



Bonnie Branch PTA invites you to join the 2011-12 Shark Team!

Donate and/or Sign up today!  
Use this PTA "All in One Sheet" to support and make a difference.

\*\*\*\*\* Thank you! if you have already returned this form. This is just a reminder, in case you did not get a chance to yet.

Student(s) Name/Grade(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) Name/Phone/Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**The "Back to Basics" Bonnie Branch PTA Fundraising Program**

For the 3rd year, our goal is to fund our PTA budget with direct donations ONLY! No more door-to-door sales!  
You can get more bang for your buck ... 100% of your dollar will go directly to support the students through the PTA.  
(Bonus ... all direct donations to the PTA are tax deductible (except for the \$5 PTA Memberships).)

The budgeted goal is \$10,000 to fund the PTA Budget for the coming school year. The PTA provides support for a variety of programs including Cultural Arts, Classroom Enrichment and Activity Funds for each grade level, Breakfast of Champions, Shark Shop (Scholar Dollars), Student Recognition, International Night, Teacher Web Pages, Drama Program, Student Events, Staff Appreciation, Student Directory, PTA Website, Science/Technology, and more.

The Direct Donation campaign will run through **Monday, Oct 3**. With over 650 students at Bonnie Branch, a donation of \$30 per student will cover the budget, but **gifts of every amount are welcomed!**

Yes, I would like to join the Shark Team, direct donate and skip the fundraisers!

\_\_\_\_\_ \$xx.xx **Direct Donation to the Bonnie Branch PTA Budget** (a suggested donation: \$30 per student)

\_\_\_\_\_ **\$5.00** (per membership) **PTA Membership** (become an official voting member of BBMS PTA)

A portion of your membership dues is retained by BBMS-PTA (\$1.25). The greater portion (\$3.75) is used to support the Maryland and National PTA organizations.

Please list name(s) below as you would like them to appear on your PTA Membership cards.

\_\_\_\_\_ (Kathy Green, Membership)

\_\_\_\_\_ **Total Enclosed Thank you for your support!** Checks may be made payable to "Bonnie Branch PTA".

Please return this form to school in an envelope marked "PTA All in One". Students may give it to their homeroom teacher.

**Sign up your Giant grocery card** (the school earns FREE MONEY!)

GIANT Grocery Card Number (12 digit number): \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name associated with grocery card: \_\_\_\_\_

Giant's A+ Bonus Bucks Program: Purchases from Oct 2011 to April 2012 earn credits. Cards must be signed up each year. If you prefer to sign up online or to designate up to 3 schools, go to [www.giantfood.com](http://www.giantfood.com). Our school id is 04239.

Last year Bonnie Branch earned a check for \$2689.96 from 107 grocery cards designated! Feel free to invite family, friends, and neighbors to designate their Giant grocery cards to Bonnie Branch. (Kelly O'Connor, Coordinator)

**VOLUNTEER through the PTA PALS (Parents Assisting Lunch Shifts) and/or general volunteering.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email and/or Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, please notify me of opportunities to volunteer throughout the school year. (Julie Brown, PTA Volunteers)

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, I would be interested in volunteering for **PALS (Parents Assisting Lunch Shifts)**. At least 2 volunteers are needed for each school day from 11:20-1:20pm (the time on Weds is 11:35-1:30pm). Parents help oversee the hallways when students arrive for lunch and student hall passes. Volunteers not only play an important role in helping the school, they also get a firsthand look at student life. Volunteers can be scheduled for one time, once a month, twice a month, once a week, specific dates or as many times during the school year as you like. (Dayna Crisco, PALS, [dkcrisco@verizon.net](mailto:dkcrisco@verizon.net))

**Sign up for Student Directory** The PTA offers a school directory using myschooldirectory.

**Go to [www.MySchoolDirectory.com](http://www.MySchoolDirectory.com) and enter the codeword "sharks" for Bonnie Branch to sign up your child!**

New this year, a print directory with advertisements. (\$25 for business card size ad). See separate flier for details or contact Nutan Mathur, Student Directory Coordinator, 443-253-2837 or [aloha100@comcast.net](mailto:aloha100@comcast.net)

**HCPSS News** [www.hcpsnews.com](http://www.hcpsnews.com) Be sure to subscribe to HCPSS News to receive regular messages and information from Bonnie Branch, PTA, and HCPSS via email, cell phone, or pager. Select "Subscribe" to subscribe for the first time or "Account Management" to update your account, changing the school and grade of your student(s).

**Donations of Kleenex and Hand Sanitizer are welcomed.** If you would like to donate a box of tissues or hand sanitizer for student use throughout the school year, feel free to send it in with your student to give to their homeroom teacher.

**Questions?** Contact Donna Sudbrook, Direct Donations [donnasudbrook@verizon.net](mailto:donnasudbrook@verizon.net) 410-747-2087  
or Yvette Hayes, PTA President, [iycanhayes@verizon.net](mailto:iycanhayes@verizon.net)