



# FUNDRAISING PROGRAMS

So many ways to support BFA!

## MAIN FUNDRAISERS

**BENEFIT BASH** This bi-annual auction silent and live auction event is held in the Fall during non-Fun Run years.

**FUN RUN** Ready, set, go! Students collect pledges for laps they run. This bi-annual event is held in the Fall during non-BENefit Bash years.

**PARKING SPACE & PRIORITY SEATING AUCTION** Bid on parking rights for five premium reserved parking spaces right in from the school and reserved seating for select performances. (Included in the BENefit Bash auction night and held online during Fun Run.)

## SCHOOL SPIRIT FUNDRAISERS

**SPIRIT WEAR** There is no better way to show your school spirit than with BFA spirit wear! The PTO store offers items such as cozy fleece jackets and vests, logo-ed t-shirts, hats, desktop calendars, and more.

**SOCIAL EVENTS** Annual events, such as the Harvest Festival, provide fun opportunities to social with other BFA families. Funds are raised through ticket sales and event vendors typically give a percentage of their sales back to BFA

**SPIRIT NIGHTS** Join your BFA friends at specified restaurants and stores where a percentage of sales are given back to BFA.

**BOOKFAIRS** Twice a year (usually during parent teacher conferences), the library hosts a week-long bookfair. A percentage of all sales are given back to BFA.

**MIDDLE SCHOOL** Help support 8th Grade Washington DC and Disney Choir trips with fun events such as bake sales, Smencils, birthday bags, concessions, Parents Night Out, and more.

**UNIFORM BUY BACK** Twice a year, the PTO gives you an opportunity to sell the gently used uniforms your students have outgrown and purchase gently used ones at discount. 30% of the sales come back to BFA.

**YEARBOOKS** What better way to remember your year at BFA than with a yearbook..

## FREEBIE FUNDRAISERS

With a couple of computer clicks or Box Top clips, you will benefit BFA tremendously!

**BOX TOPS** Clip and save the boxtops located on hundreds of products. Collection days are the first Wednesday of each month. Send in your box tops in an envelope or baggie with your student. Each box top is worth \$0.10 to our school.

**AMAZON SMILE** Select Ben Franklin Academy Parent-Teacher Organization at <https://smile.amazon.com> and Amazon

donates 0.5% of the price of your eligible purchases to BFA.

**KING SOOPERS CARD** Use this reloadable gift card every time you shop. Our school receives 5% of all purchases.

**SAFeway CARD** For every dollar spent using this reloadable gift card, BFA receives 5% back.

**SHOP WITH SCRIP** BFA uses SCRIP for holiday and end of year staff gifting. Because the gift cards are purchased in bulk, BFA receives money back in the form of a rebate.

The mission of the Ben Franklin Academy Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) is to support the education of the students of BFA by seeking resources (funds, materials & services) that help to foster the development of our community.

## PROGRAM FUNDRAISERS

**DONATIONS PROGRAMS** Funds are collected through various donations such as company donation matching programs.

**SPONSORSHIPS** Funds are raised through business partner and PTO sponsored programs. These relationships and programs are reviewed and renewed annually.

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