



**ÉCOLE
CHRISTINE MORRISON
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

Feb 15, 2011

PAC NEWS

Treasurer Needed



It is time to vote for a new PAC Treasurer. Please come join upcoming PAC meeting to meet our candidates and put your vote in.

Come have your say, at the next PAC Meeting, Thursday **February 16, 2012 at 7:00 pm**

Plus from now until June each time you attend a general PAC meeting your name will be entered into a draw to win a \$50 gift card to London Drugs! That's \$50 to buy whatever you want. There are two chances to win. If you bring a friend we will enter your name again as well as their name....each time you attend and every friend you bring is another chance to win! The more you attend the more chances you have to win!

We are all part of PAC, come have your say!

**GIFT CARD
FOR YOU!***



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Student Supplies

At this week's PAC meeting, learn about "Creative Packs". This is a company we are looking at where you can order all of your child's school supplies to come in a convenient package for each order/student.

Pink Shirt Day

**Wednesday February 29th
is Pink Shirt Day!**

Pink shirts remind us to be kind to one another and bring awareness to anti-bullying efforts. Promotional 'Pink Shirts' are available at London Drugs for \$9.99 if you don't already have something pink at home. Please encourage your children to show their support.

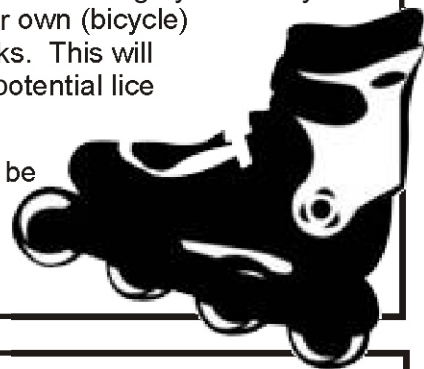
Copies of a parent guide for dealing with bullying in elementary schools are available through the PAC upon request. You will find on the PAC bulletin board the 'Call It Safe' booklet to review.



Roller Blading

Thanks to PAC funds, Stardust on Wheels will be coming to our school from February 13 - 23rd to teach basic in-line skating skills during PE classes. Stardust provides an instructor as well as in-line skates and helmets. We encourage you to let your child bring and use their own (bicycle) helmet for these 2 weeks. This will protect them from any potential lice issues.

Permission forms must be signed and received or your child will not be allowed to participate.



Next PAC Meeting



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We welcome all to attend and to join any of our several committees that help make our school special "ALL WELCOME"

get PAC NEWS and communications via email. Send request to PAC email: CMPAC@live.com

Safer Internet



The Canadian Centre for Child Protection has created a unique one-stop Internet Safety website to help parents, teachers and anyone else with children in their lives to increase the online safety of our children.

It is up to all of us to be vigilant in learning what the risks are and how to keep them safe. Visit www.thedoorthatsnotlocked.ca for internet safety information and age specific resources.

Campbell's Soup Labels

We're still collecting Campbell's soup labels. Our school received new badminton racquets and shuttles from last year's efforts. It's an easy way to give our children a few extras at our school. Please submit them in baggies already flattened, folded and ensure they have a barcode. Thanks!

Please save the **full label** from Campbell's soup **cans** (full UPC and front label) like condensed soups, Chunky soup and chili. **UPC only** from Campbell's soup **containers** like their ready to use broths, V8 soup, Gardennay soups and Goldfish crackers.



We are also still collecting **Canadian Tire Dollars** to purchase Christmas store items. You or your child can drop them off at the mail slot in the concession door.

Thank you!

Recycling

You can now donate your empty refundable bottles to the school. All money goes to the school PAC and makes possible many essential and beneficial activities for your children. There is currently a contest that can bring additional funds. The Mission school that returns the most bottles throughout the year can win \$1000.00!!

You can donate by dropping off your bottles at the school on Fridays or by taking your bottles directly to Encorp Recycling locations in Mission. Be sure to notify them that they are for Christine Morrison School, and they will record your donation which will help us qualify for the contest. You must hand in your completed original receipt from returning your recycling. Receipt must be original and include the number of containers returned. Submit to PAC Concession. The two locations eligible for this program are:

1. **Mission Recycling Centre**
7260 Park Street (by Esso)

2. **Mission Recycling Depot**
7229 Mershon St. (by train station)



Confident Kids Presentation

BCCTF is making available to local parents a presentation on 'How to raise confident boys and girls'.

Stay tuned for exact date and time details. It will be sometime in March or April.

New Equipment

New mats in the gym and outdoor play equipment has been ordered thanks to donated PAC funds.

