



(Parent Advisory Committee)

**NEWSLETTER #1
FEBRUARY 2021**



Happy 2021, Anderson Community!

The Anderson PAC is excited to welcome back all the students and families this 2020-2021 school year. Things have been exceptionally different this year but that doesn't mean that PAC won't be working hard to support our school community, we are just having a late start to the year. We currently have 592 students enrolled at Anderson. Roughly 390 students are in class and 202 students are doing transitional learning.

Due to Covid-19, the PAC has decided to try to do some socially distanced fundraisers. Hot Pizza Lunch was our main fundraiser for the last couple of years but now we are trying other creative ways to raise funds for the students and the school, see the following pages. Our goal for now is to work with the teachers to provide opportunities for special events within classrooms in the absence of field trips and other large gatherings.

Let's work together to make this year memorable!

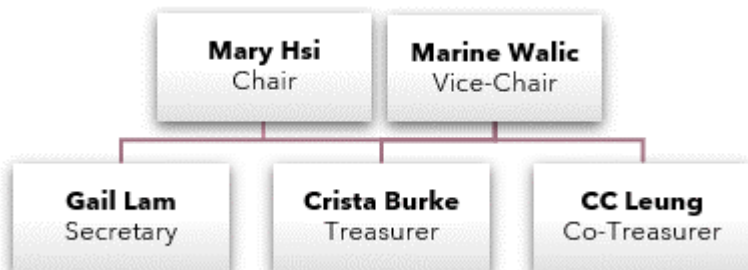
What is PAC ?

All parents and guardians of Anderson students are members of the Parent Advisory Committee (PAC).

The purpose of the PAC is to give input to the school, support student activities and support/build a community. A leadership group helps coordinate this effort and encourage parents to join. The PAC needs you. There are still spots available and volunteer opportunities to come. We know that the more a parent takes interest in their kid's life, the more successful their school experience is!

Please come and join our monthly meeting with Mme Marin and Ms Scharf to hear what is happening at Anderson and ask any questions you may have.

Who We Are



What's Happening This Month :

- Feb 18 Early Dismissal @ 1:45pm
- Feb 24 Pink Shirt Day
- March 15 - 26 Spring Break

Our next PAC Meeting :

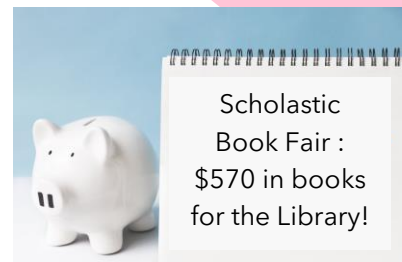
Wednesday, March 3rd, 7p.m. via Zoom

Please e-mail : AndersonPACgeneral@gmail.com

for meeting details and any questions you may have.

PAC meetings are the first Wednesday of every month.

What We Have Raised This Year



What PAC helped provide, with the school, last year :

- Bollywood Dancing
- School supplies for each class
- Field trip for each division
- Sponsored Scholarships for MacNeil & McRoberts
- Grade 7 Luncheon
- Grounds Maintenance

Fundraising Initiatives

FEATURING: Anderson Spirit Masks

(ends this Friday, Feb 19th)

Anderson
"Spirit" Masks
for sale!

Order by
Friday, Feb 19th

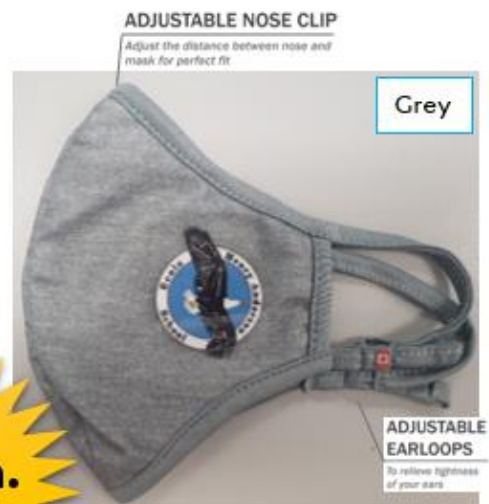
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Grey OR Blue

Protect Yourself,
Protect Your Community and
Show Your School Pridel

Purchase a Mask
to support your Anderson PAC.

