

## *Drive for Supplies* Public Address Announcements



*Drive for Supplies* is a project that encourages students to donate used, but usable, school supplies at the end of the school year when they clean out their lockers, book bags, and desks. At the same time, it is an opportunity to educate students about recycling.

All schools will be participating in the *Drive for Supplies* initiative this year. Below you will find suggested public announcements that can be shared during morning announcements to encourage students and staff to participate by donating supplies that are reusable and not needed for the following year. Thank you for your support.

- \_\_\_\_\_ (name) School will be participating in the annual *Drive for Supplies* this year. While cleaning out your lockers, desks, and backpacks, please remember to place all used, but still usable school supplies, in the *Drive for Supplies* boxes located in \_\_\_\_\_. These supplies will be distributed to students in need.
- If your items are not reusable but recyclable, please place them in the school's recycling bins.
- Did you know that the *Drive for Supplies* donated items are used to help disadvantaged children in Montgomery County, the Washington metropolitan area, and in other countries?
- By donating your used, but usable school supplies, you are helping to reduce our solid waste which ends up in landfills. Reduce, reuse, recycle—you can help preserve your environment. Thank you for your support.
- If you are looking for something to do this July or need student service hours, volunteer to help pack and distribute the donated school supplies. Volunteers must register to participate by July 1, 2015. See our *Drive for Supplies* coordinator, Mr./Ms. \_\_\_\_\_, for more details. See full details at:

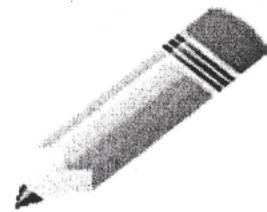
<http://www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/departments/studentaffairs/sao/supplies/d4sSSL.shtml>

**Drive for Supplies 2015**

**School:**

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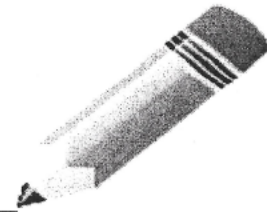


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**School:**

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School	Contact
Albert Einstein High School	Rosemary Piercey
Argyle Middle School	Carol Sattler
Ashburton Elementary School	Joanna Robbins
Baker Middle School	Dawn Haren
Bannockburn Elementary School	Nicole Melnick
Benjamin Banneker Middle School	Nora Whitmore
Burning Tree ES	Pam Mercer
Cabin John MS	Patti Swift
Candlewood Elementary School	Kirsten Schultz/Judy Graves
Captain James Daly Elementary	Priscilla Borchardt
Cashell Elementary	Robin Blumberg
Cedar Grove ES	Melanie Jackson
Charles Drew Elementary	Jenn Horvath
Clarksburg Elementary School	Maureen Enstrom
Clarksburg High School	Angela Y. Wang
Clearspring Elementary School	Tara Gray
Cloverly Elementary	David Cline
Cold Spring Elementary School	Lynn Palmer
College Gardens Elementary School	Stephanie Labeda
Cresthaven Elementary School	Emily Madan
Damascus High School	Robert Hyman
Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. MS	Sally MacGregor
DuFief Elementary School	Lori Morgan
Fallsmead ES	Amanda Manoel
Farmland Elementary	Dan Tucci
Flora M. Singer ES	Nicole Weaver
Forest Knolls	Lisa Rule-Peterson
Forest Oak Middle School	Jill Chen/Stacey Bumbernick
Fox Chapel	Christina Millard/Vinh Hong
Gaithersburg Middle School	Liz Palumbo
Georgian Forest Elementary School	Donna Yang/Jasmin Brown
Glenallan ES	Barbara Templin
Goshen Elementary School	Nicole O'Malley
Highland View Elementary School	Janet Sluzenski
James H. Blake HS	Rachel Givens
John Poole Middle School	Edward Mattingly
Kingsview Middle School	Janet Moore
Lakelands Park Middle School	Karen Luensman
Laytonsville Elementary	Cherie Ward
Lee Middle School	Robyn Hart/Joanne Rosenblatt
Little Bennett Elem	Charlotte Robertson
Luxmanor ES	David B. Nguyen
North Bethesda Middle School	Ashley Rice
North Chevy Chase Elementary	Melanie Carr
Northwood High School	Andrew Peim

