paid in full in order for the order to be complete. *ALL payments MUST be in EXACT amount. No change or credit given for over payment.

PRE PACKAGED VALENTINE BAKE SALE!!!:

Oh yeah!!! It's happening again!!! SES PAC hosts one bake sale a year, and to comply with school policy of only allowing baked goods from Food Safe Approved establishments, PAC is still going to make it a totally fun bake sale!...a PRE PACKAGED BAKE SALE!!! (really it's sugar...and treats...for one fantastic school day a year...guaranteed the kids will still fully give us 2 sugary thumbs up !!!).

- When: Friday, February 14th (we set up in the morning, and some classes come down before lunch, and others come at lunch) - Kids bring \$1 and buy a treat in the foyer
- Why: This is still an opportunity to create some fun and mystery for the kids! Make it a challenge to see if your family can send in a unique or maybe just the tastiest looking treat for our little sugar seeking kids!. (PAC gets the BEST feedback from our Valentine Bake Sale from the kids! So we are still looking forward to seeing how excited the kids get again this year! - Thanks in advance for supporting our school and making this happen with your treat donations and sending in the dollar with your child)
- **How:** PAC is asking for "Store bought baked goodies that can be sold for \$1" (If you want to buy a larger item like a cake - as long as it was purchased whole, our Food Safe PAC volunteers can open it up and slice it up in our Foods room and offer it during the sale). All Pre Packaged - PEANUT AND NUT FREE - cookies, cupcakes, rice krispy squares....mini banana breads from Costco....???...... what else can you find :O) can be dropped off at the office starting Wednesday, February 12th to Friday, February 14th.

Email PAC if you would like to volunteer Friday, February 14th selling items.

(Oh yeah...We will also be selling BUTTONS again....as the "sugar free" option) :O)



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