

BODKIN BANNER

SEPTEMBER
2022



Dear Bodkin families,

Wow, that summer sure did fly by! Mrs. Nee-Jackson and I hope you made wonderful memories with your family and friends. Our staff has been working very hard getting ready for the 2022-23 school year. It was wonderful seeing the excitement from the students during "Meet the Teacher." We have added some new members to our Bodkin team. Be sure to check out their bios. Our theme this year says it all, "Bodkin is a Treasure by the Bay!" **Our students, staff, and community are our treasures, and we couldn't be more excited to be a part of this Bodkin family.**

This newsletter is full of information about the upcoming year. Please take the time to read through it carefully. Here are some fun facts about this upcoming year that you may not have known:

****We now have Pre-K!** Mrs. Hare and Mrs. Richter are excited to be one of our students' 1st teachers.

•We have a very active PTA, including a Bodkin PTA Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/groups/174598099331452/> and a website full of information, BodkinPTA.com. Hope you can join us on September 13th at 7pm for our kickoff PTA meeting.

****Our students will engage in Genius Hour** to make learning come to life each Friday afternoon.

•We also have a school Twitter; follow us to stay informed @BodkinAACPS.

****We are applying to be an EXCELLENCE IN GIFTED AND TALENTED EDUCATION (EGATE)** and we are reapplying to keep our Green School status.

Your input is welcomed and valued. We hope to see you at our Back-to-School Night (for grades 1-5) on Thursday, September 1st at 6pm. This wonderful informative night is for the adults in the family. Please know that we are a phone call or e-mail away with any questions, comments, or concerns. Our door is always open! Together we can!

Sincerely, Bonnie Myers, Principal

NEXT MONTH

10/5 Schools Closed

10/6 Fitness Thursday

10/11 PTA Meeting

10/19 2 HOUR EARLY

DISMISSAL & **Wear Orange** for Unity Day

10/20 TWO HOUR
EARLY DISMISSAL &
Parent/Teacher
Conferences

10/21 Boo Grams due

10/22 CHS Cluster
Trunk or Treat

10/24-10/28 Book Fair

10/28 Boo Grams
distributed

TBD Texas Roadhouse
Fundraiser

New Office Hours
7:15am-3:15pm



Bodkin, a treasure
by the bay



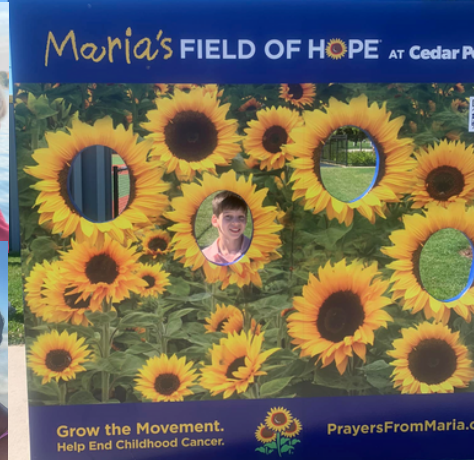
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Office 410-437-0464
Health Room 410-437-1418

SEPTEMBER

28	29 First Day of School Gr. 1-5	30	31	1	2	3
	Kindergarten Conferences Pre-K Conferences		Kindergarten Stagger Days Pre-K Stagger Days			
				Bodkin Back to School Night Gr. 1-5 6-7:30 pm		
4	5 Schools Closed Labor Day	6 First day of school for all Pre-K & Kindergarten students	7 CHS Back to School Night 6 pm	8 Vision & Hearing Screenings	9	10
11	12	13 PTA Meeting @ Bodkin 7:00pm	14	15	16 Vision & Hearing Rechecks	17
18	19 Kindergarten Field Trip to Downs Park	20 Volunteer Orientation 8:30 am & 6:00 pm	21	22	23 Fall Picture Day	24
25	26 Schools Closed Rosh Hashanah	27	28	29	30	



Reminders



- Morning arrival is 7:40-8:00 am
- Instruction begins promptly at 8:00 am
- Students who arrive after 8:00 am will be marked late
- Dismissal begins at 2:25 pm

VOLUNTEERING

To be eligible to go on a field trip, volunteer for a club, to help in a classroom, to make copies, or for an event, you must have a current background check through AACPS. Background checks expire every 2 years. Being fingerprinted is required if you will be working one on one with students or for specific field trips (Arlington Echo or Drownproofing), but it does not expire. Please make sure your background check is up to date before volunteering. To find out the status of your background check, email Mrs. Burns in the office at jmburns1@aacps.org or call the school office. To complete a background check, click on Apply for Background Check at the bottom of this link.

TRANSPORTATION

Please help us ensure that your child's arrival and dismissal are smooth each day.

Your adherence to the following is greatly appreciated:

1. Keep the car rider line moving. It is only intended for students who are prepared to exit and say goodbye quickly. Morning drop off is at the flag pole in front of Bodkin (park if you will need longer to disembark). Afternoon pick up is in the lower lot of Chesapeake Bay Middle School. Students must not be dropped off prior to **7:40 am**.

2. Keep the transportation plan consistent. Children thrive on routine and struggle to remember changes. While we understand that last minute changes are necessary from time to time, please try to adhere to a consistent transportation plan.

For last minute changes, make sure to send a signed note in with your child in the morning. In order to authorize a change, we must have your signature. Requests made via email or phone will require a fax or note dropped off at school before we will notify your child of a change of transportation procedure.

