

Aberdeen Elementary PAC

HOT LUNCHES are Online!

Hot Lunches and Milk Cards?

During the year, our PAC organizes many exciting HOT LUNCHES for the students; menus vary and include things like hot dogs and pizza. As well, PAC runs a MILK CARD program. With a milk card, students can collect fresh cold milk during their lunch break.

To order HOT LUNCHES and MILK CARDS for your kids, you will need to enrol on our **HotLunches.net** Website!

Why do we need this website?

The hotlunches.net website is used successfully by PACs in several Kamloops schools. Hot lunches like pizza day are significant fundraisers for the PAC and online ordering helps to ensure effective and efficient fundraising.

It has several distinct advantages for parents, teachers and the volunteers who run the fundraisers:

- Online ordering ensures accuracy with orders as well as easy and transparent financial accounting
- Once its set up and you're registered, online ordering is easier and faster for parents and takes away the hassle of sending money and forms to school
- Online ordering makes it much easier for teachers parent volunteers to organize and deliver the hot lunches
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Do I have to order through the website?

PAC has committed to the online system. If you have concerns about using this system, please don't hesitate to get in touch with PAC to discuss options. pacaberdeen@gmail.com

How do I pay on the website?

The hotlunches.net system uses PayPal. You can either pay with a credit card as a PayPal guest (Visa, MasterCard or Amex), or set up your own PayPal account.

PayPal does charge a fee per transaction. You have the option of loading a credit to your HotLunch account, thus reducing the number of transactions through PayPal. Aberdeen PAC has chosen to show the PayPal charges rather than build them into the program costs as is often done. We encourage you to consider the volunteer time required to process manual payments when deciding whether or not to use PayPal.

****Please Note:** Should you experience any issues with your PayPal account, you must contact PayPal directly to solve the issue.

How do I register?

The hot lunch online order system requires a small amount of setup time at the beginning as you must register each child you have attending our school prior to ordering hot lunch. Once the initial setup process is complete, your hot lunch orders for the remainder of the year should be quick and simple.

We encourage parents to register on the website right away so we can start our HotLunch Program.

Also, you can now order Milk Punch Cards on the site!

The instructions are listed below. If you have any questions, please feel free to pacaberdeen@gmail.com

1. Go to www.hotlunches.net
2. Click on Schools to select Aberdeen Elementary. Schools are organized by province.



3. Click on "Click Here to Register"

You will be directed to a form for account registration.

4. Enter Access Code **AESHL**
5. Complete the rest of the registration form
6. Click the "Register Now" button at the bottom
7. Follow the instructions to add each child
8. Click on "Orders" to order hot lunches!

Including your email address will ensure you receive reminder emails about hot lunch order deadlines and upcoming hot lunch orders.

PAC may from time to time send email, including newsletters or upcoming event information. If you do not want to receive this information please let us know!