



Good afternoon,

With the first week of the school under our belt, we wanted to reach out and wish everyone a wonderful start to the school year and provide some useful information.

See below for information on:

1. Executive and Program Position Vacancies (Secretary)
2. First PAC Meeting of 2018-19: All Parents and Guardians are encouraged to attend
3. Welcome Back Event for SVE Families
4. Mabel's Labels SVE Fundraiser
5. Thrifty Smile Card Fundraiser
6. Like our Facebook Page
7. Questions???



EXECUTIVE & PROGRAM COORDINATOR VACANCIES

An active PAC plays a huge part in creating the sense of community we all value at Strawberry Vale. PAC events, programs, fundraisers and initiatives are not possible without executive members, program coordinators, and event planning committees. All parents and guardians of Strawberry Vale students are members of the PAC, and we hope that some of you will consider filling the vacancies below.

There is a lot of support for people new to these positions, however, many of the veteran executive members and coordinators are leaving the school after this year or next year, so we need new faces to ensure succession planning and the transfer of information. Each of these positions requires a time commitment of about 1-3 hours/month.

We have an urgent need to fill the following positions:

PAC Executive Position Vacancies:

- Secretary

PAC Coordinator Position Vacancy:

- Lice Check Coordinator

If you want more information about the responsibilities or commitment of any of these positions, please email the PAC executive, pacsve@gmail.com. We are happy to connect you with someone who has done the job in the past.



STRAWBERRY VALE PAC MEETING- EVERYONE WELCOME!!!

WEDNESDAY, September 12th at 6:30PM in SVE Staff Room

Our first PAC meeting of the 2018-19 school year is approaching. All parents and guardians of children attending SVE are encouraged to attend. At the meetings we discuss upcoming events, receive updates from the administration and teachers, and review programs and items that impact our children. Some people attend the meetings as observers and others decide to partake in the discussions - it's up to you how involved you want to be. Bring a friend and we hope to see you there!



WELCOME BACK PAC POTLUCK BBQ AND TEACHER MEET & GREET

THURSDAY, September 13th from 5-7PM

The Welcome Back BBQ is from 5-6 PM on the basketball courts at the front of the school. This BBQ is potluck-style with PAC supplied hot dogs. Families are asked to bring a dessert, appetizer or salad to share. Please ensure all dishes are nut-free and peanut-free. The Teacher Meet & Greet in the classrooms from 6-7PM following the BBQ. We look forward to meeting new families and welcoming returning families.

*****In line with being a green-school, we ask that all families bring their own reusable plates, cutlery and water bottles*****



MABEL'S LABELS FUNDRAISER:

Tired of the kids losing pencils, water bottles, books and clothes? Mabel's Labels makes it easy to keep track of everything. Their labels are dishwasher, microwave and laundry-safe. They're super cute, and very durable. PLUS, this year, 20% of everything you spend comes back to the PAC. It gets even better - place orders throughout the year and labels ship directly to your home!

Just click on the link below, and it will take you to the Strawberry Vale Elementary fundraising page. Click the "Buy Here Now" button and all your purchases will go towards our PAC's fundraising goals.

*** Link for ordering SVE Mabel's Labels***

http://mabelslabels.com/c/?type=fundraiser&b=4274&cur_website=base

If you have any questions you can contact Angie (an SVE parent organizing this fundraiser) via email at angie.hentze@gmail.com

THRIFTY FOODS SMILE CARD FUNDRAISER:

The Smile Card program now runs year-round! SVE Smile Cards can be picked-up from the school office or you can continue to use your card from previous years. Families load their SVE Thrifty's Smile Cards at the store and 5% of the amount comes back to the school to a maximum of \$2000/year. In 2017-18, the PAC raised \$1900 from this program and the money will go towards the purchase of new tablets for student use.





SVE PAC FACEBOOK PAGE:

Like the Strawberry Vale Elementary School PAC Facebook page (<https://www.facebook.com/SVEPAC>) to stay up to date on PAC events, programs and announcements. You can ask questions of other parents in our school community and receive automatic reminders about important dates.



QUESTIONS???

If you have questions about any of the information above, please direct them to the 2018-19 SVE PAC Executive via email at pacsve@gmail.com