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Oviedo High School
Principal's Weekly Update
March 8, 2021

Graduation is May 19th at 9:00 a.m. in the UCF Bounce House Stadium. Seniors and parents/guardians of seniors – Please check your email for an update. I sent it last Thursday. Seniors – Please order your cap and gowns. The cost is \$135 and will help pay for the rental of the UCF Bounce House Stadium. Right now only about 100 seniors have purchased their caps and gowns. Thank you.
<https://www.herffjones.com/schools/highschool/09002900000/>

Spring Break begins Monday, March 15th and ends Friday, March 19th with the return to school March 22nd for 4th quarter.

Congratulations to the Class of 2021!

The following seniors have been nominated for the SASA Awards.

Congratulations!

Phoenix - **Elizabeth Molnar**

Student Leader - **Mihir Lalwani**

Scholarship - **Paola Torres**

Congratulations to our 581 Students with a 4.0+! We celebrated them on Thursday during the Principal's 4.0 Luncheon. If you did not pick up your certificate on Thursday, please come by the front office to pick it up. Thank you and GO LIONS!



Congratulations to NJROTC for their First Place FRA 126 Academic Postal 2020 Results!
Congratulations to NJROTC for their 2nd Place in the Bear Attack 1st Annual Academic POSTAL Exam!

The following students represented the NJROTC Academics Team that placed 1st and 2nd place in two Academic Competition Events for NJROTC. They are also our students of the week for this week!

Maurya Jandyala

Bethany Jablon

August Jones

Joshua Speer
Owen Compher



The FFCC competition hosted at Oviedo this past weekend, OHS' JV Winter Guard Team received the bronze medal for 3rd place in their class! What's even more impressive is that they are within a three-point gap for first place and have also jumped almost 12-points in their score from two competitions ago!

The Varsity Winter Guard Team received the gold medal for first place in their class! Congratulations to both of our teams, Way to represent the school!

All-County results for Solo and Ensemble:

Congratulations to the students who made All-County!

Daniel Castro
Catherine Compton
Elizabeth Curtis
Lillian Estelow
Jolene Hempfing
Joshua Hersman
Ricky Horne
Xander Lee
Danielle Monahan
Polina Ungvarsky

We had 25 students who participated in. 13 of those students receive Superior ratings, six students received Excellent ratings, and six students chose to do comments only. The band directors are very pleased and think that's quite a big success with everything we have gone

through in this pandemic. The band directors are impressed with the drive of all of these students! OHS had the 2nd biggest group of students who made All-County. Congratulations! GO LIONS!

Any person interested in serving on next year's School Advisory Council (SAC) should email Dr. Jason McDonald at jason_mcdonald@scps.k12.fl.us no later than April 16, for inclusion on the ballot. The SAC meets in the evening on the 4th Monday of the Month 8-9 times per year.

OHS Athletic Boosters is needing a VP of Sponsorship and Concessions Coordinator. If you are interested in serving in this capacity, please email jonthornton@westfieldgrp.com

Congratulations to our Teacher of the Week

Congratulations to our Teacher of the Week Ms. Shari Gray! Thank you for your leadership and everything you do!

Seminole County Public Schools: Parent Info Session

MARCH 9TH, 2021 AT 6:00 PM

Training by The Renfrew Center

HOW TO PROMOTE BODY POSITIVITY WITH YOUR STUDENT

**Students are encouraged to join with their
parent or guardian.**

EVENT LINK: [HTTPS://ZOOM.US/J/96696266385](https://zoom.us/j/96696266385)

Presenters:

Christina Purkiss, MA, LMHC, CEDS-S Renfrew Orlando Director

Jessica Fortunato, MA, LMFT Renfrew Orlando Team Leader

Amanda Batts, Renfrew Center Professional Relations Regional Manager

Athletics Update from Athletic Director Jen Darty

Varsity Baseball won over Lyman 6-3.

Boys Volleyball kicked off their season with a sweep of Timber Creek last night, 25-23, 25-20, and 26-24. Shay Spadaro, Ethan Rice, Harrison Slone and Aleksander Sobik all had strong performances for the team. JV Boys Volleyball fell in two sets to Timber Creek.

Varsity Softball tallied 7 hits for a 10-2 win over Spruce Creek. Makenzie Fore struck out 6 allowing only 2 runs. For JV, Kennedy Gibson took the win on the mound, striking out 5 batters in 4 innings. The JV Offense had 8 stolen bases beating Spruce Creek 6-2.

Tennis split matches against Trinity Prep yesterday. The gentlemen fell 7-0 with freshmen Ayan Patel and Will Reese both earning starts. Meanwhile, the ladies earned a 6-1 win to remain undefeated on the season. The win was fueled by strong doubles play from the No. 1 pairing Allison Bell & Chloe Pinkston winning 8-3.