3. Behavior expectations are the same on the bus as in school. All of the same rules apply while riding on the bus! Remember, it's a privilege to ride the bus!

NO PARKING IN FIRE LANE AT ANY TIME

Parking in designated fire lanes and/or bus loops is prohibited. This prohibition extends to staff, students, visitors, spectators at athletic events, day care vans, and after school activity vans such as karate centers, clubs, etc. Any vehicle parked in a fire lane or obstructing a fire hydrant must be moved to an authorized parking space.

Maryland Motor Vehicle Law §21-101.1(b)2,3 states,

A person may not drive a motor vehicle in violation of any provision of this title on any property that is owned by or under the control of this State or any of its political subdivisions, county boards of education, or community colleges and that is open to vehicular traffic and used by the public in general. Any person who violates any provision of this subsection is in violation of the law to the same extent and is subject to the same penalty as if the motor vehicle were driven on a highway.

As you know, in a critical emergency, the loss of every minute caused by vehicles blocking fire and police department access can become critical.

If you have any questions, please contact Terri Whitehead, Supervisor of Transportation at 410-923-7890.

PE NEWS

Please remember to send your child to school in appropriate footwear on PE days. Crocs are super popular now, but they are not tennis shoes. No boots or flipflops. Students need to wear sneakers/tennis shoes on their assigned PE day. Thanks so much for your support!



What Bus Do You Ride?

**Bus numbers have changed for several routes
& we have fewer buses.**

Please look over the Bus Route Schedule very carefully and be sure that you and your student know what bus he/she rides home. Please share this information with this year's new homeroom teacher for the first day of school. Bus schedules are available online (aacps.org) and will be posted at school. Please look up this important information and share it with the teacher before school begins.

What Bus Do You Ride?



EMERGENCY CARDS

Each year, we ask families to update emergency information (phone numbers, email, emergency contacts) through the online portal (<https://secure.aacps.org/webapps/SEFP/OSS/ECvr>). Please do this right away if you have not updated for this upcoming year. If you need help with your child's pin number, please call Bodkin (410-437-0464).



What's Going On?

FALL PICTURE DAY

Smile for the Camera! Our individual pictures will be taken on Friday, September 23. Picture envelopes will be sent home prior to picture day. If you purchase pictures online, please send in the picture envelope with receipt information on picture day. Otherwise, exact cash or check payable to Classic Photography should be sent in the picture envelope. This picture will be used for the yearbook. Also, there will be a make-up picture day on November 11 for anyone interested in a retake or for those absent on picture day. Class pictures will be taken in the Spring.



Back to School Night

Join us on Thursday, September 1 at 6:00 pm for Back to School Night for grades 1-5. This event is parent-focused (students should not attend if possible).

VOLUNTEER ORIENTATION

Tuesday, September 20th at 8:30 am and 6:00 pm

Bodkin's faculty and staff would like to invite all new and returning volunteers to join us for our Annual Volunteer Orientation. We will have a daytime and evening opportunity for our Annual Volunteer Orientation and Fair on Tuesday, September 20th at 8:30 am and 6:00 pm. Volunteers only need to attend one session. (Doors open at 8:15 am on September 20 to sign-in visitors – please bring your ID.) All volunteers are invited to join us for an overview and light refreshments. There will be a variety of tables set up to highlight volunteer opportunities at Bodkin. Each table will have a sign-up sheet for interested volunteers. Volunteers are encouraged to visit each of the tables to learn about the many opportunities for volunteering at Bodkin - Primary and Intermediate Classrooms, Media, Music, Vision and Hearing – Health Room, Office, and PTA. We will discuss County Guidelines for volunteering, including background and fingerprinting checks for volunteering and field trips. Also, volunteers, who have not previously viewed the PowerPoint, Sexual Harassment and Child Abuse, will have the opportunity to view the PowerPoint. In addition, we will discuss sign-in procedures in the main office as well as tracking volunteer hours on a computerized system. Please contact Mrs. Nee-Jackson at snee-jackson@aacps.org or 410-437-0464 with any questions. Thank you!!!

HEALTH ROOM TIPS

- If your student is sick, please keep them at home. Our students need to be able to focus on their academic studies and that is hard to do when they don't feel well.
- If a student has a fever of 100.0 degrees or over, they need to be kept home for 24-hours until fever-free without medications. We also recommend testing for COVID with any presentation of a fever, especially over 100.4 degrees.
- AACPS COVID procedures follow the recommendations from the CDC.
 - o Symptoms to look out for: sore throat, cough, congestion, fever, and fatigue
 - o If your student is positive or exposed, please reach out to the Health Room and we will provide you with the appropriate actions for your student's return to school.
- If your student has a medication they take regularly or as needed that should be kept at school, prescription or over the counter, here are some tips:
 - o These can be brought to the Health Room on the first day of school with the appropriate documentation.
 - o There is a form that must be filled out by the pediatrician before any medication can be brought to school. If you need a copy, please email nurse2082@aacps.org and we will send it to you.
 - o All medications (whether prescription or over the counter) must be new, sealed, in the original packaging it came in, and (if applicable) with the prescription attached.
 - o No medication is to be brought to school by a student. It must be brought by an adult with the proper medication administration form signed by a physician.

