

PAC UPDATE



Creating opportunities to GIVE

One goal of PAC is to help create Community at schools. At SES we have a couple ways families can give and give back!



Do you have a:
Bike? Helmet? Scooter?
That has been outgrown or not being used?

SES is looking to [cross our fingers] start an official Bike Club one day. In the meantime, we are collecting used bikes to be used in the weekly mini exploratory that grade 3, 4, 5's participate in. If your child has outgrown their old bike and possibly getting a new one at Christmas, please consider donating their old bike, helmet or scooter to Springwood! For safety, bikes should be in operational condition.

Email PAC springwoodpac@gmail.com if you have an item to donate and we will contact you and help coordinate the logistics of the donation.

Do you have any:
Boardgames? Play sets? Building Blocks?
That have been outgrown or not being used?

Teachers, Learning Services, Mini Exploratories and Lunchtime Clubs are always looking for boardgames, chess sets, Little People play sets. If your family has outgrown any items and you are about to take them to the SOS, check with your child's teachers, the office or email PAC to see if anyone could use the items.



Tip!

If you are trying to get rid of an unused playset or item...and the kids are trying to convince you they still play with it....which they did for 5 minutes last Christmas... When you say you are donating it to the school -so it will always be there and continue to make future Springwood kids happy and learn – they tend to part with the items easier and with pride!



Do you have any:
Old / Dead Felt Pens?

Drop off dead felt pens off in the box in the school foyer under the PAC Bulletin board outside the MPR. SES PAC collects the felt pens all year and sends them to Crayola to get recycled! Check out <https://www.crayola.com/colorcycle>

Purdys

All Purdys orders have been delivered to the classrooms.



Please contact PAC if you did not receive your order. Thank YOU for choosing to be a part of this fundraiser. All proceeds raised (just over \$1000) will be used for our kid this year!

Christmas Tree Sale & SES Student Craft Sale - SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7th 9am – 1pm at SES

Everyone should have received the SES PAC Christmas Tree flyer by the end of the week. Pick up a new one under the PAC Bulletin board outside the MPR if you missed it.

This is the 6th year PAC has offered this fundraiser for our Community. As the cost of the tree is the same as purchasing from a local store, please share with your friends and family the opportunity to purchase their tree from SES as all proceeds stay right here at Springwood, benefitting our kids!

Trees are freshly cut from local **WHISKEY CREEK TREE FARM!** (We encourage you to preorder, so that extra trees are not cut and to ensure we have enough trees for the school families and the public)

3 ways to participate:

- 1) Check out MunchaLunch (under the FUNDRAISING tab) to pre-order your TREE \ TREE COUPON \ CRAFT FAIR DESK: <https://munchalunch.com/login>
- 2) Drop off your Pre-Order Form (the bottom of the green flyer) in the drop box outside the office by **Friday, November 29th**
- 3) Tell your friends and family about our Community event and jot it in your calendar to come visit the Tree Sale & Craft Fair Saturday, December 7th between 9am-1pm. (This is a great event to give the kids a couple bucks to walk around the craft tables in a safe secure area and secretly buy little trinkets & gifts for family members without them knowing about it!)



See you Saturday Dec 7th from 9am-1pm where there will be:

- ★ Tree Sale
- ★ Crafts Sale – All items made by KIDS from Springwood!
- ★ Concession
- ★ Christmas Music & Sprit

Hot Lunch



Our first HOT DOG (and VEGGIE DOG) went so well – PAC decided to host one more before the end of the year: Monday, December 16, 2019

Note: As this is an ADDITIONAL hot lunch day – if you preordered all your hot lunches, this will NOT have been included. Please log into MunchaLunch again and order for Monday, December 16th if you would like to participate in this Hot Lunch.

General PAC News

- 'Tis the season to....Cancel Decembers **PAC Meeting!** See you January 8, 2020 at 6:30 in the Library for the next one!
- Save the Date: The District is bringing in a guest speaker, early December (maybe Dec. 4 or 5), to discuss **Vaping**. The date and location will be posted on the SD69 webpages and communicated via email.

A Springwood Family Holiday!

This holiday season is full of love, laughs and hope.

PAC executives and volunteers invest all year creating memories for our SES families and we want to continue that joy over the holidays.

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'Cause check it out.... WE are a family!

As we teach our kids about giving, sharing and growing – PAC is working with the SES School Administration to offer **"PAC ELVES!"** at Springwood for the second year in a row!

family

[fam-uh-lee, fam-lee]

Examples Word Origin

[See more synonyms for family on Thesaurus.com](#)

noun, plural fam·i·lies.

1.
 - a. a basic social unit consisting of parents and their children, considered as a group, whether dwelling together or not:
 - b. a social unit consisting of one or more adults together with the children they care for:



What is a PAC Elf?

School Administrators and teachers have holiday magic that helps them know some of our Springwood family members that might have an extra big smile on their faces if there was a fun extra little holiday surprise under their tree...so...

YOU are a PAC Elf!

How can you be part of the magic for your extended SES Family?

Starting this week, there will be labels with "Springwood Elves" taped to the office window in the foyer. Each label will be marked with *boy /girl* and an *age* of a fellow bright eyed snow wishing student at the school.

1. Simply take that tag and add it to your shopping list this holiday season
2. Drop the unwrapped gift off at the office by **Friday, December 13th** (along with the tag for sorting)
3. Your gift will be wrapped and be part of the love, laughs and holiday hope for our Springwood Families!

(Elf Fun Fact: The office and SES Administrators will be the only ones who know the details of who the giving Elf was and who the receiving Elves are! It truly is holiday magic!)

**THANK YOU
SPRINGWOOD!**