



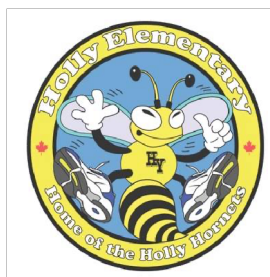
Dear Parents and Guardians,

Greetings from the PAC and welcome back to school! I hope you've had a good summer and had a chance to rest and have fun. We want to extend a big welcome to new families joining us at Holly, as well as to any new staff.

To start off the year the PAC will be hosting a **Welcome Back BBQ** on Thursday September 12th) from 530-730pm. Please note this is the second week of school. Traditionally the BBQ is a potluck. The PAC will provide hotdogs (beef and Halal), plates and napkins and we ask that *grades 1-3* bring a dessert, *grades 4-6* bring a side dish (fruit, salad, veggies, etc) and *grade 7* bring drinks (pop, juice, carbonated/still water, etc). **No nuts please**. If you have kids across multiple grades, you can choose which category to bring from. One item per family is great. Please take home what you brought when you go home to help with the cleanup. We'll have some tables and chairs set up but feel free to bring a blanket and lawn chairs to sit picnic style. At the end of the evening we'd appreciate any help with cleanup!

Bring your cash and support the PAC! We will be running a 50/50 raffle. Tickets are 1 for \$2 or 3 for \$5. The draw will be at 7:15pm and you need to be present to win. There will also be a draw to win a designated parking spot with your family name on a sign. Tickets are \$10 each. A second parking spot will be auctioned off online. More information to come with a link. Other in person silent auction items include Front Row Seats at the Winter Concert in December and the Grade 7 Leaving Ceremony in June.

A PAC Exec position has opened up over the summer. Our valued Holly treasurer has set out on a new adventure with her family and so we unexpectedly need a new treasurer. Alternatively we could fill the DPAC role (entails going to district meetings once a month and reporting back at Holly PAC Meetings) and our DPAC rep will fill the treasurer role. Any interest please email hollyelementarypac@gmail.com



Important Dates:

Back to School BBQ- Thursday Sept 12th, 5:30-7:30pm

First Hot Lunch- Thursday Sept 26th

More info to come

First PAC general meeting- Wednesday Sept 25th from 7-8pm in the library. Meetings are once a month on Wednesday evenings. Zoom will also be an option. Come check us out!

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Kind Regards,
The PAC Exec