



*Oakridge Junior Senior High School
47997 W. First Street
Oakridge, OR 97463*

Edition #5
October 1, 2021

UPCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS

October 4 Monday- Bell Schedule
October 5 Tuesday- Bell Schedule w/Advisory
October 6 Wednesday- Bell Schedule
October 7 Thursday-Bell Schedule w/Advisory
**** Chomebooks checked out to students that have completed the Student Use Form

UPCOMING SPORTING EVENTS

Congratulations to our Varsity High School Volleyball team for winning third place in the Mohawk tournament that took place on **Sep 25, 2021**

REMINDER: Masks required for all spectators at games indoor or outdoor. We really want to say “thank you” to our community and school families that have been wearing their masks at our games and supporting our athletes to play their sports throughout the entire season.

We need volunteers for home games:
HS/MS Football Chain Crew
HS/MS Football score clock

HS Volleyball

Tuesday 10/5 @ Regis - JV 430pm/Varsity 6pm- Depart 1:45pm/Return 11pm
Thursday 10/7 HOME vs. Oakland- JV 430pm/Varsity 6pm
Friday 10/8 HOME - Regis vs. Oakridge 12pm (Varsity only) - Lowell vs. Oakridge 3pm (Varsity only)
Saturday 10/9 - HOME - Oakridge Volleyball Tournament
Westridge MS Games:

Game 1 - 8:30am - Lapine vs. Lowell Game 2- 10:00am - Waldport vs. Lowell Game 3- 11:30am - Waldport vs. Lapine

Oakridge HS Games:

Game 1 - 8:30am - T. Lake vs. Oakridge Game 2 - 10:00am - Oakridge vs. Santiam Game 3 - 11:30am - T. Lake vs. Santiam

Oakridge HS Games:

Game 4 - 1:30pm - 3 vs 3

Game 5 - 3:00pm - 2 vs 2

Game 6 - 4:30pm - 1 vs 1

HS Football

Monday 10/4 @ Lowell 7pm - Depart 445pm/Return 1030pm

Friday 10/8 HOME vs. Jefferson 7pm

HS/MS Cross Country

Saturday 10/9 @ Springfield Invite

MS Volleyball

Monday 10/4 @ Creswell 430pm (B teams play first) Depart 3pm/Return 8pm

Wednesday 10/6 HOME vs. St. Paul 430pm (B teams play first)

MS Football

Wednesday 10/6 @ Monroe 6pm Depart 330pm/Return 1030pm

OAKRIDGE COMMUNITY LIBRARY

The Oakridge community library is having a book sale this Saturday October 2, 2021 from 1-4pm. Lots and lots of books for all ages for sale.

PSAT: Thursday, October 14th **10th and 11th Graders**

On Thursday, October 14th all 10th and 11th graders will be taking the PSAT during the school day. 10th graders will go in the morning and 11th graders will go in the afternoon and then attend their regular classes the rest of the day. Oakridge school district is paying for all students to take this college prep test. They will receive a study guide this week in advisories and do some prep the Tuesday before the Thursday.

Why should you take the PSAT?

- The PSAT familiarizes you with the test questions and format of the SAT.
- Your PSAT results can guide your test prep.
- Colleges will not see your PSAT scores
- You might qualify for the National Merit Scholarship
- Colleagues might try to recruit you.

Changing “Gradebooks” from **JumpRope to eSchool next month**

Starting on Monday, October 4th you will have a parent log-in and password to get into eSchool to see your child’s attendance, schedule, gradebook and registration. You can even update your registration information and check their grades and assignments. Our

teachers are being trained this week on the new gradebook so some classes may not have all assignments and everything in by Oct. 4th but we will get there. Here is the link for home access to see your student grades, schedules, and to update contact information for the Oakridge School District. <https://okrhomeaccess.phihost.com> Please use this link and feel free to call the front office, starting Oct. 4th, if you have any questions.

Attendance

When you log into eSchool you will see an icon for Attendance. You can see the school months and roll over a day and see if they have attendance markings. If you see an unexcused absence and your student was ill or have a viable excuse for them being gone you have 48 hours to call and excuse that absence. The Oregon State Attendance Law states that parents make a request to have their child excused and the administrator will have the final decision if it is approved. In almost every case, these are approved so please continue to call our front office if your child does have an excused absence.

Here are some of the most common codes:

ILL: Excused Illness

ATH: Athletics

PER: Excused absence that is not an illness or medical appt.

UA: Unexcused absence

EA: Excused absence

TU: Late to class (within the first 10 minutes)

VL: Very late to class (after the first 10 minutes of class)

SUS: Suspended

MED: Excused with a doctor's note

Chromebooks

9th-12th Graders: **Chromebooks will be distributed in your advisory classes on Thursday, October 7th.** Every student will be checked out with a chromebook as their device is needed for all classes. It comes with a charger (please leave at home and charge your device every night) and a bag (they need to have them everyday at school). Students must have a signed Student Use Agreement before a Chromebook will be checked out to them.

Advisory for the month of October:

Topics for 7th and 8th grade this next month in Advisory will be "Mindfulness, Getting Ready to Learn", setting up a binder, and Using Technology and Social Media safely.

For 9th-12th graders they will start completing their "Educational Plan and Profile" (Graduation Requirement) by setting 3 goals, creating a Resume, Prepping for the PSAT and doing some Career Interest work in their advisory classes.

In order to graduate from high school, you must complete 24 credits in the different categories: LA, MA, SS, SC, AR, OS, PE, HE and then complete the "Educational Plan and Profile" (Oct. will be goal setting and resume for 9th-11th) and Extended Application/CRLS (This will completed in the 10th and 11th grade this year in

their English and Advisory classes) You will see these Graduation Requirements on their transcript very soon.