

Please join us for the annual **PTO Used Book & Uniform Sale** this Saturday morning, August 1st, 2009. Enter at the doors by the Chapel (lower level, near the large student parking lot side of the building). See the schedule below for designated shopping times:

**Freshmen shop from 8:00 to 10:00 am**

**Seniors shop from 10:30 am to 12 noon**

**Juniors shop from 12:30 to 2:00 pm**

**Sophomores shop from 2:30 to 4:00 pm**

### **What Do You Need to Bring?**

- Find your student's List of Course Assignments/Schedule, which was mailed home in June.
- Determine what books your student will require for each class by checking the [2009 - 2010 Book List](#) for the most current and updated information. Write down the name of the book and the ISBN number for each book needed. Bring this information to the Sale.

### **Notes Regarding the Book Sale:**

- Only cash or checks are accepted! (No credit cards or debit card!) Make checks payable to "BI PTO."
- Early line placement numbers will be available at 7:00 am at the Chapel entrance. These numbers are color coded by shopping times/grades. We allow entry to ten people with numbers at approximately 3-4 minute intervals. You do not need to come early to take a number, but should take one when you arrive to the Sale.
- You may shop for all your students' books during the first time slot you are eligible.
- Books will be arranged by subject and course. Books are color coded and priced by their condition. Look for a price sheet taped to each table near the books.
- There are no workbooks available at either the PTO Used Book Sale or at the BI Bookstore. All workbooks must be purchased from outside sources.
- Questions about the PTO Used Book & Uniform Sale should be directed to [Bibooksale@comcast.net](mailto:Bibooksale@comcast.net). All volunteer positions are filled.
- **Join the PTO** for only \$30 (PTO membership forms will be included in this week's Summer Mailing). PTO membership includes a copy of the 2009-2010 School Directory, the only source for the school phone directory. The PTO is hosting a Back-to-School Parent Mixer with picnic fare, wine and soda on Sunday, August 30, from 4 to 6 pm for parents, faculty and staff (no

students, please). See also the list of volunteer and fundraising activities sponsored by the PTO.

- Enjoy the **Virginia Sales Tax Holiday** on school supplies and clothing on August 7-9, 2009. During this three-day period, purchases of certain school supplies, clothing and footwear will be exempt from the Virginia sales tax. Each eligible school supply item must be priced at \$20 or less, and each eligible article of clothing and footwear must be priced at \$100 or less. For details, visit [School Supplies and Clothing Holiday](#) page.
- The **Cardinal's Nest Bookstore** will be open on Friday, July 31 (5:00 to 7:00 pm) and Saturday, August 1 (8:00 am to 4:00 pm). Note the Bookstore is always tax free! Contact [Ms. Daubresse](#) with questions or call 703-212-5159. The Bookstore carries:
  - PE uniforms, mandatory for freshmen and sophomores (shirts \$10, shorts \$19, sweat pants \$27, and hoodies \$31)
  - Bright summer colored T-shirts and shorts
  - Girls BI knee socks (\$6.50), headbands, and ribbons
  - Neckties (\$10.75)
  - **New Item!** Full Length Locker Organizers in various colors (\$22), a perfect locker storage solution
  - Black quarter-zip BI jackets, an approved uniform jacket that can be worn at school with the fall/spring uniform (\$35)
  - Assorted sweats and hoodies in black, gray and fluorescent pink and green
  - Plenty of items for mom's, dads, grandparents, siblings, even the dog!

### **Pick Up any **unsold** Used Books/Uniforms on Monday, August 3**

You may pick up your unsold books/uniforms on Monday, August 3, from 5 pm to 7:30 pm in the cafeteria. A list of unsold items will be posted on the BI web site on Sunday afternoon, August 2. Discontinued books were not input into the computer system, therefore, will not show up on the "Unsold" list. The original master list from the spring drop off will be available on Monday evening to ensure all books are returned. Each person will be responsible for looking through the books and uniforms to find their unsold items.

THIS WILL BE THE ONLY DAY FOR BOOK RETURN. ANY ITEMS NOT PICKED UP ON MONDAY, August 3 WILL BECOME THE PROPERTY OF THE PTO. We do not have the space or the manpower to extend this return. You may make arrangements for a friend to pick up your items. If you are interested, tax receipts will be available upon request at [BIBooksale@comcast.net](mailto:BIBooksale@comcast.net) after the Used Book Pick Up.

Thank you!  
PTO Used Book & Uniform Sale Committee