



Growth over Gaps

Oviedo High School
Principal's Weekly Update
October 11, 2021

SAT/PSAT School Day

is Wednesday

October 13, 2021

FOR ALL OHS STUDENTS

Do you have your digital ID?

Did you read your email?

9th and 11th grade will do state
required hands-only CPR training
after the testing.

If you need your digital ID, please see the digital ID flyer attached in this email.
You will also need your digital ID for Homecoming, so please get it today!

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. We are in desperate need of convertibles for our Homecoming court. Thank you!

Donations Needed – PTSA Halloween Trick or Treat Bar for the OHS Faculty and Staff

Oviedo High School PTSA would like to set up Trick or Treat Bar for all of our wonderful teachers, administrators, and staff for Halloween. We are collecting bags of individually wrapped candy, granola bars, chips and other snacks. If you could please donate one or two bags, it would be greatly appreciated.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c084fafa2ea3fe3-ohshalloween1>

Do you need community service hours?

My name is Natalia and I am working with the Oviedo-Winter Springs Chamber of Commerce as Volunteer Coordinator for the Winter Springs Festival of the Arts.

This is the Chamber's second community event of the year and I wanted to share this volunteer opportunity with your students and team! We are in need of volunteers from October 15-17 with different shifts available.

<https://www.wsfota.org/volunteer/>

Please feel free to share this information with any individual or group that would like to help our community!

If you have any questions, please let me know.
Thank you!

Natalia Dallas

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Oviedo High School is seeking applications from graduating seniors interested in being considered for a nomination to the John V. Lombardi and Stamps Scholar Programs at the University of Florida. Interested students should submit by Wednesday, October 20 at 1:30 pm to a school counselor 1) a senior resume and 2) one of the following three essays required for the UF Honors Scholars application. Oviedo High School will select the two students they are permitted to nominate by Friday, October 22, leaving the students three weeks to prepare their formal application due November 14, 2021. Questions may be directed to any OHS School Counselor.

ESSAYS

1) Peaceful aliens have arrived on earth. You are charged with writing a welcome speech from your community addressing the visitors. What is one thing you would like them to know to help them to understand humanity? You may assume they understand the English language. (2000 characters)

2) 352 Walls is a public art initiative sponsored by the City of Gainesville and featuring urban murals painted by a variety of artists. The project contributes to tourism development in the area and serves to highlight community spaces. Assume you have been commissioned by a local government to paint a mural in a town, village, or city that is important to you. Your charge is to represent the community's untold story through the mural. Where will your mural appear and what will it depict? Be as specific as possible. We are not interested in reading a synopsis of a historic event or time period but rather want to understand your creative process and why you identified the place and story to tell. (2000 characters)

3) "Travel is fatal to prejudice, bigotry, and narrow-mindedness, and many of our people need it sorely on these accounts." - Mark Twain, *The Innocents Abroad* Travel and exploring outside of your comfort zone are hallmarks of the UF Honors Scholar undergraduate experience. Provide an example of a time you visited a community outside your own and tell us how that experience changed your perspective. (2000 characters)

The complete UF Honors Scholars Lombardi and Stamps Program

information: <http://www.honors.ufl.edu/admissions/lombardi--stamps-scholar-programs/> and application

instructions: <https://outlook.office.com/mail/inbox/id/AQMkAGQyNThjNDM1LThkMDEtNDVjMC04N2UxLTk1YjBiYzBINTM5ZABGAAADMRnQLI6RrE2GW5mIGjgwwgcA6EH7uwkhDUC6VX8edsRjQOAAAw4AAABf9q%2FeH1qoTq7cRu0GC9ErAARfndxQAAAA>

Do you need help this year with Thanksgiving food?

OHS is here to help you! Please email Angela_Williford@scps.k12.fl.us By Friday, November 4th if you want to be included on the list.

Teacher of the Week

Congratulations to **Mr. Ben Langevin** for being named our Teacher of the Week! Mr. Langevin was nominated for his collaboration and positive attitude! He also does an outstanding job with yearbook and newspaper. Mr. Langevin can be found at many night events taking pictures. He is amazing!

Student of the Week

Congratulations to **Brianna Bibona** who was nominated by Mr. Patterson. Mr. Patterson says, "Brianna has really taken ownership in her role as Executive Producer of WROR-TV. She's making plans for creating more social media content so we can better engage with our audience and has shown a proclivity for effective organization and communication with our staff. I'm very proud of her leadership!"



Congratulations to **Hailey DeSoto** who was nominated by Coach Boucher and Coach Rondone. They said, “Hailey is such a great asset to not only Varsity cheer, but she has volunteered her time to clean out the cheer closet, teach the freshman and JV teams band dances, help with cheers and stunting. We are so thankful for her!

Congratulations to **Haley Prete** who was nominated by Coach Boucher and Coach Rondone. They said, “Haley is such a great asset to not only Varsity cheer, but she has volunteered her time to clean out the cheer closet as well as designed team water bottles using her Cricuit. We are so thankful for her!”