LUNCHES

If your student had money left over on a lunch account (from a previous year) and remains in an Anne Arundel County public school, the money remains on the account and will roll over to this year. This includes Fifth Graders going to middle school. If you would like to check a balance, or add money, it is FREE to set up an account on www.mypaymentsplus.com. There is a link on the Bodkin website! Free and Reduced Lunch Applications are available online at: <https://aacpsschools.org/nutrition/apply-for-free-or-reduced-price-meals/>. Please pay close attention to the due date for this annual application.

Breakfast-\$1.50 (Full price)

\$0.00 (Reduced/Free)

Lunch-\$2.75 (Full price)

\$0.00 (Reduced/Free)



SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Our county has provided us with some funding to support families with school supplies, you will only need to provide the highlighted items on the list. Here's the [link](#) for your reference. You may need to replenish as needed. If you need any support with purchasing, please let us know as we have additional funding to support our families.

STUDENT HANDBOOK

Every student will be reviewing the student handbook during the first few weeks of school. We ask that families take some time to review and discuss with your child. The handbook can be found [here](#).

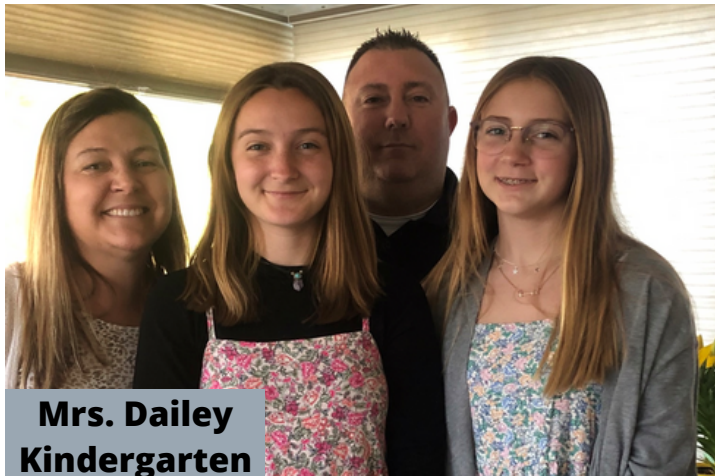
Please sign the handbook acknowledgement form either virtually ([link](#)) or request a paper option from our front office or from your child's teacher.



CHROMEBOOKS

Students in grades kindergarten, first and second grades will not be required to transport their Chromebook back and forth. A school Chromebook will be assigned to these students. Students in grades 3-5 will be required to bring their charged Chromebook to school each day. If you are new to our school, we will get them one on the first week of school.

NEW STAFF MEMBERS



Mrs. Dailey
Kindergarten

Hi Bodkin families! My name is Stacy Dailey, and I am excited to be teaching Kindergarten at Bodkin this year. I have taught over 20 years in Anne Arundel county in grades Pre-K through fourth grade at Oakwood Elementary. Yes, that's a long time at one school. I am thrilled to start this new journey as a Bodkin bulldog, and I can't wait to see where this

adventure takes us! During the summer months, look for me relaxing at Ocean City with my toes in the sand. I love being outdoors for many reasons: walking on the beach with my dog Gunner, hiking in the state parks, and playing softball with my husband are a few of my favorites. I am married with two children (college and high school). My family loves sports (Go Ravens and Orioles) and my girls keep me super busy as I travel often for my youngest daughter's competitive gymnastics and lacrosse seasons. I can't wait to spend the next year learning and growing with you all!

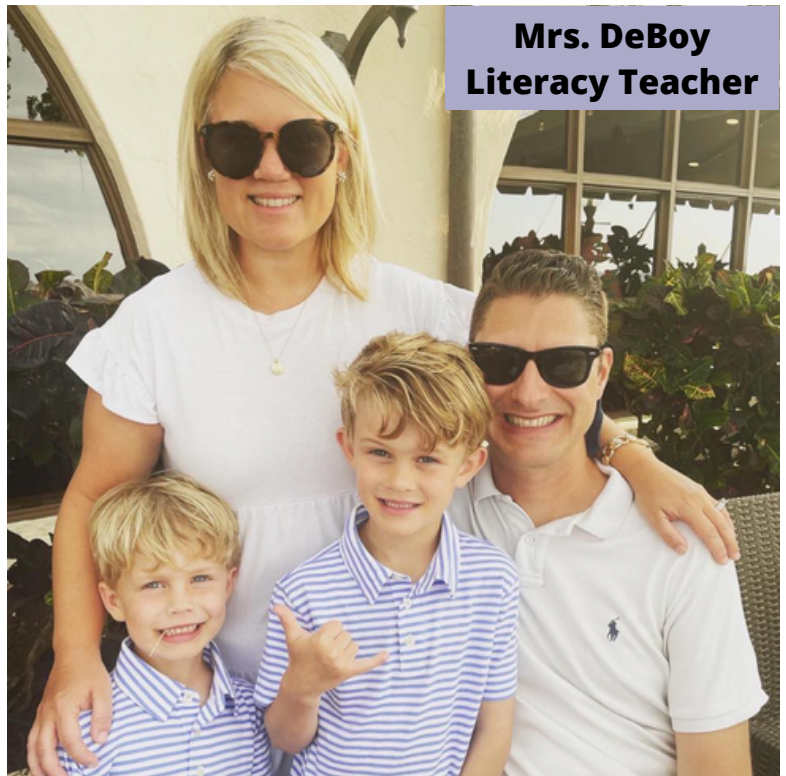


I am excited to join the Bodkin family! All 6 of my children attended Bodkin Elementary and so did my husband. My youngest is currently a student. This will be my 11th year teaching and I am glad to continue my journey here. I previously taught at Freetown Elementary. I have taught 2nd grade and STEM. I can't wait to teach Global Studies! My family has 2 dogs and we love the water. You can catch us out on our boat or on the sports field. I also enjoy reading.