Track & Field competed at the SAC Freshmen & Sophomore Championships yesterday. The Girls team took 5th and Boys placed 6th. The team had several top finishers on both sides – Girls 4x800 1st Lilly Jacobus, Mady Falk, Hannah Atwell, Maya Cabal, Boys 4x800 3rd Alex Newman, Luke Haddad, Trevor Metz, James Unwin, Girls 4x100 3rd Kayla Egerton, Macy Franco, Emma Nguyen, Eliana Nemasango, Girls 800 2nd Lilly Jacobus, Boys 800 3rd Myles Egerton, Girls 3200 3rd Ellen Cocurull, Boys 3200 2nd James Unwin, Girls 4x400 1st Lilly Johnson, Lilly Jacobus, Hannah Atwell, Maya Cabal, Boys Long Jump 1st Camden Anderson, and Boys Shot Put 1st Ethan Manning.

Water Polo split victories with Hagerty last night. The Girls had a solid win 14-8 with 10 saves by Laurel Cupit and 5 saves by Karsen McKee. Six girls scored goals with Eleanor Duffy leading the way with 4 goals and Marissa Watkins adding 5 assists. The Boys suffered a tough loss 14-4. Josh Howell scored all 4 goals for the team.

Boys Weightlifting lost to Lake Brantley, 56-29. Dominic Charcap, Nick Williams and Colton Kirby placed first in their weight classes.

Varsity Baseball fell to Dr. Phillips 4-1.

Varsity Softball moved to 6-1 on the season with a 4-1 win over West Orange last night. Catherine Buckner struck out 15. The offense was led by Riley Fennell and Angelee Bueno hitting .500 on the night. Maddie Slavik added to the attack with a triple.

Boys Varsity Volleyball lost to Hagerty in five sets last night with set scores 25-23, 28-30, 25-23, 21-25, 12-15. JV fell in straight sets.

Varsity Softball fell to East Ridge, 17-4. JV got the win, 10-2, with a double by Bryanna Nelson and a triple by Bennett Duba with each bringing in 3 RBIs.

Varsity Baseball won over Lyman 7-0 on Friday. Isaiah Barkett, Eli Fleming and Eric Day had multiple hits. Andrew Dross had 7 strikeouts on the mound.

Marcus Patrick placed 5th overall in the Wrestling State Tournament over the weekend. Congratulations to Marcus & Coach Simonelli!

Track & Field competed in the Brian Jaeger Invitational at Winter Park over the weekend – the Girls team took 2nd & the Boys team placed 8th. Top finishers in events were Kanya Smith 3rd in the Triple Jump, Kiana Scott 1st in Shot Put, Kiana Scott 2nd in Discus, Sarah Kanbara 2nd in Javelin, Caroline Hickey setting a new school record and taking 1st in the 2000 Meter Steeple Chase, Lily Jacobus, Mady Falk, Hannah Atwell & Maya Cabal 2nd in the 4x800, Eliana Nemasango 1st in 100 Hurdles, Ryleigh Holcomb 2nd in 1600, Kanya Smith, Eliana Nemasango, Kayla Egerton & Courtney Latimer 3rd in 4x100, Lily Jacobus 3rd in 800, Leola Broitman 3rd in 200 Steeplechase, Sam Austin setting a new school record and taking 1st in the 400, Peter Gaffney 3rd in 300 Hurdles, and Sam Austin 2nd in the 200.

How to Buy Athletic Tickets

This school year all events in Seminole County are **cashless**. The Seminole County & FHSAA online ticketing provider is GoFan (www.gofan.co). All tickets will be purchased through GoFan and redeemed electronically on your smart phone at the gate. Upon purchasing tickets, please make sure you do NOT validate them prior to entering the gate. There will not be paper tickets available at the gate. All Fall athletic events, with the exception of Varsity Football, at Oviedo High School are currently available for purchase in GoFan through this link: <https://gofan.co/app/school/FL1808>. For our home Varsity Football games, tickets for general admission will go live online on Monday at 8:00am the week of the home Varsity Football game. Please note, all venues are at limited capacity with a set number of tickets. Once tickets are sold out, we cannot admit any more fans into the stadium. Tickets for our away games in Seminole County will also be available in GoFan when released by the opponent. For our away games in Orange County for Winter Sports, they will be moving to GoFan and limiting their capacity to 25%.

For all athletic events, masks are required by SCPS. The administration has the authority by FHSAA to stop the game and require everyone to wear a mask and wear one appropriately meaning covering the nose and mouth area. Please refer to the guidelines for further details.

Stop the Spread

How can you help?

