

Chalkmarks



Friday, April 1, 2011

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HAVE A SAFE AND RESTFUL SPRING BREAK SCHOOL RESUMES MONDAY, APRIL 11TH

Happy Walts has hung up the erasers! Please join us in honoring her:

When: **April 14, 2011**

Time: **7:00 pm**

Where: **Blackhawk Ministries Worship Center**

Why: **To honor her for her 38 years of service to BCS, and because we love her!**

A memory book is being compiled to give to Happy. Please take a few moments and share a special memory or thought with her in the form of a letter. These will be included in the book and we know she will treasure them. Please send letters to the attention of Marilyn Knuth, NC--feel free to drop them off in either school office.



JOGATHON Kickoff a Rousing Success!

This isn't the running of the bulls, this is running for the COWs! Jogathon is Wednesday, May 11th. Jogathon is an exciting day where families cheer their students on as they run laps to raise funds for BCS. This year students will be running and raising funds to be used to purchase COWs (Computers on Wheels) for the elementary and middle schools. The elementary goal is \$50,000 dollars. We had our kickoff assembly on Monday and the students have already been turning in sponsorship forms at a record pace. Spring Break is a great time for students to ask friends and family to support BCS through Jogathon. Keep up the great work and thank you so much for the support we receive through this fun event.



KICKBALL FEVER

We have selected our captains & teams and are ready to go! This is the 28th season of Blackhawk Kickball and its popularity rivals that of March Madness!

For announcements, scores, standings, rules, and other information, check out our BCS Kickball Website!

<http://bcskickball.blogspot.com/>

Middle School Track and Cross Country News

Spring is HERE, and so is our first track season at BCS! Great job to all the 5th & 6th grade students who are participating in the program this year. It will be exciting to kick off our season in a few weeks!

At the end of our track season, we will be having an information meeting regarding the fall cross country program for middle school runners. If you will be in fifth grade during the 2011-2012 school year, you can join the cross country team in the fall! Last year, 5th graders participated in four meets. It is a great way to begin cross country. I invite all 5th & 6th graders to join us as we build a strong and winning program at BCS.
Coach Steve Lengacher

FIRST GRADERS LEARN FOOD PYRAMID QUICKLY!

Last Thursday the 1st graders toured the FWCS Nutrition Center. They were excited to see the place where our school lunches are prepared! Students and parents were amazed at the level of cleanliness and high tech equipment used to assemble the daily lunches. It was a good culmination to their "Nutrition Mission" unit, and the professional dietician was present to discuss the food groups represented in the school lunch they ate during the trip.



The Speedstack store is STILL open! Place your orders before April 8! Go to <http://tiny.cc/au26i> for instructions on how to order Speedstacks. You will get an automatic discount and earn free Speedstack equipment for BCS!



TICKET TO READ

ENJOY THE RIDE OF READING !



2nd Grade Minimum (20) **3rd Grade Minimum (30)** **4th Grade Minimum (40)** **5th Grade Minimum (50)** **6th Grade Minimum (60)**

Charles Coats
A.J. Qualls
Cameron Trainer

Cameron Shank

Casey Bunner
Jarrett Dailey
Dane McKown
Justin Seibert
Caroline Sell
Jake Smith
Tara Wieland

2nd 50 Point Club

Tucker Starr
Leah Snyder

3rd 75 Point Club

4th 100 Point Club

Blake Scheer
Kaleb Study

5th 125 Point Club

Josh Carlson
Cade Dorais
Andrew Mishler
Matthew Rumble

6th 150 Point Club

Jonathon Roth

2nd Brick Wall (200)

Callan Wood

3rd Brick Wall (200)

4th Brick Wall (200)

5th Brick Wall (200)

Caitlyn Klinepeter-Persing

6th Brick Wall (200)

LOOKING AHEAD

Spring Break
April 4 through April 8



- **Thursday, April 14th**
Retirement celebration for Happy Walts, 7:00 p.m.
South Campus Worship Center
- **Friday, April 15th**
Report Cards go home
- **Tuesday, April 19th**
3A fire safety field trip to Survive Alive
- **Thursday, April 21st**
3B fire safety field trip to Survive Alive
- **Friday, April 22nd**
Good Friday, NO SCHOOL

“Telling the Bible wrong” at BCS ?

Mrs. Brown shared the following funny story from a mom of one of her students. We thought you would enjoy it as much as we did.



Funny thing about (student) - he came home yesterday and told me that they were “telling the Bible wrong” in chapel. Apparently, when he saw the parting of the Red Sea depicted, he was upset because Mrs. Starr used blue to represent the water and not red! I had to explain that the Red Sea was just a name and that the water was, in fact, blue. Crazy kid!

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The Scrip Office will be closed during Spring Break, but you can purchase Scrip on Sundays in the Blackhawk Ministries lobby between and after services.

www.blackhawkchristian.org/bcs-scrip/