



# THE BROOK HILL SCHOOL

## EVIEW SCHOOL NEWS

January 15, 2010

### DID YOU KNOW?

*Last week Varsity Girls Basketball Coach Curtis Corley took his 700th career wins.  
And the week before Varsity Boys Basketball Coach Wally Dawkins took his 600th career win.  
Way to Go Guard, Coach Corley and Coach Dawkins!  
to read more: [Click Here for Dawkins](#), [Click Here for Corley](#)*

### ALL SCHOOL

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ALL SCHOOL WEB CALENDAR

### ***NO SCHOOL - Monday - January 18***

In observance of Martin Luther King Day

#### **OPEN HOUSE - Saturday, January 23**

“Come one, come all...and bring your friends!” Saturday, January 23 we will be throwing open our doors from 10:00 a.m. to noon to allow folks to come and find out what Brook Hill is really all about. Haven’t you heard people say, “*I have heard such great things about Brook Hill.*” Well, this is their opportunity to find out for themselves just who we really are. We encourage you to bring that friend you know is interested in BH but hasn’t had the time to fully check us out. Hope to see you Saturday, January 23, 10:00 - 12:00.

#### **DONATE BLOOD - Thursday, January 21**

“Be a Part of Something Great—Donate Blood!”—Carter Blood Care will be in Founder’s Hall Student Center for our BH blood drive. Appointments can be scheduled from 9:00 a.m. -2:45 p.m. by contacting Julie Hanks at [jhanks@brookhill.org](mailto:jhanks@brookhill.org) or (903) 894-5000, ext. 4000. Give in honor of a student and have them receive one community service hour! Students qualifying may donate and receive 3 community service hours. All students must be at least 16 years old and will need a picture ID when donating. Students who are 16 years of age must have a signed consent form from their parents. Form may be picked up in the Founder’s Hall office and must be returned by Friday, January 15. Seniors donating blood this time and again in April will receive a red cord to wear at graduation.

#### **THIRD ANNUAL PANCAKES & PLAYS - Thursday, February 4 & Friday, February 5 - [CLICK HERE](#)**

The Middle School Fine Arts directors and their students are busy making the final preparations for the Third Annual Pancakes and Plays. An All-You-Can-Eat pancake supper will be served from 6:00 p.m. to 6:45 p.m. in The Commons, followed by this year’s featured plays. The Middle School drama class will present *Shakespeare Unbound*, a one-act play directed by Glenn Ballard, at 7:00 p.m.. The audience will then be treated to this year’s Middle School musical, *The Music Man Junior*, directed by Patti Eden, at 8:00 p.m.

Due to the limited seating available in The Commons, the number of tickets for each performance will be limited. Advance tickets for the pancake supper and plays are available now in room L-105 (Lauderdale Hall) and at the Upper School front desk from Donna Dean. Advance tickets will be sold through Friday, January 29 and are \$7.00 each, which includes the meal and the play performances. After January 29, all tickets will be \$8.00 per person, adult or student.

#### **VALENTINE’S DAY SPECIAL**

Valentine’s Fundraiser begins this Tuesday, January 19, 2010. 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.

#### **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.

Please plan to attend the **School Wide Auction Meeting on Thursday, January 21 at 2:00PM** in the Log Cabin on the Upper School campus. We will introduce our Auction Co-Chairs, Committee Chairs and announce the plans for what will be an extraordinary evening.

## LOWER SCHOOL

### **DRESS FOR THE WEEK** – *January 19-22*

Tuesday and Thursday – regular dress uniform; Wednesday-Chapel dress; and Friday - Friday casual dress.

### **WEDNESDAY CHAPEL** - *January 20*

Mrs. Dawkins' Fourth Grade will be leading a worship experience for the Lower School student body on Wednesday, January 20 in the Gymnasium at 9:45.

### **MRS. HAUGH'S PRE-K FIELD TRIP** – *Thursday, January 21*

Mrs. Haugh's Pre-K class will be going on a field trip to Build a Bear Workshop in the Broadway Square Mall. Students will leave around 9:30 a.m. and return around 12:00 p.m. Students will enjoy lunch at Chick-Fil-A.

