

# 2020-21 Brittan Elementary School's Brittan Parent Activity Club President's Message



Welcome back to all returning families and a special greeting to the new Brittan families. We truly have an amazing school, administration, teachers, staff, and community!

## What is BPAC?

The Brittan Parent Activity Club (**BPAC**) is the parent/teacher organization of Brittan Elementary School. The goal of BPAC is to promote the welfare of children and youth at Brittan Elementary School and to create a closer relationship between the home and school, so parents and teachers have the ability to work together to benefit the students.

## What do they do?

Normally, BPAC sponsors various school activities throughout the year such as:

- Brittan Bucks Store
- Great Artist Program
- Family Literacy Night
- Jr. High Auction
- Westminster 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Camp Donation
- Teacher Gift Cards
- Scholastic Readers
- Student of the Month T-Shirts
- Muffins with Moms
- Donuts with Dads
- History Day Donation
- 8<sup>th</sup> grade Scholarship
- Fall Carnival
- Afterschool Ice Cream Sales
- 7-8th Dance Donation
- 1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> Running Program
- Classroom Parties
- Technology in the classrooms
- Color Fun Run
- and much more.

## How do they do it?

Fundraising and lots of Volunteers!!! In order to sponsor these programs, we have many different types of fundraisers planned. We understand that most families are involved in many organizations all doing fundraising of their own, and all equally important. Please know that anything donated to BPAC, including time is much appreciated. We want to ensure there are a variety of options to choose from so pick the fundraisers that interest you to participate in. All money earned is given back to the students and school through BPAC sponsored activities.

## Who can join and how?

Membership is open to parents, guardians, grandparents, and loved ones of our students and community at a cost of \$5.00 per person per year. Being a member will give you the opportunity to voice your opinion on important matters impacting the students at Brittan School, vote at BPAC meetings, and receive information about BPAC sponsored events first. Regular meetings are held on the first Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m. beginning in September. While attendance at monthly meetings is encouraged it is definitely not mandatory. You can be a member, have a voice, and volunteer at a level that works for you. BPAC is using A to Z Connect.com (or you can download the app in your app store) to improve communication with you and simplify tasks. To join our email list, create an account with A to Z Connect and subscribe to our email list and digital backpack. After creating your account, you can become a voting member by paying the \$5 membership dues in the "Store" section on A to Z Connect. We also share lots of information on Facebook so please go to our page and like us to stay up date.

## THANK YOU!

This organization relies heavily on the parents, staff, and community for their time and donations. Without you, BPAC could not offer these wonderful activities. Thank you to the past and present parents and staff at Brittan who continue to help us grow and provide more for our school.

Sincerely,

Kristin Snelling  
BPAC President