Congratulations to **Cooper Broennle** who was nominated by Dr. Daniel for his leadership in the student section at football games. He has directed the students in a more positive and fun direction. Thank you, Cooper!

Athletics Update from Athletic Director Jen Darty

Varsity Football won over Flagler Palm Coast 26-14. DJ Scott & Alex Saunders had two touchdowns each.

Girls Varsity Volleyball competed at the Nike Tournament of Champions in Phoenix, Arizona. On Friday, the team collected wins over La Jolla Country Day (CA) & Sunnyslope (AZ) before falling to Mater Dei (CA) taking 2nd in the pool and earning a spot in the top 16 being only one of two Florida schools to do so. On Saturday, the team started with a loss to national #1 Marymount (CA) and then battled but fell short vs. Archbishop Mitty (CA) & Santa Margarita (CA) before ending on a win over Basha (AZ) to take 15th overall out of 64 teams.



Congratulations to Luke Williamsson for playing in the Youth Nationals in Juna. Luke is a member of the Orlando Vikings Team. who won the National Championship in Floorball. Luke was the high scorer of the game and also played on the Men’s Under 19 Development Team. Go Lions!

Congratulations to Kendall Toshie for completing her US Equestrian Interscholastic Athlete Program. his program was developed to provide recognition for the accomplishments of young equestrians and encourage their future involvement in equestrian sport. Participants in the program must be students in grades 5-12 who document at least 100 hours of training or provide verification of participation in three equestrian competitions during the year. After completing



these requirements and verification, the student will receive a certificate commemorating their achievements, a varsity letterman patch and/or lapel pin for each year of participation.

Bowling won over Seminole yesterday with the Boys winning 2766-1990 & the Girls winning 1220-962. The Boys were led by Gio Olay with a 284 high game & 455 high series and the Girls were led by Emily Harvey with a 167 high game & 298 high series.



Girls Golf fell to Hagerty yesterday 176-209. Hannah Booth shot an even par, 36.

Freshmen Football won over Seminole 34-0. Jerome Curry had 2 passing TDs & 1 rushing, Joey Gioia had 1 rushing TD, Brayden Olson had a receiving TD, and Chance Nixon had 1 rushing TD and 1 receiving TD.

Congratulations to Holly Archer & Lena Stadler!

Bowling defeated Lyman on both sides with the Boys winning 2549-2339 & the Girls winning 1337-1318. For the Boys, Andy Rotger had a 259 high game & 488 high series and for the Girls, Emily Harvey led the way with a 178 high game and 310 high series.

Boys Golf lost University Orange City yesterday 181-178. Hayden Kinder led all scorers with a 43.

Calendar of Events

Monday, October 11

Start of Quarter (School)

10:00 AM Boys Varsity Golf OPEN SAC Tournament @ Twin Rivers Home

2:30 PM Drama Rehearsal (School)

3:30 PM Coed Varsity Bowling Lake Mary High School @ Oviedo Lanes Away

6:00 PM Band Rehearsal (School)

7:00 PM Boys Varsity Football Deland High School Away

Tuesday, October 12

2:30 PM Drama Rehearsal (School)

3:30 PM Coed Varsity Bowling Hagerty High School @ Oviedo Lanes Away

3:00 PM Boy's LAX (School)

5:00 PM Club Lacrosse Practice (School)

5:30 PM Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball New Smyrna Beach High School Home

7:00 PM Girls Varsity Volleyball New Smyrna Beach High School Home

Wednesday, October 13

9:00 AM SAC AD Meeting (School)

1:25 PM Football Study Hall (School)

2:30 PM Drama Rehearsal (School)

3:00 PM *Boy's LAX* (School)
3:30 PM Coed Varsity Bowling Crooms Academy @ *Airport Lanes* Away
4:00 PM Coed Varsity Swimming OPEN *Seminole Athletic Conference Championship* @
Lake Howell Away
6:00 PM *Band Rehearsal* (School)
6:00 PM Boys Freshman Football Hagerty High School Away

Thursday, October 14

2:30 PM *Drama Rehearsal* (School)
4:30 PM Girls Freshman Volleyball Hagerty High School Home
5:30 PM Girls Junior Varsity Volleyball Hagerty High School Home
5:00 PM *Club Lacrosse Practice* (School)
7:00 PM Girls Varsity Volleyball Hagerty High School *Senior Night* Home

Friday, October 15

2:30 PM *Drama Rehearsal* (School)
5:00 PM *Interior Design Club* (School)
7:00 PM Boys Varsity Football Sanford Seminole HS Home

Saturday, October 16

Pop Warner (School)
7:30 AM Coed Varsity Cross Country OPEN *Pre-State Meet* @ *Tallahassee* Away
9:00 AM *Robotics* (School)
8:00 PM *Dance Practice* (School)

