



Delta Secondary School Parent Advisory Committee

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Pacer Partner Fundraising Request 2015/16

As parents, we all want our children have a great educational experience and develop the habit of lifelong learning. We hope that whatever tools and supports our children need will be available. The DSS PAC's objective is to follow the steps laid out in our vision: <http://deltasecondaryschool.wordpress.com/about/> and channel fundraising efforts to ensure that ALL our children benefit from the work the PAC does.

The Pacer Partner program is the only major fundraising undertaken by the PAC. In the past, Pacer Partner funds have been aimed toward capital projects such as the electronic sign and obtaining new technology for DSS such as projectors and SmartBoards. Two years ago we embarked on a three year program to replace worn-out uniforms for our sports teams and to offer students the opportunity to borrow iPad minis from the school's library. To date we have invested over \$5000 in new uniforms and over \$2000 in iPad minis. This year we have budgeted an additional \$5000 for athletics and \$1000 for iPad minis. If you are not interested in these projects, and still wish to donate to the Pacer Partner program, you may indicate which department within the school you would like your donation to go towards. Your voluntary donations above \$25 will be eligible for tax receipts.

*Funds donated through the program along with a Gaming Grant are the only funds received by the PAC. The PAC does not undertake other fundraising activities as they would compete with the Dry Grad fundraising. PAC funds are allocated based on funding requests from parents and staff, and in consultation with our school principal. The budget is approved at the PAC AGM each spring and revised, if necessary in the fall once all funding is finalized. **All parents have an equal vote at the PAC meetings, so this is where you have the ability to influence the priorities as much as any other parent. Consider your unique perspective as a valuable resource for your child's school.***

*In order to plan and implement PAC initiatives for the coming school year, we would appreciate receiving donations by **October 31st**. **Cheques should be made payable to "Delta Secondary School"**, not to the PAC. Please drop off the donation form and cheque at the school office. You must complete the attached form to receive a tax receipt by the end of this calendar year. To protect your privacy the PAC does not receive a breakdown of what any individual or family has donated.*

Thanks to everyone who gives of themselves for our children and our school.

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I would like to become a PACER PARTNER and donate to the Delta Secondary School PAC

Title: _____ First name: _____ Last name: _____

Street: _____

City: _____ Province: _____ Postal code: _____

Home phone number: _____

Please accept my donation of: \$ _____ Date: _____

Please send this form with a cheque made payable to "Delta Secondary School".

Choose:

I would like my donation to be used where it is most needed

*I would like my donation to be directed to _____
(name of program)*

Through the generosity of the above Pacer Partner, the education that our children receive continues to be enhanced because of their direct support and donations.

*Please indicate if you require a tax receipt: YES NO
(tax receipts will only be issued for donations of \$25 or more)*

Our children's learning remains at exceptional standards as a direct result of your caring and your contributions. Thank you for making the education of our students a priority in your family life.

DSS PAC