Volume 4, Issue 19 Jan. 20th, 2012

BRADFORD BULLETIN

BRADFORD ACADEMY'S PARENT UPDATE

SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- Jan 20th—Report Cards home today!
- Jan. 24th Chess Club 1st-4th Grades, 3 to 4 PM
- Jan.30th—100th Day Rodeo Round Up!!!
- Feb. 9th—Alamance County Spelling Bee
- GRANDPARENTS DAY FEBRUARY 17th

Mark your calendars.

More information to come.

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.
- Staff Pray for health and for creativity as we plan.
- Enrollment—Please pray for next year's enrollment!



INAUGURAL SPELLING BEE!



What do Laodicea, kamikaze, antediluvian, sarcophagus, croissant, Chihuahua, and asceticism all have in common? Those were some of the championship words in the Scripps National Spelling Bee held in Washington, D.C. Competitors from fourth through eight grades have been spelling for the honor of being named the national Spelling Bee Champion for over seventy-five years. Each national competitor has won in school bees, and local district competitions.

Congratulations to Chip Thrasher, our first Bradford Academy Spelling Bee School Champion. Chip will go on to represent our school in the



Alamance County Times-News Spelling Bee on February 9th. There he will challenge spellers

from area public, private, and home schools in 4th through 8th grades. We are confident that Chip will represent us well and make us proud.

Chip also earned points for Scrooby in our House Competition! Good Job! Peace and Grace.



SOMETIMES, SECOND PLACE IS NOT GOOD ENOUGH...



TUESDAYS AT 3:00 PM STARTING JAN. 24TH 1ST-4TH GRADES

IN THE END, THERE CAN BE ONLY ONE ...

TIMOR DOMINI PRINCIPIUM SCIENTIAE

MR. JOHNSTON

3rd Reading: We continue our brief journey into Greek mythology.

3rd Writing: Expository paragraphs and key word outline

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

3rd Math: We studied place value and writing in words large numbers, multiplying 3 and 4 digit numbers, reviewed multiplication facts.

4th Math: Multiplying three digit numbers or greater by three digit numbers including a zero.

3rd Latin: *LfC A* - Ch. 15—Predicate nouns and linking verbs.

4th Latin: *LfC B -* Ch. 15 Ordinal numbers.

1st Science: Molecules and atoms

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

2nd/3rd Grade History: 12 Tribes of Israel

4th Grade History: The Crusades

4th Grade Science: Chemistry—Reviewed states of matter, distillation, solutions, saturation. We were able to make a supersaturated solution of potassium sulfate which made much better crystals then our salt solution we used last week!



MRS. HICKS

Math: Subtraction facts, subtracting 2, tallying, story problems.

Phonics: Group reading, retelling strategies, handwriting and short vowel sounds.

Centers: Writing Workshop and Coloring

Art (K/1st): Students wrote a story and illustrated their writing.

Music (K/1st): Moving to Music. Students learned how they can move to the beat of music.

P.E. (K/1st): Rolling the ball. Students played games to practice rolling the ball and to review catching and throwing.

Science: Wrote about activities during their favorite season.

History: Early Church history.

Verse: Romans 11:33 "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!"

Review: John 3:16 "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life."



1st grade Phonics: ie as long e, dropping final silent e and adding ing, and final -ly

1st grade Math: Using the addition algorithm

1st grade Grammar: Pronouns

2nd grade Phonics: Suffixes

2nd grade Math: Squaring numbers, identifying perfect squares, finding the area of a square, and showing/writing three and four digit numbers

2nd grade Grammar: Complete subject and complete predicate , simple subject and simple predicate

2nd grade Latin: Ch. 19 The Body

Specials:

4th grade Art: Review of artists Rembrandt and Giotto

4th grade Music: Review of composers Tchaikovsky and Haydn

2/3rd grade Art: Review of artists Rembrandt and Giotto

2/3rd Music: Review of composers Tchaikovsky and Haydn

2nd/3rd/4th grade P. E.: Basketball (stationary dribble, moving dribble, and one handed set-shot)





