

## **The PTA Mission**

The mission of the PTA is threefold:

- ⤴ To support and speak on behalf of children and youth in schools, in the community, and before governmental bodies and other organizations that make decisions affecting children; and
- ⤴ To assist parents in developing the skills needed to raise and protect their children; and
- ⤴ To encourage parent and public involvement in the public schools of this nation.

## **The Objects of the PTA**

- ⤴ To promote the welfare of children and youth in home, school, community, and place of worship.
- ⤴ To raise the standards of home life.
- ⤴ To secure adequate laws for the care and protection of children and youth.
- ⤴ To bring into closer relation the home and the school, that parents and teachers may cooperate intelligently in the education of children and youth.
- ⤴ To develop between educators and the general public such united efforts as will secure for all children and youth the highest advantages in physical, mental, social, and spiritual education.

## **Carroll County Council of PTAs Goals**

- ⤴ Promote the PTA mission statement and objects of the PTA.
- ⤴ Increase parent, family, and community involvement and expand their roles in all issues involving children in all schools.
- ⤴ Reach out and support all local PTAs and increase local PTA participation at the Council level through personal contact and training.
- ⤴ Continue open communication and sharing of issues between the Carroll County Council of PTAs, the state PTA, the Board of Education, and the superintendent and directors.

## Important Information

⇒ CCCPTA                      P. O. Box 2491                      Westminster, MD 21157

⇒ **Our insurance carrier is:** (Local PTAs **MUST** have insurance coverage. It is your option to use the umbrella policy with this company or purchase insurance from another company.)

**R.V. Nuccio and Associates - 1 800- 567-2685**

Call Nuccio with any questions you have concerning your coverage with them.

**Check the expiration date of your policy. All policies should be mailed directly to you from Nuccio if you are insured through them. Current costs are below.**

Each local PTA should budget:

Commercial General Liability Policy	\$110.00
Bonding	\$85.00
Directors and Officers (optional)	\$60.00

⇒ **Council Dues are to be submitted by November 15 each year**

Council dues provide training and networking opportunities throughout the year.

Council Dues	\$100.00
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⇒ **State and National Dues should be sent to State PTA**

PTA dues are:

\$1.75 to National PTA & \$1.50 to Maryland State PTA (Total: \$3.25 per member)

November 1 is the deadline for all new memberships

Final payment for the year is due by March 15 each year

Various awards are available from State PTA for prompt reporting.

⇒ **Audits are due to Council by November 1 each year**

Audit tally sheet is included in this packet.

⇒ **If you have publicity or other information to share**

Contact the office of Community and Media Relations (W. Carey Gaddis):

410-751-3020 (phone)      410-751-3030 (fax)      [publicinfo@k12.carr.org](mailto:publicinfo@k12.carr.org) (e-mail)

Note: Please be sure to include your name, title/position, and school or department.

⇒ **Reflections**

Deadline for entries to council is January 1

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## CARROLLCOUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION Meeting schedule 2005-2006

All regular board meetings will be held in Room 007 at central office  
125 North Court Street ~ Westminster

Wednesday, September 14, 2005	Board Meeting	5:00pm
Thursday, September 22, 2005	Board Meeting	1:00pm
	Board Work Session	2:00pm
Wednesday, October 12, 2005	Board Meeting	5:00pm
Wednesday, October 26, 2005	Board Meeting	1:00pm
	Board Work Session	2:00pm
Wednesday, November 9, 2005	Board Meeting	5:00pm
Wednesday, December 14, 2005	Board Meeting	5:00pm
Wednesday, January 11, 2006	Board Meeting	5:00pm
Wednesday, January 25, 2006	Board Meeting	2:00pm
	Board Work Session	3:00pm
Wednesday, February 8, 2006	Board Meeting	5:00pm
Wednesday, February 22, 2006	Board Meeting	1:00pm
	Board Work Session	2:00pm
Wednesday, March 8, 2006	Board Meeting	5:00pm
Wednesday, March 22, 2006	Board Meeting	1:00pm
	Board Work Session	2:00pm
Wednesday, April 12, 2006	Board Meeting	5:00pm
Wednesday, April 26, 2006	Board Meeting	2:00pm
	Board Work Session	3:00pm
Wednesday, May 10, 2006	Board Meeting	5:00pm
Wednesday, May 24, 2006	Board Meeting	1:00pm
	Board Work Session	2:00pm
Wednesday, June 14, 2006	Board Meeting	5:00pm
Wednesday, June 28, 2006	Board Meeting	1:00pm
	Board Work Session	2:00pm

