

# MAFI NEWS

## FROM THE PRESIDENT

I first want to thank you all for your continued support of our PTSA. In a continued effort to improve our school culture, the MAFI PTSA will launch two important initiatives. Our first initiative, National School of Excellence, will launch this week. Shortly, you will be receiving a survey that will ask you a few question on our school culture. The goal of the survey will be to collect your feedback to identify areas of improvement that we will plan to correct over the remainder of the school year. Your participation in this effort would be greatly appreciated.

Our second initiative, Connect 4 Respect, is an anti-bullying program that we will launch at our next PTSA Meeting on November 14<sup>th</sup>. At the PTSA Meeting, we will focus of school discipline and discuss ways that we can combat bullying. We ask that parents bring their students for this important discussion.

## MOVIE NIGHT POSTPONED

*Movie night has been postponed due to a scheduling conflict. We will announce the rescheduled date as soon as possible.*



## WINDOWS/HVAC UPDATE

I attending the project kick-off meeting for the windows HVAC project. The project team are now in the process of gathering requirements to develop a project schedule. Once the project scheduling is complete, we will have an estimated time of completion for this project.

Over the next few weeks, parents and students should expect to see workers in the building. In order to ensure the safety and well being of our scholars, all workers must complete a background check before they are allowed on school grounds. In addition, all workers will wear identifiable vests and will do their best to avoid interrupting the school day.

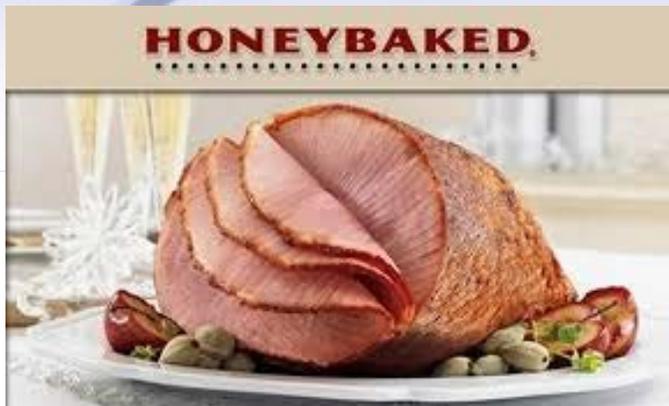
## HIGH SCHOOL FAIR

There will be a high school fair on November 12<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 am - 2:30 pm. Both private and public high school will be onsite to promote their school programs to our scholars and parents.

- Bishop McNamara
- Dematha
- Rock Creek Academy
- Central High School
- Crossland High School
- Henry Wise School
- Douglass High School

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## HONEY BAKED HAM FUNDRAISER



Attached to this newsletter is our Honey Baked Ham Fundraiser order form. All funds are due by Wednesday, November 14<sup>th</sup>. Item pick-up will be Monday, November 19<sup>th</sup> from 4:30 pm to 6:30 pm. Please plan accordingly.

**BYOB (Bring Your Own Breakfast)  
TOWN HALL DISCUSSION  
Monday, November 12<sup>th</sup> 8 AM - 9 AM**

“How to better your relationship with your student’s teacher”

**NEXT PTSA MEETING -  
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2018**

Our topic of discussion will be “Dealing with Discipline,” and we will also launch our Connect 4 Respect Anti-Bullying Campaign.

## NATIONAL SCHOOL OF EXCELLENCE SURVEY

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This survey will also be posted on the MAFI PTSA website, MAFI Facebook page, and is completely anonymous. Please complete electronic survey or email the attached printed copy to [president@mafiptsa.com](mailto:president@mafiptsa.com) by November 7, 2018.

# Maya Angelou French Immersion PTSA, Inc.

## 2018 Fall Honey Baked Ham Fundraiser

Funds are due by **WEDNESDAY, 11/14/18**. Item pick up will be **MONDAY, 11/19/18** between 4:30-6:30pm.

### **The Original & Authentic HoneyBaked Ham®**

Our most popular item! Each HoneyBaked Ham® is hand-selected then hickory smoked, spiral sliced, and topped with our unforgettable crunchy-sweet glaze. It's simply the best choice every time.

<b>7 lb Half Ham</b> <i>(New option!)</i>	<b>Serves 10-12</b>	<b>\$55</b>
<b>8 lb Half Ham</b>	<b>Serves 12-15</b>	<b>\$64</b>
<b>9 lb Half Ham</b>	<b>Serves 15-20</b>	<b>\$70</b>
<b>10 lb Half Ham</b>	<b>Serves 20</b>	<b>\$76</b>

### **The HoneyBaked Boneless Ham®**

HoneyBaked Boneless Ham® is gently smoked over a blend of hardwoods to seal in that delicious smoky flavor. Fully cooked, completely boneless, sliced, and smothered in our renowned crunchy-sweet glaze.