(all proceeds will go to student activities!)



TO ORDER, e-mail:

henryandersonfundraising@gmail.com

with the information:

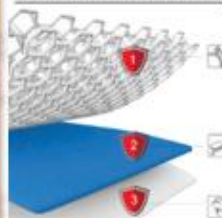
- **Student's Name**
- **Division** (mention if on TL)
- **Quantity**
- **Colour**: Grey OR Blue
- **Size**: S, M, L, XL

We will be accepting payments
through e-Transfers. No cash.

(e-Transfer details will be sent with order confirmation)

- Masks will hopefully arrive before spring break to your child's classroom.
- Transitional Learning (TL) students, masks will be picked up outside the school at a designated time.

3 LAYERS OF PROTECTION



Perfect Breathability
30% better than KN95 standard

(Outer Layer) High-density polyester fabric with Water, Oil and Soil-repellent features from German RUCO-GUARD C6

(Middle Layer) Nano Filter-Film with filtration efficiency ≥ 95%, equivalent to KN95

(Inside Layer) 100% cotton fabric with antibacterial features from Silvadur by Dupont

All features remain fully functional after 30 washes

(Test of mask strictly followed the standard requirements of GB2626-2019 - made by 3SMask)

SIZE GUIDE

Size	Age Group	Dimensions
S	K - Gr.3	15cm x 20.4cm
M	Gr.3 - Gr.7	16cm x 22cm
L	Gr.7 - Adult	17cm x 23cm
XL	Adult	18cm x 24.4cm

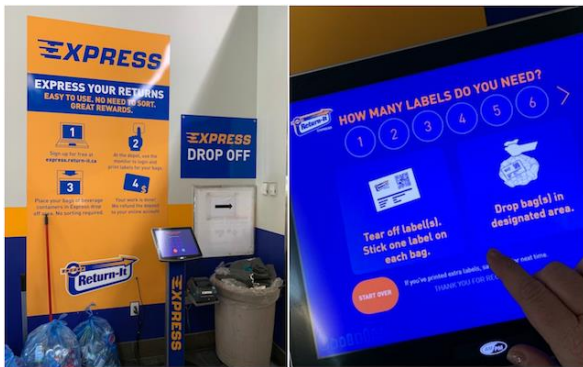
Spread
joy
not germs

On-going Fundraisers

(All the Time!)



Anderson PAC is running an ongoing bottle drive fundraiser! Drop your empties off at any Return-It Depots and your contributions will go towards the student activities. Tell your friends and family!



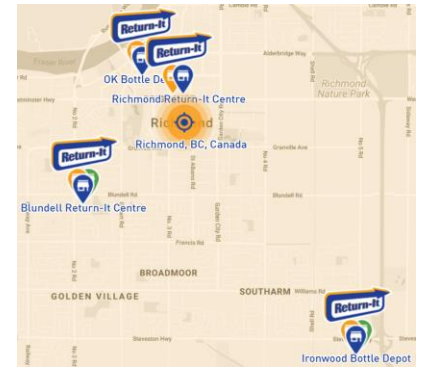
1. **Collect** your empties . . . Put them in a clear plastic bag.
2. **Visit** any [Return-It Depot](#)
3. Go to the **Kiosk**, Enter: **604.668.6358**
4. **Print** labels and stick 1 label on each bag
5. **Drop** the bags in the Express bins. Done!

Return-It will sort and deposit the bottle money into our PAC account.

Accepted Containers:



For deposit refund and recycling fees on each container type, [click here](#).



Richmond Centre
(this location only)

Mention "Henry Anderson" when purchasing

and they will donate 5% of your purchase to our school!



Don't lose all that winter gear!

Personalized, peel & stick, super-durable labels that safely go in the laundry, dishwasher and microwave.



mabel's labels

Anderson will receive 20% back from sales.

1. **Go to:** [Support a Fundraiser](#)
2. Type in & **Search** for: **"Henry Anderson Elementary (Richmond)"**
3. Happy Shopping!

Hope to see you all at our March 3rd PAC Meeting !