

Baccalaureate is a traditional, non-denominational ceremony dating back to the 12th century that celebrates graduation. The Lake Braddock Senior Class and families assemble for a student-led, inspirational performance. All of the performers are members of the senior class. This year's ceremony will take place on Monday, June 15, 2009 at Immanuel Bible Church.

Three things are needed to make this a memorable event:

- **Senior Participation:** This is an event for seniors, planned by seniors, performed by seniors. Seniors, please get involved. Share your gifts and talents with your friends and relatives to make it a memorable evening. The program committee will be there to support you, but the show cannot go on without YOU! The sign-up sheet will be posted on the Senior bulletin board in April 2009. Start thinking and planning now! This year will fly by quickly!!
- **Parent involvement:** Parent committees work behind the scenes. We design and order the invitations, print the programs, arrange for the chosen speakers, order the flowers and decorations, assist with auditions, coordinate the performance pieces, etc. Parents, friends and relatives are welcome and encouraged to attend the ceremony. Our committee meetings will begin in January.
- **Funding:** Baccalaureate is not a school-sponsored event; it is funded solely by donations from the Senior parents and community. Parents, please show your support for this important tradition by making a contribution to help cover the expenses. Donations are tax-deductible.

Please Volunteer -

Parents, if you would like to volunteer, or if you have any questions, please contact Mary Geary at 703-978-1630 or Mary.Geary@fcps.edu

YES! I would like to make a TAX-DEDUCTIBLE CONTRIBUTION to the 2009 Baccalaureate Event. I am sending a check to LBSSPTSA in the amount:

\$50.00 \$25.00 other _____

Donor's Name: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____

Student's Name: _____

I would like to help plan this year's Baccalaureate Ceremony. Please (call / email) me.

name _____ email _____ phone _____

Please mail your donation made payable to PTSA – Baccalaureate

Cynthia Dupuy, Treasurer

Attn: Baccalaureate Ceremony PO Box 11252 Burke, VA 22015