Hey Ya'll! M name is Stacie Rogers and I am the Special Education TA. I worked for AACPS 2006-2011. It feels so great to be back and even better to be part of Bodkin! I am mom to David, Benji, and Noah. I am also a marine wife to Dave. I love Jesus, making shirts, singing songs, reading, traveling, the beach and pool! I am so excited to be part of the Bodkin team!

My name is Molly DeBoy and I will be the new part time Literacy Teacher at Bodkin. I am coming with experience as a Literacy Teacher at Southgate Elementary for 7 years! I worked there with Mrs. Myers AND Mrs. Zapf. They told me how wonderful it was at Bodkin, so of course I had to join the team! Before that I worked as a teacher in grades 1st and 3rd. I love all things reading and writing! If I am not working, you will find me on a beach with a book in hand (unless, I'm out on the sports field or building sandcastles with my two boys). I am



Mrs. DeBoy
Literacy Teacher

mom to Jack (8) and Bowen (5). They certainly keep me on my toes, but I wouldn't have it any other way. I live in Catonsville with them and my husband, Steve. As a family we love to travel, swim, ride bikes, hike, and cook. I cannot wait to meet all of the amazing families at Bodkin.



Mrs. Collins
Special Education Teacher

Hello Bodkin Family! My name is Brenda Collins. I am the new Special Education Teacher. I recently spent 13 happy years at Hilltop Elementary School. Now, I am excited to work with the staff, students, and families here at Bodkin. Your reputation precedes you!

I am married and have two beautiful kids. My son Gregory is in the Air Force. He is stationed in England. My daughter Claire is a Registered Nurse here in Anne Arundel County. Spending time with my adult kids is my joy. I also enjoy visiting historical sites and cities and reading books about history.



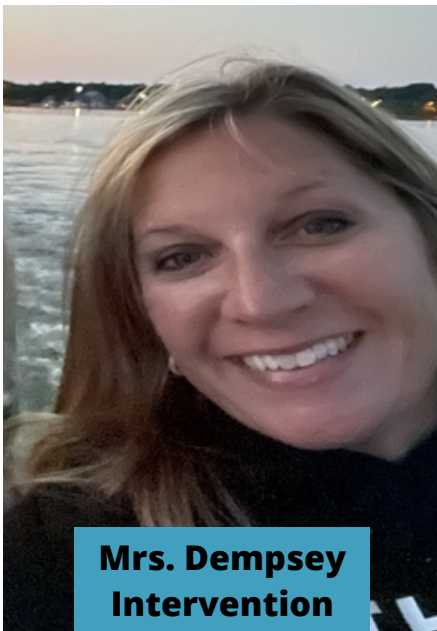
Hello Bodkin Families! My name is Taylor Council and I am Bodkin's new art teacher! Being an art teacher at Bodkin is a dream come true because it's also my childhood elementary school. (Once a bulldog, always a bulldog!) I fell in love with art as a little girl in Mrs. Ann Cramer's classroom and I can't believe I get to call it MY classroom. This is my second year teaching. I graduated from Towson University in May of 2021 with a Bachelor's in Art + Design and Art Education. I spent my first year teaching art at Broadneck and Cape St. Claire Elementary. I truly loved my students and colleagues, but my heart always belonged to Bodkin. Prior to teaching, I was a forklift driver while attending school.

This summer, you can catch me inside teaching high school art! (No tan for me.) In my spare time, I play softball on a co-ed team as a first baseman and an outfielder. I also LOVE music and enjoy live shows. (Foo Fighters are my favorite!) I love traveling and more recently, I've gotten into cooking, and I love trying new recipes (if you have any, please send them)! And of course, I LOVE ART! I just moved to a new home and I have been busy making it my own. I have 3 nieces and 1 nephew, and they are my very best friends. I am beyond excited to meet my new colleagues and students this year!

(Please feel free to follow my teachers Instagram account--I post projects that different grades are working on as a way of connecting with parents. @Ms.Council is my username)



My name is Melissa Trost and I am the new PPW for the Chesapeake cluster which includes Bodkin ES. I am excited to work with such an amazing team! I am coming from the Alternative One position with a background in secondary teaching before then. I love dogs, art, and one-design sailboat racing. In my free time I try to travel as much as possible and really enjoy our national parks; to date I have visited 26 national parks!



Mrs. Dempsey
Intervention



Hello, Bodkin Families! My name is Kristin Dempsey and I am thrilled to be part of the Bodkin Family once again. As the Early Reading Intervention teacher, I will be working with First and Second Grade students.

I am a Pasadena native! I attended Bodkin Elementary K-5, Chesapeake Bay Middle and Chesapeake High School. I earned my Elementary Education Degree from Canisius College in Buffalo, NY and traveled to many states, countries and schools after that due to being a Military Spouse. Upon returning to Pasadena permanently in 2014, I earned my Masters in Reading and began teaching once again in Maryland at Solley Elementary. After four years there, I broadened my horizons and accepted a Reading Intervention position at Chesapeake Bay Middle School and worked with some amazing students and staff.