<b>4 lb Half Ham</b>	<b>Serves 8-10</b>	<b>\$46</b>
<b>9 lb Whole Ham</b>	<b>Serves 20-25</b>	<b>\$94</b>

### **Sliced & Glazed HoneyBaked Turkey Breast®**

The same quality and taste that made our ham a favorite continues with our HoneyBaked Turkey Breast®. Tender and juicy! Choice of 2.6 lb Smoked or Roasted fully cooked, sliced, and topped by the hand-finished sweet-crunchy glaze.

<b>2.6 lb Oven-Roasted Turkey Breast</b>	<b>Serves 8-10</b>	<b>\$29</b>
<b>2.6 lb Smoked Turkey Breast</b>	<b>Serves 8-10</b>	<b>\$29</b>

### **Classic Combo** *(New option!)*

A 7lb Authentic HoneyBaked Ham® paired with our 2.6lb sliced and glazed Smoked HoneyBaked Turkey Breast®.

<b>7 lb Half Ham</b> <i>(New option!)</i> & <b>2.6 lb Smoked Turkey Breast</b>	<b>\$84</b>
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### **Double Feature** *(New option!)*

A 4lb Boneless HoneyBaked Ham paired with our 2.6lb sliced and glazed Smoked HoneyBaked Turkey Breast®.

<b>4 lb Half Ham</b> & <b>2.6 lb Smoked Turkey Breast</b>	<b>\$75</b>
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### **HoneyBaked BBQ Package** *(New option!)*

Our superior meats and family recipes deliver quality with unbeatable convenience. Just heat, grab the napkins, and enjoy.

The package includes:

- 1) A fully cooked 3 lb BBQ Boneless Pork Roast, slow cooked until its falling apart, then smothered it in our tangy barbeque sauce.
- 2) 2 slabs of our award Baby Back Ribs. Mouthwatering, fall off the bone pork back ribs smothered in our tangy barbeque sauce.

<b>3 lb BBQ Boneless Pork Roast &amp; 2 Slabs of Baby Back Ribs</b>	<b>\$65</b>
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### **HoneyBaked Bacon Duo** *(Back by Popular Demand!)*

A total of 3lbs of bacon in two great flavors.

<b>1.5lb HoneyBaked Peppered Bacon</b> & <b>1.5lb HoneyBaked Sweet Glaze Bacon</b>	<b>\$65</b>
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### **HoneyBaked Coffee Cake** *(New option!)*

**\$22**

The **Cinnamon Walnut Coffee Cake** is incredibly moist and uses the finest ingredients. Double layer is hand poured, then baked with a crunchy topping of walnut and brown sugar.

A moist, no nut **Blueberry Coffee Cake** features the hearty flavor of fresh blueberries and maple syrup.

### **Gourmet Rum Cake**

**\$28**

Best Rum Cake they ever had! That is what folks say when they try our Rum Cakes. Perfect for anyone wanting to serve an exceptional, unique and memorable sweet treat. Our rum cakes are enjoyed by all ages, as the alcohol is baked out, leaving a smooth, moist, full flavor – one reminiscent of an island vacation, and gatherings with family and friends.

Available in **Chocolate, Cinnamon Pecan Streusel, Coconut, Vanilla, and Variety Pack (of all 4 flavors)**.

### **HoneyBaked Mustard & Mayonnaise** *(New option!)*

**\$8**

**HoneyBaked Honey Mustard, Hickory Honey Mustard, Honey Mustard Mayo, 3 Pepper Mayo and Horseradish Sauce** are made using the finest natural ingredients with no artificial colors, flavors, corn sweeteners or preservatives.

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Purchaser's Name	
Purchaser's Phone Number	
Purchaser's Email Address	
Student's Name, Grade, & Teacher	
Payment Method (Cash*, Check*, or PayPal**)	
Total Amount Paid	

