



ÉCOLE
CHRISTINE MORRISON
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

January 12, 2011

PAC NEWS

Welcome Back!

We hope you had a restful and enjoyable holiday. 2011 is going to be a great year. We're looking forward to an amazing Carnival in the Spring as we send off both our grade 6's and 7's.

We appreciate the many new faces volunteering with the PAC and look forward to getting to know many more of you before the year is out.

Reminder

We'd also like to thank all those that work so hard to make the online ordering lunch program such a success. A lot of hours go into coordinating and entering the orders.

Please keep in mind that orders need to be placed and payment received before the cut off date. A reminder will be sent via e-mail before the cut off for any unpaid orders. Please be sure your e-mail address is up to date and entered on the www.cm.hotlunches.net website. Unpaid orders will not be delivered to the classroom and the orders will be deleted from the system.

Cut off for ordering and payment to be received is **Wednesday at 10:30am**.

Hot lunch Fridays are by **pre order only**.
Late orders can not be accepted.

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So Many To Thank!

The success of the 2010 Christmas Store was due to the support and generosity of many. The school staff and the families who donated a wonderful selection of items; the volunteers who donated the precious gift of time to organize, wrap, consult, and clean-up; our librarian Mrs. Pallmann who not only let us set up the store in the library but also helped out wherever needed; the support and positive feedback from staff and families; the enthusiasm and appreciation of the students.

In addition to all of the above we also received \$170.00 in Canadian Tire dollars (used to buy "guy stuff") and some cash donations. Store sales were a little over \$245.00.

Thank you for making this a fun and rewarding event. Merci! - The Christmas Committee

More Gratitude!

This past holiday we were able to provide 10 families with Christmas Hampers. The hampers were made possible with support and donations from our local **Save-On Foods, Safeway, Superstore** as well as **PAC**. We would also like to send a special thank you to **T-Lane Transport** for their generous donation, as well as the **individual students, staff and parents** who donated to the hampers, helped shop, assemble and deliver the hampers.

Thank you for supporting the families of École Christine Morrison. We couldn't have done it without you!

Next PAC Meeting

Kid's Welcome!
Let us know and we'll arrange child minding

We welcome all to attend and to join any of our several committees that help make our school special **"ALL WELCOME"**
Thursday January 13th, 7:00 pm (PAC executive meets at 6:00 pm)

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

French For Parents



Want to follow what your children are learning? Be able to understand their homework and help with their reading?

Mission School District is offering French for parents again.

When: from Monday February 7th to May the 30th (14 weeks/no class during spring break or statutory holidays)

Where: Ecole Christine Morrison School, 32611 McRae Avenue

Time: Monday from 7:00 to 8:30 pm

Cost: \$140

Small class-size: 10 students maximum, emphasis on oral language

Deadline for registration:

Friday , January 14th 2011

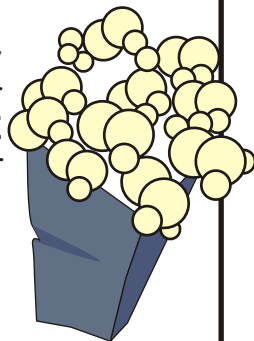
Contact Ghislain Michaud with questions and to register: ghislain.michaud@mpsd.ca

Popcorn Day

Due to high demand, we can only accept **PRE-ORDERS** for popcorn recess and only **ONE bag** and **one order form** per student please.

NO popcorn will be available at concession.

This month forms are to be **returned by January 19th,**
Popcorn **delivered January 26th.**



Fundraising Success

At the PAC meeting this Thursday, January 13th 7:00 pm, the final voting for the new playground will happen. Please join us to show your support.



Once this is taken care of, the equipment can be ordered and arrangements made for installation. The goal is to have it installed over Spring break so the students can enjoy it before the school year ends.

Our recent fundraisers have brought in the following to help ensure we have the final resources necessary to complete this long anticipated project.

Family Photo Night - \$200

Poinsettias - approx. \$730

Epicure - approx. \$135

We've also gratefully received some cash donations.



Movie Night

**Friday
January 21st**



Mark the date for another fun night of entertainment at our school. Families get together and hang out on the comfy mats and with their friends as they enjoy a good movie, pizza and popcorn. **Feel free to invite your friends** from the community and make it a chance to introduce them to your school friends. Examples of some of the comments from the last show were 'We had the best night together', 'We made chains with the glow sticks', 'Can we go next time again?' Order forms are going out with this newsletter.