





*Growth over Gaps*  
Oviedo High School  
Principal's Weekly Update  
August 23, 2021

All high schools in Seminole County Public Schools have gone to virtual Open Houses.



Thursday, August 26  
on demand after 6:00 p.m.  
ECampus

Virtual  
Open House



**Oviedo High School selected as an AP Capstone School of Distinction**

OHS has earned the AP Capstone Diploma™ based on the scores released from the 2021 AP® Exam administration. Approximately 11,900 students participated in AP Capstone™ schools around the world earned this distinction. Congratulations to the students, parents, Ms. Nichols, and Ms. Boucher!

Conte; Cassidy R.
Cook; Kennedy C.
Fackler; Emily
Fong; Nicole M.
Garrison; Megan T.
Hartdegen; Eryn E.
Hassell; Katherine E.
Johnson; Cadence A.
Kanbara; Sarah M.
Lokey; Emily A.
Macias; Brandon M.
Owji; Neema A.
Patel; Sahil M.
Prete; Hayley B.
Reynolds; Ryan W.
Rumman; Joelle M.
Strodel; Levi B.
Warren; Bally N.
Watkins; Marisa J.
Wilks; Felicia K.
Williams; Danielle E.

**Senior Portraits and Tributes:**

Seniors! Many of you haven't gotten your portraits taken yet. The last date to get your senior portrait is **October 9th**. Go to [www.leonards.com](http://www.leonards.com) and book your appointment now! This is your one and only chance to be included in the yearbook.

You can also order your Senior Tribute (Senior ad) and yearbook at [www.yearbookforever.com](http://www.yearbookforever.com). Spaces and books are limited! Order yours today!

**Yearbook Orders - \$65**

We have the yearbook site ready to go for parents and students to order. You can go to <https://ovidojournalism.com/buy-your-yearbook/> to buy your book, order senior ads, or place a business ad.

Do you need a backpack and supplies? Please stop by the front office, and we will give you a free backpack and supplies.



### **Parking – What to Expect on Monday, August 23**

**\*\*IF YOU HAVE ANY OUTSTANDING BALANCES (including books, laptops, etc.) YOU WILL NOT BE ABLE TO PURCHASE A PARKING PASS OR PAINT A PARKING SPOT\*\***

**\*\*NON-PAINTING PARKING PASSES\*\***

**This is what Dr. Daniel explained on the news Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday.**

**Seniors** – Parking pass sales will begin **Monday, August 23** and go through **Tuesday, August 24** in the Media Center.

**Juniors** – Parking pass sales will be open to juniors from **Wednesday, August 25** through **Friday, August 27** in the Media Center.

You will need **ALL** of the following documents in order to purchase your parking pass. If **ANY** are missing you will be asked to come back at another time and passes may not be available, so it is important that you have everything ready.

1. Parking pass form filled out **WITH YOUR PARENT SIGNATURE** (even if you are 18 years old)
2. A copy of your driver's license (Make a copy over the weekend.)
3. A copy of your current auto insurance (Make a copy over the weekend.)

**\*\*PAINTED PARKING PASSES ONLY\*\***

**This is Ms. Kummer.**

You will **NOT** be purchasing your parking pass from the media center on Monday August 23rd. I have already pulled your parking passes and you will pay for them on Saturday August 28th when you come to the school to paint. That means you need to bring **TWO** separate payments (cash or check) with you, \$70 for the parking pass and \$30 to paint. In addition to bringing your payments with you, you will also have to bring all of the following:

1. Paint n Park Contract **WITH YOUR PARENT SIGNATURE**
2. Parking pass form **WITH YOUR PARENT SIGNATURE**
3. A copy of your driver's license
4. A copy of your current auto insurance

**\*\*NON-PAINTING PARKING PASSES\*\***

**This is what Dr. Daniel explained on the news Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday.**

You will enter the Media Center on the outside – north end or on the right as you face the Media Center. There is a door on the outside that will be labeled. **Get a number from Mr. Galindez. That is the order you will be helped. Do not enter from the front in the foyer.** The doors to the Media Center from the foyer will be locked. Spots will be sold on a first come, first served basis. You cannot hold a spot in line.

Due to safety, the front lot is our partial or flexible schedule lot. Once we sell out of those spots, we have no more spots. The back lot is for full time schedule students. If you want to remain on a partial or flexible schedule and you aren't able to secure a parking pass for the front lot, you will need to purchase a parking pass from the American Legion. I have attached that information in this communication.

