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Newsletter

April 2025



Fundraising Update

Read-a-thon:

\$2,395

Neufeld Farms:

\$475.25

Thank you Sponsors!

Read-a-thon & Teacher Appreciation Lunch

A HUGE Thank You!

We extend our heartfelt thanks to the Chapman family for organizing the amazing Read-a-thon fundraiser, and to our generous supporters: Newmans Fine Foods for donating a delicious charcuterie board and Il Posto for the decadent chocolate brownies for our Teach Appreciation Luncheon.

THANK YOU...

to our wonderful parents for encouraging students to read for our Spring Break Read-a-thon and for gathering pledges, it wouldn't have been a success without you! Thank you to everyone who ordered from Neufeld Farms, we appreciate your support!

Join the PAC

Nominations now open for 2025-2026 school year

Are you interested in joining the PAC Executive Team? No experience is necessary, just a willingness to pitch in and be part of the team. If you're curious, want to nominate yourself or someone else, please email chair.ebpac@gmail.com.



PAC Executive Positions:

- Chair
- Vice chair
- Treasurer
- Secretary
- DPAC representative
- Members at large

Stay Connected



@englishbluffpac

Follow us on IG for the latest updates.

Upcoming PAC Meetings - Join us!

PAC Meeting: April 23, 7pm – EB Staff Room (also via Zoom)

AGM: May 26, 7pm – EB Staff Room (also via Zoom)

At the April meeting, we'll share financial updates, discuss upcoming events, and talk through current plans and challenges.

At the Annual General Meeting in May, we'll vote in new executive members, review the PAC Constitution, and provide a year-end overview.

✉ Questions or agenda items? Email chair.ebpac@gmail.com

🔗 Zoom link for the AGM will be shared closer to the date.



PAC Committees 2025-2026

Site Safety Committee:

Liaise with the school to educate families about emergency & safety protocols. Connect with the City of Delta if there are traffic concerns. Identify safety or hazards on the school site. Work with the school to maintain the emergency bin contents.

Accessibility & Inclusion Committee:

Work alongside the school to ensure all students, regardless of accessibility or learning style have access to resources in the school community. Provide supports and resources for families to navigate educational challenges. Connect with others in the community & PAC from local schools.

Fundraising & Events Committee:

Work with the school to identify funding needs. Clearly outline and articulate objectives to parent community. Provide opportunities for families to connect. Plan, organize & facilitate events such as carnival, after school events & BBQ. Connect with local businesses and resources to secure donations and sponsorships.

IB Vision Committee:

Bring the school community together focused on an IB World view, to become active, compassionate & lifelong learners. Working with other parents to educate and create awareness of the IB Learner Profile. Work closely with Teachers or classroom parent coordinators.

Promotions & Welcoming Committee:

Enhance school spirit and focus on creating a welcoming network for new families. Develop PAC newsletters & oversee digital content. Support in event recruitment.

Hot Lunch Committee:

Organize & facilitate hot lunch program. Maintain hot lunch platform & schedule, including payment & order forms. Recruit parents for distribution. Work directly with the school to establish dates, drop & distribution times. Organize payments



PAC Executive Team

Roles & Responsibilities

Chair

- Preside over all membership, special, and executive meetings
Prepare and present meeting agendas with input from school staff/administration
- Appoint committees as authorized
- Maintain email/phone list of executive and committee members
- Send PAC activity updates twice a year (January and June)
- Act as one of the four signing officers
- Submit an annual report
- Ensure actions align with PAC objectives
- Serve as the official spokesperson

Co-Chair

- Take on Chair's duties in their absence
- Act as one of the four signing officers
- Take on extra duties as needed

Secretary/Communications

- Prepare and circulate meeting minutes within one week
- Manage PAC correspondence to the school community (emails, flyers, etc.)

