



# DPAC NOTES

From the DPAC Meeting of September 18, 2012

1. **School bussing** – SD73 has reviewed their policies regarding provision of service, and regarding fees, and is seeking input on proposals. A 23-page synopsis is at <http://www3.sd73.bc.ca/general/content/transportation/review> with recommendations on the last page. Comments are accepted until October 31<sup>st</sup>.
2. **“Future Requirements For Grad”** On the evening of Monday October 22, SD73 will host a forum to collate input as requested by the Ministry of Education. Videoconference link will be provided to outlying schools, such as Logan Lake, Barriere, etc. SD73 would like an RSVP by October 17<sup>th</sup> to [gstanley@sd73.bc.ca](mailto:gstanley@sd73.bc.ca). There are five questions for discussion, the document can be found at [http://dpac.sd73.bc.ca/file.php/1/DPAC\\_External\\_Correspondence\\_and\\_Positions/Invitation\\_Grad\\_Requirements\\_Forum\\_Oct\\_22\\_2012\\_revised\\_.pdf](http://dpac.sd73.bc.ca/file.php/1/DPAC_External_Correspondence_and_Positions/Invitation_Grad_Requirements_Forum_Oct_22_2012_revised_.pdf)
3. **Parent Leadership Task Force:** – DPAC is planning to host a late October or early November Pac “Help” seminar. Committee member Theresa Lee is seeking someone to assist in organizing the event. Please contact us at our Gmail account ( below), if you can assist.
4. **“Askable Adult” seminar:** A presentation, to parents, in May was well-attended, and there will likely be another presentation, hosted by a local PAC. September 24<sup>th</sup> date was not available, so the evening of October 29 is planned. More details will follow as they are available.
5. **IPOP SD73 conference:** The conference was advanced from its usual October date to Monday September 24<sup>th</sup>. SD73 will consider additional tickets requests from PAC’s or parents, Please contact Tara Murray [tmurray@sd73.bc.ca](mailto:tmurray@sd73.bc.ca). Conference details are at <http://www3.sd73.bc.ca/general/content/ipop-culture-2012>
6. **Fundraising:** SD73 has approved the promotion of a fundraising offer from Booster Juice, either by arranging product for resell at lunch ( minimum order 75), or by purchasing coupons at \$3.75, with a suggested resell of \$6.00 each or 4/\$20.00. SD has distributed detailed information to PAC’s and to school administration.
7. **BCCPAC Regional conference:** Prince George will host a regional conference on Saturday, October 20<sup>th</sup>. Details are at <http://bccpac.bc.ca/events/bccpac-northern-regional-conference>.
8. **Gaming Funds:** Summaries for last year are due 30 days after your fiscal year-end.  
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**Next DPAC Meeting: - Tuesday, Oct 16, 2012  
7:00 pm – 9:00 pm at Henry Grube Education Centre  
Representatives from all PACs in School District 73 are welcome.**