

# POINT GREY SECONDARY

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## NEWS & EVENTS

May 10, 2019 [pointgreypac@gmail.com](mailto:pointgreypac@gmail.com)

### **PAC Annual General Meeting Wed 15 May 7pm Staff Room**

It's that time of year again for our annual AGM. We will open our meeting with a brief talk with the City of Vancouver Track and Field Facilities Project Leader.

The City is investing money over the next 5-10 years to improve track and field facilities. Point Grey is being considered for an upgrade!

#### **Agenda**

1. Welcome
2. Speaker from the City of Vancouver
3. Principal's Report
4. Reports
  - a. Co-Chairs
  - b. DPAC Representative
  - c. Chinese Committee
  - d. PGMSS
  - e. PG Mini
  - f. Treasurer
5. Election of Officers
  - a. Slate:
    - i. Co-Chairs: Suzi Noetzel & Nikki Penner-Horodyski
    - ii. Secretary: Evelyn Gut
    - iii. Treasurer: Christina Chen
    - iv. DPAC Rep: Deborah Silver
    - v. Members at Large:
      1. Temmy Lam
      2. Monika Tyab
      3. Christina Yin
6. All other business

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### **PG PAC Direct Drive Campaign**

Please support our direct drive fundraising campaign. The funds we raise go back to support programs, clubs and scholarships at Point Grey. Please give generously.

## Staff Appreciation Lunch Volunteers Needed

Would you like to help in showing our appreciation to our inspirational teachers and staff at Point Grey? The PAC is hosting the annual Staff Appreciation Luncheon on Tuesday, May 28, 2019 in the staff lounge. Volunteering is a wonderful way to get to know other families in our amazing school community!

Approximately 80 teachers and staff have been invited to come out to this year's event where we formally thank them for all of their efforts on behalf of the students. The PAC will be sponsoring the catered lunch and the door prize gifts. The PG Mini School families will be helping to provide salads for the luncheon.

On Tuesday, May 28th, we need some volunteers to help out in these ways:

- 9:00 am to 10:30 am to help set up the staff lounge room #202 (move furniture, tables, chairs, set the tables and buffet area, etc.)
- 11:00 – 12:30 Set up the buffet, serve food, wash dishes
- 12:30 – 2:00 pm General clean up duties, stack tables and extra chairs and return staff room to its original state.

Please send an email to Eudora Ng ([eudora\\_ng@yahoo.ca](mailto:eudora_ng@yahoo.ca)) by Friday, May 17th before the Victoria Day long weekend if you are able to help or with any questions. Thank you in advance!

### Gift Cards - next deadline **May 16th - 10am**

A gift card is not just for gifts. Do you shop at Choices? Safeway? Stongs? If you purchase a gift card from us for your shopping, the PAC will get 4, 5 or even 7% of the value of your gift card. The PAC then puts the money back into projects and activities in the school that benefit our kids!

How does this magical fundraiser work? You'll download an order form, choose what gift cards you'd like, tally it up and send the form with a cheque made out to Point Grey PAC into school with your child. They drop it at the office, we order the gift cards and deliver them to you in about a week!

Our next order deadline is Friday, May 17th, 10am, delivered on Fri, May 24th, pick up by the end of the day from the school office. You will need an ID to pick up the order.

You'll notice a percentage on the order sheet, that's the percentage of the gift card that will go to the PAC – for example a \$100 Choices gift card will raise 7% for the school or \$7 or a \$50 gift card to Starbucks will raise \$2.50 for the school. It doesn't seem like much, but it adds up. So why not pay for that coffee with a gift card purchased through the PAC. You can download the order form at [www.pointgreyparents.org](http://www.pointgreyparents.org) go to the Fundraising Tab.

Questions: [pointgreypac@gmail.com](mailto:pointgreypac@gmail.com)

## DPAC Events

**Thursday, May 23, 7-9pm** – [DPAC General Meeting - Redesigned Curriculum: Curriculum Implementation Framework Part 2](#) Rm 180, Vancouver Education Centre 1580 W. Broadway This is a continuation of our November 22 meeting about the new curriculum's implementation and reporting out of student learning.

**Thursday, June 6, 6:30-9pm – [Parent Advocate Training: Introductory](#)** Rm 120, Vancouver Education Centre 1580 W. Broadway. Vancouver DPAC is looking to reinstate the role of appointed parent advocates in the district. We have hired Susan Wilson as our trainer. Susan has over 17 years experience helping parents advocate for their child and is currently providing parent advocacy training to district parent advisory councils across the province. This session is open to all VSB parents/guardians, staff and administrators interested in learning more. See event for more details

DPAC wishes to acknowledge the ancestral, traditional and unceded Indigenous territories of the Coast Salish Peoples and in particular, the Squamish, Musqueam, and Tsleil-Waututh First Nations on whose territory we work, live and play.

Vancouver District Parent Advisory Council (DPAC)

**Parent Advocate Training: Introductory**

Thursday, June 6<sup>th</sup>  
 6:30-9:00pm (doors open at 6:15pm)  
 Vancouver Education Centre  
 Room 120 - 1580 W Broadway  
 (Complimentary parking in designated VSB visitors spots)

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All VSB parents & guardians welcome to attend.  
 Childcare available with 48 hr notice.

## Upcoming Calendar Dates

- Wed, May 15,
  - 7pm – Point Grey PAC AGM, Staff Room
  - 7pm – VSB Committee-of-the-Whole meeting – Education Centre, 1580 West Broadway
- Thurs, May 16 10am – Gift card order deadline
- Friday, May 17 – Pro-D day no school

## Grad Dates to Note

- Fri June 7
  - 9:00 am MANDATORY Grad Assembly (Auditorium)
  - 9:15 - 10:30 am Cafeteria - Grad Breakfast prepared by staff
- Wed, June 19
  - 12:34 pm Immediately after rehearsal
  - MANDATORY Grad Rehearsal (Auditorium) - Cafeteria - pickup grad gown package and two complimentary guest tickets for Chan Centre
  - Extra tickets (\$8 each) will be sold (maximum 6) after grad gown pickup. Location will be announced at the grad rehearsal
- Thurs, June 20, 8:00 - 8:30 am Extra grad tickets (if any available) sold on first come-first served basis (Office). Extra tickets \$8 each
- Tues, June 25
  - 3:00 pm Chan Centre - Grads must arrive in preparation for the ceremony Chan Centre doors open for guests
  - 4:00 pm All guests must be seated, ceremonies start promptly

Weekly Newsletter submissions accepted until Wednesday 8pm [pointgreypac@gmail.com](mailto:pointgreypac@gmail.com) More information to be found on <https://www.pointgreyparents.org>

*We are grateful to live, work & learn on the unceded, ancestral territories of the Musqueam, Squamish and Tsleil Waututh Nations.*