



THE BROOK HILL SCHOOL

EVIEW SCHOOL NEWS

February 5, 2010

DID YOU KNOW?

*Stan Ward, Brook Hill teacher and Bible Department Chair,
has found another creative way to reach and teach others.....[CLICK HERE!](#)*

ALL SCHOOL

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TO VIEW THE
ALL SCHOOL WEB CALENDAR

THE BROOK HILL SCHOOL - MAILING ADDRESS CHANGED

OLD ADDRESS: PO Box 668, Bullard, TX 75757
NEW ADDRESS: 22450 FM 2493, Bullard, TX 75757

VALENTINE'S DAY SPECIAL

Valentine's Fundraiser for SOFA - A single beautiful carnation complete with ribbon and wrap or a grand bouquet can be hand delivered to your student, teacher or administrator the morning of February 12. Order forms and drop boxes are available at both campuses. [CLICK HERE](#) for a flyer with more details and an order form.

"MUFFINS WITH MOMS" - Thursday, February 18

All students (Pre-K through 12th grade) are invited with their moms to have muffins, coffee, juice and milk in the LS Dining Hall at 7:45 am. At 8:30 am, Carrie Langemeier will present a devotional for the moms that are able to stay. Please e-mail Julie Hanks at jhanks@brookhill.org if you plan to attend this event.

ANNUAL PARENTING CONFERENCE - Saturday, March 6

Paula Statman, MSSW, LCSW, will be the speaker for the Parent Services Center annual parenting conference to be held March 6, in the First Christian Church Family Life Center, 4202 South Broadway, Tyler. The topic and title of the conference is "KidWISE: Common Sense Wisdom for Parenting in Today's World." Cost of the conference is \$15 for all participants. CEUs are available for an additional processing fee of \$25. For additional information and registration [CLICK HERE](#).

DINNER & AUCTION - Friday, March 26

Be on the lookout next week for an e-mail regarding this year's Dinner & Auction benefitting the 2009/2010 Annual Fund! Plans are well underway for what will be an amazing evening FEATURING WHAT BROOK HILL IS ALL ABOUT – YOUR CHILDREN, BROOK HILL STUDENTS! There are many areas where you can participate and help to make this evening a huge success.

LOWER SCHOOL

DRESS FOR THE WEEK – February 8 - 12

Monday, Tuesday and Thursday – regular dress uniform; Wednesday-Chapel dress; and Friday - Friday casual dress. (*see exceptions in next paragraph*)

HAITI EARTHQUAKE RELIEF - February 8 – 12

We will be involved in a drive to help with relief for the victims of the Haiti Earthquake. During the week of February 8th - 12th, students may bring a donation of two dollars for each day they would like to wear jeans (including Wednesday!) They still need to wear the appropriate shirt, Monday through Thursday. Friday is still Casual Dress Day. On Friday they do not need to bring \$2.00 to wear jeans, but they can bring a donation of any size if they wish. No one is required or pressured to participate. There will be NO contest or competition. Choosing to participate is up to your family. Please put the money (for 1 or more days) in an envelope with your child's name on it. If you write a check, make it payable to "The Brook Hill School" with "Haiti Relief" in the memo section and turn it in to your child's teacher. All the monies collected will be sent to the Haiti Baptist Mission, one of the reliable and legitimate programs already in existence through Franklin Graham's Samaritan Purse charities. They are working tirelessly to help the victims of the Haiti Earthquake.

WEDNESDAY CHAPEL - February 10

Mr. Picarella's Kindergarten class will be leading chapel this week.

MRS. CARTER'S PRE-K SERVICE PROJECT- February 8

Mrs. Carter's Pre-K class will be leaving the LS on Monday and traveling to Prestige Estates in Tyler to deliver socks to the residents.

MRS. BAIRD AND MRS. PAGE FIRST GRADES FIELD TRIP - February 12

The first grade will be traveling to the Hudnall Planetarium on TJC campus between 9:30 and 11:00 to further their study of space.

BOOK DRIVE FOR BOYS AND GIRLS CLUBS OF EAST TEXAS - February 22 – March 4

In cooperation with James Vilade, Coach of the UT Tyler Patriots Baseball team, we are collecting new and gently used children's books for the Boys and Girls Clubs of East Texas. Here is an opportunity to clean off those book shelves and donate those books to Boys and Girls in East Texas who can genuinely use them. So, get your house cleaning clothes on and search for those books your children no longer read and bring them to school starting on February 22. More details will come later.

PUBLISHED POETRY! - [CLICK HERE](#)

Two third grade students, at The Brook Hill Lower School, were chosen to be published in a poetry anthology. Zoe Ward and Grace Brasher wrote poems and entered a contest for third grade students. Their poems were chosen to be in the poetry book.

MIDDLE/UPPER SCHOOL

[Click here](#) to see the latest *COMPASS*, a bi-monthly publication of the Academic Office.

