



Oviedo High School  
Principal's Weekly Update  
May 1, 2023

Testing starts next week.

The testing below requires us to start at 7:20 a.m. due to time constraints and there are no afternoon testing sessions. **Even if you don't have a 1<sup>st</sup> period, you must come to school 1<sup>st</sup> period to test. Please have your student check their school email accounts for the exact time and location of their test.**

Testing Schedule

US History –May 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup>

ELA 10- May 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>

Algebra 1- May 5<sup>th</sup>

Biology- May 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>

ELA 9- May 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>

Geometry- May 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup>

Senior Awards

A big thank you to all the teachers who came to our Senior Awards and Scholarship Night last night. The students were very appreciative, and I was very impressed by your write ups and presentation skills. A bigger thank you to Sarah Reilly for organizing and running the event for our seniors. It's a lot of detailed work to make that event flow seamlessly.



Figure 1 Principal Award Winners - Ethan Manning and Alina Kazarian

I've also never seen so many awards and so much money being allotted to one group of seniors. We had 32 students receive UCF scholarships (they filled the stage), Lee Foundation scholarship winners for SSC, Stetson scholarship winners, 2 naval appointments, 10 AP Capstone scholars, and many PTSA scholarship winners. That is a testament to the AP, Honors, and Standard teachers that have educated these young people to gain academic success and their counselors that helped them apply, so they were competitive for these scholarships. Please check out our OHS Facebook page to see all our winners! <https://www.facebook.com/OviedoHighSchool>

Way to go Lions! Thank you for helping our students be as successful as they can!

### **Linda Lougee Volunteer of the Year Awards**

Jacob and Josie Cossairt were recognized for the countless hours they have dedicated to OHS for the Marching Lions. Their leadership and organization has been instrumental in retaining a high-quality program, especially the last 4 years.

Rick Van Smith was recognized for the time, effort, fundraising, and mentoring he has done for our OHS Robotics program. He has not only built the program but has been the driving force for the wins and accolades our program has earned.

### **Class of 2023 Senior Dates**

- Thursday, May 4 - **CTE Awards Night** @ 6:00 p.m. in Auditorium
- Tuesday, May 9, 2023 – **Seniors Last Day** and **Senior Video** @ 6:00 p.m. in Auditorium and **Senior Sunset** @ 7:00 p.m. on the field (Bring your yearbook.)
- Monday, May 15 - **Grad Practice** @ 7:30 a.m. in Auditorium – **You will get 10 graduation tickets and your 100 year OHS graduation hood at the end of Grad Practice. All of your debt must be cleared. You can also purchase tickets for \$5 each. A table will be set up. Cash only. First come, first served until the extra tickets are gone.**  
Immediately after the conclusion of Grad Practice, the Senior Picnic will occur sponsored by the PTSA.
- Tuesday, May 16 - **Graduation** @ 2:00 p.m. UCF – Doors open at 1:00 p.m. You will receive your 100 year OHS medallion at Graduation when you check in.



**Senior Parents – Please help and sign up for the Senior Picnic to work or donate items.**

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*Volunteers are needed for the Senior Picnic! You must be an approved SCPS Dividend!*

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0A4BA8AB2BA46-senior>

*Water and Small Supplies are needed for the Senior Picnic*

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0A4BA8AB2BA46-senior1>

The Class of 2023 Senior Survey is open now through May 15th. **The survey is coming from Qualtrics and is not spam!** Please make sure you fill out this survey! Here is a link to the survey if you did not receive an email from Qualtrics (to your school email account). [https://scps.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_2gBaJzTMgUKQdwi](https://scps.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_2gBaJzTMgUKQdwi)

**Yearbook Distribution -**

It's finally here!! **May 5<sup>th</sup> is our yearbook distribution day.** We'll start distribution at 6:30 am in 5-020 and run it through the day until 3 pm. Students will need to have their printed emailed receipt to pick up their book along with their student ID. If they search Walsworth on their emails, the receipt will be there. We'll also have the digital retrieval system for confirmation set up if needed. Students will NOT be given passes for going late to class throughout the day.

All yearbooks must be picked up by the student in room 5-020. No office pick-ups will be allowed.

After May 5<sup>th</sup>, yearbooks will be available for pick up during lunches A or B or after school until 3 pm only.

