



Growth over Gaps

Oviedo High School
Principal's Weekly Update
November 15, 2021

NJROTC is holding their annual Toys for Tots collection drive. The Toys for Tots Program collects new, unwrapped toys during November and December each year, and distributes those toys as Christmas gifts to less fortunate children in the community. Please donate a toy to this great program. All new toys can be dropped off in ROTC or the front office. Thank you for supporting this wonderful program! Last day for donations is December 9, 2021.



Seniors – College and Career Room

The college and career room is now open and ready for students! We now have 4 volunteers every Tuesday and Thursday during both lunches for the rest of the school year.

We revamped the scholarship files - now we only have the state and locals in the files with hard copies of the scholarships. The scholarship Google Sheet still includes the national scholarships. A new change to the Google Sheet is a tab indicating if the scholarship can be used for vocational/trade schools.

Congratulations to Oviedo High School!

We are pleased to announce that Oviedo HS has won the **Support the MudWalk 5K** “Traveling Trophy” for having the most participants from SCPS high schools participate in our virtual event this year!



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dates

Sat. 11/20	9am-8pm
Sun. 11/21	9am-8pm
Fri. 11/26	9am-8pm
Sat. 11/27	9am-8pm
Sun. 11/28	9am-8pm
Mon.11/29	3pm-8pm
Tue. 11/30	3pm-8pm
Wed.12/1	3pm- 8pm
Thur.12/2	3pm-8pm
Fri. 12/3	3pm-8pm
Sat. 12/4.	9am-8pm
Sun.12/5.	9am-8pm

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Congratulations to the Staff, Annelise Ridder, and Mr. Langevin!

The Oviedian Yearbook from 2020-21 received an All-Florida distinction (the highest possible remark from the Florida Scholastic Press Association). All of OHS' Student Media received a Gold or above. Senior **Annelise Ridder** was awarded All-Florida for one of her works of photojournalism and placed at states.

Also, Mr. Langevin was elected co-director of District 3 for Florida Scholastic Press Association. He'll be representing Brevard, Indian River, Lake, Osceola, Okeechobee, Orange, Seminole, St. Lucie and Volusia. He'll be joining the FSPA board at their upcoming board meeting in December.



Oviedo High School Scholarship Alert

There are two US Hispanic Leadership Institute scholarships due November 30:
Rumba Meats Scholarship – for graduating Hispanic seniors with financial need.
Dr. Juan Andrade Jr. Scholarship – for graduating Hispanic seniors and college students up to age 25 who share Dr. Andrade's lifelong commitment to servant leadership.

The Oviedo Scholarship List, and a link to this scholarship, can be found at:

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1DLQkus27616UyZs_Y_ZQZCo05DZeB6UXsgDKNEcaVpM/edit#gid=1292535822

Assistance with finding and applying for scholarships & financial aid, as well as college applications, is available every Tuesday & Thursday during both lunches in the Main Office College Room.

Teacher of the Week

Congratulations to **Ms. Heather Delong** for being nominated for Teacher of the Week! Ms. Delong did a fantastic job organizing our Homecoming Week and working tireless hours. She is an amazing educator and person! Way to go Ms. Delong!

Student of the Week

Congratulations to **Lia Swanson** nominated by Mr. Wainscott. Mr. Wainscott says, “Lia is an inquisitive young student who always wants to know more about a topic. Her curiosity helps her dive deep into her learning and excel in AP Modern World History.”

Congratulations to **Nomar Orellano** and **Marquet Williams** nominated by Ms. Davis. Ms. Davis says, “I would like to recognize Nomar's exceptional effort and willingness to participate in class every day. He always demonstrates responsibility and respect. I would like to also recognize Marquet's outstanding grades and effort. He is respectful and demonstrates responsibility through his strong work ethic.

Congratulations to **Katelyn Fry** nominated by Dr. Nichols. Dr. Nichols says, “Katelyn is one of my AP Research students. I am nominating her because she is not just always on task, but truly goes above and beyond in this very challenging class. Deadlines are not just made, but exceeded in many cases. Katelyn is an excellent representation of the best of Oviedo High School.”