I have been married for 21 years and have two sons who attended Bodkin after we returned from our Pensacola, FL duty station. My son, Blake recently graduated from Chesapeake and will be attending Coastal Carolina

University. Grant, my youngest will be a Junior at Chesapeake. We all love to travel, fish, and play games together. I am looking forward to working with the students, staff and parents of Bodkin.

Hi Bodkin families! My name is Angela Nicklas and I will be the new Speech Language Pathologist or Speech Therapist at Bodkin. I am transitioning to Bodkin from 2 elementary schools on Ft. Meade: I have been with Anne Arundel County Public Schools for 5 years now. I grew up and currently live in Pasadena, and I am excited to work closer to home and in the Bodkin community. During the summer months, look for me traveling, sitting by the pool or with my toes in the sand at the beach. I also am an avid gym goer and spend the remainder of my time cheering my kids on at various sporting events. I have 2 children. My son is eleven and entering his first year of middle school and my daughter is 16 and will be a junior in high school. In addition to my human children, I have 2 cats and 2 dogs who occupy a lot of my time. I look forward to meeting and connecting with everyone this upcoming year.



Ms. Nicklas
Speech Teacher

SUPER TIPS & TRICKS FOR BACK TO SCHOOL

- **Plan.** Use a calendar and make a plan for the family to include sports, extracurricular, school events, birthday parties and homework/projects.
- **Tighten up on screen/phone/tablet/gaming time.** Regardless of your child's technology interests, having a healthy balance is, well, healthier.
- **Schedule time to read together** (tell them it's a Bodkin requirement).
- **Sleep...take a look at bed times and sleep as students transition back to school especially with our new schedule.** Elementary age children require 10-11 hours and some need a little more.
- **Talk...check in.** How is your child feeling about coming back? Schedule a playdate or time to meet friends at a park or other outing. Seeing friends/classmates before the first day can help your child feel more connected as they return.
- **Create a cool study space.** While collecting back to school supplies, create a home area reserved for homework/projects. Buy extra pencils, a sharpener, paper, markers, glue, and scissors for at home availability.
- **Designate a drop spot for bookbags/instruments, etc. for easy-breezy mornings.**
- **Practice using the evenings as a "get ready" time.** Set out clothes, pack lunch, and scan the plan for the next day/evening activities. Evaluate how it is going. Let the kids have some say in the plan and it is likely to work out easier.
- **Set up a file (or bin) for school papers.** It can be a great drop spot for kiddos and serve as great reminders.
- **Stay involved.** Something is sent home with your child most days. Be sure your child(ren) use the planner, stay on top of Parent Portal, and check the take-home folder nightly. It can be helpful to network with classmates when there are questions.
- **Connect with your child's teacher.** If there is something you think would be helpful for your child's teacher to know as he/she gets to know your child...reach out. Send a quick email or call.



Jennifer Elsis
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410-437-0464

Welcome Back!

Looks like a super year ahead at Bodkin! I'm excited to return as your school counselor and look forward to helping your child(ren) and family on your journey ahead. Up, up, and away we will soar!

If your child could use a bit of help getting back into the swing of things, please let me know how I can be of help. I am looking forward to meeting our new families at the New Family Orientation and seeing everyone else at our Meet & Greet.

School Supplies & Holiday Assistance

If your family needs help with school supplies, please let me know. We have many businesses and community members who reach out and offer extra donations. The Bodkin School community also offers assistance for Thanksgiving and support with holiday gifts. Please call me if your family would benefit from some extra help.

Community News & Events

Mt. Carmel Child Development Center Registration

Fall registration has been open to the community. We have openings in many of our programs.

For more information, contact Dawn Rey at 410-255-2429 or mtcarmelcdc2@gmail.com.

Website: [Mt Carmel CDC](http://MtCarmelCDC.org)



Rotary Family FunDay

Lake Shore - Severna Park Rotary

Hosted by **The Y in Pasadena**
26 Magothy Beach Rd • Pasadena, MD 21122
Saturday, September 17, 2022
10 am to 1 pm

FREE ADMISSION

Admission includes...
Pony Rides (10:30-12:30), Swimming, Games, Face Painting, Moon Bounce & More!

FREE SNACKS, SODA, JUICE BOXES AND WATER AVAILABLE

FUNDS RAISE \$\$\$\$ to benefit youth programs, students and student Y programs

RAFFLE \$1 FOR 1 \$5 FOR 6

ASK US ABOUT ROTARY

NON PROFIT RESOURCE ORGANIZATIONS AVAILABLE FOR INFORMATION

Downs Park Summer Concerts

9/4	4:30-6:30 pm	Hot Club of Baltimore	Jazz
9/11	4:30-6:30 pm	Blues and Gold (Military)	Blues
9/18	4:30-6:30 pm	4 on the Floor with Overdrive	50s, 60s & 70s
9/25	4:30-6:30 pm	Back Pages Band LLC	60s

Mountain Road Library Events

9/7 Space Exploration 3:00 pm

Enjoy fun, hands-on, educational activities as we learn about the James Webb Telescope, the largest and most complex space science telescope ever built. Registration required, ends 9/7 @ 3:00 pm.

9/10 Pokemon Party 2:00-3:00pm

Calling all Pokemon trainers! You're invited to a Pokemon Party! Make your own Pokeballs, play Pokemon trivia, and catch the Pokemon hiding in the library! Participants are welcome to bring their Pokemon cards and devices to play Pokemon Go around the library.