On May 9<sup>th</sup> during the senior sunset, we'll be having the signing area for Seniors! Bring a sharpie and your book!

We are starting a wait list should any more copies become available: <https://forms.gle/81wssKs4bXv96cyV8>.

Last reminder:

The Oviedian student staff make every effort to produce a high-quality, student-honoring, and award-winning yearbook. However, mistakes happen. This is an entirely student-produced work from start to finish, in production and execution. If you'd like to bring an error to our attention, [please fill out this form](#).

Sincerely,

**Ben Langevin, CJE**

OHS Yearbook, Newspaper, Journalism Adviser

Florida Scholastic Press Association District #3 Co-Director

Oviedo High School

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## **OHS BETA OFFICERS 2023-2024**

Congratulations to the OHS Beta Club Officers for 2023 – 2024!

This is an outstanding group of young people who will be excellent ambassadors in continuing the strong leadership traditions of OHS Beta. We look forward to working with each and every one of you.

- President – Tal Kanistras
- Vice President (External Affairs ) – Spencer Mallott
- Vice President (Internal Affairs) – Alicia Bomhoff
- Secretaries – Hannah Adamson; Kiara Jimenez-Fuentes
- Treasurers – Kaden Klinke; James Speer
- Historians – Skye Ritter; Mara Mrruku
- Photographer – Tessa Sims
- The Buzz -“Mr. & Ms. Beta Buzz” – Maya Cabal and Zach Griffin
- Marketing – Mariena McLeod
- Florida State and National Convention Coordinator – Colin Gibbons
- Black & Gold Banquet Committee – Nelson Kanistras (Coordinator); Lillie Mullins; Jordan Kruse; and Valaria Zambrano



## **Congratulations to Mr. Patterson and the TV Productions students for winning 1<sup>st</sup> place in the Leadership Seminole Contest!**

**Here is a link to their video on leadership:**

**<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Z-mLWwkBgCQ>**



**Seniors – All Plato classes must be completed by Friday, May 12<sup>th</sup> at 2:20 p.m. in order to walk at the May 16<sup>th</sup> Graduation Ceremony. Plato will be locked/turned off on Friday, May 12<sup>th</sup> at 2:20 p.m. Any senior that still has work to complete on Plato must finish during summer school and will walk at the Summer Graduation on July 17<sup>th</sup> at OHS. There are no exceptions.**

**Oviedo High School 2022-23 Exam Schedule**

**1st 9 Weeks Exams**

9/30/22	Period 1
10/3/22 (M)	Periods 2 & 5
10/4/22 (Tu)	Period 4 & 6
10/6/22 (Th)	Periods 3 & 7
10/12/2022 (W) – PSAT/SAT School Day	

**2nd 9 Weeks Exams**

12/13/22 (Tu)	Period 7
12/14/22 (W)	Periods 1 & 4
12/15/22 (Th)	Periods 2 & 5
12/16/22 (F)	Periods 3 & 6

**3rd 9 Weeks Exams**

3/7/23 (Tu)	Periods 1 & 4
3/8/23 (W)	Period 6
3/9/23 (Th)	Periods 2 & 5
3/10/23 (F)	Periods 3 & 7

**Underclass 4th 9 Weeks Exams**

5/22/23 (M)	Period 7
5/23/23 (Tu)	Periods 1 & 4
5/24/23 (W)	Periods 2 & 5
5/25/23 (Th)	Periods 3 & 6

