



Bethesda–Chevy Chase High School PTSA

4301 East-West Highway
Bethesda, Maryland 20814



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HANDY TIP SHEET FOR B-CC!

Students aren't the only ones who need to prepare for the coming school year. Follow this handy tip sheet to make sure you are ready to roll the first day of school!

Bookmark The B-CC School Website: www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/schools/bcchs

Bookmark the PTSA Website: www.bccptsa.net

Join the PTSA by downloading the membership form from the PTSA website or going to www.pay4schoolstuffonline.com. Your dues and contributions are vital to enable the PTSA to continue to support programming and initiatives for all B-CC students.

Verify your student directory listing(s)!

If you are an existing B-CC family or an incoming Westland family, you should receive an e-mail from bcc@schooldirectoryupdate.com with your login information. If you do not receive that e-mail, send an e-mail to Claire Slabaugh at claireslabaugh@gmail.com to request your username and password so you can verify your data.

Volunteer if you are new to the community. The best way to feel part of the B-CC community is to get involved, and we have plenty of opportunities. Contact David Welch, PTSA President at davidnwelch@gmail.com.

Subscribe to two listservs that provide information to parents:

- **BCCNet** focuses on school-related messages to keep parents up to date on school happenings. If you only sign up for one listserv, make it this one! To sign up, follow the link on the left side of the B-CC PTSA website, www.bccptsa.net.
- **BCCcommunity** focuses on all non-school items. This is the forum to sell your car, find a reference for a plumber, rent your beach house, etc. To sign up, send an email to bcccommunity-subscribe@yahoogroups.com. The BCC community listserv is privately maintained and is not affiliated with B-CC or the PTSA.

Buy Barons clothing for your B-CC student at the School Store located in the front hall of the school. Check www.baronsathletics.org for days and hours.

Attend a B-CC event. Sports schedules are available at the Baron's Athletics Website: www.baronsathletics.org. Information about plays and concerts is also available on the school website.

Save the Date for the PTSA's largest fundraiser, the B-CC PTSA Used Book Sale: March 10 and 11, 2018



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Buy a brick. The B-CC inner courtyard has a beautiful walkway made up of personalized, engraved bricks. You can purchase a brick and have it engraved with your own dedication for only \$75. Ordering information is on the PTSA website. Please note, bricks are installed after the end of the current school year.

Earn money for B-CC while you shop!

- **Amazon**

Follow links from the PTSA webpage to amazon.com and make purchases, the B-CC PTSA earns a referral fee on all sales. Just bookmark the page and use it every time you shop at amazon.com!

Grocery Programs

Even if you registered your Giant and Harris Teeter cards last year, you must re-register each year for B-CC to receive credit. Encourage friends and family to register their cards and designate B-CC.

- **Giant A+ School Rewards**

Log on to www.giantfood.com/aplus to register online and designate B-CC using ID #00636, or dial 1-877-275-2758 to register your card over the phone.

- **Harris Teeter**

Starting August 1st of each year, you can link your VIC card to B-CC by using school code 1819. To register, just tell your Harris Teeter cashier (during check-out) that you want B-CC's account number (1819) linked to your Harris Teeter VIC card. Or go to www.harristeeter.com to link your VIC card.

- **Sniders Super Foods and Chevy Chase Supermarket**

Both supermarkets will donate 1% of the total sales receipts that we collect by the end of the school year. You can send the receipts in periodically or save them for the year-end collection. Just leave them in the PTSA mailbox at school.

Questions?

Contact any of the PTSA 2017-2018 officers:

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