9/16 American Red Cross Blood Drive 10:00 am-3:00 pm

Basic requirements for donating blood: general good health; 17 to 75 years of age (16 with written parental consent); and a weight of at least 110 pounds. Walk-in or call the American Red Cross at 1.800.733.2767 to schedule an appointment.

Donation drop offs on Mondays from 5-6 pm

Fill-A-Bag Friday

Friday Sept. 2, 16 & 30 6:00-8:00 pm

ID IS REQUIRED

8513 Ft. Smallwood Rd Pasadena 21122

aring UPboard baby pantry

#fillingthecupboardfillsstheheart

PTA News



**Next PTA Meeting is Tuesday,
September 13th, 2022 at 7:00pm
@ Bodkin Elementary**

PTA WEBSITE - www.bodkinpta.com

FACEBOOK – [facebook/BODKIN ELEMENTARY PTA](https://facebook.com/BODKIN%20ELEMENTARY%20PTA)

PTA MEMBERSHIPS & SWAG STORE

The Cheddar Up store is open! Sign up for your PTA membership today by using this link <https://bodkin-pta-2022-2023.cheddarup.com>. Store closes on September 22, 2022. When signing up for PTA you are automatically entered for a chance to win an amazing prize! We have a prize for Staff Members and Bodkin Families!

SPIRIT WEAR

We are excited to announce that we are trying something new this year! Bodkin will be opening up an online store. We will be sending out more information very shortly with a link to our store. Make sure to keep an eye out for this, trust me you don't want to miss out! We will have 4 color options and this year we will have 2 options for Unity Day specific shirts!

BODKIN ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP - OUTDOOR MAINTENANCE

This committee is working hard to make our school grounds look beautiful! More information to come as they are planning fall and spring Volunteer Clean-Up. Stay tuned for exact dates.

SPIRIT STICKS

Spirit Stick Orders are due September 24th! The order form is attached. Make sure to send it in with your student today. What are Spirit Sticks? Spirit Sticks are small custom-embroidered patches that students can earn, collect, and display on their bookbags. Each Bodkin Bulldog received a grade spirit stick and ring the first week of school! Spirit Sticks® promote school spirit and your student will even be able to earn them from teachers and administrators. Surprise your student for birthdays and holidays throughout the year.

SPECIAL THANK YOU

Special shout out to the committee volunteers who have been working hard in making sure our school looks great and our amazing staff is taken care of. Without them we couldn't do it! Thank you Courtney Mills - Indoor Beautification for making our hallways look like we are a true Treasure by the Bay.

Kristal Trohanowsky and Jacki Fishback - you blew the staff away with your amazing lunch and the flowers were a much appreciated extra touch! Of course all the families who help donate to the staff grab bags, what an amazing extra treat!

Jennifer Montrose - Way to get those raffles together getting everyone excited to join the PTA!!!

CHESAPEAKE CLUSTER

TRUNK OR TREAT

School has started and Halloween is right around the corner! It's time to start thinking about being a part of this amazing event! The Chesapeake Cluster Trunk or Treat is looking for Trunks, Sponsors, Vendors, Community Partners, and Food Trucks. Check out our flyers attached!

Prizes this year are better than ever! Over \$1300 in prizes for Trunks and Costumes.

Trunk Contest - Come ready to compete because we have some amazing prizes! We had some creative ones in the past and are ready to see what will be brought this time around!

- 1st place - \$400 in prizes
- 2nd place - \$300 in prizes
- 3rd place - \$200 in prizes
- 4th place - \$100 in prizes

Costume Contest - over \$25 in prizes! We will have separate contests for Elementary School age kids, Middle School age kids, and High School age kids. Each age group will have these 4 categories for a chance to win!

1. Best Overall
2. Scariest
3. Most Creative
4. Funniest

If you would like to be a part of this amazing event, please use the Cheddar Up Link below to sign up today - <https://my.cheddarup.com/c/2022-chesapeake-cluster-trunk-or-treat> Sponsor registration closed 9/15/22. Food truck and Community Partner registration closes 10/1/22. Trunks and Vendor registration closes 10/15/22.

Make sure you stop by one of our tasty food trucks. We will have Kathy's Mini Donuts, Menke Boys BBQ, and Miss Tee's Cafe for some tasty treats.

To make this all possible and the best Trunk or Treat around, we are looking for sponsors to help support! Take a look at the flyer attached at what we are offering our sponsors!

Big SHOUT OUT to our wonderful Sponsors:

HOCUS POCUS SPONSORS

● Cityline Business Park

○ Cityline Business Park is an ideal business location for commercial leased property. Strategically located near I-95, Cityline has over 10 acres of industrial-zoned site available for long-term lease and/or development. Cityline has been a long-time supporter of Chesapeake Cluster schools and programs. <http://www.citylinebaltimore.com/>

● Haas and Sons Electric, Inc.

○ Haas and Sons Electric is your Neighborhood Electrician, based in Pasadena that provides top-level services for all your household electrical needs. Experienced with old homes to new homes we repair, replace, and upgrade electrical components in your home.

○ PH: 443-396-3797. Email: info@haasandsons.com or check us out on the web at haasandsons.com.

● Holly Greenstreet - Exit Realty

○ Holly is a local realtor, ready to help you and your family and friends with your home buying needs. She has been a realtor for 11 years and lives right here in Pasadena!

