



# The Son

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## Upcoming Events

- Wednesday, November 11:**  
Remembrance Day—No School
- Thursday, November 19:**  
Operation Christmas Child Deadline
- Friday, November 20:**  
Next Newsletter
- Monday, November 23:**  
Purdys Christmas Chocolates Deadline  
Epicure Fundraiser Deadline  
Mary Kay Fundraiser Deadline
- Friday, November 27:**  
PAC Meeting @ 8:30 am
- Wednesday, December 2:**  
Purdys Chocolate Pickup
- Saturday, December 12:**  
Virtual Church Participation
- Friday, December 18:**  
Last Day of Classes before Christmas Break



## Wise Words

*“Physical inaction lessens not only mental but moral power.” — Education p. 209*

## November Birthdays

- November 11:**  
Joshua Rosenbauer
- November 17:** Cash Boyce
- November 24:** Sophie Spitzer
- November 24:**  
David Steinbrenner



## PAC Meeting

Thank you to the parents who have teamed up with us to develop and nurture a culture of participation. The next PAC Meeting is **Friday, November 27 @ 8:30am.**

## Hot Lunches

We need parent volunteers to begin our Hot Lunches. **If you are able to help, please contact Mrs. Little immediately.**

## Report Card Envelopes

**Don't forget to return them to the office!**



## No School

Don't forget! There is no school on **Wednesday, November 11th.**

Take a moment with your family to remember the veterans of Canada and other countries who have sacrificed so that we can enjoy the freedom we have. We will remember....

## Drop off/ Pick Up

When dropping off/picking up your children, please be mindful of other parents waiting! They cannot see the school entrance if you park directly in front of the school walkway. So, **please DO NOT STOP in front of the school walkway!** Thank you!

## Operation Christmas Child

FILL THEM WITH



It's Operation Christmas Child Shoe Box time again! It is so encouraging to our students to be a blessing to others during the Christmas Season. Please come by and get a box by the office. If you haven't filled a shoebox for a needy child before, there is a pamphlet outlining the kinds of things that will be appropriate. **The deadline for having them filled and back to the school is Thursday, November 19.**

## Current Fundraisers

### Purdys Chocolates



Christmas is just around the corner! PVCA is inviting you to participate in our 2020 Christmas Chocolate Campaign! We are very excited to offer you these high-quality chocolates with such a sweet return for our school's goals. Purdy's generously shares 25% of the profits! So, **please ask everyone you know and treat yourself** with a yummy gift by ordering these delicious chocolates. They are made with 100% sustainable cocoa and are created with love right here in BC! You can order online or in person. The **order deadline is Monday, Nov 23** and the **pick up date is Wednesday, Dec 2.**

## Mary Kay

Another great fundraising opportunity! Mary Kay has lots of lovely choices for those who are wanting to support our school but also want a calorie free option. We will receive 50% of the profits! **Tamra Kruize** will be our point person for this fundraiser campaign. She will have catalogues and information to help us. **The deadline for orders is Monday, November 23.** The pick up date will be announced.

## Epicure Fundraiser

We receive 40% of our sales back! Epicure is dedicated to sharing seasonings and products for delicious meal solutions. It is gluten and nut free and uses only real, whole ingredients you can trust, while never ever compromising on taste. Their mission is to take back our health and our relationship with food. **Tamra Kruize** will be our point person for this fundraiser campaign. She will have catalogues and information to help us promote this great option to our sweet, chocolatey efforts. And this year we get to pick from the whole Fall & Winter Catalogue! **The deadline for orders will be Monday, November 23.** The pick up date will be announced.

## Butcher Boys & Co-op

Help raise funds for our school! If you shop @ Butcher Boys, save your receipts and put them in the bucket in the foyer. When we submit \$5,000 worth of receipts, they give us \$50 back. Also, buying your gas at Co-op in Vernon, Armstrong and Salmon Arm funds us, too! Our Co-op number is: **84319.**

## Cobs Bakery

Do you like bread? Have we got a great way for you to raise a little 'dough' for our school! Cobs Bakery will give PVCA back 5% of the sale every time you purchase from them and mention our school.

## Newsletter Link

<http://www.pleasantvalleychristian.com/>

## Principal's Hours

Monday, Wednesday & Thursdays:  
11:00am - 5:00pm

## Facebook Page

Please take the time to check out our Facebook Page—<https://www.facebook.com/groups/596385954155968/?ref=share> and make comments on it. Your input is what will keep the feed on your and your friends newsfeeds. Thank you for all you do! We are so grateful to have wonderful parents like you as part of our school family!

## Fall Is here!

The frost is definitely on the pumpkin! Please be sure to send your child to school with warm clothing, **waterproof shoes/boots, scarves, mittens, and even snow pants, etc.** to suit the weather. **Please make sure your child has indoor shoes to change into when recess is done.**

We are well into cold and flu season. If your child needs to spend a day away from school, **please phone or text the teacher in the morning before school begins to let them know what your child's symptoms are for our records .**

Please note: parents are responsible for collecting homework for ill students.

## Introducing ~ Miss Karenda Enka Swain

Hello, my name, is Karenda Enka Swain. But most of my family and friends call me Enka. I was born and raised on the island of Grand Bahama. I graduated from Grand Bahama Academy, with distinction in 2013. I also served as the Senior Class President and as a Senior Prefect. I am a recent graduate from Burman University with a Bachelors in Education, with a specialization in music and a minor in physical science.

During my university's experience, I served as the Campus Ministries Sabbath School Coordinator and a Resident Assistant. Additionally, with my passion for music, I delight in being a past member of the choir, orchestra and the praise and worship group called "Alive".

As a Seventh - day Adventist Christian, I truly love studying God's word and serving others. In my hometown, I was an active member of the Blessed Hope Seventh-day Adventist Church. I was also involved in the church choir, Pathfinders club and Adventist Youth's programs. In my free time I enjoy fishing, spending quality time with the people I love,

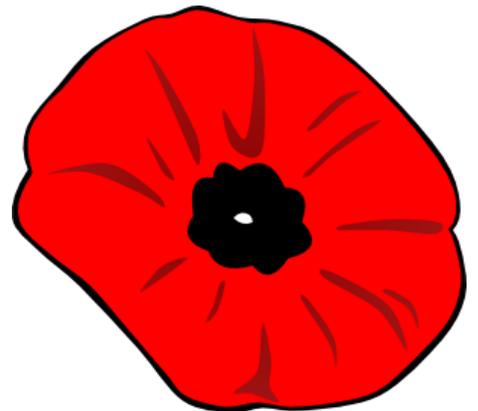
## Outstanding Bills

Parents, please be sure to settle any outstanding fees for **registration, logos or fleece jackets.**

## Volunteers Needed!

We will be getting new flooring downstairs soon. If you are willing to volunteer for the teardown or the installation, please contact Ralph Berdan @ 1-306-536-5151.

Volunteers, we want you to know that **we appreciate your wonderful support of our school.**



colouring and participating in community outreach programs such as hospital ministry and soup kitchen.

One of my favorite scriptures, dear to my heart is "For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future" (Jeremiah 29:11). It is my pray for every student to have a willingness or desire to know God's plan for their life. God cares about their future and I hope that I can be used as a guide in helping students understand their purpose.