**Senior 4th 9 Weeks Exams**

5/4/23	Period 6
5/5/23	Periods 3 & 7
5/8/23	Periods 2 & 5
5/9/23	Periods 1 & 4

**Bell Schedule for Early Dismissal Days**

**Dec 14, 15, 16, 2022 / May 23, 24, 25, 2023**

7:20 - 9:20	First Exam of Day
9:20 - 9:40	Break
9:45 - 11:45	Second Exam of Day

**7th Period 9 Weeks Exam**

Dec. 13, 2022		May 22, 2023	
7:20 - 7:58	1st Period	7:20 - 7:58	1st Period
8:03 - 8:41	2nd Period	8:03 - 8:41	2nd Period
8:41 - 8:51	Break	8:41 - 8:51	Break
8:51 - 9:35	3rd Period	8:51 - 9:35	3rd Period
9:40 - 10:18	4th Period	9:40 - 10:18	4th Period
10:18 - 10:48	Lunch Group A	10:18 - 10:48	Lunch Group A
10:53 - 11:32	5th Period Group A	10:53 - 11:32	5th Period Group A
10:23 - 11:02	5th Period Group B	10:23 - 11:02	5th Period Group B
11:02 - 11:32	Lunch Group B	11:02 - 11:32	Lunch Group B
11:37 - 12:15	6th Period	11:37 - 12:15	6th Period
12:20 - 2:20	7th Period Exam	12:20 - 2:20	7th Period Exam



Mane Attraction  
Dance Team

# **SPRING SHOW**

Feat. Lionettes Dance Team  
& Dance Tech Classes

Tickets are \$10 on the GoFan website

**MAY 5th 2023**

6:30 pm

Gerald Casanova Performing Arts Center







The OHSABC General Meeting and Board Elections will take place on May 8th at 6pm. Please check the email associated with your membership for the Zoom link to attend and cast your vote. We are still looking for great volunteers to fill the Treasurer and other committee chair positions. Be part of our organization's mission to support all athletic programs and promote school spirit through sports!

Don't worry if you missed the Crumbl Cookie Spirit Night! We have another chance for you to grab some cookies from a little closer to home during our Sweet Summer Sendoff Fundraiser. All proceeds support OHS Athletics. See details and pre-order yours now on our website!



**Congratulations to our Students of the Week! Congratulations to our students who will receive recognition in the 2024 National Merit Scholarship Program!**

**Hannah Adamson  
Loren Blumenfeld  
Daniel Boktor  
Caden Brock  
Jane Hicken  
Audrey Keke  
Santino Maiorino  
Spencer Mallott  
Charlotte Sladek  
Lia Swanson  
Evan Towson  
Ethan Ursic  
Lawrence Wu  
David Ziegler**

**Congratulations to our Teacher of the Week**

Congratulations to **Mr. Capp** for being named our Teacher of the Week! He is being recognized for his work in the classroom and with SECME. Thank you so much!

**Visitors to OHS**

All visitors – Please enter through the front door. Buzz and state your name and purpose. There is also no drop-off of any kind including food, money, uniforms, projects, etc.

**Athletics from Athletic Director Jen Darty**

Varsity Softball lost 5-0 to Melbourne on Friday. Riley Fennell led with 2 hits.

Varsity Baseball lost 7-6 to Lake Brantley on Friday.

Boys JV Volleyball won 25-20, 25-18 over Spruce Creek on Friday. Varsity lost 25-13, 25-18, 25-17. Adam Singer had 2 kills and 4 blocks.

Boys JV Volleyball won over Hagerty last night, 25-23, 25-13. Varsity lost, 16-25, 24-26, 25-19, 19-25. The team was led by Preston Parkhill with 20 digs & 1 ace, Jason Gonzalez with 4 digs & 1 ace, and Enrique Casarus with 7 digs.

Varsity Baseball lost 9-2 to Bishop Moore last night.

Girls Varsity Lacrosse lost to Lake Mary 19-2 last night in the Region Semifinal. Senior Carly O'Donnell scored both goals for the team.

Beach Volleyball played in the District Tournament yesterday at Geneva School & came away as District Runner-Up. The team won in the District Semifinal over Timber Creek, 3-2, with win by Paige Wisneski & Olivia Klimis, Kylie O'Brien & Rylee Yarborough, and Addie Imbs & Finley Oliphant. Following that, the team lost to Hagerty 4-0 in the District Final before being called due to lightning. In the final, the team was led by Jamie Kapoor & Janelle Baez.

Track & Field competed at the District Championships at Flagler Palm Coast yesterday. Multiple athletes advanced to Regionals including Archer Crowe in the High Jump with a personal best jump of 5'-11.5" and Tristen Washington setting school records once again in the 100m and 200m with times of 10.57 and 21.33 respectively. Alyssa Wahl advanced in the 400m hurdles with a time of 16.65 and Hannah Adamson advances in the 800m with a personal record 2:18.78. Three relay teams advanced. Olivia Jacobus, Hannah Atwell, Maya Cabal and Hannah Adamson ran a season best 9:56.64 to win the District Championship in the 4 x 800m Relay. Myles Egerton, Cairo Vanegas, Davis Alloway and Robert Bellamy advance in the Boys 4x800m relay with a season best 8:17.14. The Boys 4x100m relay team set a new school record as Dallas Johnson, Emiliano Galarza Alex McCoy and Tristen Washington ran 42.51 to advance

Varsity baseball lost 6-0 to Spruce Creek. The game was called in the 5<sup>th</sup> inning due to weather.

