



Laidlaw School's *Spooktacular* Groove-A-Thon

Friday, October 27th, 2023

Kindergarten 10:45am to 11:30am

Grades 1 to 8, 2:00pm to 3:15pm

Dear Laidlaw Parents,

What is the Groove-A-Thon?

The Groove-A-Thon is an opportunity for our Impressive Laidlaw students to become actively involved in their community by fundraising for the 2023-2024 school year initiatives. The monies raised from the Groove-a-thon is purchasing a **fully integrated audio-visual system for our gym!**

Each student, by asking friends, family members and neighbours to pledge money, are promising to be active for a full 75-minute duration of the Groove-A-Thon by dancing and engaging in activities. The PAC committee has decided to bring back the extremely popular "*Spooktacular*" theme for this school year!

Who is the host?

The Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) along with our amazing volunteers, and our fabulous Laidlaw Staff all help to make this fundraiser a success.

When/Where?

The Groove-A-Thon will take place in the Laidlaw School's Gymnasium on Friday, October 27th. Kindergartens will have their own private Groove-a-thon in the morning from 10:45-11:30 (parents are welcome to join in on the fun), Grades 1-8 will be active from 2:00-3:15pm for their Groove-a-thon!

Prizes?

Of course, how could we not have prizes! All students will receive one ballot to enter a draw prize of their choice!

For every \$5.00 pledge raised they will receive an extra ballot towards the prizes! (For instance, if your child raised \$10.00 in pledges, they would receive an extra two ballots if they raised \$30, they would receive six ballots if they raised \$50 in pledges, they would receive ten extra ballots. The more pledges raised the more ballots they receive). The students will use these ballots to enter to win any of the prizes on the day of the Groove-A-Thon! Prizes will suit various age groups. Prize information along with glow in the dark trinkets and food options will follow shortly, stay tuned.....

Details?

Attached to this letter is a pledge form. Pledges can be made by cash, if you choose to e-transfer please send it to pac.treasurer.laidlaw@gmail.com (please include the students name and pledge ID# in e-transfer comments).

Single donations of \$50.00 or greater are eligible for a tax receipt if made by cheque. The cheque must be made out to PTEF.

Should you have any questions we are happy to assist you anyway we can, or if you want to help with this event, please contact Ruth Abreu abreurr@gmail.com Thank YOU for all your efforts!

PLEASE HAVE YOUR CHILD RETURN THE COMPLETED PLEDGE FORM AND MONIES COLLECTED BY MONDAY, OCTOBER 23rd.