Board meetings are broadcast live on Carroll Educational Television (CETV) – Channel 21 on Adelphia Cable. Rebroadcasts air on Thursday at 8:00pm, Saturday at 9:00am, Sunday at 8:00pm and the following Thursday at 8:00pm. Agendas and back-up materials will be available for review on BoardDocs prior to each meeting. BoardDocs may be accessed by visiting the school system's website at [www.carrollk12.org](http://www.carrollk12.org) under CCPS Online Board Meeting and Agenda on the home page.

Bible, Anna	Coordinator of Substance Abuse Prevention	751-3331
Bowers, Brenda	Program Manager, Community/Media Relations	751-3019
Bricca, Gregory	Director of Research and Accountability	751-3068
Caples, Michille	Grants Analyst	751-3082
Caples, Robert	Education Technology Analyst	386-4423
Connor, Jane	Assistant Supervisor of Special Education	751-3033
Carlson, Judith	Coordinator of Testing	386-1514
Codner, Nancy	Supervisor of Purchasing	751-3060
Coons, Linda	Assistant Supervisor of Health and Extracurricular Activities	751-3056
Cowan, Bruce	Supervisor of Physical Education Athletics	751-3059
Creekmore, Cynthia	Coordinator of Modern and Classical Languages	751-3099
Doolan, James	Director of Transportation Services	751-3229
Eckenrode, Cindy	Supervisor of Elementary Education	751-3153
Ecker, Charles	Superintendent of Schools	751-3128
Eckles, Gregory	Director of High Schools	751-3044
Eilbacher, Albert	Supervisor of Construction	751-3032
Faries, Larry	Coordinator of School Security	751-3171
Flaherty, Patrick	Television Manager	751-3493
Foster, Dona	Assistant Supervisor of Special Education	751-3033
Gaddis, Carey	Supervisor of Community and Media Relations	751-3020
Gainor, Lynda	Coordinator of Intervention Services	751-3086
Ganjon, Karen	Supervisor of Elementary Education	751-3095
Gelsinger, Barry	Director of State/Federal School Improvement Compliance	751-3126
Gray, Michael	Assistant Supervisor of Career/Technology Ed	751-3049
Guthrie, Barbara	Supervisor of Guidance	751-3125
Guthrie, Stephen	Assistant Superintendent of Administration	751-3127
Halstead, Anna-Maria	Recruitment Coordinator	751-3075
Hartlove, Christopher	Supervisor of Budget	751-3081
Hicks, Donn	Supervisor of Elementary Education	751-3148
Hildebrandt, Irene	Supervisor of Media	751-3490
Hoffmaster, Margaret	Supervisor of Health Services	751-3124

