



WELCOME TO THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR



UHILL PAC NEWSLETTER

September 2022

IMPORTANT DATES (PAC General meetings for the year) :

Sep 29th 2022 (Thu)
Oct 27th 2022 (Thu)
Nov 24th 2022 (Thu)
Jan 26th 2023 (Thu)
Feb 23rd 2023 (Thu)
Apr 27th 2023 (Thu)
May 25th 2023 (Thu)
Jun 22nd 2023 (Thu)

Please pencil down those dates in your calendar and the meetings will always be hosted in school library @7:30pm unless notified otherwise. PAC is looking forward to your participation!

PAC Out-reach

 <https://uhillpac.ca>

 uhillspac@gmail.com

Message from Chairman

A warm welcome to our new UHill families and welcome back to those returning! UHill PAC is a volunteer organization of parents who are all dedicated to the successful education of our children.

I encourage you to not only join our organization at meetings, but to get involved in various school activities as well. Everything we do is based on volunteers and we are always looking for those of you to help make a difference in the lives of our children.

I am excited to begin a wonderful and fulfilling school year for our students and families. I believe that it is of ultimate importance that we do everything we can to enhance the learning environment of our children as they truly are our future. It will take all of us working together to ensure that this happens. I look forward to working with all parents (old and new) and encourage you to contact us with your ideas.

PAC Executives 2022-2023

Chairman:	Jeff Sim
Vice Chair-woman:	Stella Yan
Secretary:	Helene Truong
Treasurer:	Vacant
Event Coordinator:	Jeff Xun
Fund-raising Coordinator:	Vacant
Grade 8 Rep:	Vacant
Grade 9 Rep:	Vacant
Grade 10 Rep:	Miranda Liu
Grade 11 Rep:	Austin Xie
Grade 12 Rep:	Roya Bardshiry

Election for the unfilled roles

We are pleased to announce that there will be an **election** for unfilled roles of PAC Executives 2022-2023 on our first PAC General Assembly **on Sep 29th, 2022**. The application link is enclosed hereby: (<https://forms.office.com/r/hbcnexWeiP>).

Please note that the application deadline is **Sep 25th, 2022**. All the candidates with their Personal statements will be announced on Sept 26th. On the day of the election, candidates are invited to give a brief casual introduction of themselves (1-4 mins).

Any questions, please email uhillspac@gmail.com.

1st PAC General Meeting for the year @7:30pm Sep 29th

Our first PAC general meeting for the year will be hosted in person at the **School library on Sep 29th Thursday**. No online option will be available. Agenda includes Welcome speech from Ms. Michelle Wood, our new Principal, General updates from school and PAC, Election for the unfilled PAC roles. Meeting will **start at 7:30pm**. A meeting reminder together with the detailed agenda will be sent in due course.



UHILL PAC NEWSLETTER

September 2022



The dates of the PAC General meetings for the rest of the school year are also reserved for your easy planning. Please mark them on your calendar.

Ideas for PAC improvement & PAC activities

Every parent is welcomed to share his or her ideas on how to further improve PAC. Your inputs are highly appreciated via link (<https://forms.gle/QehuNMvKDMjceGxj7>) before Sep 27th.

Getting connected via Uhill Secondary Parents Social Media Groups

In order to have the parents to be better connected and informed, the PAC is inviting you to join the Parents Social Media Groups: WhatsApp (English speaking) or WeChat (Chinese speaking). Those two group chats are served as the PAC's supplementary communication channels in addition to the official PAC Website, Newsletter or school emails.

Joining the group is purely on voluntary basis and is deemed as committed to the group rules.

Please read through the following Group Rules carefully before join the group.

1. The groups are only for Uhill Secondary Parents.
2. Due to the limited spots, choosing one group to join and one parent per family is recommended.
3. The groups are aimed to better communicate on matters related to school, students, parents and PAC activities. Any form of commercial is NOT allowed. Hostile language, personal attack or rumors should be entirely forbidden.
4. Individual hosts the responsibility of their own posting. The Group Administrators would try their best to regulate and will remove the member without notice once any non-compliance behaviour is found.

Scan the QR code beside to join the **Whatsapp** group

For **WeChat** group, as there are only less than 30 spots remaining available, please contact uhillspac@gmail.com with your name, child's name & grade to receive an invitation.

Headsup for the Events in the year

Following events are under planning based on the feedback from last year. More ideas/inputs are welcomed for building a harmonized school-parent community.

- **Walk & Talk in Oct** to enjoy the Beauty of Fall in Vancouver
- **FundRaising activity in Nov** to get prepared for the year
- **Teacher Appreciation Breakfast in Dec** before Christmas break
- **International Lunch** back in **May** to celebrate diversity
- **Art Auction & Yard Sale in Jun** to close off the year

Details will be announced in due time.