



Gunpowder Elementary PTA

Adopt-A-Family Campaign

Dear Parents, Students and Faculty,

The holidays are right around the corner and once again we will be holding our annual **Adopt-A-Family Campaign**.

During the months of November and December the PTA collects monetary donations for less fortunate families who reside in our community. A committee of school personnel determines the needs of families and works with Gunpowder's PTA to fill food baskets and purchase items and/or gift cards to help make the holiday season a nicer one for those families.

Please submit your donation in an envelope labeled "Adopt-A-Family." Checks are preferred and should be made payable to Gunpowder Elementary PTA. We ask too, that when you make a donation, your child decorate and return the attached holiday picture. Artwork from all the students will be proudly displayed in the hallways of Gunpowder Elementary during the month of December.

The holiday season can be a very stressful time for families experiencing financial hardship. The PTA wants to help families right here in our Gunpowder Community. If your family is in need this year, please contact Lisa DeIaco, School Counselor, or Christine Smith, Principal, at (410) 887-5121 by Friday, December 2, 2011. It is important that you contact them this year, so that they can add your name to the list of families who need our help this year. As always, all information will remain confidential.

Please help us assist others in spreading the joy of the holiday season!

Best regards,

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