the BEL AIR BRANCH

Thank you for your interest in the Bel Air Branch of Harford County Public Library

Your support will be crucial to our efforts to raise awareness and funds to support the renovation of the children's department.

We have set a campaign goal of $50,000 and are well on our way to reaching that goal. Our campaign will run from October 20 through December 31, 2010. An ambitious goal, but one we know is attainable with the support of the community members and business partners who readily access this wonderful resource.

You can help us reach our goal by participating as a donor and by sharing this information with other community leaders.

It's your community, your library; and you do make a difference!

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Early Literacy Interactive Space

Sponsorship Opportunities

Children's Area

The Bel Air Children's Department has served the children and families of our community for the last fifty years in its current location. It's sheer size and prominent location within the county have made it a destination for generations of our youngest learners. In fiscal year 2009 (July 1, 2008 - June 30, 2009) the Harford County Public Library (HCPL) circulated 4,851,373 items; with the Bel Air Branch circulating 1,287,982 items or 26.5% of the total system circulation. This branch, and particularly the Children's Department, is long overdue for a renovation.

HCPL has received funding to renovate the Children's Department and create a new emergent literacy interactive space attracting our youngest customers and their families. Through engaging play, age appropriate materials and access to innovative programs we will encourage the emergent literacy skills essential to school readiness for all children.

Funds raised from this campaign will be targeted to provide the furniture, materials and decor necessary to transform the space into an inviting and invigorating learning environment. We will acknowledge all donors to the campaign. Donors at the giving levels listed below will be recognized on a plaque in the Children's Department when the renovation is complete.

Your support is key to our success.

Community Pillars	**$10,000**
President's Circle	**$5,000**
Business Leader	**$1,000**
Business Partner	**$250**
Family Supporter	**$100**

Yes, I want to support the Bel Air Children's Campaign with a gift in the amount of

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- ❑ I wish for my gift to remain anonymous
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1221-A Brass Mill Road
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