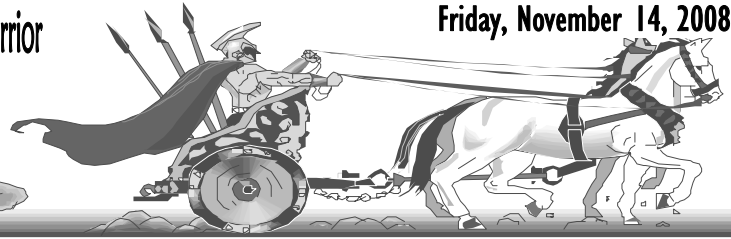


*"Make trumpets
...and use them for
calling the
community
together."
Numbers 10:2*

Bowling Green Christian Academy's Warrior Trumpet

Friday, November 14, 2008



Dear Families,

Thanksgiving is the season for just that—giving thanks! This has been a season of wonderful events for Bowling Green Christian Academy. Our Fall Family Fellowship on Monday evening was a showcase of programming for our school! Thanks to Christy Schuette for orchestrating the event and thanks to all of the parents, students, staff, and board members for an enjoyable, informative evening.

Our Veteran's Day chapel, on Wednesday, was such a heartwarming event! We had sixteen veterans attend the program, including friends, parents, and grandparents of our BGCA family. These veterans represented various branches of the armed forces who have sacrificially given for our freedom. The students performed patriotic songs, readings, and dance. Each guest gave a testimony of their service and was given a poppy pin as our thanks to them. Following the program, there was a time of fellowship with the PTP social committee serving refreshments to our guests. Over and over, our guests commented how much they appreciated this program. Great things are happening here, and we love to share it.

This is mid-term of the second quarter. Our year is going fast! Just know that we are here to serve you and your family. Thanks for all you do for our school!

"For in Him we live and move and are!" Acts 17:28 (LB)

Serving Him with you,
Mattie Jane Cobb

TOP 4 THINGS TO KNOW:

- (1)** We are excited to share the **Scholastic Book Fair** with you next week! Remember to stop by **Family Night** at the Book Fair for food, folks, and fun on **Tuesday night, Nov 17, 5:00-8:00pm**. Chili Combo Meals will be \$2 each.
- (2)** We share with others through our annual Thanksgiving **Manna Mart Collection**. Begin collecting items at home, and bring them to school any time Mon, Nov 24, and before school Tues, Nov 25. We will present our collection to Manna Mart Tuesday morning. Items especially needed are listed on the back page.
- (3) Tardy Reminder:** If your student arrives late to school, please remember that you need to come into the front office to sign them in on the yellow sign-in sheet. Thank you for your help!
- (4) Thanksgiving Break** and no school Wednesday through Friday, Nov 26 - 28. There is no Extended Care available. Enjoy this time of thanksgiving with family and friends.

SPIRITUAL LIFE

The classes will present their portion of the Fall Family Fellowship program on Wed, Nov 19. Each class will perform for the students and teachers during their regular Chapel/High Five time. This will give them one more opportunity to share what they've worked so hard on! We welcome visitors to share and worship with us any time!
The High Five schedule for Wednesday, Nov 19:

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

Pray scripturally for our students.....Each week we include a short prayer based on scripture. The current focus is "A Servant's Heart." Insert a student name and pray for them each day during the week:

Let _____ be kind and compassionate to others,
forgiving them just as in Christ God forgave
him/her (Ephesians 4:32).

ACADEMIC LIFE

Mrs. Coats' K4 class is learning about Native Americans during Heritage Studies. They have learned about their food, games, children, and worship. Their Show and Tell focus has been on items beginning with the letter C.

Mrs. Meador's 3rd graders have been studying prayer. They've learned a sweet story behind the pretzel shape, the holes standing for the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, and students who prayed. Ask one of our third graders for more information about their recent studies. As a yummy follow-up, the class took a field trip to Auntie Anne's.

Mr. Motter's 5th gr Bible class has been discussing the cycle of sin: sin, bondage, repentance, and salvation. They are discovering the meaning of God's grace and man's repentance through the story of the prodigal son in Luke 15:11-32.

IN BACKPACKS

(Watch deadlines!)

