



Literacy Council of Carroll County

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The Board of Directors and staff wish



To all of our Jewish friends, tutors and students



To all of our Christian friends, tutors and students



And to all of our friends, tutors and students who enrich our lives



To all our readers,

As we conclude our current year and look forward to 2019, it is important to begin looking at our Annual Budget. This year's budget will top \$60,000. The 2019 budget will be approximately 7% higher. In order for us to meet our obligations for providing quality training and the latest teaching programs, we need to raise funds. What better way than to donate now through January 4th.

All donations will be matched by the Kahlert Foundation. Your donation is doubled!

Please consider us during the holidays and make this truly a Happy New Year for the Literacy Council.

Thank you for your support throughout the year and have a wonderful holiday season.

Sam Greenholtz
Executive Director

If you shop on Amazon remember that Amazon will donate to your designated charity an amount of money equal to a percentage of your purchase. We are registered as a designated charity by Amazon. Sign on Smile.Amazon.com, select us as your charity then shop as you normally would.

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From our Student/Tutor Coordinator Heidi White

One of the advantages of membership in the national ProLiteracy organization is the online seminars and trainings they offer. An online Tutor Training has recently been developed. I have looked at several of the modules and they provide lots of information for seasoned and novice tutors. Please take a few minutes to create your individual account and look at what they have to offer.

To create your individual account go to the ProLiteracy website and select Tutor Training 2018.

- Scroll down and click on Members
- Click Create an Account
- Fill in the required information
- On the next screen fill in Organization number 736139 (you do not need to fill in Individual number). On the next screen, fill in several areas of interest.
- Create and confirm your password. Answer security questions and click login. Your account has now been created.
- Close your browser and login to your newly created account.
- Select Tutor Training and click on Basic Literacy Tutor Training. There are 16 modules available covering a wide range of topics. Each module takes about one hour to complete but you can pick and choose lessons within the individual module. Many of the lessons refer you to pages in the Resource book you received at training.
- Our membership also allows you to watch seminars on a variety of educational topics.

Please take advantage of this tool and let us know what you think.

English Conversation

December 10
6:00 PM
255 Clifton Blvd.
Westminster, MD



Remember the Holiday Luncheon

December 6, 2018
11:30 to 2:00
255 Clifton Blvd, Room 3
(downstairs from the office)



Holiday Hours

The office will not be staffed
Dec. 21, 2018 through Jan. 1, 2019

The building will be closed
Dec. 24, 2018 and Dec. 25, 2018
and Jan. 1, 2019