**Dear Parents/Guardians:**

**Spring break is upon us. There is a lot of enthusiasm in the school about the two-week break. I am hopeful that you will have family time to relax, sleep in, and spend time outdoors. Staff and students will benefit from some slower days of play before we come back for the final term of the school year. Stay safe and have fun!**

**Parent-teacher conferences:**

Parent-teacher conferences will take place on **Thursday, April 7th**. We strongly encourage all parents/guardians to participate. **Registration is now open for an online appointment with your child(ren)’s teacher.** If you prefer an in-person conference, please contact the teacher.

https://millstream.schoolappointments.com/

**Rapid Antigen Tests:**

The Province of BC has provided each student in K-12 schools with (1) box of 5 rapid antigen tests. Thank you to all parents/guardians who have picked up a test kit. Please contact the office at [millstream@sd62.bc.ca](mailto:millstream@sd62.bc.ca) if you still need to pick up your test kit. **We are required to provide these to our students, so please advise us if you are declining.**

**PAC News:**

Hello Millstream Families

Are you all ready for Spring Break! Thank you to all of you attended the meeting last night. We discussed a few items including our new Code of Conduct for the Millstream PAC which will be voted upon at the AGM. This will be a part of the complete Constitution and Bylaw document that will be presented before our AGM as well.

[https://docs.google.com/document/d/1vlLbocsLmGXAo\_FpN9rRoyJZ1lsGfLFi3PH8wiw-XxU/edit?usp=sharing](https://urldefense.com/v3/__https:/docs.google.com/document/d/1vlLbocsLmGXAo_FpN9rRoyJZ1lsGfLFi3PH8wiw-XxU/edit?usp=sharing__;!!AqQTiOZlHyw!qGixMtCPeS5437nmAYWNeU0CGDs5p51G35h88oLrGl-XqB4uN2Z3BFswsIPsHSh3$)

We also included a new set of guidelines that all members of the PAC Facebook must adhere to here:

[https://docs.google.com/document/d/1pJ2q8gA1wL-\_EsTdCzAH77y5ekHBh\_SRvgGHcHAx\_0k/edit?usp=sharing](https://urldefense.com/v3/__https:/docs.google.com/document/d/1pJ2q8gA1wL-_EsTdCzAH77y5ekHBh_SRvgGHcHAx_0k/edit?usp=sharing__;!!AqQTiOZlHyw!qGixMtCPeS5437nmAYWNeU0CGDs5p51G35h88oLrGl-XqB4uN2Z3BFswsK_-lzDM$)

Our next PAC meeting is scheduled for April 19th, 2022 @ 7:30pm

Link to the March meeting recording is here:

[https://sooke62-my.sharepoint.com/:v:/g/personal/pac-millstream\_sd62\_bc\_ca/EcE8Rsoz2yFFvXKOxaTBrMwBQ5ysgzPuOxwPSeVL8IDFHg](https://urldefense.com/v3/__https:/sooke62-my.sharepoint.com/:v:/g/personal/pac-millstream_sd62_bc_ca/EcE8Rsoz2yFFvXKOxaTBrMwBQ5ysgzPuOxwPSeVL8IDFHg__;!!AqQTiOZlHyw!qGixMtCPeS5437nmAYWNeU0CGDs5p51G35h88oLrGl-XqB4uN2Z3BFswsFi-Nmxn$)

**PAC Fundraising Update**

**EASTER CHOCOLATE**

Order Purdy's chocolates by March 29 for pick up on April 12th - just in time for Easter!

[https://fundraising.purdys.com/join.aspx/384795-92798](https://urldefense.com/v3/__http:/track.spe.schoolmessenger.com/f/a/d6Sjs5j4TEs91JZJ415lwA**A/AAAAAQA*__;fn5-!!AqQTiOZlHyw!qGixMtCPeS5437nmAYWNeU0CGDs5p51G35h88oLrGl-XqB4uN2Z3BFswsO1gbDMV$)

**Hanging Baskets Fundraiser**

Order by April 4th, pick up April 27th

[https://munchalunch.com/login.aspx](https://urldefense.com/v3/__https:/munchalunch.com/login.aspx__;!!AqQTiOZlHyw!qGixMtCPeS5437nmAYWNeU0CGDs5p51G35h88oLrGl-XqB4uN2Z3BFswsERfBXa3$)

**Catalogue of Hanging Baskets available**

[https://drive.google.com/file/d/1Gq7Zf0EJuFnJu9XoWEpC8C7THd-R8sdm/view?usp=sharing](https://urldefense.com/v3/__https:/drive.google.com/file/d/1Gq7Zf0EJuFnJu9XoWEpC8C7THd-R8sdm/view?usp=sharing__;!!AqQTiOZlHyw!qGixMtCPeS5437nmAYWNeU0CGDs5p51G35h88oLrGl-XqB4uN2Z3BFswsHYz-pSf$)

**Silent Auction**

* + Now collecting donations – please email [angelamorehouse21@gmail.com](mailto:angelamorehouse21@gmail.com) to donate
  + Auction date will be end of May

**Ongoing Fundraisers:**

* You can Donate to the PAC directly:  Specify "Millstream PAC" in the Message Box. Print Tax Receipt.
* Tru Earth - Eco Friendly products \*\*\*NEW FUNDRAISER! \*\*\*
  + Follow this link to order: [https://fundraising.tru.earth/MillstreamElem](https://urldefense.com/v3/__https:/fundraising.tru.earth/MillstreamElem__;!!AqQTiOZlHyw!qGixMtCPeS5437nmAYWNeU0CGDs5p51G35h88oLrGl-XqB4uN2Z3BFswsCGSeOMN$)
* PENINSULA CO-OP: Use Member #13999. The rebate goes to Millstream PAC.
* COBS BREAD \*Millstream Village location only\*: Mention 'Millstream Elementary' when purchasing from Cobs Millstream. 5% commission on all sales.

**HOT LUNCH:**

**Spring hot lunch dates will be April 22, May 6 (reschedule from Feb), May 27, and June 10.**

- Menus will be posted to Munchalunch and ordering will open during Spring break, or no later than April 3.

- Once ordering opens, families will be notified via Millstream Wednesday weekly emails and on the PAC FB group

- We are also looking into the possibility of another year end ice cream treat day at the end of June - stay tuned.

Yours,

Ash

Millstream PAC President

[millstreampac@gmail.com](mailto:millstreampac@gmail.com)

Join the Facebook Group: [Millstream PAC Facebook Group](https://urldefense.com/v3/__http:/track.spe.schoolmessenger.com/f/a/oSVZ-lwx0_eIE6gx80JGRA**A/AAAAAQA*/RgRjUbf_)

Popcorn orders - To order, go to: [**https://munchalunch.com/**](https://urldefense.com/v3/__https:/munchalunch.com/__;!!AqQTiOZlHyw!t1ovMXFzLC8_F-pIYnVVnYGH9KOtvYGqkvp9jg5-gjV1Ck0Jrpc17FwxAedz42vq7TvD$)

**Thank you,**

**The Millstream Team**