



# BRADLEY MESSENGER



## News from the IB Eagle's Nest...

- **IB Science and Social Studies Family Night** will be rescheduled to Wednesday, April 3rd from 5:00 - 7:00.
- **March Madness!** 3rd Graders took on Mr. Wera and his Fighting Bradley team in basketball this morning! It was a tough game, but 3rd graders came out on top! Nice job kids!
- We saw lots of beautiful/handsome smiles today for **class pictures**! You can still order online at [Lifetouch](http://Lifetouch). For class pictures, use the code: CG948210Go. For individual pictures, use the code: CG948210Yo.
- **IB Attribute: Principled:** We wanted to give a shout out to 2nd graders who read over the 2 snow days and who were ready to AR first thing this morning. Great job being principled 2nd graders!

## School News

- **CMAS:** 3rd - 5th Graders are gearing up for the testing next week. Make sure your student has a great night sleep and has a nutritious breakfast each day. **Parents please write your student a letter of encouragement letting them know how proud you are of them and their academic achievements.** Please give it to your teacher or to your student on the first day of testing. You should have received a sample letter from your 3rd-5th grade teacher today.
- **Yearbook Update:** Yearbooks are being created! This year we are trying a new company. It's through TreeRing. There are a few unique qualities about TreeRing. Orders are placed online by parents and delivered in bulk to Bradley in May. Parents and/or students can create 2 custom pages that will be only in your yearbook for free. Also, TreeRing plants a tree for every yearbook purchased and all books are printed on recycled paper. **Yearbooks are \$17 and you can order them at [www.TreeRing.com](http://www.TreeRing.com) and use Passcode: 1015403147971338. Order and create your custom pages by**

**Wednesday, April 10th.** See a flyer in Friday Folders or Bradley Website  
Post: [BradleySchool](#)

- Kids Heart Challenge: Remember, **Bradley's Kids Heart Challenge** event is wrapping up soon and any donations are **due Tuesday, March 19th**. We have raised over \$7,300 and our goal is \$11,000. On **March 19th**, we will have a day full of heart healthy activities outside (weather permitting) to conclude this event. Students will do these activities during their specials times. Students will receive all their prizes before Spring Break - tell them not to fret, Mr. Hoffer has it all under control! To see our progress and to donate, go to [BradleyKidsChallengeWebsite](#).
- **Session 4 After School Enrichment Registration is OPEN!** There are still classes available, please register as soon as possible at: [Session 4 Registration](#)

### Community News:

- **Spark a change with the Bradley Helping Hands JOI Club.** Have a loose change box or a few nickels under the sofa? The Bradley Helping Hands JOI Club is asking you to help them **Spark Change** and make a difference in our community. This amazing group of 5th graders raises funds thru the Young Americans Center for Financial Education's Spark Change program with help from the Monaco South Optimist Club, the Super Citizen Award guys. Last spring, the Bradley Helping Hands JOI Club raised over \$1,100 for three charities including the **Colorado Red Cross** and the **Denver Dumb Friends League**, who in turn visited the club with an ambassador dog at the school to thank them. In previous years the kids have visited the senior center in University Hills, planted two shade trees in the front yard of Bradley, donated to Colorado Cancer Fund, built welcome bags for incoming patients at Children's Hospital and so much more. **Please send spare change to school by March 22nd.** The classroom with the most funds raised receives a special spirit day from Principal Wera.

### PTO Happenings ([Bradley PTO Website](#))

- **Tickets for the Totally 80s Casino Night and Auction Fundraiser are on sale now!!!** Join us as we go 'back in time' and celebrate together while raising funds for our fabulous school! We also have a limited number of need based discounted tickets available. For more information or to purchase tickets visit [info.bradleyauction.net](http://info.bradleyauction.net)
- **Spelling Challenge Update:** PTO is excited to share that we have collected \$11,600.00 (and still counting) from the Spelling Challenge! Thank you for your support! We would also like to congratulate **Ms. Holmes** and **Ms. Ladefoged** whose classrooms earned the highest total average percent correct for grades K-2 (Holmes - 99.6%) and 3-5 (Ladefoged - 93.8%). These classrooms will receive additional PTO funds to use for a celebratory party.

- Back by popular demand!! Join us on **Monday, March 18th** as **Bradley Dines Out at The Bagel Deli** – from 3:00-8:00 p.m. Take out or in dining purchases apply. Location is 6439 E. Hampden Ave., next to Goodwill.

### **Important Dates to Remember:**

**March 16 -- Destination Imagination Competition**

**March 17 -- St. Patrick's Day (official)**

**March 18 -- Bradley Dines Out - Bagel Deli**

**March 18 -- Session 4 After School Enrichment Classes Begins**

**March 18-22 -- CMAS - ELA (Grades 3rd-5th)**

**March 19 -- Kids Heart Challenge Wrap Up - during student's specials**

**March 21 -- 1st Grade Trip to Aquarium (am) & Oceanography Show (pm)**

**March 22 -- Spark Change Drive Ends**

**March 22 -- Lunch with the Principal/Super Citizen**

March 25-29 - **Spring Break - NO SCHOOL**

March 26 -- **Denver Public Library - UV Light T-Shirts Event 2-4pm**

April 2 -- 1st Grade Speaker - Sound Painting

April 2 -- ECE Speaker – Wildlife

April 3 -- **IB Social Studies & Science Family Night (New Date)**

April 3 -- **Skate City Permission Slips and Money DUE**

April 4 -- Kindergarten trip to Denver Zoo

April 5 -- **First Friday - Early Dismissal/Skate City**

April 9 -- 2nd Grade Speaker - Mid-evil Poetry

April 9 -- ECE Speaker - Honey Bee

April 10 -- **Last day to order Yearbook (and create custom pages)**

April 15 -- 1st Grade Speaker - Sound & Light

April 16 -- ECE Speaker - Insects

April 24 -- 3rd Grade (Ms. Brown's class) Outdoor Adventure/Balaret

April 25 -- Kindergarten trip to Museum of Nature & Science

April 25 -- **Student Led Conferences**

April 25 -- **Bradley Dines Out - Chick-fil-A**

April 26 -- **Shakespeare Festival**

April 26 -- **Lunch w/Principal & Super Citizen**

Visit the Bradley website for more information and more important dates: <https://bradley.dpsk12.org/>

Have a great weekend!!