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BART to Host 4th Annual Get BART Smart Fundraiser

ADAMS, MA – March 22, 2011 – Teams of contestants will match wits during a fundraising event at the Berkshire Arts & Technology Charter Public School on Saturday, April 9, from 6:00 to 9:30 p.m. in the school's fourth annual "Get BART Smart" fundraiser.

Gathered in classrooms at the school's One Commercial Place campus, teams of four to six people will answer questions on topics including the arts and technology. Other questions will be written by BART teachers and come from their curriculum. Teams will also compete by taking portions of the SAT test.

Points will be awarded and a "Valedictorian" team will be named at the end of the evening.

"Though the competition is academically-based, there is plenty of room for teams that are just looking to relive aspects of their high school years – and have fun," said Julia Bowen, the school's executive director.

A minimum contribution of \$60 per person is requested, and attendees are encouraged to sign up in teams of four to six. Proceeds will benefit BART's college preparatory program. Food and beverages provided by Mezze Catering and Nejaime's Wine Cellars will be served.

Individuals interested in playing can contact Monique Nottke at the school, at 743-7311 132, or sign up on line at:

<http://www.bartcharter.org/getbartsmart/index.html>