



Marriotts Ridge High School PTSA July, 2011

Parents and students,

Welcome to the 2011-2012 school year at Marriotts Ridge High School! As the PTSA president, I am looking forward to the opportunity to work with each member of the Marriotts Ridge HS community to make this a successful school year. The PTSA will continue to support activities at our school. I look forward to working with the executive board and administration to support our students and families. As a membership organization, we rely on our members to contribute time and skills through membership and participation of all families for the success of our activities.

The enclosed forms will allow you to sign up to join the MRHS PTSA, to volunteer, learn about the many important initiatives sponsored by your Parent Teacher Student Association. We are very excited to offer MRHS PTSA scholarships to our seniors again this year, and hope that you will contribute to the fund by simply signing up to be a member. **Student membership is a requirement to apply for a PTSA scholarship.** The first step to support the PTSA is to complete and return the membership application.

Back-to-School Night will be held on Wednesday, August 31st at 7:00 PM. The evening begins in the Auditorium. Please mark that date on your calendar. Studies continue to show that parental involvement in a child's education is one of the strongest indicators of student achievement.

The MRHS PTSA is currently seeking a few volunteers willing to Chair or serve on important committees and representatives for the PTA council of Howard County. Further details can be found on the Volunteer Form in this packet. Please contact me directly if you would like more information or if you are willing to offer your time.

I'm excited about the opportunity to get to know you, and I'm looking forward to a happy and productive school year. Please feel free to contact me at my email address below if you have a suggestion or want to assist us to serve the Marriotts Ridge community.

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