



Parent Advisory Committee to the Superintendent (PACS)
Key Communications

Lauren Bunke & Jon Junell (co-chairs)
Thursday, Oct. 12, 2023
District Office, 1306 Dupont St.

Each school has two representatives on this committee.

Welcome and Introductions

Co-chairs Lauren Bunke & Jon Junell

Superintendent's Update - Dr. Baker

Welcome to PACS: Superintendent Baker shared the purpose of Parent Advisory Committee to the Superintendent (PACS), which is to provide an avenue to hear perspectives from parents/guardians; share updates and information with parents/guardians; and ask parents/guardians for feedback on ideas or new initiatives. If any PACS members have questions or concerns specific to your child or situation, we are happy to help but environment for those topics. We appreciate hearing diverse perspectives.

Friends of the Family Resource Center (FRC): A former PACS representative along with other parent volunteers created a non-profit six years ago after hearing about economic hardships facing families in our district. This non-profit helps raise money for items needed by families, including personal care items like laundry soap to beds and bedding. Friends of the FRC is looking for new board members if anyone is interested.

Dr. Baker shared highlights of the beginning of the school year, including the Block Party; the all-staff kick-off event at Civic; recent capital projects, including new playgrounds, new fields and tennis courts, Kulshan Middle School new classrooms and the new District Office. He clarified that bond funds can only be used for construction and facilities projects. Dr. Baker also [Climate Action Plan](#); courses offered during our next Staff Learning Day and shared that learning and listening tour across our district this school year and will be spending an entire day in each school meeting with students and staff.