*Research shows that students who take AP courses are more likely to finish college on time!

Advanced Placement Highlight - Grades 10-12

Art History

‘Art history is EVERYWHERE!

Join me and let’s immerse ourselves in a wide range of art from prehistory to present-day from all over the world and in a variety of mediums.

We will spend our time together analyzing and discussing historical context, visual characteristics, functions and the meaning behind many diverse pieces of art.

You will gain a better understanding of world cultures and from this point forward, museum experiences will take on a different significance for you!

-Katie Darling

European History

‘Wars, Battles and Kings....Behold!

Let’s explore how Europe has shaped the world!

We will dive into historical movements and processes through the European continent including the Renaissance, Colonialism and Imperialism, Reformation and the Enlightenment.

Our time together will be spent critically thinking, researching, debating and learning about fascinating history that has impacted the way we live today.’

-Katie Darling

Save the Date: Curriculum Night: January 27th @ 6pm

Athletics Update from Athletic Director Jen Darty

Girls Weightlifting won 53-31 last night over Lake Howell. Riley Finnegan, Ayana Ferguson, Hayley Prete, Kiana Scott, Amy Trevino, Madison Segers, Taylor McGovern, and Tatyana Correa all took first place in their weight class.

Boys Soccer won over Hagerty at both levels last night – JV won 3-1 & Varsity won 4-1. For Varsity, junior Lorenzo Amaral scored two goals & sophomore Adam Abdelaal and freshmen Ellison Ruffin scored one goal each.



This morning, we recognized eight student-athletes signing to play their sport at the next level. Congratulations to Preston Felker (King University, Baseball), Isaiah Barkett (NC State University, Baseball), Danny Baez (Indian Rivers State College, Baseball), Amanda Waggoner (Belmont University, Women's Soccer), Riley Finnegan (Gannon University, Women's Lacrosse), Andrew Christensen (Penn State University, Swimming & Diving), Izzy Bishop (Boston College, Swimming & Diving), and Andi Hunt (Gardner Webb University, Swimming & Diving). Congratulations again, you make us proud!

Girls Varsity Basketball beat Flagler Palm Coast yesterday to open up their Preseason Classic, 51-21. Junior M'Lani Vitela scored 13 points & sophomore Sam Male scored 11.

Girls Soccer won over Lake Howell at both levels last night. JV won 3-0 on two goals from Bree O'Donnell and one goal from Delaney Pollard. Delaney Sauer and Laci Olmstead each had an assist. Varsity won 8-0. yleigh Holcomb netted 2 goals and had 4 assists, Mackenzie Becker scored twice, and Laila Ayup, Jada Narcisse, & Sophia Johnson each had a goal. Kate Mikalsen had 2 assists and with Jada also adding an assist. Amanda Waggoner and the defense of Peyton White, Kate Mikelson, Sophia Johnson, and Elisa Cruz preserved the shut out victory.

Calendar of Events

Monday, November 15

- 2:30 PM *BETA Meeting* (School)
- 5:30 PM Girls Junior Varsity Basketball Viera High School Home
- 5:00 PM Girls Junior Varsity Soccer University High School (Orange City) Home
- 6:00 PM *Band Rehearsal* (School)
- 7:00 PM Girls Varsity Basketball Viera High School Home
- 7:00 PM Girls Varsity Soccer University High School (Orange City) Home
- 7:00 PM Girls Varsity Basketball Viera High School Home

Tuesday, November 16

- 3:00 PM *Dance Practice* (School)
- 5:00 PM Girls Junior Varsity Soccer Lyman High School Home
- 7:00 PM Girls Varsity Soccer Lyman High School Home