### **MRS. CARTER'S PRE-K FIELD TRIP** – *Friday, January 22*

Mrs. Carter's Pre-K class will be going on a field trip to Build a Bear Workshop in the Broadway Square Mall. Students will leave around 9:30 a.m. and return around 12:30 p.m. Students will enjoy lunch at Chick-Fil-A.

### **BROOK HILL SPEECH MEET**

The coordinator for this event will be Mrs. Ponce. First grade through fifth grade will be having grade level contests for the upcoming speech meet. The winners from each grade level will be announced by January 28th. The winners will represent Brook Hill at the ACSI Speech Meet on February 26th at Grace Community School.

### **FOURTH GRADE NIGHT AT THE BH BASKETBALL GAME - [CLICK HERE](#)**

Varsity game vs. Dallas Lutheran - Mrs. Dawkins' and Mrs. Ponce's 4th graders were the honored guests at the Boys basketball game Tuesday night at Herrington Sportscenter. They were introduced at halftime and given a souvenir ball that many of the Guard players autographed for the students. A great time was had by all. GO GUARD!!

## MIDDLE/UPPER SCHOOL

### **MS/US HONOR ROLL - [CLICK HERE](#)**

To encourage academic excellence, The Brook Hill School recognizes students who have done well academically by publishing a Headmaster's Honor Guard (students earning all A's) and Honor Guard (students earning at least one A and no grades lower than a B) list each semester.

### **BODIES EXHIBIT - [CLICK HERE](#)**

The Brook Hill dual credit Anatomy students and biology students made a trip to Dallas to view the Bodies Exhibit which features smoker's lungs versus healthy lungs, various diseased organs, muscular structure, a healthy digestive tract & the growth span of a fetus from conception until birth. So what did our students think of the exhibit?

### **SAMARITAN'S PURSE**

All MS/US students will be participating in the "Samaritan's Purse" service project during the month of January. Money will be collected to purchase "gifts that can bring the love of Christ to a hurting world". Catalogs were distributed through the advisory groups and goals have been set. This organization, sponsored by Billy Graham's Samaritan's Purse International Relief Ministry, will afford our students the opportunity to make a difference in the lives of many. Encourage your student to bring money for this project. Interested in learning more about this organization? Log onto [www.samaritanspurse.org](http://www.samaritanspurse.org).

## FINE ARTS

### **CONGRATULATIONS TO BROOK HILL ORCHESTRA DIRECTOR, MRS. JAMIE REASON**

Mrs. Reason was selected as this year's honoree at the Tyler Youth Orchestra's 13th annual "Noted Circle Concert and Dinner."

For the past 12 years the Tyler Youth Orchestra selects a professional area musician to honor for their significant contribution to music education and performance in the surrounding Tyler community. Each year's recipient is recognized at the annual Tyler Youth Orchestra Noted Circle Concert and Dinner. This year's honoree is our very own Jamie Reason.

The concert will be held Sunday, February 28, 2010, 4:00 p.m. at Robert E. Lee High School. Jamie will be conducting a piece at the concert and playing for the dinner. For information regarding the concert/dinner please go to the Tyler Youth Orchestra's website at [www.tyleryouthorchestra.org](http://www.tyleryouthorchestra.org).

**SOCCER** - reports from Coach David CollinsSaturday - January 9

Brook Hill soccer had a good day against Dallas Lutheran, the Middle School played to a 1-1 tie with Kendall Wells scoring the lone goal. The Varsity had another impressive showing as they defeated Lutheran 3-1. Gordon Chang led the way with 2 goals and Josh White scored one, assisting on the goals were Slaton Hierholzer with 2 and Kenai Walker with 1. Preston Swink had another strong showing in the goal with 6 saves and the only goal surrendered was on a penalty kick.

Monday - January 11

The Middle School played a great game and came up a little short against Grace 2-1. Jonah Gonzales scored the only goal and Travis Hood was awesome in the goal with 8 saves.

Tuesday - January 12

Four words describe the game against Canyon Creek: dominating and extremely frustrating. We played another strong game particularly in the second half and came away with a 0-0 tie. We out shot them 34-3, 23-0 in the second half, and could not find the back of the net.

