# CHAIR - Jennifer Graham Yagin

My name is Jennifer Graham Yagin. I have 1 child (Jackson) at the school, he is in Grade 4 French. I have been attending and volunteering with the PAC since he was in Kindergarten. One of the reasons why I attend meetings and get involved, is that I work full time. I felt I was missing out on what happens at the school, as am never there for drop off or pick up, to chat with other parents after school or just say hi to the teacher(s). By attending the meetings, I have gotten to know many other parents and the Principal.

What I get out of the PAC meetings is I also get to find out what is going on in the school and I can volunteer my time in things I like doing. In past years, I work mostly behind the scenes, as I managed the Hot lunch online site, organized the Rodeo Fun Night, introduced new fundraising, and created the PAC Newsletter/Emails/Marketing and Social Media.

The role of President is a big role with a lot of responsibility as you direct the affairs of the PAC. You must be organised with the ability to work well with others and be open minded and encouraging to the team. The PAC is a team and the team of parents/teachers/principal are very important, as we all have the same goal. The success of our children in the best learning environment possible.

My hope this year is to build our school community with family events that everyone can participate in. We had a amazing turnout at the Spring Carnival and this was such a fun event and I hope we have similar turn out at other events next year. One of my favorites is Picnic & Pie that happens in September.



Jennifer Graham Yagin

# CHAIR - Nicky Kryger

My name is Nicky Kryger and I have been a parent at Ladner Elementry for 11 years now. In the last 11 years I have coordinated numerous programs

or events such as hot lunch, treat days, staff appreciation luncheons etc. I also have been involved in multiple fundraisers and have volunteered my time in the classrooms.

I have 3 goals for the upcoming new school year.

- 1. I would like to see the pac executive to have better communication with parents and staff of the school.
- 2. To have more family friendly events.
- 3. To prioritize in taking care of things that the pac has not dealt with such as we have 4 teachers who have been waiting for the last two years for special carpets for their classrooms and our emergency bin needs to be updated

# VICE CHAIR – Tyla Langdon

I Joined the PAC last year and immediately knew the value of this group. I'm very passionate about the work we do and believe we have the power to make a difference in the lives of the students of Ladner Elementary. I want to be part of the change and leads us a place of higher expectations and accountability.

Over the past year I was a Member at Large on the Executive. It was a busy and challenging year! I ran many of this year's fundraisers, collaborated on the newsletter, contributed to the Facebook page, did various other advertising. I was an active member of our biggest event of the year (the Spring Carnival), and now I'm ready to step into a leadership role. Not only am I an effective communicator but I also connect with people. This is key for someone in this role.

My education is from BCIT in the field of Marketing Management and Event Planning, and currently I manage a Plumbing company I started with my husband, Kirby Reid.

Previously, throughout my marketing career, I have held various positions ranging from customer facing sales roles to corporate executive level behind the scenes positions. I have managed many marketing budgets and high-profile charity events. My skills are varied and many; the perfect combination for the role of Vice President.

One of my main goals as Vice is to help bridge the gap between the parents of Ladner Elementary, the PAC Executive, and the Teachers and Administration. This can be done with clear, concise planning, communication and transparency.

I would also like to continue working with the Fundraising committee, and develop a new goal for the year. One that surpasses this year but is reasonable given our resources.

Additionally I would like to spearhead the formation of a new, effective playground committee. One that can present ideas, get approval, and move the project to the next level.

I have time and energy to give to this role and believe I would be a valuable asset to the executive. I have one son in Grade 1 French and another entering kindergarten in the fall, and I look forward to many years at Ladner Elementary.



Tyla Langdon

# **VICE-CHAIR**

# Jean Pearce

- 10 years parent at Ladner Elementary
- 8 years involved with PAC
- 3 years on Hot Lunch Committee
- PAC Co-President last year

# promise to:

- change hot lunch menu
- host more family friendly events
- make the PAC accountable and transparent

# SECRETARY

Pearl Poon – Current Secretary willing to continue into 2018/2019 school year.

#### **TRESURER**

Siobian Smith – Current treasurer willing to continue into the 2018/2019 school year.

# CANADIAN PARENTS FOR FRENCH REPRESENTATIVE

Kerri Skelly – Current garden and hot lunch co-coordinator.

# DELTA PARENTS ADVISORY COUNCIL

Natasha McGregor

# MEMBER AT LARGE

Dan Crampton – Current Vice-Chair

# MEMBER AT LARGE

Lynda Pearce

# MEMBER AT LARGE

Tegan VanderBoer

# MEMBER AT LARGE

Merilee Watts