Wednesday, November 17

- 7:30 AM *NJROTC Command Inspection* (School)
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- 3:00 PM *Boy's LAX* (School)
- 4:00 PM Girls Varsity Weightlifting Hagerty High School Home
- 5:00 PM Boys Junior Varsity Soccer Lyman High School Away
- 6:00 PM *Band Rehearsal* (School)
- 7:00 PM Boys Varsity Soccer Lyman High School Away

Thursday, November 18

- 2:30 PM *Best Buddies Meeting* (School)
- 3:00 PM *Dance Practice* (School)
- 5:00 PM Girls Junior Varsity Soccer Hagerty High School Away
- 6:00 PM Girls Junior Varsity Basketball Flagler-Palm Coast High School Away
- 7:30 PM Girls Varsity Basketball Flagler-Palm Coast High School Away
- 7:00 PM Girls Varsity Soccer Hagerty High School Away

Friday, November 19

- 5:30 PM Boys Junior Varsity Soccer Lake Highland Prep School Home
- 7:30 PM Boys Varsity Soccer Lake Highland Prep School Home

7:30 PM Boys Varsity Football OPEN *Class 8A Region 1 Semifinals* Home

Saturday, November 20

9:00 AM *Robotics* (School)

5:00 PM *Band Rehearsal* (School)

Monday, November 22

School Closed (School)

2:00 PM Boys Junior Varsity Basketball Windermere Prep School Away

12:30 PM Boys Freshman Basketball Windermere Prep School Away

Tuesday, November 23

School Closed (School)

3:00 PM Boy's LAX (School)

5:00 PM Coed Varsity Wrestling Space Coast Jr/Sr. High Preseason Dual Away

Wednesday, November 24

School Closed (School)

3:00 PM Boy's LAX (School)

Thursday, November 25

School System Closed (School)

Friday, November 26

School System Closed (School)

TBA Boys Varsity Basketball OPEN Calvary Christian Showcase Away

7:30 PM Boys Varsity Football OPEN *Class 8A Region 1 Semifinals @ TBA Home*

Saturday, November 27

TBA Boys Varsity Basketball OPEN Calvary Christian Showcase Away

9:00 AM *Robotics* (School)

Archived Information covered in Previous Principal's Updates that is still Pertinent

COVID-19

For up-to-date information on the number of COVID-19 positive cases per school, click on the following link:

<https://www.scps.k12.fl.us/covid19/dashboard.stml>

For current COVID-19 Information as it relates to your student, please access the SCPS website. <https://www.scps.k12.fl.us/covid19/> This site will change as the guidelines change.

Any questions about COVID-19 and the policies, please contact Ms. Tanya Cameron at 407-320-4008.

SCPS collaborates with the Seminole Department of Health to conduct contact tracing and determine isolation or quarantine length after positive test or exposure to a COVID positive individual. On September 22nd, the Florida Department of Health issued Emergency Rule 64DER21-15, which outlined quarantine updates for students in the school setting. SCPS has adjusted their guidelines in accordance to these rules to be effective immediately. The most updated student isolation and quarantine protocols are outlined below.

<p>Student Tests Positive for COVID-19 or Displays Symptoms Consistent with COVID-19 Student must isolate from school until they satisfy one of the Isolation Return Protocols:</p>	<p>Return From Isolation Protocols: Student can return on Day 11 after symptom onset or on Day 11 after positive test date if no fever for 24 hours and symptoms are improving. OR Student can take a COVID-19 diagnostic test (antigen or PCR) and return to school IF they are asymptomatic AND provide negative test results to the school. OR The student receives written permission to return to school from a medical doctor licensed under chapter 458, Florida Statutes or osteopathic physician licensed under chapter 459, Florida Statutes or a advanced registered nurse practitioner licensed under chapter 464, Florida Statutes</p>
<p>Student is exposed to COVID-19 individual at school or in the community Parents or legal guardians of students who are known to have been in direct contact with an individual who received a positive diagnostic test for COVID-19 may choose either quarantine option. Direct contact is defined as any person within 6 feet of a COVID-19 positive individual cumulatively for 15 minutes or more.</p>	<p>Quarantine Protocols for Asymptomatic Students: Parents/guardians can choose to quarantine student for a period of time not to exceed 7 days from last date of contact with the COVID positive individual. OR Parents/guardians can allow the student to attend school, school sponsored activities, or be on school property so long as the student remains asymptomatic.</p>

If an exposed student develops symptoms during quarantine, they must meet the return to school protocols for symptomatic/COVID positive students.

