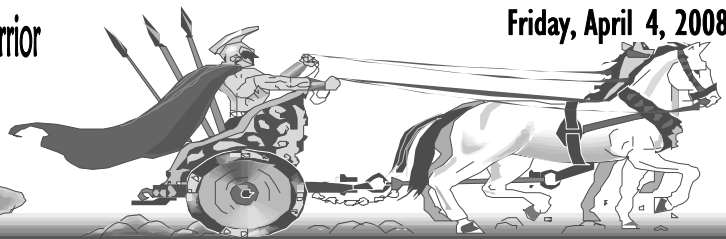


"Make trumpets  
...and use them for  
calling the  
community  
together."  
Numbers 10:2

# Bowling Green Christian Academy's Warrior Trumpet

Friday, April 4, 2008



Dear Families,

I hope your family had a pleasant spring break and is ready to run this last quarter with us to "finish the race" for a successful school year. The academic push is for addressing new material as much as possible and reviewing concepts covered earlier this year. Please encourage your students to be rested and on time each day, with assignments in hand, ready for maximum learning to take place. Many extracurricular activities begin during this time, however, we ask that you help us keep school as a priority. Stanford testing is one week away and the Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) testing begins on April 21. Spring is a busy time!

Our Board and Staff have been working these last weeks on recommendations, budget, structure and decision making. Our enrollment process is going great. Thanks for sharing with family and friends about our school and the work that goes on here. Many hours of prayer, discussion, debating, planning and seeking God's direction is involved in all we do. Without hesitation, I can say we have some of the most dedicated, godly and capable people serving on our Board, faculty and staff. Thank you for the sacrifices each of you make to be a part of Bowling Green Christian Academy and its ongoing program. You are appreciated!

*For we are His creation—created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared ahead of time so that we should walk in them (Eph. 2:10).*

Serving Him with you,  
Mattie Jane Cobb

## TOP 5 THINGS TO KNOW:

- (1) The 3rd Quarter Principal's List and Honor Roll** can be found on the back page of today's *Trumpet*.
- (2) St. Jude Math-A-Thon** pledges must be turned in no later than Monday, April 7. We need to know exactly how much each child collected in order to award prizes, so be sure to have students turn in their monies in clearly identified envelopes. Thank you for your hard work and assistance with this worthwhile service project!
- (3) It's Almost Too Late!** Have you yet informed the Finance Office (Lori Wilson or Bruce Wilkerson) whether you will be pre-paying next year's tuition or paying through SMART Tuition? *Please verify* - forms must be filed no later than Thurs, April 10.
- (4) BGCA's own summer day camp, Acad-A-Camp,** is scheduled for June 2 through August 1. Plan to spend part or all of your summer with your friends participating in fun activities such as fieldtrips, President's Physical Fitness Program, service projects, crafts, and lots of play time. Contact Mrs. Bennett for more information. Registration forms are available in the office, through Extended Care, or on our homepage, [www.bgca.org](http://www.bgca.org).
- (5) The 2008-2009 Calendar** has been approved. The complete calendar will be listed in a future *Trumpet* or visit our website. Below are a few of the major dates:

Wed, August 6	First day for students
October 6-10	Fall Break
December 22-Jan 2	Christmas Break
March 23-27	Spring Break
Wed, May 20	Last day for students

## SPIRITUAL LIFE

**High Five Class** schedule for Wednesday, April 9:

We welcome visitors to share and worship with us!

8:15am	K4 through 2nd grades	>Ms. Baker's 2nd gr class presenting
8:45am	3rd through 8th grades	

**Pray scripturally for our students**....Insert a student name and pray for them each day during the week:

As \_\_\_\_\_ considers his/her gifts, cause him/her to lean not on his/her own understanding, but acknowledge you in all his/her ways, so that you - the One who created and gifted him/her - will make his/her paths straight (Pro. 3:5-6).

## ACADEMIC LIFE

**Mrs. Betty Harris' K4 students** have begun taking turns being Scientist of the Week. The student Scientist will learn and demonstrate a science experiment to share with the class.

**Mrs. Shelia Harris' K5 class** is learning about our solar system with emphasis on the planets and the sun. They are learning about how awesome it is that God created all of the wonders of outer space, just by speaking. They realize that Pluto is no longer listed as a planet, but they continue to sing a song about it.

**Mrs. Meador's 3rd graders** took a fieldtrip to the WBKO weather station and learned more about weather upon their return. The students learned to read a newspaper weather map and made a barometer. They took home their barometers to monitor and record data. The class also learned about weather safety and were encouraged to discuss a family weather safety plan for various situations.

## IN BACKPACKS

(Watch deadlines!)

Look for these items in backpacks today unless otherwise noted:

- ✓ PTP Parents' Game Night CANCELLED flyer sent home Mon
- ✓ PTP Yard Sale reminder sent home Tues
- ✓ SC RIP News and Order form sent home Mon - due April 3
- ✓ April/May Calendar (pink)
- ✓ Dance Team & Camp flyer (girls 4th-7th) - due Apr 7
- ✓ Golf Ball Toss fundraising flyer - due Apr 7 or Apr 11

## SCHOOL NEEDS

### Tuition for 2008-2009:

April 10, 2008 - SMART applications due to SMART

May 1, 2008 - Prepaid tuition is due on or before this date

June 10, 2008 - First SMART tuition payment is due

If you need assistance or have questions regarding tuition, please contact Bruce or Lori at 782-9552, ext. 41.

