



C.O. HARRISON

COLONEL'S CORNER

November 16th, 2018

Thanksgiving Break –School will be closed Mon. Nov. 19th-Fri. Nov. 23rd

Happy Thanksgiving C.O. Families!

With the start of the inclement weather season, please read the following information regarding adding additional phone numbers to the OneCallNow alert system. Please remember that OCN only pulls the primary contact's landline, cell phone and email address.

ONLY THE PRIMARY CONTACT CAN ADD ADDITIONAL NUMBERS TO THEIR ACCOUNT. If the primary contact wants to add additional phone numbers to the system they need to complete the following steps:

- Create an account at <https://www.mycallnow.com/>
- The Primary Contact needs to use the email and phone number that is currently in the One Call Now System (this is how they system verifies they are able to create an account)
- Primary Contacts can add up to 5 additional phone numbers and email addresses.
- Phone numbers and email addresses are verified by the system before they are added to our list.

Please contact Mrs. Ellis or Mrs. Blome in the office if you did not receive texts or emails to verify your information is correct in DASL - our database.

A few things to note:

- If cell phones are off or out of our service area, text messages will not be delivered.
- Certain email carriers still have known issues with emails being pushed out to users (Yahoo, Fuse.net). This issue is on their end and OCN is blocked. We have no control over this.

If parents have opted out of receiving text messages and want to opt back in they should text ALERT to 22300.

If parent want to opt out of received text messages, they should text STOP

Please contact the office @922-1485 if you have any questions.

1. Oak Hills Band Association Fall Craft Fair at Oak Hills High School
Saturday November 17, 2018, 9am - 3pm
\$3 entry (kids 10 and under- free) - over 300 crafters on display in the OHHS gym, commons and main floor. A huge selection of items to make your holiday and/or birthday shopping easy! Full concessions and lunch available in the commons all day. Here is a link to the event on Facebook:
<https://www.facebook.com/events/926171227587880/>
2. It's that time of year again. Caring & Sharing will be collecting change from November 27th- December 14th in each classroom to help our CO families this holiday season. Check your couch cushions and piggy banks for spare change to send in with your student. The classroom with the largest collection will win a pizza party. Students will be given a Christmas decorated baggie to send in coins to their home room teacher. Watch for the baggies to come home after Thanksgiving Break.

3. **Annual Spelling Bee** - Fourth and fifth grade students who are interested in participating in the **2019 C.O.H. Spelling Bee** were given study lists. The Bee will be held in December. The qualifying written spelling test will be held the week after Thanksgiving Break. Extra study lists are available in the office.
4. [Click here for a link to a flyer for the Free Toy Train Show at The Green Township Senior Center](#)
5. **SHILOH UPWARD PROGRAM:** Shiloh United Methodist Church is registering boys and girls for its winter 2019 Upward Sports season for girls cheerleading and co-ed basketball for boys and girls Kindergarten through 5th grade. Upward Sports is an international organization with the following mission statement: *"Using the 'universal language' of sports, Upward Sports connects with kids at a critical time in their lives to teach skills for the sports arena and values for life."* Registration fees: \$56.00 which includes a uniform, pompoms (cheerleading) and ending celebration with special awards. Please call Shiloh (451-3600), stop by and pick up registration forms or register online (shilohumc.com). Registration has already begun and sometimes we do fill up for different age groups. Deadline is November 29 for early registration. After this date, fees could be increased.
6. [Click here for a link to an important Nurse's Office Memo about Food Safety at School](#)
7. [Click here for a link to a flyer for the Dec.1, 2018 - Rapid Run Rummage Sale](#)
8. Attendance Reminders - Parents are responsible for contacting the school absence line (513-922-1485-press "1" for attendance) each day to give the **REASON** for a child's absence. You can email the teacher as well but please copy the attendance secretary (blome_d@ohlsd.org) on any email so that she can document the reason for each absence. **If a parent calls the absence line but does NOT give the reason for an absence, the absence is unexcused.** After 10 days (60 hours) of absences, a student must have a doctor note to excuse an absence. Please remember that all tardy/late arrivals count in the tally for attendance as well. School starts at 9am which means the student must be in the **classroom, ready to go at 9am!**
9. **Oak Hills Youth Athletics (OHYA) Sports Registrations**
(click on the link below for more details)
LACROSSE REGISTRATION - Boys - Grades K-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8, Season - Mid - February - May
Cost - \$90-\$150 - Registration closes December 21st
BOWLING REGISTRATION – NEW SPORT - Ages 8 and up, Season - January 13 – March 10, Sundays 3:00 – 5:00, Cost \$75, \$95 with ball to keep- Registrations close December 28th
BASKETBALL REGISTRATION - Grades 7 – 12 Registrations close between November 5 & 15 (check your grade for actual close date) Grades 1 – 2 Little Dribblers league - Registration closes 2/1/19

Information on the sport, registration fee and registration links can be found by going to www.ohyouthathletics.org and choosing the sport.
10. Just a reminder: In order for ANY medication to be given at school a medication form must be brought in every year. This includes any prescription medications, EpiPens, inhalers, seizure medications, and as needed medications. Downloadable medication forms can be found at www.ohlsd.us under the Health Room department.

Reminder: A student may only be released during the school day to someone listed as Legal Guardian or an Emergency Contact on his/her EMA. A photo ID is required to pick up a student.

Links:

The 2018-2019 OHLSD School Calendar is available at www.ohlsd.org.

[Click Here for Volunteer Packet with Background Check Form](#)

[Click here for link to OHHS After Prom Kroger Flyer](#)

[Click here for link to OHHS After Prom Remke Flyer](#)

[Click here for link to school lunch menu](#)

[Click here for a link to the OHYA Basketball Flyer](#)