HAITI EARTHQUAKE RELIEF - February 8 - 12

Donate money to the Haiti Earthquake Relief and earn the privilege of Friday dress the week of Monday, February 8, through Thursday, February 11. MS/US students may donate \$5 a day to earn this privilege. Students may pay for one or more days. \$20 allows them the privilege of wearing Friday dress all week. All students will be able to wear Friday dress on Friday, February 12, at no charge. Cash or checks made payable to The Brook Hill School can be dropped off to Mrs. Smith in Ornelas office (MS students) or Mrs. Hanks in Founder's office (US students). Students that have paid for the "Friday dress privilege" need to stop by the offices each morning to pick up their sticker with the day's slogan. This will allow teachers to know who has paid for this privilege.

ANATOMY AT BH - [CLICK HERE](#)

Brook Hill School Dual Credit Anatomy and Physiology students had a comparative anatomy lab this week as they looked at the similarities and differences of a pig heart and a cow heart. While both hearts have characteristics that are closely associated with our own hearts, it was nice to see the atriums, ventricles and the four valves up close and in person. Pictured are students Ji-Hyun Kim (Sr.) and Stevi Alexander (Sr.) as they make a closer inspection of the structures of a 12 lb heart!

THE CANNIBALISTIC SCAVENGER - [CLICK HERE](#)

The Brook Hill School's seventh grade Life Science class recently completed their lesson on crayfish dissection. The crayfish is a cannibalistic scavenger that lives on the muddy bottoms of streams and ponds. It emerges at night to feed on dead and decaying matter, insect larvae and worms. The students continually improve their dissection skills with regularly scheduled time in the lab.

**SOCCER** - reports from Coach David Collins

The road to the final four goes through Brook Hill! The varsity soccer team finished the regular season undefeated after another strong performance on Saturday, January 30 against Waco Reicher. We won 4-0, goals were scored by Josh White (2 goals), Gordon Chang, and Kenai Walker; assisting on the goals were Brendan Walkin and Slaton Hierholzer. Next up for the Guard is the first round of the playoffs February 6.

BASKETBALL

Congratulations to the #1 ranked Brook Hill Guard as they finished another undefeated district season. They defeated the All Saints Trojans 64-42 capturing their 24th straight district win!!! The Lady Guard fell to the Lady Trojans 39-47 while the JV boys won 51-24. The Lady Guard will play at 6:00 Tuesday night at either Round Rock Christian or Austin Regents. The Guard will play a warm up game, to be announced, then will play at home on Friday, February 12.

SIGNING AT BROOK HILL - [CLICK HERE](#)

On Thursday, February 4 at the Brook Hill Kyle Lake Athletic Center, Jeremy Chappelle and Heath Dickey were joined with family, friends and the news media as they signed for a Division I football scholarship.

- Chappelle is accepting a full scholarship to S.F.A. as he was their #1 pick in their recruiting class.
- Dickey is accepting a full scholarship to prestigious Georgetown University, where he will play football and begin his political career and a quest for the Presidency of the United States!

GAME SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, JANUARY 29

5:00 – Middle School Soccer vs All Saints T 1-1

SATURDAY, JANUARY 30

12:00 – JV Boys Basketball vs Dallas Lutheran W 48-35
 1:30 – Varsity Girls Basketball vs Dallas Lutheran L 28-41
 3:00 – Varsity Boys Basketball vs Dallas Lutheran W 63-52
 6:00 – Varsity Soccer vs Waco Reicher W 4-0

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 1

Varsity Boys Golf Tournament – Nacogdoches 3rd Place
 4:30 – Middle School Basketball vs TKGorman
 4:30 – Middle School Soccer vs TK Gorman

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 2

Varsity Girls Golf Tournament- Bullard 10th place
 4:30 – JV Boys Basketball vs All Saints W 51-24
 6:00 – Varsity Girls Basketball vs All Saints L 39-47
 7:30 – Varsity Boys Basketball vs All Saints W 64-42

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 3

JV Boys Golf Tournament – Pine Tree 3rd place

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5

Swimming/Diving State Championship

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6

Swimming/Diving State Championship
 Soccer Bi-District Playoff Game
 Middle School Soccer Tournament – Brook Hill
 Middle School Basketball Tournament – All Saints
 1:00 – Baseball Alumni Game

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 8

Varsity Boys Golf Tournament – Bullard

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9

Varsity Girls Basketball Bi-District Game - Austin

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 12

5:00 – Varsity Baseball vs Overton – Home
 2:05 – Pep Rally
 Varsity Basketball Area Playoff Game - Home

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 13

Varsity Soccer Regional Playoff Game

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15

Varsity Boys Golf Tournament – Longview

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16

4:00 – Varsity Baseball vs Grace – Away

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18

Varsity Boys/Girls Golf Tournament – Brook Hill Invitational

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19

Varsity Soccer State Tournament
 Varsity Basketball Regional Tournament
 4:00 – Varsity Baseball vs Grace – home

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20

Varsity Soccer State Tournament
 Varsity Basketball Regional Tournament