

BRADFORD BULLETIN

BRADFORD ACADEMY'S PARENT UPDATE

THE LORD HAS BLESSED US WITH THIS PLACE

SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- Sing at the MARC
Friday, May 21st
- Patriotic Program
Thursday, May 27st
- Playground Workday
Saturday, May 29th

- **Memory Verse:**
- Psalm 119:44-47

- **Songs:** *Morning Has Broken, Take Me Out to the Ball Game, You're a Grand Ol' Flag, America*

PRAYER

- For growing interest from our community and enrollment for next year. We would especially like to see a few more students in the rising 2nd/3rd grade class!
- Wisdom for school leadership as we make plans for 2010/2011 school year.



With the onset of Spring, we have been blessed with multiple opportunities to enjoy our lunch at the Picnic Shelter. It has caused me to continually give thanks for the beautiful surroundings and facilities we have called home. The Lord has been very kind to us indeed. The children have enjoyed playing on the paths through the wooded area and the small grove has been everything from a castle to a pharmacy.

are also planning a couple other small projects. If you are available that day please contact Tony Fairchild at Tony.Fairchild@bldr.com. We will plan to begin around 9:00 AM. We will need chainsaws, rakes, wheelbarrows, shovels, and plenty of strong backs! Go ahead and mark your calendars and please stay tuned as we hammer out some more of these details! Peace and grace!

The Lord has also blessed us with a few donations to start our playground project. We have tentatively set SATURDAY, MAY 29th as our first workday. We hope to start clearing brush in order to expand the current play area. With that area expanded we will determine the amount of grading that will be necessary before installing a couple pieces of equipment and laying plenty of mulch. We



TIMOR DOMINI PRINCIPIMUM SCIENTIAE

FROM
MR. JOHNSTON
 1ST/2ND GRADE
 & HISTORY AND SCIENCE

Language Arts:

- 2nd - This week we reviewed prefixes and suffixes. In grammar, both grades continue learning about prepositions, the object of the preposition, and prepositional phrases. We also continued editing sentences for grammar errors.
- 1st - This week we read the book *Caught in Smiles*. We continued to review, read, and focus on fluency.

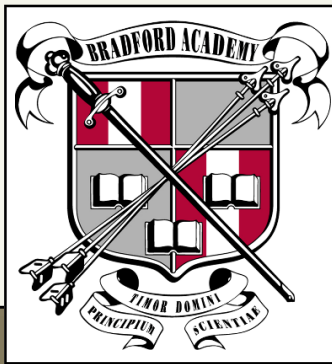
Math:

- 2nd - We learned to multiply two digit numbers, measure with millimeters, and name angles.
- 1st - We continued to practice reading an analogue clock to the minute, and subtraction focusing on minus 9 facts.

History:

- K - We are looking at American History with a brief survey of at colonial days and the American War for Independence.
- 1st and 2nd grade continue to study geography and maps.

Science: We completed our study of plants and trees.



FROM
MRS. OGLE
 KINDERGARTEN &
 SPECIALS

Math:

- Rounding a number to the nearest multiple of 10 by estimating
- Counting dimes, nickels, and pennies
- Identifying fractional parts of a whole (halves, thirds, fourths, sixths, eighths, tenths)
- Graphing tags on a bar graph

Language Arts:

- The consonant digraph "wh" as in the word **white**
- Review of th, sh, and ch
- Adding "es"
- A as "ah" as in the word **father**

P. E. :

- Our indoor P.E. this week allowed us to practice some more individual supports (fishhawk dive, nose dive, bear dance, V-seat, and knee dip).
- **If your child has a basketball we can use next Tuesday for P.E., please bring it to school. Please make sure your child's name is on the ball. Thanks!**

Music:

- Sang parts in echo songs and rounds
- Learned that harmony is the simultaneous sounding of two or more pitches

Art:

Began work on class mosaics of the two Latin phrases Coram Deo (Before the face of God) and Christus Rex (Christ is King)