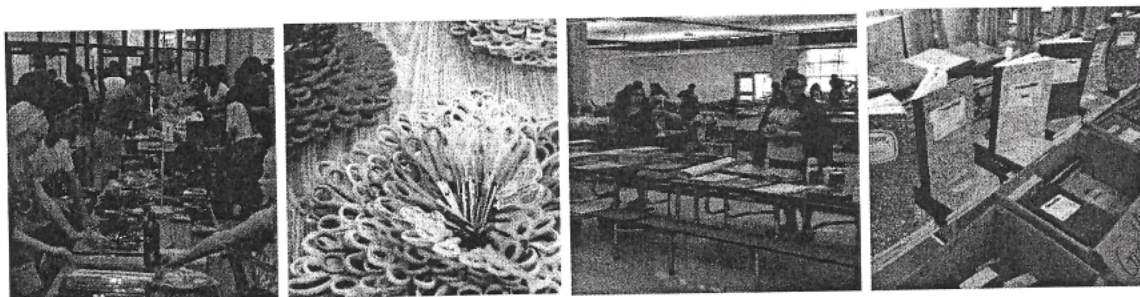


Paint Branch High School  
Parkland Magnet Middle School  
Poolesville Elementary School  
Redland Middle School  
Richard Montgomery High School  
Ridgeview Middle School  
Roberto Clemente Middle School  
Rock View ES  
Rocky Hill MS  
Ronald McNair ES  
Rosa Parks Middle School  
Rosemary Hills ES  
Sally K Ride Elementary School  
Sargent Shriver ES  
Seven Locks Elementary School  
Shady Grove Middle School  
Sherwood ES  
Sligo Creek Elementary  
Somerset Elementary School  
Stephen Knolls School  
Stonegate Elementary School  
Strathmore ES  
Strawberry Knoll Elementary School  
Tilden Middle School  
Travilah Elementary School  
W.T. Page ES  
Walt Whitman High School  
Walter Johnson High School  
Washington Grove Elementary School  
Watkins Mill High School  
Westbrook ES  
Westland Middle School  
Westover Elementary School  
Wheaton Woods ES  
Whetstone ES

Karen Sondak  
Dora Reineke  
Chrissie Harney  
Brenda Young  
Michelle Alexander  
Maddy Conroy/Rachel Bucklin/Robyn Dubois  
Sheila Sanford  
Glen Messier  
Sean Stevenson  
Lita Yates/Kristen Maloney  
David Obal  
Susan Katz  
Katherine LoCurto  
Mimi McKindley-Ward  
Laurie Steinberg  
Christine Oxenford  
Jenny Fleming  
Andy Goldberger  
Greg Matwey  
Alison Dennison  
Mary Altaner  
Alan Fishman  
Keith Henry  
Amy Domingos/Lisa Goldman  
Carol Knoblach  
Michele Dean  
Angela Cook  
Ian Matthews  
Jason Lee Snyder  
Julie Broyles  
Caitlin Quinn  
Rachel Johns  
Mohamed Kargbo  
Flor Lopez  
Dayna Rothman



## Drive for Supplies Corps Summer 2015



Apply to be part of the Drive for Supplies Corps!  
Make a difference while earning 20 SSL hours!

### **Application**

Online application due Wednesday, June 3, at 4:00 PM

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1gMhепZI8Izw1mstn79Kh1p5CTQSKFha80Lzm0CfUC0w/viewform?c=0&w=1>

### **Orientation**

Monday, June 8, 6:00-8:00 PM, CESC auditorium

### **Set-Up**

Wednesday, July 8, 10:00 AM-2:00 PM, Richard Montgomery cafeteria

Thursday, July 9, 10:00 AM-2:00 PM, Richard Montgomery cafeteria

### **Press Conference and Distribution**

Monday, July 13, 12:00-5:00 PM, Richard Montgomery cafeteria

### **Clean-Up**

Tuesday, July 14, 10:00 AM-3:00 PM, Richard Montgomery cafeteria

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Questions? Contact [Katie\\_C\\_Rossini@mcpsmd.org](mailto:Katie_C_Rossini@mcpsmd.org) or 301-444-8620

