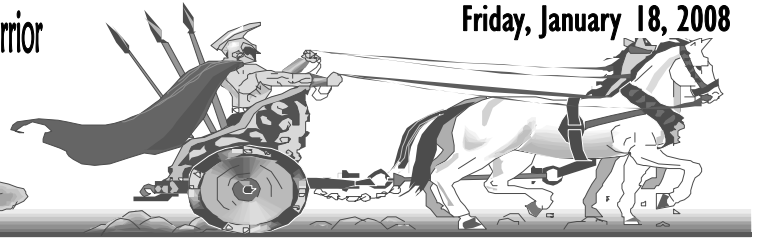


*"Make trumpets
...and use them for
calling the
community
together."
Numbers 10:2*

Bowling Green Christian Academy's Warrior Trumpet

Friday, January 18, 2008



Dear Families,

This is a call to prayer!! We had a wonderful worship time Wednesday during the Jamaica Mission Trip Chapel. Thanks to all who came to pray and "send off" our twelfth team to go to the Caribbean Christian Center for the Deaf. We have eleven members on this team, and we are asking that you pray specifically for them by name: Mr. Jim Cox, Team Leader, Emily Chenault and Jake Trabue, eighth grade students, Michael Newton and Heather Chenault, BGCA Alumni, Julie Troyer, BGCA Office Manager, Patti Rucker, BGCA Volunteer, Dwight Trabue, BGCA parent, Peggy Wallace, sign interpreter and member at Living Hope, and two students from Westminster Christian Academy in Huntsville, James Post and David Knight. Please pray for the team members, for travel concerns, for safety and good health during the stay, and for communication with the residents who are deaf, that they will come to know and understand the will of God for their lives.

We have another call to prayer!! Bowling Green Christian Academy seeks direction for all of our students, our families, our programming, and for direction in every decision that we make. Please come by the Prayer Room, next to the mailroom, to spend time praying for our school and the many needs we address here. We depend on your prayer support. There is a listing of students and staff for your convenience. Join us in giving thanks for the many ways our school has been blessed and in asking for guidance as we work through this school year and plan for the year ahead. We are told in Psalms 32:8, "I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will counsel you and watch over you."

Thanks for caring enough to pray with us daily. God bless each of you!

Serving Him with you,
Mattie Jane Cobb

TOP 4 THINGS TO KNOW:

- (1) Start Thinking Now** about 2008-2009 re-enrollment. It will be here soon! We have had a great year and look forward to seeing everyone in August! February re-enrollment dates will be announced shortly. In the meantime, see Christi Bilbrey, Admissions Director, if you have any general questions.
- (2) School is Closed and there is no Extended Care** during the week of January 21-25. Mail and messages will be checked, periodically. Our normal school schedule resumes on Monday, January 28, the **100th day of school!**
- (3) In the event of severe or inclement weather,** please be assured that we constantly monitor TV, radio, and radar. The safety of all of our students and staff is our priority at all times. Thank you for helping us focus on the matters at hand. School closings or delays will be announced via radio and TV, especially 90.7FM/WCVK and Channel 13/WBKO.
- (4) There are lots of important Calendar Items Coming Up!** It is a blessing to be a part of such an active school community! See the website, www.bgcaky.com, for a more complete listing. Following are several key events, listed by date: Sat, Jan 19 - Lego Robotics Team competition at WKU; Mon, Jan 28 - Academic Team competition at Alvaton Elem; Tue, Jan 29 - Brownie Troop Bridging Ceremony (to Jr. Girl Scouts), PTP Mother/Son Bowling At DUC; Fri, Feb 1 - School Fan Bus and fieldtrip to Frankfort for games at Frankfort Christian; Mon-Tues, Feb 4-5 - ACSI Science Fair; Thu, Feb 7 - 3rd Quarter Midterm; Sat, Feb 9 - PTP Father/Daughter Sock Hop.

SPIRITUAL LIFE

High Five Class schedule for Wednesday, Jan 30:
We welcome visitors to share and worship with us!

8:15am K4 through 2nd grades >Jana Boswell
8:45am 3rd through 8th grades

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

Let ___ use his/her gift to serve others, faithfully administering your grace in its various forms, so that in all things you will be praised and receive glory. ~I Peter 4:10-11

ACADEMIC LIFE

Shelia Harris' K5 class recently studied about the state of Alaska and the Inuit people. This week the class began a unit on hibernation - a good winter topic! They also discussed the lives and contributions of George Washington Carver and Dr. Martin Luther King.

