

WILDCAT WEEKLY

April 4-April 10 | USD 358 Oxford Public Schools | Weekly Update

Important Dates

Mon. April 4th

BB/SB at West Elk

Tues. April 5th

10th and 12th take ACT 8am-12pm

7th and 8th take ELA State Test

5th Grade takes Science State Test

HS Track to Douglas

Wed. April 6th

FFA Livestock Judging to South Haven

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5th Grade takes Science State Test

Thurs. April 7th

JH Track to Central

8th Grade Science State Test

Spring Sports Pictures

Frid. April 8th

Child Find Clinic (Pre-K Screening)

8th Grade Science State Test

OHS Forensics to Flinthills

Sat. April 9th

Spring Play 7pm

Sun. April 10th

Spring Play 2pm

Mon. April 11th

SB to South Haven

BB at Home vs. Moundridge

8-12 Trip to YES program at Ark City Drag Strip

BOE Meeting 7pm

22-23 Pre- School Screenings

Screenings for children birth to age 5 will be Friday, April 8th from 8:00am- 3:30pm. Those wishing to attend Oxford Elementary PreSchool (ages 3 and 4) should sign up to have their child evaluated. Early intervention is important during the birth to 5 developmental stage. Call 620-455-2410 to schedule an appointment. Please pass the word to anyone you know who has children ages birth to 5 currently not in school.

Graduation Rates

Oxford has worked diligently to help students meet requirements to graduate from high school. For 20-21 OHS had a 96.7% graduation rate. The state average was 88.1%. The rate includes any student who entered Oxford High School or virtual school from their freshman year until the graduation year. If a student leaves OHS or OVS and decides to homeschool or not enroll in another district prior to their cohort's graduation year, the student counts as a dropout.

Oxford Math State Assessment Performance

USD 358 adopted the Ready Math curriculum for grades K-8 starting in the 18-19 school year. Last spring, all but two grade levels exceeded the state performance averages in Math. 58% percent of 3rd graders scored in levels 3 or 4 (top two levels), the state average was 46%. 7th Graders scored 30.43% in levels 3 or 4 with the state average 20.17%.

Oxford/Geuda Springs Road Closure

Oxford Road just south of Oxford to 140th Street South will be closed to through traffic beginning April 4 until the road is completed (likely October). Students and parents should start planning for a different route to school. Bus routes will also be modified.

OHS Spring Play

The spring play “ Cinderella and the Godfather’s Spell” will be presented on Saturday, April 9th at 7pm and Sunday, April 10th at 2pm.

Oxford Jr. Sr. High School Recognitions

OHS Forensics competed at the League festival on Saturday, April 2nd. Doug Schulte received 2nd place in impromptu speaking and qualified for state. He and Jason Mercer also received 2nd place in improvised duet acting and qualified for state in that event. Cristian Bain received 2nd place for his informative speech and qualified for state. Makayla Tong received 6th place for her prose performance. Crystian Parson received 6th place for impromptu speaking. Oxford took 3rd place overall. Devin Denning won the powerlifting competition in Solmon on Saturday, April 2nd in his weight class. He took 1st in squats, and 2nd in bench. Magdalena Gardea took 1st in squats.

Dates to Remember

- Wednesday, May 4th- Senior’s Last Day- 2pm Senior Scholarship and Awards Ceremony
- Friday, May 6th - 9am- Seniors Mandatory Graduation Practice
- Saturday, May 7th 9th- Graduation for the CLASS OF 2022 2pm
- Thursday, May 12th- Elementary Field and Last Day of School

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BOE Meetings
 2nd Monday of Each Month

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