In addition, anyone currently in quarantine must be allowed to return, if asymptomatic, upon parent request. No testing is required to return back from quarantine.

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OHS PTSA

To join or renew your OHS PTSA Membership please visit:

ohslions.memberhub.com/store

to join PTSA and support teacher grants, senior scholarships and more!

School store spirit wear also available online!

(Please include the QR code)



Follow OHS PTSA on facebook for OHS and community updates.

facebook.com/OviedoHighPTSA

Support the OHS PTSA by shopping at Amazon!

OHS PTSA is now officially registered as a charity option with Amazon Smile. Below is our unique link for people to select us as their charity. The key is when shopping on Amazon you have to go through the AmazonSmile site (smile.amazon.com), not just [Amazon.com](https://amazon.com) - but there is absolutely no difference; your account is all still there. You can bookmark AmazonSmile to make it easier. Thank you for your support.

<https://smile.amazon.com/ch/51-0203538>

College Information Series

It is October, and it is also the release date of our new College Planning Series. Mrs. Vosburg and Mrs. Craft are working diligently to create and release video content for all grade levels to watch and discuss as families. Today a few videos have been uploaded for your viewing. As always, please contact your school counselor with any questions you have regarding the College Planning process.

College Planning https://youtu.be/_epqm6lMy14

College Essay Writing <https://youtu.be/NSK1qNULy7k>

Finding the Right Fit <https://youtu.be/-yjoku1bEy0>

Mrs. Vosburg's YouTube

Channel: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCQyVAv9ziQyVd4djN6WJoHw>

Class of 2022 – Scholarships – Check out this link! It is updated continually with new scholarship opportunities!

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1DLQkus27616UyZs_Y_ZQZCoO5DZeB6UXsgDKNEcaVpM/edit#gid=1935941560

Oviedo High School Athletic Booster Club

Oviedo High School Athletic Booster Club is selling memberships, sponsorships and spiritwear at www.oviedoboosters.org and all proceeds benefit all of our athletic programs.

Local Businesses: We have a unique opportunity for 1 more advertising banner spot on the bandstand facing SR 426! These rarely become available Please contact Nikki Broitman or Jon Thornton for details at VPSponsors.ohsabc@gmail.com or President.ohsabc@gmail.com

Are you in 9th-11th Grade and Need to Retake a Class???

We would like to extend an invitation to your student to attend our after-school PLATO program. PLATO is an online, web-based credit recovery system where students can work at their own pace. One .5 credit course could take, at minimum, two weeks to complete dependent upon the entry point in the course (students can place further along in the course rather than in the beginning after completing a pre-test).

This is an opportunity for underclassmen to recover credit during the school year a couple days a week.

The next opportunity will be summer school in June 2022.

Save Your Spot Here: <https://forms.gle/oCfbfNE7SDZAA8nN7>

The after-school PLATO program will operate Tuesdays (1-208) and Thursdays (13-211) from 2:30pm to 4:30pm starting August 31st.

*There is **no** transportation, so students will need to coordinate their own way home.

Yearbook Orders - \$70

We have the yearbook site ready to go for parents and students to order. You can go to <https://oviedojournalism.com/buy-your-yearbook/> to buy your book.

Who is my counselor?

A-Deb Craft
Dec-Ha Reilly
Hb-Mea Byrd
Meb-R Washington
S-Z Vosburg
ESE Valentine

Substitutes

OHS is in need of substitutes. If you are interested, please apply. We will work with your schedule.

<https://www.scps.k12.fl.us/district/departments/human-resources/substitute-teacher-information.stml>