## Drive for Supplies Corps 2015-2016

Name:	School:	Grade:
Abriana Buonassisi	Redland	8
Alazare Bati	Montgomery Blair	12
Alexis Mensah	Benjamin Banneker	8
Alexis Wood	John T. Baker	7
Amy Odenthal	Rockville	11
Ana Gutierrez Covarrubias	Earle B. Wood	8
Andrew Audas	Thomas W. Pyle	7
Angelo Javier Navaleza	John T. Baker	7
Anna Estaura	A. Mario Loiederman	9
Armanulhaq Kushwaha	Ridgeview	9
Benjamin Dresbach	Westland	7
Brianna Ortiz	Rockville	12
Brittney Montecino	Redland	7
Caitlin Crawford	Redland	
Callie Newberg	Shady Grove	7
Carla Day	Ridgeview	7
Caroline O'Neill	Earle B. Wood	9
Chau Trinh	Richard Montgomery	12
Christelle Mecherkany	Thomas W. Pyle	9
Claudia	Northwood	11
Daniel Li	Roberto Clemente	9
Darren	Ridgeview	8
Eyver	Wheaton	12
Gabriel Alvarez Campbell	Earle B. Wood	7
Gabrielle Kessel	Rockville	11
Gianna Ward	James Hubert Blake	12
Gowri Malik	Ridgeview	7
Hulaimatou Bayo	Benjamin Banneker	9
Irene Navaleza	John T. Baker	9
Isbah Afzal	Richard Montgomery	12
Jane Brock	Earle B. Wood	8
Jewet Stefanos	Redland	9
JiaTong (Kevin) Liang	Shady Grove	9
Jolie Le Fauve	Earle B. Wood	8
Joseph Kutza	Roberto Clemente	9
Kateland Ferraz	Richard Montgomery	12
Kelen Chen	William H. Farquhar	7
Kimberly Puglia	James Hubert Blake	12
Kyle Hedaria	Forest Oak	7
Laura Romero	Northwood	10
Layla Ruiz	Roberto Clemente	8
Lizette Pomce	Ridgeview	7
Lucas Lima	Rockville	12
Lulaa Yohannes	Montgomery Blair	11
Madison Crawford	Redland	9
Makel Rasheed	Tilden	9
Malina Grande	Tilden	8
Matthew Pham	Ridgeview	8
Mia McHugh	Tilden	8
Micah Montano	Tilden	7
Michelle Shen	Cabin John	8
Moyra Bianca Santos	Earle B. Wood	8
Mykela DeVille	Rockville	12
Naomi Mathis-Thomas	Roberto Clemente	9

**Drive for Supplies Corps  
2015-2016**

Olivia Tetrault	Tilden	8
Quang Nguyen	Richard Montgomery	12
Robert Yoon	Roberto Clemente	7
Ronald Lagos	Rockville	12
Thu Nguyen Vo	Northwood	12
Ummara Khan	Francis Scott Key	9
Vivian Nguyen	Shady Grove	9
Xinwei Li	Richard Montgomery	11
Yang Lu	Julius West	9
Yosefe Eshete	Montgomery Blair	12
Yutong (Tommy) Liang	Col. Zadok Magruder	11



**STUDENT INSTRUCTIONS:** Complete this form legibly in blue or black ink. Submit it to the school student service learning (SSL) coordinator by the following deadlines:

- Service completed during the summer — **DEADLINE: Last Friday in September.**
- Service completed during 1st semester — **DEADLINE: First Friday in January.**
- Service completed during 2nd semester — **DEADLINE: First Friday in June.**

**STUDENT INFORMATION—To be completed by the student prior to review from the nonprofit tax-exempt organization.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First MI ID Number

Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Work \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ First Period Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Student e-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

**Student Reflection:** Think about your service-learning activity. Respond to the following questions in a written paragraph below.

- **What** did you do?
- **What** need did your service address?
- **Who** benefitted from your service?
- **What** did you learn about yourself?
- **How** was this experience connected to something you learned in a class at school? (For example, English, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, Arts, Physical Education, Health, Foreign Language, etc.)

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**NONPROFIT TAX-EXEMPT ORGANIZATION INFORMATION—To be completed by the supervisor after the phases of preparation and action have occurred, and the student reflection paragraph has been read and approved.**

Organization MCPS SLU Federal Employer Identification # 30-001235 Phone 301-444-8620

Address 12900 Middlebrook Road Germantown MD 20874 Katie\_C\_Rossini@mcpsmd.org  
Street City State ZIP Code e-mail

Describe Activity (performed) Participated in the Drive for Supplies Corps

**Service Record**

Date From	Date To	# Days of Service	# Hours Per Day (8 in a 24 hour period maximum)	Total # Hours Completed (award 1 SSL hour for every hour of service)
July 8	July 14	4	Varied	

Supervisor Katie C. Rossini MCPS Student Leadership Coordinator  
Print Name Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature, Supervisor 7/14/15  
Date

**SSL COORDINATOR USE ONLY**

Check if automatic hours are attached to this activity as a result of course instruction.