Look for these items in backpacks today unless otherwise noted:

- ✓ **December Lunch Form** (*yellow*) - due Mon, Nov 17, 3:30pm
- ✓ **Book Fair Flyer & Order Form**
- ✓ **Extended Care Invoices** (*orange env.*) - Extended Care invoices for full-time December care and part-time October care
- ✓ **Board Letter**
- ✓ **Annual Fund Commitment Card** - due Nov 30
- ✓ **2nd Qtr Midterms** will be sent home Wed, Nov 19

FUNDRAISING & HELPING

See You At Book Fair Family Night!!! Tues, Nov 18, 5-8pm.

PTP will sell dinner: chili, chips, sandwich, dessert, and drinks (combo meal \$2). We'll have many books to choose from along with other accessories available to purchase. Proceeds from the Book Fair will fund library holdings and education. NOTE: There is a basketball game that night, but don't worry.... the Book Fair will remain open so everyone can come by, check out the books, and enjoy dinner.

Colder Weather is Here! Remember that there are some gently used long-sleeved chapel shirts for sale, \$7.00/each. Proceeds benefit the 8th grade mission trip to Jamaica.

Share With Others: Check sale flyers and pick-up some extra non-perishable food items for the all-school Manna Mart food pantry collection. *We will only be collecting for Manna Mart at school on Monday and Tuesday, Nov 24 and 25.* (Dates were incorrectly printed in last week's *Trumpet*.) Please keep the items at home until that time. Here is a list of the most useful food pantry items:

Oats, 18 oz
Powdered Milk, 3 qt
Orange Juice, 46 oz
Apple Juice, 46 oz
Tomato Juice, 46 oz
Saltine Crackers, 16 oz
Peanut Butter, 18 oz

Soups, 10 oz
Tomato
Vegetable Beef
Chicken Noodle
Cream of Chicken
Chicken Gumbo
Bean with Bacon

Instant Mashed Potatoes, 13 oz
Macaroni & Cheese
Pork & Beans, 16 oz

Chili, 30 oz
Salmon, 16 oz
Spam, 12 oz
Roast Beef & Gravy, 24 oz
Chicken & Noodles, 30 oz

Beef Stew & Gravy, 24 oz
Chicken & Dumplin's, 30 oz
Sweet Potatoes, 16 oz
Corn, 15 oz
Green Beans, 15 oz
Tomatoes, 16 oz
Mixed Vegetables, 16 oz
Green Peas, 16 oz
Turnip Greens, 14.5 oz
Black-eyed Peas, 15 oz

Apple Sauce, 16 oz
Raisins, 16 oz
Peaches, 30 oz
Pears, 30 oz
Fruit Cocktail, 16 oz
Jell-O, 4-serving size
Pudding Mix, 4-serving size

SCHOOL NEWS & NEEDS

Pick-up your **Dishes and Lost & Found Items** from the table in the front hallway. Dishes were left after Monday night's Fall Family Fellowship at Crossland.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

The next scheduled **Basketball Games** are:

(CANCELLED/POSTPONED - Saturday, Nov 15)

Tuesday, Nov 18, at the ROC vs. Glasgow C.A.

4:30pm 4th-6th grades

5:45pm 6th-8th grades

**Go
Warriors!**

Calling All Chess Enthusiasts! We are looking for interested students to participate in Chess Club. We have been offered quality WKU mentoring and assistance if we could have one or more parent/adult volunteers to be the BGCA contact. Let us know your interest!

BOARD NEWS

The **next Board Meeting** is scheduled for Mon, Nov 17, at 4:30pm. Board meetings are open, and printed agendas for the next meeting are available in the school office. Please note that the Board will move to a Closed Session for confidential matters such as employment issues.

FAMILY DIRECTORY CHANGES

Please note these changes in your Family Directory copy:

Grace Hostetler (P3/K4-3 teacher) 270-996-9175

Beth Curry (Hannah-2, Megan-1) cell/202-7104

John Holland (Tanner-6, Trevor-3) cell/791-3725

Dena Knaup (Hannah-3) cell/303-0629

We will periodically keep you informed of additional changes.

OPPORTUNITIES

Information is available in the office for:

- ➔ **Lincoln: A Man For All Times**, children's musical, Mon, Feb 9, with BG Chamber Orchestra, at Living Hope B. C.
- ➔ **Guitar Lessons** (private)

Bowling Green Chamber Orchestra presents:

A Larnelle Harris Christmas on Mon, Dec 8, LHBC; tickets available at www.bgco.com or 270-846-2426

Mary Kendall Adoption Fair

Sat, Nov 22, 1:00-5:00pm, Faith United Methodist
gather information; ask questions; children's activities
Contact person, Catherine Rickman, 846-3101.

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