### **Calendar of Events**

#### **Monday, May 01**

- 2:30 PM *BETA Officer Meeting (5-207)* (School)
- 2:30 PM *Band Rehearsal* (School)
- 6:00 PM Boys Varsity Baseball OPEN *District Quarterfinals @ Higher Seed Home*
- 6:00 PM *BSU Banquet* (School)
- 7:00 PM Boys Varsity Volleyball OPEN *District Quarterfinals @ Lake Howell Away*
- 7:00 PM Girls Varsity Softball Forest High School *District Quarterfinals @ Hagerty Away*

#### **Tuesday, May 02**

- TBA Girls Varsity Volleyball OPEN *State Play-In Game @ TBA Away*
- TBA Boys Varsity Baseball OPEN *District Semifinals @ Winter Springs Away*
- TBA Boys Varsity Volleyball OPEN *District Semifinals @ Lake Howell Away*
- 2:30 PM *Band Rehearsal* (School)
- 2:30 PM *Algebra I/ Geometry Tutoring (1-208)* (School)
- 4:00 PM *TV Production Banquet* (School)
- 7:00 PM Girls Varsity Softball OPEN *District Semifinals @ Hagerty Away*

#### **Wednesday, May 03**

- 7:00 AM *Signing Day* (School)
- 2:30 PM *District ESE Meeting* (School)
- 2:30 PM *Band Rehearsal* (School)
- 7:00 PM *SGA Banquet* (School)

#### **Thursday, May 04**

- TBA Girls Varsity Softball OPEN *District Final @ Hagerty Away*

2:30 PM *Mu Alpha Theta Tutoring (1-209)* (School)  
2:30 PM *Band Rehearsal* (School)  
2:30 PM *Algebra I/ Geometry Tutoring (1-208)* (School)  
6:00 PM Boys Varsity Baseball OPEN *District Final @ Winter Springs* Away  
6:00 PM *CTE Awards Night* (School)  
7:00 PM Boys Varsity Volleyball OPEN *District Final @ Lake Howell* Away

**Friday, May 05**

TBA Coed Varsity Track OPEN *Region Championship @ UNF* Away  
TBA Girls Varsity Volleyball OPEN *State Play-In Game @ TBA* Away  
**7:00 PM *Dance Spring Show* (School)**

**Saturday, May 06**

8:00 AM SAT (School)  
8:00 AM *BB5 Camp* (School)

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

***Are we allowed to decorate our graduation caps?*** Yes, seniors will be allowed to decorate their caps for graduation! Please take into consideration the following rules when decorating your graduation cap. *Failure to follow these rules will result in the removal of the cap before the ceremony.*

Graduation cap decorations:

- Only the flat, top area of the mortar board may be decorated. There may be nothing hanging down from any sides of the cap. ALL decorations MUST lay FLAT on the cap.
- Cannot contain any advertisements, symbols, abbreviations, words, slogans, patches, or pictures that: refer to drugs or controlled substances, tobacco, alcohol, or weapons or be of a sexual nature.
- Cannot denote an illegal activity, or disruptive behavior which may be detrimental to the safety and welfare of other students.
- Cannot have offensive, obscene, profane, vulgar, or lewd language, sayings, nicknames, pictures, or lyrics.
- Cannot make noise. No bells, horns, whistles, or anything that makes noise.

It is appropriate to put the following on your cap:

- Recognize your post-secondary plans (college, trade school, military, career pursuits)
- Recognize your high school activities (sports, clubs, arts, extra-curricular activities)
- Thank a parent, grandparent, teacher, friend
- Your graduation year
- Include an inspirational message
- Leave it blank. Decoration of your graduation cap is optional





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7/29, 8/5, 8/12 (prac. test), 8/19**

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