Verification form submitted to coordinator \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
Date

Hours earned previously \_\_\_\_\_ + Hours for this activity \_\_\_\_\_ = Total hours including activity \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

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**INFORMATION**

Office of Special Education and Student Services  
MONTGOMERY COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
Rockville, Maryland

June 4, 2015

MEMORANDUM

To: All Principals

From: Chrisandra A. Richardson  Associate Superintendent

Subject: INFORMATION: *Drive for Supplies—Distribution of Donated School Supplies*

**Summary**

- Montgomery County Public Schools (MCPS), in partnership with Learn Shop, Inc., participates in the *Drive for Supplies*, a program that encourages students to donate used, but usable, school supplies to students locally and around the world who would otherwise have none.
- MCPS schools participate by encouraging students to clean out their lockers, book bags, and/or desks at the end of the school year and donate their used, but usable, supplies to the *Drive for Supplies* program.
- The *Drive for Supplies* ceremony and press conference will take place at Richard Montgomery High School on Monday, July 13, 2015, from 12:30 to 1:00 p.m.
- School staff members may attend the press conference and stay to pick up needed school supplies for their students at the conclusion of the ceremony or until 5:00 p.m.
- Individual families and nonprofit organizations also are welcome to pick up supplies.

**Questions**

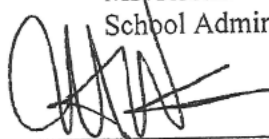
- Contact Ms. Katie C. Rossini, coordinator, Student Leadership Office, Department of Student Services, at 301-444-8620 or via e-mail.

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Approved:   
Maria V. Navarro, Chief Academic Officer

Office of the Superintendent of Schools  
MONTGOMERY COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
Rockville, Maryland

June 11, 2015

**MEMORANDUM**

To: Members of the Board of Education

From: Larry A. Bowers, Interim Superintendent of Schools

Subject: Drive for Supplies Press Conference at Richard Montgomery High School

*Drive for Supplies*, a partnership between Learn Shop, Inc. and Montgomery County Public Schools (MCPS), supports the collection and distribution of new and gently used school supplies to Montgomery County families and non-profit agencies that benefit children. Now in its sixteenth year, the *Drive for Supplies* program has generated over 81 tons of school supplies.

As the end of each school year approaches, students and staff members are encouraged to clean out desks, closets and lockers and donate reusable supplies. The donated supplies not only support the *Drive for Supplies* program, but also help reduce disposal costs for the school system. The donated school supplies are collected from MCPS schools and offices and sent to Richard Montgomery High School where student volunteers earn student service learning hours as they sort and box the supplies for distribution.

The annual summer *Drive for Supplies* program will conclude with a media event on Monday, July 13, 2015, at 12:00 p.m. in the cafeteria of Richard Montgomery High School, located at 250 Richard Montgomery Drive in Rockville. At the end of the ceremony, the donated supplies are made available to MCPS schools, families in need, and non-profit organizations.

Members of the Board of Education are most welcome to attend this event. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Dana M. Tofig, director, Department of Public Information and Web Services, via e-mail at [dana\\_tofig@mcpsmd.org](mailto:dana_tofig@mcpsmd.org) or by telephone at 301-279-3853.

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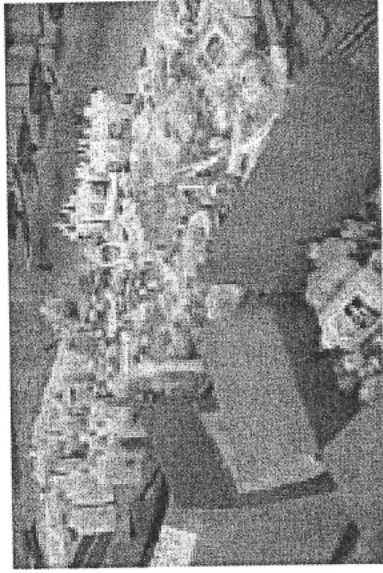
**History:** *Drive for Supplies*, now celebrating its sixteenth anniversary, is the product of collaboration between Learn Shop, Inc., and Montgomery County Public Schools (MCPS). This program not only teaches students that they can have a direct impact on communities by donating their reusable school supplies to local, national, and international schools and organizations, it teaches them the importance of recycling and reducing landfill waste as well.

*Drive for Supplies* was conceived in 1999 by Kevin and Louise Newcomer, founders of Learn Shop, Inc., a nonprofit organization based in Wheaton, Maryland. The program has expanded each year since its inception. Since 2002, MCPS has collected over 88 tons of school supplies!

This year, 81 MCPS schools, along with several MCPS offices, and local businesses, participated in the program. At the conclusion of today's celebration ceremony, the collected supplies will be distributed to nonprofit agencies and county schools with a high number of low-income and needy students and families. Additionally, supplies will be available to area non-profit organizations.

Special thanks to the 65 *Drive for Supplies Corps* student volunteers who spent several days this summer sorting and packing the donated supplies!

# Drive for Supplies



## Celebration

July 13, 2015  
12:30-5:00 p.m.