**NEEDED:** Several items are continually needed for our office "nursing" supplies: (1) **Thermometer probe covers** (oral), (2) **band-aids**, and (3) **325mg tablets of acetaminophen** (Tylenol, etc.). Donations are gratefully received in the office.

**AVAILABLE:** gently used **short-sleeve chapel shirts** are available for sale at a reduced cost. Proceeds go to the 8th gr Jamaica mission trip. Contact Paula Bennett to purchase shirts.

**Too Small? Too Short? Too Tight?** Before the warm weather arrives, look in drawers and closets for clothes that are too small, shorts and skirts that are too short, etc. Our students have grown a lot over the winter and have likely grown right out of their fall and warm weather clothing. Please be sure they fit correctly - especially our Standardized Appearance clothing. Thanks for thinking and working ahead for the warm weather clothing transitions!

## PTP

**Parent Night** prize winners (through a random drawing of all families, faculty, and staff):

**\$25 gift card**, courtesy of Sam's Club - Brad & Tracy Riggs (Trey-K4A)

**\$10 gift card**, courtesy of Rafferty's - Kenny & Tracey Seaver (Loren-4th and Rachel-6th Osborne)

**2 movie passes**, courtesy of Great Escape - Mike & Arika Lindsey (Alexis-3rd)

## OPPORTUNITIES

**Science Proves Creation:** Free Admission to seminar on Sat, April 5, 9:00am-5:00pm at Downing University Center (DUC) Theater at WKU. More info is available at [www.scienceprovescreation.com](http://www.scienceprovescreation.com).

**Information is available in the office for:**

- WKU Vampy (7th-10th gr) & Scats (6th-8th gr) Summer Gifted Camp info
- Citizens First Bank flyer - BGCA receives a credit

## Congratulations 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Scholars!

**Principal's List** students (grades 3-8) received all A's:

<u>3rd Grade</u>	<u>4th Grade</u>	<u>5th Grade</u>
Madeline Blair	John Mikel Boswell	Aaron Bilbrey
Parker Carwile	Meredith Botner	Colleen Henson
Alexis Cherry	Samantha Brooks	Hannah Higgins
LeeAnn Duncan	Sydney Denton	McKenzie Morris
Remy Gaines	Madelyn Hamblin	
C.J. Jones	Alex Harnack	<u>6th Grade</u>
Seth Neimeier	Loren Osborne	Nathan Cherry
Hannah Schuette	Matthew Propst	Travis Henson
Ashleigh Sewell		Miller Ramsey
Gabrielle Sledge		<u>7th Grade</u>
Chessman Robbins		Abby Harnack
		Amanda Kieffer

**Honor Roll** students (grades 3-8) received all A's & B's:

<u>3rd Grade</u>	<u>5th Grade</u>	<u>7th Grade</u>
Alexis Lindsey	Kaycie Bowen	Victoria McClary
Lee Ramsey	Tanner Holland	Andrew McGuffey
Annelise Richards	Anne Claire McBrayer	Lauren Sledge
Kyle Sealey	Ben Reeves	
Hannah Williams	Ryan Rough	<u>8th Grade</u>
Rachael Allion	Ryan Sealey	Taylor Boswell
		Jake Trabue
<u>4th Grade</u>	<u>6th Grade</u>	
Andrew Hardin	Christian Howard	
Nicholas Newton	Rachel Osborne	
	Kaylea Pharris	
	Hunter Sewell	
	Allison Woodard	

## THANK YOU/CONGRATULATIONS

**Sharing beyond our school** - A creative parent decided to contribute to BGCA while helping to host their church's upcoming state-wide Junior Bible Quiz meet. All aluminum soda cans from the event will be collected and trashed in our **Aluminator** recycling bin for the 8th grade Mission Trip to Jamaica. Thanks a bunch!!!

**Congratulations** to the State ACSI Speech participants, listed by grade and ribbon level. Great job!

- 1st:** Jillian Higgins - blue
- 2nd:** Stephen Quiton - blue
- 3rd:** Alexis Lindsey - red, Annelise Richards - red, Kyle Sealey - red
- 4th:** Alex Harnack - blue, Nick Newton - blue, Matt Propst - red
- 5th:** Colleen Henson - blue, Hannah Higgins - blue, Anne Claire McBrayer - blue, Caroline Richards - blue
- 6th:** Allison Woodard - blue

See the **Jr. Girl Scouts'** WKU College Heights Herald article, April 3 issue. Fun experiences for their art badge!

**H.S. Baseball: former BGCA student**, Caleb Hanes, is the starting pitcher for Bowling Green High School. See his picture and part of an article on the hallway bulletin board. Caleb was a BGCA student through and beyond eighth grade. We are so pleased with his accomplishments in and out of the classroom!

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