

# Doncaster Parent Advisory Council (DPAC) Newsletter

January 2023



## Winter fun ahead...

There is hopefully much coming our way in terms of fun events and fundraisers for the remainder of the school year. Doncaster PAC is inviting parents to help lead and organize these events that help bring our school community together. Funds raised go to **valuable extras for our kids** including parent initiatives for the grade 5 celebration, the Art Starts Program, earthquake & resource room supplies, library books, online book subscriptions, parent ed presentations, playground equipment, outdoor learning initiatives and more.

Volunteers are not required to attend PAC meetings and there is plenty of support and information that can be passed on to new organizers. **Please consider taking on an event with some friends so we can offer them again this year. Thank you!**

### Upcoming events:

Feb 4<sup>th</sup>: Charity Casino Night

Feb 6<sup>th</sup>: DPAC Meeting at school library

Feb 8<sup>th</sup>: Parent Ed night at Braefoot school



# 2023 Upcoming events

Please email [dpac.doncaster@gmail.com](mailto:dpac.doncaster@gmail.com) if you can take on any of the opportunities below.

- Movie Night (April 27th)
- Family Yard Sale (May 27th)
- Year End BBQ (June 22nd)
- Teacher Appreciation Breakfast (June 30th)
- Purdy's Easter Chocolates (March)
- Growing Smiles Spring Plants (April)
- Doncaster Cookbook (TBD)

## Parents Night Out - Charity Casino & Dance Party!

Saturday, February 4<sup>th</sup>, 7pm, downtown

Tickets here : <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/parents-night-out-charity-casino-and-dance-party-tickets-444865784537>



## Parent Ed Session

Feb. 8th, 7-8pm at Braefoot School

Dr. Allison Rees is a well-known Parenting Coach since 1991. She is a trusted voice in parent education, has co-authored two books, *Sidestepping the Power Struggle* and *The Parent-Child Connection* and has written countless articles for various magazines. Free to all.

Our next PAC meeting is on February 6<sup>th</sup> in person in the school library. We will be reviewing the budget and discussing possible expenditures for the rest of the school year.

## More info

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