Richard Montgomery High School

Sponsored by the Student Leadership Unit

Learn Shop, Inc. & Montgomery County  
Public Schools

## **Welcome**

Mr. Larry A. Bowers, Interim Superintendent of Schools

## **Comments**

Mrs. Patricia O'Neill, Board of Education President

Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Newcomer, Learn Shop, Inc. Founders

Mr. Richard Benjamin, SERT Recycling Manager

Drive for Supplies Awards

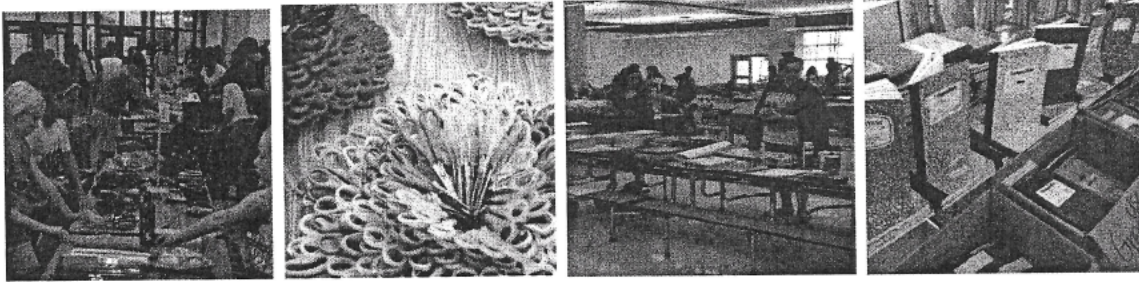
- Forest Knolls Elementary School
- Kingsview Middle School
- Paint Branch High School

## **Closing**

Ms. Katie C. Rossini, Student Leadership Coordinator

Students, parents, faculty, staff, agencies, and non-profit organizations may pick-up supplies at the end of the ceremony. *Drive for Supplies Corps* members are available to assist guests.

**Drive for Supplies Data Chart**  
**July 13, 2015**  
**(Draft 7.10.15)**



Supply	Weight in lbs.
Backpacks	214.2
Binders	2,576.5
Bookends	25
Books	823
Calculators	5
Chalk	8
Clipboards	57
Colored Pencils	179
Compasses	9
Composition Books	1,676
Construction Paper	50
Copy Paper	440
Crayons	473
Dividers	53
Envelopes	10
Erasers	156
Folders	950
Games	108
Glue	258
Graphing Paper	10
Hand Sanitizer	34.2
Highlighters	117
Holepunchers	9
Index Cards	121
Instructional Books	96
Labels	20
Instructional Materials	45
Locker Supplies	60.8
Lunchboxes	177.1
Markers	203.5
Notebook Paper	824



Paint/Paint Supplies	10.5
Pens	625
Pencil Boxes/Pouches	670
Pencil Sharpeners	20
Pencils	191
Paperclips	25
Post-It Notes	28
Posters	52
Protractors	22
Reinforcements	2
Rubberbands	7.8
Rulers	45
Tape	15
Scissors	92
Sheet Protectors	72
Spiral Notebooks	1,546
Staples/Staplers	45
Stickers/Stamps	9.5
White Out	4
Whiteboards	19
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>13,289.1</b>

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Questions? Contact [Katie\\_C\\_Rossini@mcpsmd.org](mailto:Katie_C_Rossini@mcpsmd.org)



## “Drive for Supplies”

October 12, 2015

Ms. Karen K. Powers  
Office of Information Technology  
Montgomery College  
15400 Calhoun Drive, Suite 310  
Rockville, Maryland 20855

Re: *Drive for Supplies* donation

Dear Ms. Powers:

Thank you for your donation to the Montgomery County Public Schools (MCPS) *Drive for Supplies* campaign. MCPS, in collaboration with Learn Shop, Inc., an organization that collects and distributes new and reusable school supplies, participated again this year in *Drive for Supplies*, the end-of-the-school-year locker and backpack clean-out project. The collected supplies are donated to international and local nonprofit groups.

The 2015 *Drive for Supplies* ceremony and press conference took place Monday, July 13, 2015, 12:00-5:00 PM, in the Richard Montgomery High School cafeteria. For more information about the Drive for Supplies program, please contact the Student Leadership Unit 301-444-8620 or visit our webpage at <http://www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/departments/student-leadership/drive-for-supplies.aspx>.

The community coming together makes a difference for students and their families. Your donation of copy paper, notebooks, and office supplies is very much appreciated. Your generous support of our students proves that if everyone gives back a little a lot can be accomplished.

Sincerely,

Katie C. Rossini  
Coordinator  
Student Leadership Unit

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