



#### THE BCA MEGAPHONE

BURLINGTON CHRISTIAN ACADEMY NEWSLETTER

"Inspiring students to excellence for the glory of God through exceptional academics, Biblical Truth, and intentional discipleship."

### Mark Your Calendar

April 30th – May 2nd – Standardized Testing Grades 1st – 8th May 1st - National Day of Prayer May 2<sup>nd</sup> - Athletics Banquet (6:00 PM) May 5th -17th- High School AP Exams May 8th- Pre-school Field Day (9:00 - 11:00) May 9th - Elementary Field Day (K-2<sup>nd</sup> 9:00-11:30 AM, 3<sup>rd</sup> -5<sup>th</sup> 12:30-3:00 PM) May 16th- Middle School Field Day (1:30-3:00 pm, pizza provided) May 19th-22nd- Second Semester Exams (Early Dismissal grades 7 - 12) May 20<sup>th</sup> - K5 Graduation (6:00 p.m. in the Gym) May 21st- 1st - 5th Grade Awards Day (1st Grade 9:00-10:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary) (2<sup>nd</sup> Grade 10:30-11:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary) (3<sup>rd</sup> Grade 12:30-1:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary)

(4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Grade 2:00-3:00 p.m. in the Gym)

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May 22<sup>nd</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Awards Day (8:20-10:15 a.m.) May 22<sup>nd</sup> - High School 7<sup>th</sup> Period Exam Followed By High School Awards Day (10:30 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.) May 22<sup>nd</sup> - High School Last Day/ Early Dismissal (Dismissal at 12:15 p.m.) May 22<sup>nd</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation and Celebration Dinner (5:30 p.m.) May 22<sup>nd</sup> - Preschool Last Day May 23<sup>rd</sup> - Last Day (K5-8<sup>th</sup> Grade)- Half Day (Early Dismissal K5-8th Grade; last day for make-up exams 7<sup>th</sup> & 8th) May 23<sup>rd</sup> - Senior Breakfast (9:00 a.m.) May 23<sup>rd</sup> - High School Graduation (7:00 p.m.)

# Parents In Prayer Committee

The parents in prayer committee have been praying for our students, families, and teachers as we wrap up another wonderful school year. We pray to you, gracious God, that as these last few weeks go by, please be with all our students and teachers as they prepare for field day, for exams, and for those starting a new chapter. We pray for safekeeping, courage, strength, confidence, patience, and grace. We thank You for the knowledge that has been gained this year, for the friendships and memories that have been made, and for all the obstacles that we might have faced. All this we ask in Your name, Amen.

If you are interested in joining the parents in prayer committee, please reach out to Adriane Newbauer at <a href="mailto:adriane.r.newbauer@gmail.com">adriane.r.newbauer@gmail.com</a>



# COMFERENCE CHAMPIONS

TENNIS+GOLF+SOCCER
+TRACK & FIELD





#### **Boys Tennis**

Nathan Clark (player of the year)

Ben Cockman

Connor Pherson

Harlon Murray

Luke Williams

Nathan Garrigan

William Clark (coach of year)

#### **Girls Soccer**

Ava Cardwell

Adalynn House

Blakeley Bork

Maddie Brinn

Carli McNeilus

Kate Cockman

Jessica Stiles

Beth Walker (co-coach of the year)

#### Golf

Bailey Hogan

Braeden Moser

**Ethan Scott** 

Kenan Kim (player of year)

Alex Hogan

Paxton Delk

Chase Shoffner

Jamie Hogan (coach of year)

#### **Track and Field**

Micah Stewart

**Brian Flaherty** 

Ellie Mundy

Khloe Brown

Ellianna Bork

Adalynn House

Blakeley Bork

Mary-Katherine Parham

Anna Wilson

Kylie Messick

Reagan Craig

Emma Sweeney

Calynn Kendrick

Micah Abline

Cooper Beshel

AJ Knight

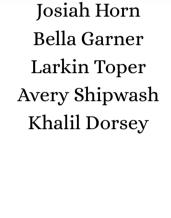
Davis Faucette

Elisha Morton

Carsyn Beshel

Wes Carroll

Colin Godwin







## **Discover BCA**

Educating age 3-12th grade

Preschool Preview Day Tuesday, May 6th 9:00 a.m.

**Learn About BCA's Philosophy And Mission** 

Register Here





# Preschool in Prayer

We are teaching our preschoolers the power of prayer. Even our littlest Royals know that prayer is talking to God. It is a privilege to hear some of the sweetest prayers spoken from the mouths of babes.

Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer. --Romans 12:12









# FILE III ROCKS!

# Heart of a Warrior Recipients

Ellie Garner Koen Hornung Jackson Harris Lennox Maricle





#### **They Ate BUGS!**

Elementary School met the reading challenge of 170,000 minutes. They read 171,111, with Mrs. Sharpe's class pulling the number over 170,000. Mrs. Pike and Mrs. Camons ate chocolate-covered coffee crickets, as promised.





### BCA Eighth Grade Explores History on Capstone Trip

Last week, Burlington Christian Academy's eighth-grade class embarked on their capstone trip to Philadelphia, PA, experiencing firsthand the foundations of American history. Students toured Independence Hall, viewed the Liberty Bell, and explored the National Constitution Center. Midway through the trip, the group gathered for a meaningful time of worship at the Philadelphia Christian Center. Additional highlights included a visit to the Civil War Museum in Richmond, VA, and a spectacular performance of "Noah" at Sight & Sound Theatre in Lancaster, PA.



# <u>From Seniors to Sidekicks: 12th Graders Join Kindergarteners for a Sweet Easter Egg Hunt</u>

The City Park playground was bursting with laughter and pastel-colored eggs last week as a group of graduating seniors teamed up with kindergarteners for a heartwarming Easter egg hunt. As part of the school's Grad-to-Grad mentorship program, 12th graders donned big smiles as they helped their tiny buddies fill baskets with hidden treasures.

The Grad-to-Grad program, which began in August, connects high school seniors with kindergarten students to build bonds, offer mentorship, and create a sense of community across grade levels. Over the school year, these pairs share story time, special projects, and seasonal celebrations. The Easter egg hunt, filled with fun and colorful surprises, marked one of the final joint events of the school year.

But the most touching moment is still to come. In May, when the seniors walk across the stage in their caps and gowns, they'll make a special appearance at the kindergarten graduation—cheering on their little friends as they take their own symbolic step forward.

"It's a full-circle moment," said one senior. "We're celebrating their first big milestone just as we prepare for our own."

As the school year winds down, the Grad-to-Grad program continues to highlight the power of mentorship, friendship, and tradition—showing that even as students grow and move on, the connections they build can leave a lasting impact.





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