○ PH: 410-705-6296, Email:

holly.greenstreet@yahoo.com or check her out at holly.servingcentralmaryland.com

● Kavern

○ We are your spot for snowballs and ice cream! There is something here to satisfy the sweet tooth of everyone in the family.

○ PH: 410-544-7898 or check us out on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100057586563646>

● Play and Thrive Speech Therapy

○ Play & Thrive Speech Therapy provides play-based speech and language services, with an emphasis on empowering families to help support growth across all environments. We serve families in person in Anne Arundel County and virtually in MD, TX and AK.

○ PH: 907-215-3033, Email"

anndmarietheslp@playandthrivespeech.com, check us out online at

<https://www.playandthrivespeech.com/> or on at <https://www.facebook.com/playandthrivespeech>

● The Rumor Meal/The Rumor Reel

○ One of Pasadena's best waterfront dining restaurants. Come see for yourself!

<http://www.therumorreelpasadena.com/> and
<http://www.therumormealpasadena.com/>

GRAVEYARD SPONSOR

● Brantley Builders

○ Fall is coming! Let this family owned and operated company help you fall in love with your home again! Brantley Builders is a small, local home remodeling business here in Pasadena. Tracie and George have great customer service and they offer comfortable/competitive pricing! Licensed and insured. Brantley Builders offer small services to whole house remodel jobs including but not limited to decks, additions, bathrooms, kitchens, custom work etc!. Brantley Builders offers free estimates. Let the Brantley Builders family work for your family! Email them today to set up your estimate: brantleybuildersmd@gmail.com. Check out their Facebook Page

<https://www.facebook.com/brantleybuildersmd>

● Pic N Paint Pottery

○ Pic N Paint Pottery is a contemporary "paint your own pottery studio", located here in Pasadena, MD on Mountain Road. You pick your ceramic piece, paint it, and then come back and pick it up a week later after they've fired it. You can host a birthday party, or ladies night, and they do workshops, camps and school/organization fundraisers!

○ Visit <http://www.picnpaintpottery.com/> for more information.

● H2O Mobile Detailing

○ Do you like a clean auto, jet-ski, boat, or RV, but don't want to do it yourself? Great news, this Veteran-Owned business will come to you!!! They have packages to suit all of your needs and some great reviews. They also sell gift cards! You know your car smells like the hobbies your kids having you driving them to - sports (funky equipment and sweaty socks), theater (paint and sweaty socks), summer camp (fun and sweaty socks). Let H2O Mobile Wash and Detailing help you get rid of those smells! What a great gift for the holidays, Mother/Fathers Day or even Graduation! Check out this Pasadena business for your detailing needs! You can find all the information you need on the website or FB page, and even schedule your appointment online!

<https://h2omobilewash-32.websselfsite.net/accueil>

<https://www.facebook.com/h2omobilewash>

● LakeShore McDonalds

○ The LakeShore McDonalds has been a family favorite for years. Owned by the Zolman family for 6 years, we hope that our support gives back to the community that we love!

● Shamrock Electric, LLC

○ Shamrock Electric, LLC is dedicated to providing reliable electrical services and solutions to residential and commercial customers. Striving to maintain lifelong relationships with our customers, we provide quality products and services at a fair price by always considering the timeline and budget.

○ PH: 443-487-6082, Email:

ShamrockElectricalServices@gmail.com, or on Facebook at

https://www.facebook.com/ShamrockES/?tn-str=k*F
Join us for a fun-filled afternoon with family, friends, and community members. We look forward to seeing you all there!

Follow us on Facebook "Chesapeake Cluster Trunk or Treat" for up-to-date information on the event.
<https://www.facebook.com/events/1106428933552185>
For questions, please email
chesapeaketrunkortreat@gmail.com

ONGOING WAYS TO HELP

Harris Teeter

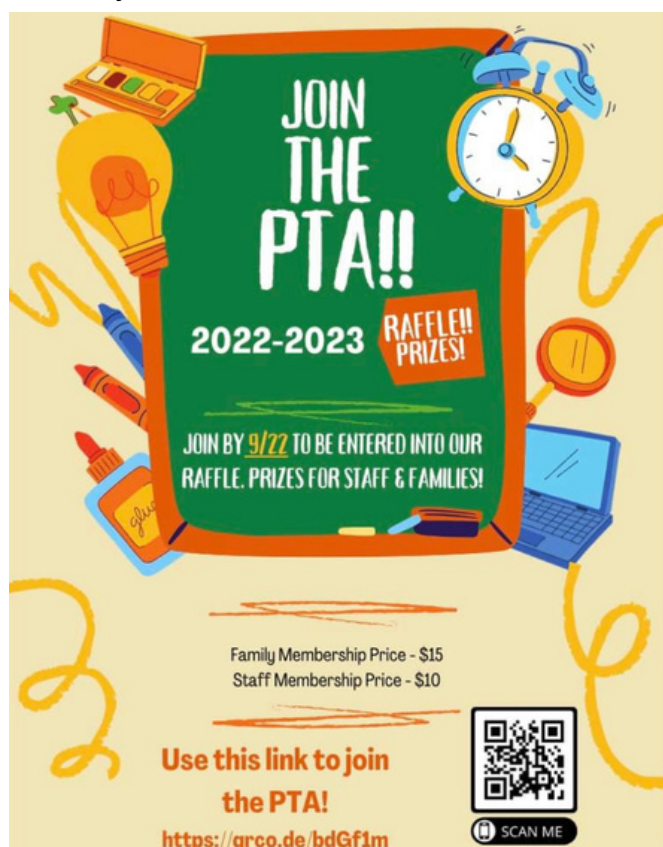
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Box Tops/Coke Rewards

Box Tops is digital! Please make sure to download the boxtops4education app for a super easy way to earn \$ for the PTA. Simply sign up for Bodkin, scan your store receipts, and you're done! No clipping or sending them in to school. Don't forget to send in those Coke Codes too! We raised \$1250 last year in Coke Rewards alone! The amazing support from the school is unbelievable! Contact Jenna Burns at Bodkinboxtops@gmail.com.