Thursday - January 14

Varsity soccer had another well played game! We ended with a 0-0 tie with Waco Reicher after a very dominating performance. Please help me encourage the guys if you can because everyone is very frustrated with our scoring slump. We are playing the best soccer of any team I have had since I have come to Brook Hill. We are currently in first place in district and are undefeated; our next game is Monday at All Saints at 6:00 p.m.

**BASKETBALL**Monday - January 11 - reports from Coach Christi Collins & Coach Wally Dawkins

- The 8th grade girls team defeated Grace 28 - 8 leaving them with a 6-3 record. Leading scorer was Morgan Moss with 10 & Avery Langemeier added 8.
- The 7th grade girls team fell 40 - 15 with Charlie Niles scoring 7 of their points.
- The Middle School Boys B Team beat Grace 34-32. Grant Hanks ended the night with 13 and Chase McDermott had 11.
- The A Team lost 24-36. Grant Hanks and Jonathan Cox led the team with 6 points each. Jonathan's were two 3 pointers !!!

Tuesday - January 12 - report from Coach Wally Dawkins

Tuesday night was a wonderful occasion as Headmaster Rod Fletcher made presentations to Varsity Girls Basketball Coach, Curtis Corley for 700 career wins and Varsity Boys Basketball Coach, Wally Dawkins for 600 career wins. Also at halftime, Mrs. Ponce's and Mrs. Dawkins' 4th grade classes were introduced. To top off the night, the #3 Varsity Guard soundly defeated #13 Dallas Lutheran 66-36 before a packed crowd! The Varsity Girls fell to a state ranked Lutheran team 27 - 56 while the JV boys continued their winning ways with a 54-29 victory.

**GAMES PLAYED - Scores****SATURDAY, JANUARY 9**

12:00 - JV Boys Basketball vs Dallas Shelton	W 37-33
1:30 - Varsity Boys Basketball vs Dallas Shelton	W 55-45
3:00 - Varsity Girls Basketball vs Dallas Shelton	W 69-45
1:00 - Varsity Soccer vs Dallas Lutheran	W 4-1
3:00 - Middle School Soccer vs Dallas Lutheran	T 1-1

**MONDAY, JANUARY 11**

4:30 - Middle School B Girls Basketball vs Grace	L 15-40
5:30 - Middle School B Boys Basketball vs Grace	W 34-32
6:30 - Middle School A Girls Basketball vs Grace	W 28-8
7:30 - Middle School A Boys Basketball vs Grace	L 24-36
5:00 - Middle School Soccer vs Grace	L 1-2

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 12**

4:00 - Varsity Soccer vs Canyon Creek	T 0-0
4:30 - JV Boys Basketball vs Dallas Lutheran	W 54-29
6:00 - Varsity Girls vs Dallas Lutheran	L 27-56
7:30 - Varsity Boys vs Dallas Lutheran	W 66-36

## **GAME SCHEDULE**

### **THURSDAY, JANUARY 14**

4:30 – JV/Varsity Basketball vs All Saints – Away

5:00 – Varsity Soccer vs Waco Reicher - Home

### **FRIDAY, JANUARY 15**

5:00 – Middle School Boys Basketball vs All Saints – Home

5:00 – Middle School Soccer vs All Saints – Away

6:00 – Varsity Soccer vs Grace - Home

### **SATURDAY, JANUARY 16**

Middle School Boys Basketball Tournament – TK Gorman

### **MONDAY, JANUARY, 18**

6:00 – Varsity Soccer vs All Saints - Away

### **TUESDAY, JANUARY 19**

4:30 – JV/Varsity Basketball vs Lakehill – Home

### **THURSDAY, JANUARY 21**

4:30 – Middle School Basketball vs TK Gorman – Away

5:00 – Middle School Soccer vs TK Gorman – Home

6:00 – Varsity Soccer vs Canyon Creek - Home

### **FRIDAY, JANUARY 22**

4:30 – JV/Varsity Basketball vs Canyon Creek - Home

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**THANK YOU!**