Hi Everyone,

Please find attached an order form for our Spring Plant Fundraiser.

These plants and planters come from DeVry in Abbotsford and are gorgeous. I have ordered the baskets for several years to hang in the front of my house and get tons for compliments! One student made over \$400 last year and that money was able to be reimbursed and put toward his trip or spending money. Cheques can be made out to the parents when all orders are in, or money can be left in the student's account for future trips.

All orders need to be handed in by April 17<sup>th</sup>. Plants will be in Friday, May 1<sup>st</sup> and be ready for pick up after school. Please make arrangements to have your order picked up if you can't make it, as there is no place to keep the plants at the school.

Here are some ideas for possible sales from the supplier:

If you start early enough, there are many different places that you can solicit other than school families. You can try the following types of businesses:

- Banks- especially the bank where you personally are a client of. (I do this myself for my daughter's school) Lots of ladies work there and they LOVE plants.
- Businesses where you know the manager/owner personally. Leave an order form and say you will be back in a week to collect the form and the \$.
- Real estate offices: Realtors might want to give a planter or HB to their clients that they just sold a home to. (house warming gift)
- Churches: they sometimes have special services for Mother's day and might want to decorate with planters and then sell them after the service.
- Encourage the students to take an order form along if they visit relatives for the Easter weekend.

If anyone has any questions feel free to contact me by email, <a href="mailto:forpetssake@shaw.ca">forpetssake@shaw.ca</a> or by phone 250-752-5011.

Thanks, and happy selling, Wendy Wilson