Treasurer

- Manage and report on PAC finances
- Act as one of the four signing officers
- Prepare annual budget and spending plan with Executive
- Complete annual gaming fund application by June 30
- Maintain accurate financial records
- Pay approved bills and expenses
- Manage two accounts: general and gaming (Envision Credit Union – Tsawwassen)
- Deposit all PAC funds and handle float money for fundraisers
- Perform monthly bank reconciliations
- Report at each PAC meeting
- Submit year-end treasurer report (final copy after summer statements reconciled)

DPAC Representative

- Attend monthly DPAC meetings on behalf of the PAC
- Report to PAC and Executive on DPAC matters
- Seek PAC input when required
- Distribute DPAC communications (newsletters, announcements, etc.)

Members at Large

- Attend PAC and Executive meetings
- Assist with events, fundraising, newsletters, and committees
- Provide general support to the Executive

Upcoming Events

Mark your Calendars

Bike to School Week - April 22-25

Front round-about closed the morning of the 24th for bike parade

Red Cross Babysitting Course - May 16 9am-5pm

Register your child on hot lunch. Volunteers needed for check in & check out

Parent Social at the Legion – May 3 7pm-12am

An adults-only evening with music, raffles, and community fun!

To donate a prize or service: englishbluffdonations@gmail.com

Track & Field Concession – May 5 @ SDSS

Come support our young athletes and grab a snack from the PAC-run stand.

Teacher Appreciation Lunch – May 6

Help us celebrate our amazing teachers and staff!

We're collecting small notes of appreciation and need a few volunteers.

Mother's Day Photoshoot – April 18-20

A mini photo session with a pro photographer—see attached flyer for more info

Annual Carnival – June 6, 5–8 PM

Get ready for games, prizes, and family fun!

Volunteers needed



Carnival is Coming

Urgent Call for Carnival Volunteers!

Our biggest event of the year is just around the corner—but we're in desperate need of volunteers to make it happen! We need help with games, setup, and concession. Without enough support, we may have to scale back. Please consider lending a hand—every volunteer truly makes a difference!

**Thank you for supporting our
school community!**

Scan the QR code or email
chair.ebpac@gmail.com for more
information.

Sign Up Genius

Carnival Sign Up

We are looking for help in putting on this epic event! Please scan the QR code and check out Sign Up Genius to see what is a good fit for you.



Red Cross Babysitting

May 16, Training

Cost: \$78.75 per person

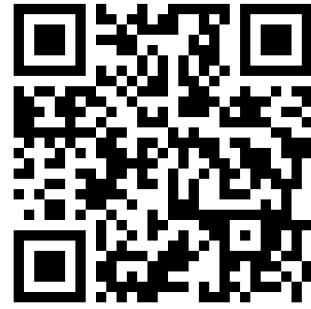
Babysitting

Ages: 11-12

Class location: EB Gym

Bring: teddy bear, water bottle, snack & lunch

Time: 9am-5pm



Register today!

****25 Student capacity, secure your spot early****



Teacher Appreciation

Thank you EB Staff

Teacher Appreciation Lunch – May 6

PAC is hosting a special lunch to thank our amazing EB staff! Families are encouraged to have students create art, sign a card, or share a kind gesture. Want to help? Email chair.ebpac@gmail.com. Let's show our staff some love!

Where do the funds Go?

PAC Funding Initiatives

Teacher Requests:

Teachers have submitted the following funding requests to support student learning and enrichment:

- iPad Set (20-pack) – \$10,800
- PE Equipment (soccer balls, pop-up nets, pickleballs, foam balls, footballs, spikeball sets) \$800–\$900
- Musical Performance – \$910
- Garden Club – \$150
- Spirit Club – \$75
- Document Camera – Approx. \$500
- 25 Yoga Mats – Approx. \$600
- Mini Speakers (x5)
- Phonics Flash Cards
- Games
- Gingerbread House Supplies (2025/2026)
- 2 Classroom Carpets



Thank you for your continued support in enhancing our school community!