1. If your child is feeling ill or displaying any potential symptoms, please err on the side of caution and keep them home. Every student does have 10 absences that a parent can write a note for making them excused. This is per semester, so you don't have to worry. Also, at home a student can log into eCampus/Canvas and stay up to date on the class material.
2. If your child has recently been tested for COVID-19 due to symptoms, has symptoms, or potential exposure, please contact our school nurse at merletdz@scps.k12.fl.us or 407-796-2074.

3. If your student tests positive, please immediately contact Tanya Cameron at 407-320-4008 or call the school at 407-320-4050.

Scholarships for the Class of 2021 Organized by the Month

Please see the link below.

Email OviedoHSScholarships@gmail.com with questions.

Updated scholarship

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

Who is my counselor?

A-Deb Lightsey

Dec-Ha Reilly

Hb-Mea Byrd

Meb-R Washington

S-Z Vosburg

ESE Valentine

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>

Calendar of Events

Monday, March 08

2:30 PM *Dance Practice* (School)

2:30 PM *Powderpuff Practice* (School)

5:00 PM *Color Guard* (School)

5:00 PM *Color Guard* (School)

5:30 PM Boys Junior Varsity Volleyball Spruce Creek High School Away

6:00 PM Boys Junior Varsity Lacrosse Dr. Phillips High School Home

7:30 PM Boys Varsity Lacrosse Dr. Phillips High School Home

7:00 PM Boys Varsity Volleyball Spruce Creek High School Away

Tuesday, March 09

2:30 PM *Powderpuff Practice* (School)

3:00 PM Coed Varsity Tennis Lake Howell High School Away

5:00 PM Girls Junior Varsity Softball Lake Mary High School Away

5:00 PM *Color Guard* (School)

5:00 PM Boys Junior Varsity Lacrosse Winter Springs High School Home

6:00 PM Boys Varsity Baseball Hagerty High School Away
6:00 PM Boys Junior Varsity Baseball Hagerty High School Home
7:00 PM Girls Varsity Softball Lake Mary High School Away
7:00 PM Boys Varsity Lacrosse Winter Springs High School Home

Wednesday, March 10

Boys Basketball Banquet (School)
TBA Coed Varsity Track OPEN SAC East Quad Meet @ Lake Howell Away
2:30 PM *Powderpuff Practice* (School)
3:00 PM Coed Varsity Tennis Lake Brantley High School *Boys Only* Away
5:00 PM Girls Junior Varsity Softball Cornerstone Charter Academy (Belle Isle) Home
5:00 PM *Color Guard* (School)
5:00 PM *Color Guard* (School)
7:00 PM Girls Varsity Softball Cornerstone Charter Academy (Belle Isle) Home

Thursday, March 11

2:30 PM *Powderpuff Practice* (School)
4:00 PM Boys Varsity Lacrosse *Boys Lacrosse Team Meal* (School)
5:00 PM *Color Guard* (School)
6:00 PM Girls Varsity Softball East River High School Home
6:00 PM Boys Junior Varsity Baseball Timber Creek High School Home
7:00 PM Boys Varsity Baseball Timber Creek High School Away

Friday, March 12

End of 3rd Quarter (School)
TBA Coed Varsity Track Lake Brantley High School *Charlie Harris Relays* Away
5:00 PM *Color Guard* (School)
5:00 PM Boys Junior Varsity Lacrosse Lake Brantley High School Home
6:00 PM Boys Varsity Volleyball Crooms Academy Home
6:00 PM Boys Varsity Baseball Hagerty High School Home
6:00 PM Boys Junior Varsity Baseball Hagerty High School Away
7:00 PM Boys Varsity Lacrosse Lake Brantley High School Home

Saturday, March 13

TBA Coed Varsity Track Deland High School *Deland Relays* Away
3:00 PM *Infinity* (Other)

Monday, March 15

School Closed (School)
TBA Boys Varsity Baseball OPEN *Florida League High School Tournament* Away
2:30 PM *Powderpuff Practice* (School)
5:00 PM *Color Guard* (School)
5:00 PM *Color Guard* (School)

Tuesday, March 16

School Closed (School)

2:30 PM *Powderpuff Practice* (School)
5:00 PM *Color Guard* (School)

Wednesday, March 17

School Closed (School)

TBA Boys Varsity Baseball OPEN *Florida League High School Tournament* Away

2:30 PM *Powderpuff Practice* (School)

5:00 PM *Color Guard* (School)

5:00 PM *Color Guard* (School)

7:00 PM Boys Varsity Lacrosse Melbourne Central Catholic HS Away

Thursday, March 18

School Closed (School)

2:30 PM *Powderpuff Practice* (School)

5:00 PM *Color Guard* (School)

Friday, March 19

School Closed (School)

TBA Boys Varsity Baseball OPEN *Florida League High School Tournament* Away

5:00 PM *Color Guard* (School)

Saturday, March 20

No events scheduled