	ITEM	DESCRIPTION	LBS	FEEDS	COST	QUANTITY	AMT DUE
A	Honey Baked Ham <i>(NEW!)</i>	Original, Half	7	10-12	\$ 55.00		
B	Honey Baked Ham	Original, Half	8	12-15	\$ 64.00		
C	Honey Baked Ham	Original, Half	9	15-20	\$ 70.00		
D	Honey Baked Ham	Original, Half	10	20	\$ 76.00		
E	Honey Baked Ham	Boneless, Half	4	4-6	\$ 46.00		
F	Honey Baked Ham	Boneless, Whole	9	16-18	\$ 94.00		
G	Honey Baked Turkey	Oven-Roasted	2.6	8-10	\$ 29.00		
H	Honey Baked Turkey	Smoked	2.6	8-10	\$ 29.00		
I	Classic Combo <i>(NEW!)</i>	Item A & G/H	-	-	\$ 84.00		
J	Double Feature <i>(NEW!)</i>	Item E & G/H	-	-	\$ 75.00		
K	Honey Baked BBQ Package <i>(NEW!)</i>	Pork Roast & Ribs	-	-	\$ 65.00		
L	Honey Baked Bacon Duo <i>(BACK!)</i>	Bacon	3	-	\$25.00		
M	Coffee Cake <i>(NEW!)</i>	Cinnamon Walnut	-	12	\$22.00		
N	Coffee Cake <i>(NEW!)</i>	Blueberry	-	12	\$22.00		
O	Rum Cake	Chocolate	-	-	\$ 28.00		
P	Rum Cake	Cinnamon Streusel	-	-	\$ 28.00		
Q	Rum Cake	Vanilla	-	-	\$ 28.00		
R	Rum Cake	Variety Pack	-	-	\$ 28.00		
S	Mustard <i>(NEW!)</i>	Honey Mustard	-	-	\$ 8.00		
T	Mustard <i>(NEW!)</i>	Hickory Honey Mustard	-	-	\$ 8.00		
U	Mustard/Mayonnaise <i>(NEW!)</i>	Honey Mustard Mayo	-	-	\$ 8.00		
V	Mayonnaise <i>(NEW!)</i>	3 Pepper Mayo	-	-	\$ 8.00		
W	Mayonnaise <i>(NEW!)</i>	Horseradish	-	-	\$ 8.00		
					Total Due		

### **3 ACCEPTABLE FORMS OF PAYMENT**

- 1) Cash\*,
- 2) Check\* (payable to MAFI PTSA, subject to \$35 returned check fee), and
- 3) PayPal\*\* (payment notes below).

\*To pay by cash or check, please email [mafi.pts.treasurer@gmail.com](mailto:mafi.pts.treasurer@gmail.com) or [treasurer@mafiptsa.com](mailto:treasurer@mafiptsa.com) for payment arrangements.

\*\*To pay via PayPal, send a **FRIENDS AND FAMILY** payment to [mafi.pts.treasurer@gmail.com](mailto:mafi.pts.treasurer@gmail.com) and indicate the following in the NOTE field:

Purchaser's Name, Purchaser's Cell Phone Number, Purchaser's Email, Student's Name, Grade and Teacher, Specific Items Ordered with Quantities: Example One (1) 4 lb Half Ham, One (1) Smoked Turkey, One (1) Chocolate Rum Cake



October 26, 2018

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**Does this sound like a PTSA program you'd really like to help with?** Join us! Contact Gerrod Tyler at [president@mafiptsa.com](mailto:president@mafiptsa.com) to learn more!

Sincerely,

Gerrod Tyler

Maya Angelou French Immersion PTSA President

**Thank you for your continued support and collaboration as we work toward becoming a National PTA School of Excellence!**



# Survey Questions

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	Unknown	Never	Sometimes	Frequently	Always
1. Our school has friendly signs inside and outside in multiple languages.					
2. Our school translates communications and provides interpreters as needed.					
3. Our school encourages families to volunteer.					
4. Our school shows respect to all families regardless of differences (e.g. age, gender, race, cultural background).					
5. Our school communicates with families in multiple ways (e.g., email, phone, website).					
6. Our school provides clear, two-way conversations about student progress or needs.					
7. Our school helps families understand how they can support their child's learning.					
8. Our school involves parents in planning for student transitions (e.g. middle school, high school, post-secondary, careers).					
9. Our school uses technology to meet the needs of today's students.					
10. Our school includes students as active participants in discussions of expectations and work quality (e.g. parent teacher conferences).					
11. Our school explains the academic standards and how the curriculum is connected to those standards.					
12. Our school informs and encourages families to advocate for students at the school, local, state or national level.					
13. Our school listens to families' concerns and demonstrates a genuine interest in developing solutions.					
14. Our school provides information on family rights and responsibilities under federal and state laws.					
15. Our school establishes policies that recognize and respect diversity (e.g. cultural, ethnic, religious, socioeconomic).					
16. Our school considers families to be equal partners in decision making (e.g. policy, curricula, budget, safety, personnel).					
17. Our school provides families with information on our school improvement plan.					
18. Our school distributes information on community resources that serve the needs of families within the community.					
19. Our school has partnerships with local businesses, community organizations and service groups to advance student learning, or assist the school or families.					
20. Our school is a central part of the community.					