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If you shop at Amazon simply go to smile.amazon.com on your web browser or activate AmazonSmile on your Amazon Shopping app on your iOS or Android phone (found under settings on your app). On your browser, you may also want to add a bookmark to smile.amazon.com to make it even easier to return and start your shopping at AmazonSmile. When you're using the app, always check for the "AmazonSmile" logo to ensure you're activated for AmazonSmile. Select Bodkin Elementary PTA.




JOIN THE PTA!!

2022-2023 RAFFLE!! PRIZES!

JOIN BY 9/22 TO BE ENTERED INTO OUR RAFFLE. PRIZES FOR STAFF & FAMILIES!

Family Membership Price - \$15
Staff Membership Price - \$10

Use this link to join the PTA!
<https://qrco.de/bdGf1m>



SCAN ME

SPONSORSHIP OPTIONS

\$250 - Hocus Pocus Level

- Everything listed below
- Plus - Company Logo will be printed on our custom Cluster Trunk or Treat Bag that the first 500 attendees will receive

\$150 - Graveyard Level

- Company Logo on our banner that will be centrally located at the event for all attendees to see.
- Your Company will receive advertisement on the Chesapeake and Trunk or Treat Facebook Page
- Mentioned as a participating sponsor on an event eblast that goes out before the event to all Chesapeake Cluster schools. Approx. 4,000 families

ALL SPONSORSHIP LEVELS: IF YOUR COMPANY HAS ANY PROMO ITEMS THAT YOU WOULD LIKE INCLUDED IN OUR TRICK OR TREAT BAG PLEASE HAVE THE ITEMS TO US BY FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9TH.

PLEASE CLICK THE LINK TO BECOME A SPONSOR

CHESAPEAKE FEEDER TRUNK OR TREAT

PRESENTED BY THE CHESAPEAKE SCHOOL PTA'S

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22
3-6PM @ CHS PARKING LOT

COSTUME & TRUNK CONTESTS

FOOD TRUCKS
CANDY
VENDORS
MUSIC

FOLLOW US ON
FACEBOOK "CHESAPEAKE
CLUSTER TRUNK OR
TREAT" FOR UP-TO-DATE
INFORMATION ON THE
EVENT.

To sign up to decorate a Trunk, as a Vendor, or Sponsor use this link:

<https://my.cheddarup.com/c/2022-chesapeake-cluster-trunk-or-treat>

2022-2023 Spirit Sticks

**Send your children some fun
during the school year!**

Can't decide on just 1 Holiday/Event Spirit Stick – order them all!

PTA will deliver them to your Bulldog during each holiday/event week.



Birthday/ Half Birthday Spirit Sticks will be delivered
within 2 weeks of the requested date

\$1 per Spirit Stick

ORDER FORM –Return by 9/24/22

One form per child

Student's Name: _____ Grade: _____ Teacher: _____

Parent's Name: _____ Phone or email: _____

SPIRIT STICKS

Indicate the number of sticks

Halloween _____ x \$1

Thanksgiving _____ x \$1

Christmas or Holiday _____ x \$1 **(CIRCLE WHICH STICK)**

Winter _____ x \$1

Valentine's Day _____ x \$1 Only One Design

100 Days of School _____ x \$1

Groundhog Day _____ x \$1 Only One Design

St. Patrick's Day _____ x \$1

Easter _____ x \$1 Only One Design

Summertime _____ x \$1 Only One Design

OTHER FUN THINGS

Bodkin Spirit Rings 1 key ring @ \$5 _____

2 key rings @ \$8 _____

3 key rings @ \$10 _____

Birthday &/or Half-Birthday _____ x \$1

Birthday &/OR Half Birthday

MUST INCLUDE A DATE

\$ _____

Total included

Cash or Check

Make Checks to Bodkin PTA

*If you send 1 check for multiple
children – please send all order forms
together*

Spirit Rings



Get your Bulldog one of our custom-embroidered key rings to display their Spirit Sticks!

Spirit Rings™ work great on backpacks, lunch boxes, instrument cases, jackets and more.

\$5 each, 2 for \$8 or 3 for \$10

Birthday Grams

**You can send fun to your child for their birthday, or ½ birthday.
Please let us know if it's their ½ birthday.**



Half-Birthday Design

PLEASE NOTE: Birthdays outside of the school year will be distributed in June unless specified otherwise



Birthday Design
Or Similar

This Year's Designs

- Specific design requests cannot be guaranteed



Spirit Sticks US Patent No. 9,396,374

- If multiple sticks are ordered for the same holiday, your child will not receive a duplicate.
- Not all stick designs have been released yet.

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