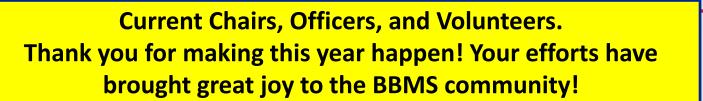
WELCOME TO BBNS PTA www.bbmspta.org

This PDF serves as a PTA newsletter and has all our updated information and outreach! How to get involved:

- 1. Join the PTA! Visit www.bbmspta.org and choose "get involved"
 - thank you to all of our members!
- 2. Attend our monthly meetings: 2nd Wednesday of each month, 7:00 PM
- 3. Volunteer! We need many officers, committee chairs, and committee members for next year!

Next Year Volunteers



We need your help for next year!

See the next page for details

Committee (





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Fathers Being Involved (FBI)

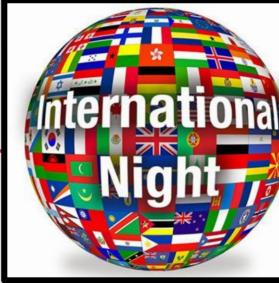
Open Spots, Time to Volunteer!

Role	2022-2023
President	* (Current Presidents hopes to be VP or train VP for next year)
VP I	*
VP 2	*
Hospitality/Staff Appreciation	Needs filled, VERY important
Amazon Smiles:	*
Direct Donations:	*
Facebook/Media:	* May have one volunteer for Facebook, need more
FBI (Fathers Being Involved)	*
Membership and Donations:	*
Reflections:	*
Social Committee:	* Needs filled, VERY important.
Volunteer Coordinator:	*

We need your help to make next year even more amazing! Please email Dr. Cockley or Michelle at michellebbmspta@gmail.com to volunteer or send questions.

INTERNATIONAL NIGHT

- Thank you, Momina Malik and team!
- DATE CHANGE: Wednesday, May 25 (evening)
- And, it's only International Night the Spring festival addition to the same night is too much for one team, but think ahead to when we ideally would have a yearly festival at BBMS – anything EC history related?
- BBMS International Night Committee in collaboration with Student Council is excited to
 organize our in person event in May. We are looking for parent volunteers to make this
 event a success as it has been in the past.
- You and your family can help by:
 - Joining the planning committee that will meet periodically virtually
 - Signup to participate at the event
 - Help us reach out to local businesses and cultural groups
 - Look for emails and sign-up genius for volunteer and donation requests.
 - Questions? Email bbmsinternationalnight@gmail.com



Restaurant Night

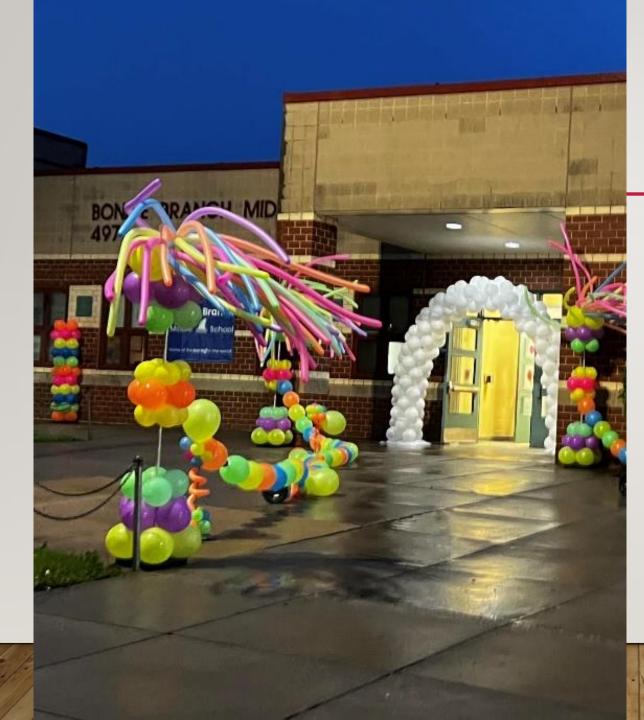
- Thank you, Heather Tom for coordinating Restaurant Night!
- SAVE THE DATE The next Restaurant Night is
- Wednesday June 8, 2022
- 4:00pm-8:00pm
- 6181 Old Dobbin Ln Ste 100, Columbia, MD 21045-5933

We will send an email with details. Online ordering code is: **LHW9688**



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May 6 was the Spring Dance!