**We will lock the back gate and begin checking all parking passes starting Monday, August 30<sup>th</sup>. You must park in your assigned spot.**

If you are late and park in the back lot, what do you do? You will need to check in the front office and have someone unlock the gate for you. If this becomes a habit, your parking pass will be revoked.

Seniors will paint **Saturday, August 28th and Sunday, August 29th**. If you have any questions about painted spots, please email [Caitlin\\_Kummer@scps.k12.fl.us](mailto:Caitlin_Kummer@scps.k12.fl.us). If you have any questions about parking passes, please email [Demetrius\\_Galindez@scps.k12.fl.us](mailto:Demetrius_Galindez@scps.k12.fl.us).

In order to purchase a parking pass, all student accounts must be clear. This includes student debt, textbooks returned, and borrowed laptops returned. Make sure this is done before you try to buy a parking pass. If you need to know what you owe, see Ms. Palenzuela in discipline. If you need to pay media center debt, see Ms. Tibbetts in the media center. If you need to pay any other debt, please see Ms. Williford in the front office. If you need to bring back a laptop or chromebook, see Mr. Guerrido in the media center.

### **The Roaring Lion Empire**

We're back! The Roaring Lion Empire is open for business! Below is our hours and information:

- 1st lunch at kiosk in the Commons
- 2nd lunch at kiosk in the Commons

You can also order through our email [roaringlionempire@scps.k12.fl.us](mailto:roaringlionempire@scps.k12.fl.us)

We have personalized t-shirts and more as well as our popular balloons! Come by and see us!

Follow us on Facebooks @roaringlionempire  
and Instagram @roaring\_lion\_empire

### **COVID-19 Update**

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.**

### **What happens if a student tests positive for COVID-19? When can the student return in school setting?**

- Student can return on Day #11 after symptom onset or on Day #11 after test date if asymptomatic.
- Student can take a COVID diagnostic test and return to school IF they are asymptomatic AND provide negative results to Oviedo High School.
- Student receives written permission to return to school from a licensed medical doctor OR a licensed osteopathic physician OR a licensed advanced registered nurse practitioner.

### **What about a student-athlete testing positive for COVID-19? When can they return to play?**

**If the student-athlete has a positive COVID test**, then they must complete a minimum of a 1-week return to play **AFTER** they are cleared by their doctor to return to sports. Once clearance is given, the athlete must bring their clearance note from the doctor to the Athletic Training room to keep on file. They will require a 1-week period to gradually return to full activity. This mimics the concussion “return-to -play” guideline. **THIS MEANS A 3 WEEK PLUS TIME FROM DIAGNOSIS/SYMPTOMS TO RETURN TO COMPETITION.** Parents, coaches, and athletes must watch for signs of heart involvement including chest pain, palpitations, shortness of breath, easy fatigue and exercise intolerance. **STOP EXERCISE IF THIS IS SEEN AND HAVE PARENT CALL THE PHYSICIAN OR 9-1-1 IF SEVERE.**

### **What if a student is exposed?**

- Emergency Rule 64 DER21-12
- Student can return on Day #8 after exposure if they remain asymptomatic.
- Student can take a COVID diagnostic test on Day #5 after exposure and return to school IF they are asymptomatic AND provide proof of a negative test results to Oviedo High School. \*\* The COVID diagnostic test must be collected and reported. It can be a rapid test, PCR, Rapid PCR, or antigen test. It can NOT be a home test.

### **Persons Exempt from Quarantine**

- Staff and Students who are fully vaccinated
  - Exposed 14 days or more after their second dose in a 2-dose series
  - Exposed 14 days or more after a single-dose vaccine
  - **Oviedo High School can NOT ask if staff or students are vaccinated. The staff and student must voluntarily divulge that information. The school board nurse then verifies the information with the Department of Health Database.**
- Staff and Students who were previously diagnosed with COVID-19 within 90 days of exposure.

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

### **Digital IDs for Oviedo High School Students**

We are going digital with our student IDs! To download the free App, please see the attached flyer. The digital IDs will be available once we take school pictures. We will be using digital IDs for all students. Usually this becomes important when Homecoming tickets go on sale. Students

need an ID to enter the Homecoming Dance. If you don't have a phone, we will get you a hard copy ID. Please email [tibbetml@scps.k12.fl.us](mailto:tibbetml@scps.k12.fl.us) if you need a hard copy student ID. She will compile a list and print an ID for you once your school picture is taken.