MOTHER'S DAY MINIS



For the women who hold us up—always behind the camera, never in front of the lens.

Offering a black-and-white photo session to celebrate mothers and female-presenting caregivers: those who are usually behind the lens instead of in the moment.

\$150 PER SESSION

- One 20-minute black & white photo session
- 5 professionally edited digital images
- 40% of proceeds donated to English Bluff Elementary

THE PAUHAUS STUDIO // 752 GILCHRIST PLACE, TSAWWASSEN

Authentic Family Photo Sessions – Just in Time for Mother's Day!

No stress, no matching outfits—just real, joyful moments.

Come as you are (jeans and a tee encouraged!),

bring a favorite stuffy or superhero cape, and let Stephanie capture your family's authentic vibe in a relaxed, black & white session.

Session Details:

Location:

Private studio across from South Park Elementary
752 Gilchrist Place

Dates/Times:

- April 25 (4–7pm)
- April 26 (10am–4pm)
- April 27 (10am–4pm)

Includes:

20-minute session + 5 edited digital images

Cost: \$150 | 40% donated to English Bluff Elementary

Photo ready by Mother's Day (May 11)

Booking Info:

- Book via SignUpGenius: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C094DACAB2CA7FCC34-56312028-mothers#/>
- One outfit, no changes
- Group shots only—separate bookings needed for extended families
- Photographer selects and edits the best 5 shots
- Late arrivals = reduced session time

This is a unique community offering—not your typical beach or farm mini shoot. Spots will fill fast!



PAC



Red Cross Training

Babysitting

ages 11-12, grade 6-7

When: May 16

Time: 9am-5pm

Cost: \$78.75 includes tax

Class location: EB Gym

Bring: teddy bear, water bottle,
snack & lunch

Topics Include:

- Leadership & responsibility
 - Understanding child behaviour
 - Safety & safe environments
 - Infant & child care
 - Basic First Aid
 - Babysitting as a business
- 8 hours in class



Register today!

Is your child ready to take on more responsibility? The Canadian Red Cross Babysitting Course is a fun, full-day training. Participants will gain essential skills in childcare, safety, and first aid – all in a supportive, hands-on environment!

Limited to 25 students - Register Now!

**Get your Tickets
Now!
Scan the QR Code**



**Sat May 3
7pm Start**



Live music by:
Remnants

PARENT SOCIAL NIGHT

Join us for an
evening of
music,
mingling, and
good times!



50/50, Raffles, Toonie Toss

Take a chance to win cash and amazing prizes while supporting English Bluff PAC.

Tsawwassen Legion | 289 22-1835 56 St, Delta, BC

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April 15, 2025

Dear English Bluff Families

Re: Donation Request – Parent Social Night Fundraiser (May 3, 2025)

We are excited to announce that our upcoming Parent Social is just around the corner. This fun-filled evening is a chance for our school community to come together, enjoy great company, and raise essential funds for our students. One of the highlights of the night will be our Basket Raffles and Silent Auction, and we are reaching out for your support.

All proceeds raised will directly benefit the students by funding:

-  New Library Materials, Classroom iPads
-  Field Trips & Outdoor Learning Experiences
-  Sports Equipment
-  School Events That Foster Community & Enrichment

To make this event a success, we are asking each class to put together a unique basket valued at a minimum of \$100. Whether you'd like to donate an item, ask for a donation from a business, contribute a few dollars toward the purchase of items, have an unused gift card, or donate an unopened gift, every contribution makes a difference!

To help coordinate, we ask that each class chooses a class rep. This rep will be reaching out with suggestions and ways to participate and will be collecting all of the donations.

We ask that each class rep drops the basket no later than April 25, 2025.

Thank you for your support - we can't wait to see the incredible baskets your class puts together!

Sincerely,

PAC Fundraising Committee

Email: englishbluffdonations@gmail.com