Jayman, Janetta	Supervisor of English and Modern/Classical Languages	751-3057
Johnson, Steve	Director of Curriculum and Instruction	751-3098
Kable, Robin	Coordinator of Business and Community Partnerships	751-3468
Kerkam, Beverly	Career Development Specialist	751-3131
Kiracofe, Margy	Coordinator of Staff Development	751-3155
Kreamer, Kent	Supervisor of Mathematics	751-3066
Kulow, Margaret	Coordinator of Intervention Services	751-3332
Little Cynthia	Director of Student Services	751-3123
Lohnes, Marjorie	Supervisor of Career and Technology Education	751-3104
Long, Norman	Manager of Information Services	751-3501
Martin, Bradley	Comptroller	751-3084
McGrew, Michael	Supervisor of School Psychology/Special Projects	751-3109
Mesta, Pamela	Coordinator of ESOL	751-3173
Muschik, Eulalia	Supervisor of Food Services	751-3041
Parker, James	Supervisor of Plant Maintenance	751-3199
Pfaff, Margaret	Director of Staff Development	751-3067
Prokop, Raymond	Director of Facilities	751-3177
Pyles, Donald	Director of Middle Schools	751-3157
Reeve, David	Supervisor of Transportation Service	751-3229
Resnik, Kathleen	Assistant Supervisor of Special Education	751-3079
Rogers, Jeffrey	Supervisor of Fine Arts	751-3055
Sanzenbacher, Estelle	Coordinator of Instructional Development	751-3097
Savar, Stephany	Supervisor of Special Educations	751-3033
Saylor, Jimmie	Director of Human Resources	751-3070
Sciarretta, Celeste	Supervisor of Social Studies	751-3096
See, Katherine	Coordinator of Intervention Services	386-1535
Spratt, Jerry	Coordinator of School Safety	751-3114
Varakin, Anna	Supervisor of Elementary Education	751-3069
Walker, Barbara	Supervisor of Elementary Education	751-3134
Wienholt, Brian	Supervisor of Middle School Reading/Language Arts	751-3158
Yohe, Bradley	Supervisor of Science	751-3036

Regional liaisons are assigned to each member school to act as a contact point. Regional liaisons are the first link with the Council. They will communicate with PTAs on a regular basis. Regional liaisons are to be contacted if a PTA has questions, concerns, comments, etc.

Carrolltowne Elementary.....	Carol Brown
Central Office/Administration .....	Ginger Halvorsen
Charles Carroll Elementary.....	Ellen Morse
Cranberry Station Elementary .....	Ellen Morse
East Middle .....	Ellen Morse
Eldersburg Elementary .....	Ginger Halvorsen
Freedom Elementary .....	Ginger Halvorsen
Hampstead Elementary .....	Carl Livesay
Liberty High.....	Ginger Halvorsen
Linton Springs Elementary .....	Tracy Entwistle
Manchester Elementary .....	Carl Livesay
Mechanicsville Elementary .....	Carol Brown
Mount Airy Elementary .....	Ginger Halvorsen
Oklahoma Road Middle.....	Carol Brown
Piney Ridge Elementary.....	Carl Livesay
Sandy Mount Elementary.....	Carol Brown
Spring Garden Elementary .....	Carol Brown
Sykesville Middle.....	Carl Livesay
William Winchester Elementary .....	Ellen Morse
Winfield Elementary .....	Tracy Entwistle
Winters Mill High.....	Ellen Morse

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Livesay, Carl.....	410-795-8664
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## Carroll County Council of PTAs Meeting Schedule for 2005-2006

All general meetings of the Carroll County Council of PTAs (CCCPTA) will be held at the Board of Education building located at 125 N. Court Street, Westminster MD unless otherwise notified. All general and Executive Board meetings will begin at 7pm.

### General Meeting Schedule

<b>October 3, 2005</b>	Talk with Superintendent Dr. Charles Ecker "I'm An Officer; Now What" presentation
<b>November 7, 2005</b>	"Tips On Conferencing With Your Child's Teacher Discussion on parent/teacher communication
<b>December/January</b>	No meeting
<b>February 6, 2006</b>	Workshop covering various subjects (Location TBA)
<b>March 6, 2006</b>	Budget concerns – school and county
<b>April 3, 2006</b>	County growth and development
<b>May 1, 2006</b>	Awards and "Ensuring A Smooth Transition"

Please publish these dates/subjects for your PTA board and members. CCCPTA meetings are open to all PTA members for information; however, only board members (presidents, representatives, principals, etc. per bylaws) will be allowed to vote.

### Executive Board Meetings

Third Wednesday of each month. Location varies based upon availability. No meeting in December or April.