

BRADFORD BULLETIN

BRADFORD ACADEMY'S PARENT UPDATE

BASKETBALL IN JANUARY

SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- **Jan. 30th**—100th Day Rodeo Round Up!!!
- **Jan. 31st Chess Club** 1st-4th Grades, 3 to 4 PM
- **Feb. 9th**—Alamance County Spelling Bee
- **GRANDPARENTS DAY**
FEBRUARY 17th
Mark your calendars.
- **Feb. 20th**—Presidents' Day, NO SCHOOL

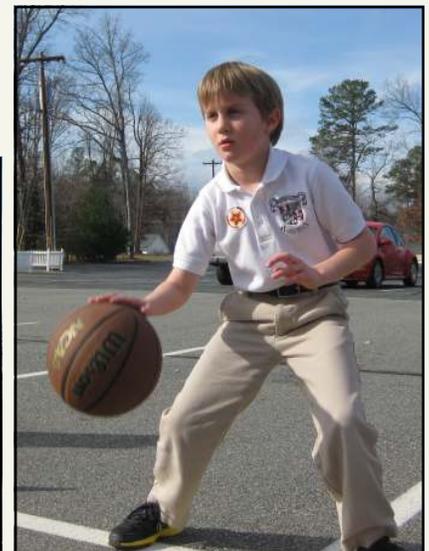
PRAYER

- **Financial Aid Fund** - Please pray for success in our effort to raise funds to provide aid to families who would like to attend Bradford Academy.
- **Students** - Please pray for spiritual fruit among our students.
- **Enrollment** - We have a good number of applications for next year but are eager to reach more families. Please continue to pray for next year's enrollment!
- **New teachers** - We would like to add two more teachers to our staff next year. Pray that the Lord would bring us the right candidates.

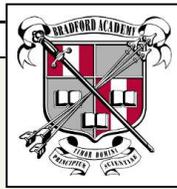


The Lord is giving us a wonderfully mild winter. That blessing has allowed us the opportunity to enjoy a lot more basketball play than we normally would this time of year. Thursday morning it looked like almost every child on the playground was dribbling a ball! They are very excited about the new skills they are learning. May the Lord bless and strengthen them as they grow to be strong and healthy men and women. May they learn the fine art of team

work and develop a sense of sportsmanship and grace. AND have fun while doing it! Peace and Grace.



TIMOR DOMINI PRINCIPIUM SCIENTIAE



MR. JOHNSTON

3rd Writing: Expository paragraphs and key word outline. We also worked on editing.

4th Reading: We continued reading Roger Green's retelling of the King Arthur legend.

4th Writing: This week we did a key word outline of one version of *St. George and the Dragon*. We also worked on editing.

3rd Math: We studied division and multiplication facts. We also learned area and labeling a polygon.

4th Math: Worked on subtracting fractions from whole numbers and mixed numbers.

3rd Latin: *LfC A* - Ch. 16 Imperfect Tense We also began translating sentences from our history reader! We invested the extra time this week to learn how to parse a sentence and turn it into good English.

4th Latin: *LfC B* - Ch. 16 Forms of Duo

1st Science: Solar System

2nd/3rd Grade Science: Chemistry— States of matter.

2nd/3rd Grade History: 2nd Intermediate Period in Egypt

4th Grade History: St. Francis of Assisi

4th Grade Science: Chemistry— We had a great special guest who helped us make colloid silly putty!

MRS. HICKS

Math: Using a ruler to draw line segments, sorting objects, subtracting 2, adding two digit numbers, regrouping, and review (money and time).

Phonics: Reading, re-telling activities, the letter L, and handwriting.

Centers: Reading, sentence writing, coloring and copy-work.

Art (K/1st): Paper Mache: Students began making a Paper Mache Fish.

Music (K/1st): Moving to Music: Students drew a story strip and acted them out to the tune of "The Nutcracker".

P.E. (K/1st): Students learned the basics of dribbling and passing the basketball.

Science: Students wrote about their favorite Season. Dates and general characteristics of that Season.

Verse: Romans 11:33-36 "Oh, the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are His judgments and His ways past finding out! For who has known the mind of the Lord? Or who has become His counselor? Or who has first given to Him and it shall be repaid to him? For of Him and through Him and to Him are all things, to whom be glory forever. Amen.

1st grade Phonics: Read, "Lexi's Hope" and oo as in the words boo and good.

1st grade Math: Subtracting 1 facts, identifying a.m and p.m., identifying noon, midnight, dozen, and half dozen, and adding three two-digit numbers

1st grade Grammar: Verbs as actions

2nd grade Phonics: Review of suffixes and spelling rules for adding suffixes to words.

2nd grade Math: Writing number s to 1,000 using words, subtraction facts of 3 and 4, subtracting two-digit numbers with borrowing.

2nd grade Grammar: Supporting and Non-Supporting sentences

2nd grade Latin: Words for parts of the face.

Specials:

4th grade Art: The students used laws of drawing to draw a rose this week.

4th grade Music: Review of staccato and tenuto notes, practice "The Robin"

2/3rd grade Art: Began paper mache project of mummified cat

2/3rd Music: Bar lines, measures , and double bar line

2nd/3rd/4th grade P. E.: Basketball (chest pass and catching)



Grandparents' Day

On Feb. 17th, we are inviting grandparents to visit the school, hear the children recite, and eat lunch with their darling grandchildren. It is a time for the children to practice some etiquette protocols in a very safe and forgiving situation. If your child's grandparent cannot come, please feel free to invite a substitute who would appreciate spending time with your child. Please complete the information request that came home this week and return it on Monday. Grandparents should plan to arrive between 10 and 10:30 AM. Lunch will finish by 12:30. We will need volunteers to help set up and tear down as well as prepare food. It is not a half day, but if your child's guest would like to take him or her and do something special after lunch, that would be fine.

