

**Ecole Quadra School
Parent Advisory Council
Fundraising Program**

Dear Quadra Parents,

The Ecole Quadra School PAC supports initiatives that enrich the education and experience of all students at Quadra. Initiatives include school wide events, end of year celebrations, field trips, the counselling program at Quadra, emergency supplies, the purchase of agendas, sports equipment and the Grade 5 hoodies. This year we will continue to fund as many of these initiatives as we can. We are also looking for ways to support the school in improving outdoor learning spaces and health and safety and have recently agreed to purchase outdoor portable hand washing stations. As parents you are all automatically members of Quadra PAC and can participate in these funding decisions. Please consider attending PAC meetings to join in these discussions.

Fundraising will look a bit different this year as we won't be able to come together for the social events and fundraisers we have held in the past. However, there are still many ways that we can all support these initiatives.

- You can make a contribution by visiting the Quadra School website at <https://quadra.sd61.bc.ca/> and click on the Make a Donation link, selecting Quadra Elementary PAC as the fund destination. For contributions of \$20 and more you will receive a charitable donation tax receipt from School District 61.
- You can use the Quadra PAC Thrifty Foods Smile Card Program and Fairway Market Community Cards which benefits PAC every time you get groceries! You load the card with the value of your choice and use it to make your grocery purchase. The Quadra PAC receives a contribution from these businesses of 5% of the total dollars loaded on to the PAC-issued grocery cards. Email ecolequadraschoolpac@gmail.com with your request for a Quadra PAC Thrifty Foods or Fairways card. Feel free to request more than one if other family members also want to participate.
- Finn and Izzy supports Quadra PAC through their Give Back to School Project. They donate \$5 from the sale of every regular priced pair of shoes of \$50 or more. Be sure to mention your school of choice if shopping at Finn and Izzy and pass this information on to others.
- The Soap Exchange Clean Up Club <https://victoriasoapexchange.com/clean-up-club/>. If you shop at the Soap Exchange make sure you tell them that you are part of their Quadra's Clean Up Club and they will donate 10% of the value of your purchases back to Quadra PAC.

The Ecole Quadra School PAC is an essential part of the resources available to our school and we encourage you to participate in as many of these fundraising initiatives as possible. Please don't hesitate to contact PAC if you have ideas to share, or join our PAC meetings every first Tuesday of the month at 7pm.

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