Mrs. Wilkerson's 1st graders are discussing cowboys in their curriculum over the next couple of weeks. They ended this week with "Cowboy Day" on Friday. Students not only dressed as cowboys, but experienced "cowboy food" with a little imagination: beans, "buffalo", trail mix, "coffee", and "rattlesnake".

Ms. Baker's 2nd graders will begin learning the cursive alphabet. They look forward to working toward doing their work in cursive later in the year.

IN BACKPACKS

(Watch deadlines!)

Look for these items in backpacks today unless otherwise noted:

- ✓ **Extended Care Invoices** for part-time care in Dec and full-time care in Feb (*orange envelopes*) - due Fri, Feb 1
- ✓ (*sent home already*) **Clothing Collection Flyer** from the cheerleaders - collected items through Jan 18 for a family who lost everything in a house fire.
- ✓ **Family Telephone Directory** (*red*) - *See article below.*

FUNDRAISING & HELPING

We Need Receipts! *Ouch!* Our points report from the Greenwood Mall, "My School's Cool", program indicates a meager representation of what we *know* our families can do! Dig out your receipts from Christmas purchases, wardrobe changes, or other mall purchases. You can turn them in at the mall or bring them to school and we will see that they get counted. Rachel Neimeier and Kim Henson coordinate our participation.

***Additional Directory Information:** Better late than never! We certainly wish we could have had these printed and ready months earlier but that just did not happen. Thank you to the people and businesses who purchased ads for the directory. The proceeds from advertising sales assisted with the funds needed for this year's 8th grade class/mission trip to the Caribbean Christian Center for the Deaf (CCCD) in Montego Bay, Jamaica. Each household will receive only one directory which has been sent home with one of your students - usually the youngest. A limited number of additional copies are available for \$2.00 each., with proceeds going to the 8th grade class.

We have several new students, a couple of families who have moved away, and a few phone numbers or addresses which have changed since we sent the directory to the printer. These are included in an insert for you to make changes to your personal copy.

Please let us know of any further changes we should be aware of. Updates will be included in future *Trumpets*.*

SCHOOL NEEDS

Do You Need a Statement of childcare payments made in 2007 for tax preparation? Please contact Paula Bennett, Extended Care Director. Messages can be left for her, 782-9552, ext. 19, at any time of day. Please allow sufficient time for processing statements.

PTP

The Annual Father/Daughter Sock Hop reservations are due by Friday, February 1. Grab your favorite doo-wop girl and sign up to bring her to the "**Sock Hop**" on Saturday, February 9.

Would you consider baking some cookies or apple pies for the Father/Daughter Sock Hop? Share your delicious treats! Contact Carla Horn, c/320-3830, or h/901-0122.

THANK YOU/CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations ACSI Speech Winners & Participants! It was evident that our 1st-6th grade students put a lot of work into their speeches for the event on Monday, Jan 14. They all showed HEART! The following students were named to top places in their grades and categories:
1st gr: Bible - *Jillian Higgins; Poetry - *Adam McGuffey, Hannah Curry;
2nd gr: Poetry - *Stephen Quiton, Tyler McClure, Kennedy Campbell;
3rd gr: Bible - *Kyle Sealey; Poetry - *Annelise Richards, Ashleigh Sewell, Hannah Schuette; Fable - *Alexis Lindsey;
4th gr: Bible - *Nick Newton, *Alex Harnack; Poetry - *Matt Propst; Fable - *Loren Osborne, Madeline Hamblin, Samantha Brooks;
5th gr: Poetry - *Anne Claire McBrayer; Patriotic Oration - *Hannah Higgins, *Colleen Henson; Bible Prose - *Caroline Richards;
6th gr: Poetry - *Allison Woodard, Rachel Osborne; Bible Prose - *Hunter Sewell.

Students with "*" won first place in their grade and category as well as the opportunity to compete at the ACSI State Speech Competition on Sat, Mar 15, at Cornerstone Christian Academy in Shelbyville.

Loads of thanks to event volunteer coordinator, Christy Schuette, and her many volunteer assistants and judges. It was a very smooth and well organized day. We could not have done it without these wonderful people!

OPPORTUNITIES

Death By Chocolate

evening with Tim Hawkins, family comedian

Saturday, February 16, 6:00pm

Warren Central H.S.

Chocolate Buffet!

Outreach of Assembly of God

Tickets (\$15 each) available through Family Christian Bookstores or call 842-0223.

Information is available in the office for:

➔ **Super Saturdays** - February Term - at WKU, gr 1-8

Shows, music, news, and more! Check out the **Bulletin Board** display case in the front hallway. It has lots of interesting information!