Monday, October 18

8:30 AM Girls Varsity Golf OPEN *SAC Tournament* @ *Casselberry Country Club* Away
2:30 PM *Drama Rehearsal* (School)
6:00 PM *Band Rehearsal* (School)
7:00 PM Girls Varsity Volleyball OPEN *District Quarterfinal* @ *Higher Seed* Home

Tuesday, October 19

TBA Girls Varsity Volleyball OPEN *District Semifinals* @ *Lake Mary* Away
2:30 PM *Drama Rehearsal* (School)
3:00 PM *Dance Practice* (School)
5:00 PM *Club Lacrosse Practice* (School)
6:00 PM *OHSABC Meeting* (School)

Wednesday, October 20

1:25 PM *Football Study Hall* (School)
2:30 PM *Drama Rehearsal* (School)
2:45 PM Boys Varsity Golf Lake Brantley High School @ *Wekiva Golf Club* Away
3:30 PM Coed Varsity Bowling Lake Brantley High School @ *Oviedo Lanes* Away
3:00 PM *Boy's LAX* (School)
6:00 PM *Band Rehearsal* (School)

Thursday, October 21

7:30 AM *NJROTC ASVAB* (School)
2:30 PM *Talent Show Audition* (School)
2:30 PM *Drama Rehearsal* (School)
3:00 PM *Dance Practice* (School)
5:30 PM Coed Varsity Cross Country OPEN SAC Championships @ Hagerty Away
5:00 PM *Club Lacrosse Practice* (School)
7:00 PM Girls Varsity Volleyball OPEN District Finals @ Lake Mary Away
7:00 PM *Drama Production* (School)

Friday, October 22

2:30 PM *Drama Rehearsal* (School)
7:00 PM *Drama Production* (School)

Saturday, October 23

CFCYL (Other)
8:00 AM *ACT* (School)
9:00 AM *Robotics* (School)
2:30 PM *Drama Rehearsal* (School)
7:00 PM *Drama Production* (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</p>	<p>Return From Isolation Protocols:</p>
<p>Student must isolate from school until they satisfy one of the Isolation Return Protocols.</p>	<p>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. <u>OR</u></p> <p>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; <u>OR</u></p> <p>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</p>	<p>Quarantine Protocols for Asymptomatic Students:</p>
<p>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.</p> <p>Direct contact is defined as any person within 6 feet of a COVID-19 positive individual cumulatively for 15 minutes or more.</p>	<p>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. <u>OR</u></p> <p>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.

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

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1DLQkus27616UyZs_Y_ZQZCo05DZeB6UXsgDKNEcaVpM/edit#gid=1935941560

OHS PTSA

Let's kick off this new school year with something delicious!

Crazy times call for creative fundraising and the flavor of the month is PIZZA! ORDER NOW and help OHS PTSA continue to support our teachers, staff and seniors this year, no matter what obstacles we face! We are all better together!

Please share this with your friends and family! Go Lions!

<https://fundraising.littlecaesars.com/products?c=5>

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

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>

Dear SCPS High School Families,

The 2nd Annual Central Florida College Fair is only **ONE WEEK AWAY!**

When and Where?

- Meet with colleges virtually from Monday through Friday, October 18th to Friday, October 22nd.
- The face-to-face portion of the college fair will take place at PSI High (21 Lakeview Drive in Sanford) on Saturday, October 23rd from 10:00am-2:00pm.

What Will This College Fair Look Like?

- College representatives from around the world will be in attendance to assist students.
- Informational sessions about the college application process and financial aid/scholarships will be available in addition to the college booths.
- Virtual fair participants will attend 30 minutes sessions through the college's preferred virtual meeting platform (link will be provided through our website).

What You Can do to Get Started

- Check out our flier for more information at <https://bit.ly/PSIflier>
- Visit our College Fair Website: PSICollegeHub.com
 - Go here to register and explore all the college booths well in advance of the event
- Keep checking our website as schools and virtual booths are added.

You will see many top tier schools, both locally and around the world, attending this fair. Some of the colleges attending include:

University of Central Florida, University of South Florida, Florida State University, Seminole State College, Rollins College, Flagler College, Ringling College of Art & Design, New College of Florida, Everglades University, University of Chicago, Embry Riddle, Full Sail, Montreat College, The University of Alabama, Arts University Bournemouth, Emory & Henry College, Washington & Jefferson, University of Nebraska, Mercer University, University of Connecticut, University College Dublin, Virginia Tech, University of Oregon and more!

There are currently over 60 colleges/universities/technical schools attending and growing daily!

Please Note: We are currently moving forward with our in-person event. As we receive updated information regarding COVID and regulations from the CDC and SCPS, we will make appropriate accommodations. Please make sure you register for the event at PSICollegeHub.com to ensure you receive any updated information as the event approaches.

Thank you!

-Seminole County Public Schools (SCPS)

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://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>

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

Please see attachment for form.

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

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

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, order senior ads, or place a business ad.

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 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.

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.shtml>