Thank you Victoria and the PTA Social Committee! The Dance was perfect and amazing! It was so professional and the kids had the best time ever! Victoria and team, please provide more specifics and updates on your success! ©

PTACHC - DELEGATE UPDATE

https://www.ptachc.org/

PTA Council of Howard County

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- Thank you, Tamara Bhalla and Amy McCarthy, our PTACHC Delegates! Amy please discuss the below and any other relevant information.
- Important Forums
- BOE Candidates: May 11, 7-8:30pm, OMHS and CC Candidates: May 25, 7-8:30pm, RHHS
- Can't attend? Email questions you'd like asked to president @ PTACHC. org

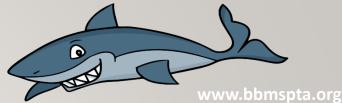
A highlight from the PTACHC May meeting

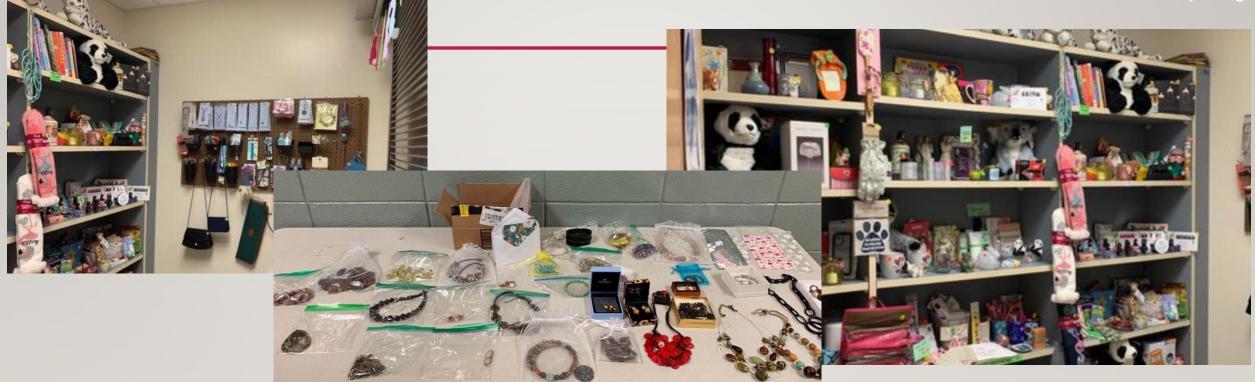
There is a \$71M difference between what the BOE has asked for and what the County Executive has proposed to the County Council

There is no way to know what the BOE will cut from its budget if the CC does not approve its full requested amount, but the things that tend to happen first and most often include increasing class sizes, cutting related arts programming, cutting special education resources, and decreasing paraeducator positions.

CC will make its decision on the budget on May 25 at noon. There are many budget hearings between now and then! Email <u>councilmail@howardcountymd.gov</u>

SHARK SHOP! THANK YOU, WE LOVE THE SHARK SHOP!!!





Thank you, Terri Jones, our SHARK SHOP Chair! The Mother's Day Shark Shop was a HUGE success (photos above). And, thank you all for your donations! Please keep donating! We are always looking for small house decor / decorations, jewelry, new make-up / lotions, candles & new stuffed animals



• Thank you, Gina McGuinness, for your involvement with HCDrugFree!

Thank You, BBMS!!!

A little birdie sent us this picture of a banner hanging in Bonnie Branch Middle School (BBMS).

Thank you, BBMS and BBMS PTA for standing with HC DrugFree and having your students and parents participate in our classes and events. We are proud to have our name on your banners.







Dr. Drew Cockley and Ms. Kelli Nitsch

BBMS Principal and Vice Principal

 BBMS PTA thanks you for your support! We could not do it without you, you help our ideas become reality! Thank you!

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NEXT MEETINGS

- SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING
- New requirement for Bylaw renewal; we will hold a session in May
- NEXT REGULAR MEETING
- Scheduled for June 8th at 7 PM
- Agenda: Elections, Budget?, Wrap up the year and plan for next year
- PLAN FOR HYBRID IF THE WEATHER IS GOOD (outside at BBMS, with a virtual option)