**To join or renew your OHS PTSA Membership please visit:**

[ohslions.memberhub.com/store](https://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](https://facebook.com/OviedoHighPTSA)

**Who is my counselor?**

A-Deb Craft

Dec-Ha Reilly

Hb-Mea Byrd

Meb-R Washington

S-Z Vosburg

ESE Valentine

**Pep Rally Schedule on the following dates:**

**9/3** – First home game against Lake Nona.

**10/7** – Home game against HHS. This is also a Thursday and an exam day. The pep rally will be at the end of the day after exams.

**11/5** – Homecoming game against Lyman.

**Teacher of the Week**

Congratulations to **Ms. Amber Petschel** for being named Teacher of the Week! Ms. Petschel reorganized the New Teacher Orientation to OHS and provided a day of training. Thank you for your hard work and dedication to our profession!

**Student of the Week**

Congratulations to our student of the week, **Kyle Broennle**. Kyle ran the technology for the Seminole County Leadership Conference for all the secondary administrators before school started. This was a time-intensive event that also required her attendance at rehearsal the previous week. Kyle was cheerful, helpful, and took care of everything asked of her. She went above and beyond. We appreciate your work, Kyle! Congratulations!

Congratulations to **Aneres Paker** nominated by Ms. Cox. Ms. Cox said that Aneres has led her class daily in the first week of school. She exudes a positive and winning attitude.

Congratulations to **Cooper Pittman** nominated by Ms. Badge. Cooper has the best attitude, starting off this year right. He is always smiling and contributes to our class discussions.

### **Athletics Update from Athletic Director Jen Darty**

Girls Varsity Volleyball opened up their Preseason Classic with a sweep of The First Academy, 25-23, 25-9, 25-14. Offensively the team was led by senior Caroline Przystup with 15 kills & senior Raven Wroblewski with 9. Senior Sara Ferrer and junior Lily Cammack led the defense.

Boys & Girls Golf fell at St. Cloud in their Preseason Classic match-up.

Girls Volleyball won 3-0 over Dr. Phillips with set scores, 26-24, 25-14, 25-10, to close out their Preseason Classic. Sophomore Paige Wisneski had 22 assists & 3 aces and junior Kaley Dodzweit had 2 blocks.

### **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](https://smile.amazon.com)), not just [Amazon.com](https://www.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>

### **Do you own a convertible?**

Would you be willing to drive in our Homecoming Parade or allow a teacher to drive your convertible in the Homecoming Parade? If so, please email [Heather\\_Delong@scps.k12.fl.us](mailto:Heather_Delong@scps.k12.fl.us). We are in desperate need of convertibles for our Homecoming court. Thank you!

### **Calendar of Events**

#### **Monday, August 23**

3:30 PM Coed Varsity Bowling Hagerty High School @ *Oviedo Lanes* Away  
6:00 PM *Band Rehearsal* (School)

#### **Tuesday, August 24**

3:30 PM Boys Varsity Golf Lake Mary High School @ *Alaqua Lakes* Away  
4:30 PM Girls Freshman Volleyball Lake Howell High School *Camper Reunion Night* Home  
5:30 PM Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball Lake Howell High School *Camper Reunion Night* Home  
7:00 PM Girls Varsity Volleyball Lake Howell High School *Camper Reunion Night* Home

**Wednesday, August 25**

- 1:25 PM *Football Study Hall* (School)  
3:30 PM Coed Varsity Bowling Winter Springs High School @ *Airport Lanes* Away  
4:30 PM Girls Freshman Volleyball Winter Springs High School Away  
5:30 PM Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball Winter Springs High School Away  
6:00 PM *Band Rehearsal* (School)  
6:00 PM Boys Freshman Football Hagerty High School Away  
7:00 PM Girls Varsity Volleyball Winter Springs High School Away

**Thursday, August 26**

- 3:30 PM Girls Varsity Golf Lake Mary High School @ *Twin Rivers* Home  
6:00 PM *Open House* (School)  
6:00 PM Boys Junior Varsity Football Hagerty High School Away

**Friday, August 27**

- TBA Girls Freshman Volleyball OPEN *Freshmen Tournament @ Lake Mary* Away  
7:00 PM Boys Varsity Football Winter Springs High School Away

**Saturday, August 28**

- CFCYL* (Other)  
TBA Girls Freshman Volleyball OPEN *Freshmen Tournament @ Lake Mary* Away  
5:30 AM *Senior Parking Spot Painting* (School)  
7:00 AM Coed Varsity Cross Country Trinity Preparatory School *Trinity Prep Invitational* Away  
8:00 AM *SAT* (School)