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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Our campaign to raise additional funds to finish the Outdoor Gathering Area continues. Thank you to the families who have donated so far! We have almost reached 20% of our additional \$46,000 target. So far \$8,600 has been raised. We will keep you posted on our progress in our weekly "Special Edition Outdoor Gathering Area Update."

**WE NEED YOUR HELP TO COMPLETE THIS PROJECT!  
PLEASE CONSIDER DONATING TODAY!!**

Please donate to complete the project and leave a lasting legacy for future classes!

Donations can be made through school cash online direct link or by cheque. Donations of more than \$250 will receive recognition on a plaque.

Tell your students to stay tuned: we are about to launch a naming contest! We can't wait to see what they come up with!

#### UPCOMING EVENTS:

1) **Next PAC Meeting** is THIS **Wednesday April 19 @ 6:00 pm** at Rockridge Library and Zoom

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6278938400?pwd=L09kSU1tSzRnT2lIWVA0cIk0RHkxdz09>

Meeting ID: 627 893 8400 || Passcode: 004303

2) Also, this Wednesday, April 19th, join us in Player's Hall at 7pm for Dissolve:

#### **DISSOLVE - A Live Performance for Families**

Rockridge will host the following live performance for our Grade 11 students and the general public on Wednesday, April 19th in Player's Hall at Rockridge. Grade 11's will attend a showing at 1:30pm while the general public is invited to attend the 7:00pm showing.

The show is 45 minutes long and a talkback will follow the performance with Family Services of the North Shore Sexual Assault Response team. Tickets are free of charge. Registration is required through Eventbrite

Dissolve addresses the serious issues of sexual consent, drink spiking and drug-facilitated sexual assault from a darkly humorous perspective. Following a college girl on a night out, moving back and forth from home to bar scenes, one actress plays 16 characters, both comic and dramatic. Night turns to morning, and “Anygirl” awakens from her ordeal, disoriented.

Dissolve is best suited for mature adolescents and their accompanying caregivers due to sensitive content, and strong language. While there is no graphic visuals or descriptions, Dissolve does include references to gender-based violence, victim blaming, and drug facilitated sexual assault which may be upsetting to some viewers.

If you or someone you know has been affected by sexual violence, support is available through the Family Services of the North Shore’s Sexual Assault Response Program by contacting 604-924-7676. <https://www.familyservices.bc.ca/>

3) Save the date for **AGM PAC meeting on Wednesday May 17** @ 6:00 pm at Rockridge Library and Zoom

Looking forward to seeing you soon!! Cheers!

4) **Rockridge Golf Tournament at Gleneagles Golf Course - Save the Date: June 15th!**

The PAC are planning a fun filled day of golf and socialising on Thursday June 15th. The tournament will include on-course activities and prizes, and will follow a best ball format so that golfers of all skill levels (or no skill level at all!) are welcome to join in the fun. Following the golf event, we will have a social at The Orchard at Gleneagles for all Rockridge parents. Further details and tickets will be available soon - but be sure to put the afternoon and evening of June 15th in your calendar as this is an event you won’t want to miss!

~ Julie Stewart, Your Rockridge PAC Chair

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