

# Sangster "Treasure Chest"



News & Notes from your PAC

Newsletter #7 – December 11, 2009

"Come Aboard – Treasure the Voyage!"

## 2010 PAC Meeting Schedule – 7pm in School library

- Wednesday, January 13, 2010
- Wednesday, February 10, 2010
- Wednesday, March 3, 2010
- Wednesday, April 7, 2010
- Wednesday, May 12, 2010
- Wednesday, June 9, 2010

## \*~\*~\*Sangster Spring Fair\*~\*~\*

Planned for Thursday, March 25, 2010! We hope to include a Seller's Fair in the Gym for entrepreneurs – please contact [bluefaerie@live.com](mailto:bluefaerie@live.com) if you would be interested in reserving a table or volunteering to help out during the fair. Among other items planned, there will be silent auctions, face painting, used books, and, of course, games for the kids!



**Yearbook!** We will be trying to pull together a yearbook at the end of the year so don't forget to capture those moments at a class activity/assembly/field trip! They may end up in print!



## FUNDRAISING....

And only 2 weeks 'til Christmas! Need ideas? Magazine orders can still be ordered online! Just go to [www.qsp.ca](http://www.qsp.ca) → use School Code **#3439** → click on "Shop Now."

**Coming up in the Spring: Green Fundraising!** We will be introducing a new fundraising company called Koru.

## **Reasons to choose Koru Fundraising**

1. Fair trade, healthy and eco-friendly products at affordable prices
2. Profit margins starting at 40%
3. Educational materials from Planet Bonehead
4. Responsible ways to fundraise
5. Charitable causes supported through 1 Percent For The Planet

## Coming again Spring 2010!

**Marigold Flower  
Baskets & bedding  
plants**

**Just in time for  
Mother's Day ☺**



Guest Speaker for Wed, February 10<sup>th</sup> PAC meeting: Dr. Werner Liedtke, from the UVic Speakers Bureau, who will talk about Fostering Number Sense: Making Sense of Numbers and Counting. Dr. Liedtke is a Professor Emeritus at the University of Victoria. He has taught elementary school and courses in mathematics education and assessment. His main areas of interest include development and assessment strategies related to key aspects of early numeracy. Everyone is welcome to come out to hear him speak.

### \*~\*Ongoing Fundraising Efforts\*~\*

**Campbell's Soup Labels** – please bring in the whole label & leave in the PAC drawer in the office – we're saving up for new instruments for the Music Room!

**Island Farms** – please save your Island Farms UPC codes (milk, yogurt, cream cheese, or whatever) & drop off in the container by the front door.

**Cobbs Bakery** – When you buy your bread at Cobbs Bakery in Millstream Village, they will donate 5% to Sangster (Just mention our name).

**Chris' Pizza** – When you order pizza, mention Sangster & they will donate \$3 to our School (or tell them you want to donate their pizza coupon to our School!)

**Thrifty Foods Smile Cards** – You can use the card you have already or, if you need a new one, just pick one up from Kelly in the office. You need to load it **before** your order is rung through the cashier; once loaded, the card is an excellent budgeting tool! **Please note:** The new Club Thrifty Foods Program works with the Smile Card Program – when you pay with your Smile Card you present your Club Card, as well, & receive the points as if you paid with cash/credit card.

\*Thrifty Foods will donate 5% of the amount loaded on your Smile Card to Sangster School. There is absolutely no cost to you. When the card is running low, load it again to continue to support Sangster every time you shop!

Check This Out! <http://santa.sympatico.ca>



Have Santa send your little ones a message ☺

A great big **thank you** to everyone in our wonderful school community! Without your ongoing support, we would not be the great school we are!

Have a safe & happy Holiday Season!

- From your PAC

