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Greeting from your Poe Middle School PTA. A few notes and reminders to share with you:

Check out of web site, which has been updated to include flyers, newsletters and other PTA information: [http://www.fcps.edu/PoeMS/pta/pta\\_main.htm](http://www.fcps.edu/PoeMS/pta/pta_main.htm). Our goal is to post all PTA information to this web site.

Rock n Raven will be on a Friday, October 23, 3:00 - 5:00 pm. This annual event is just around the corner and we need LOTS of volunteers to help kick this party off! Please contact Maria Villanueva at 703-256-2957 or email at [mmmjc10@msn.com](mailto:mmmjc10@msn.com) for more information on Rock n Raven volunteer positions.

Our October PTA Meeting is scheduled for October 13, at 7 p.m. in the Poe Library. The October meeting will serve as our Parent and Volunteer Orientation. We'll let you know what the PTA has planned for this year, how we operate, and information that you'll want when you volunteer. Refreshments will be served. Please join us.

We invite you to join the Poe Middle School PTA and become involved in your child's school life! The PTA is comprised of parents and teachers who donate their time, talents and/or resources to make Poe Middle School the truly special school that it is. Our students benefit every day from the efforts of our PTA. Your membership dollars directly support academic programs such as Reflections, student/teacher recognitions, and educational field trips. We also sponsor social and community building events such as the ice cream social, Fuddrucker Nights, Rockin Raven and March Madness. Membership is \$10 per member. Please join our PTA by completing and submitting your membership envelope, or the membership form, available on our web site. Please join the PTA today and make a difference

Spirit Wear Sale is Now On. Please check your Tuesday folder, or our web site, for the spirit wear order forms. Our new line of spirit wear is currently on display at the school. The sale runs through October 16th. Show your support and purchase your tee shirts, sweatshirts, hoodies and other items now.

The BJ Wholesale Club Membership fundraiser is underway; join BJ's through the PTA and save \$10 per membership, while receiving an extended membership of 15 months. The PTA earns \$5 for every membership we sale. Please complete and submit the BJs Application, also available on our web site. If you've already submitted your application, you should have received a temporary membership card; if you haven't, please contact Yvette Coffman, [yycoffman@cox.net](mailto:yycoffman@cox.net).

Remember to register your Grocery Store Cards; this is a great way to earn cash for Poe Middle School. You can register online at the following sites:

Safeway: [www.escrip.com](http://www.escrip.com), school code 154296594

Giant: [www.Giantfood.com](http://www.Giantfood.com) click on A+ Bonus Bucks School code 01836 Harris Teeter: [www.Harristeeter.com](http://www.Harristeeter.com), click on Community and scroll down to Together in Education, school code 4816

The PTA depends on volunteers to accomplish our goals for this year. We hope that you'll join our team by volunteering for one or several PTA events. Please complete and return your Volunteer Recruitment Form, available on our web site. We're processing volunteer forms now (we have nearly 100 responses to date); expect to hear from us soon!

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