



December 11th, 2020

1. THANK YOU to the following students who entered the PTA Reflections Contest: Paul and Liliana Pisegna and Jackson, Bailey, and Jules Gutzwiller!!

And a special CONGRATULATIONS to Paul Pisegna, Liliana Pisegna and Jules Gutzwiller who all had entries chosen to represent Oak Hills at the Hamilton County level of the contest. Good luck!

C.O. Harrison is proud of you all!!!

2. As the district transitions to remote learning, our Food Service Department would like to offer our virtual meal plan to our families. Federal funding allows us to provide these meals for **free to all families**. We encourage everyone to take advantage of this wonderful opportunity as it provides your child with meals for the week and it helps to keep our food service program sustainable!

Our Food Service Department will be working with our Transportation Department to deliver meals to your home. This will save you a trip to school and, hopefully, make things a little easier during this busy season! **Someone must be home in order to accept the drop off for food safety purposes.** You also have the option to choose a pick up from the school buildings on Wednesday, December 16th and Tuesday, December 22nd between 11:00 AM and 12:00 PM.

Any child in your household, ages 1-18, is eligible for meals for the entire week. If you have younger siblings at home, please sign them up for meals as well! We will deliver meals on Wednesday, December 16th and again on Tuesday, December 22nd between 10:00 AM and 1:00 PM.

Each child will receive 5 breakfast meals that include an assortment of muffins, pancakes, waffles, breads, cereals, fruit, and string cheese. Each child will also receive 5 lunch meals that include an assortment of pizzas, hamburgers, chicken sandwiches, deli sandwiches, hot dogs, chicken nuggets, wraps, fruits and vegetables. This menu is subject to change, depending on supplier availability.

Please use this sign up for our meal delivery program on December 16th and December 22nd:

[OHLSD Virtual Meal Sign Up](#)

You must pre-order your meals no later than Monday, December 14th by 12:00 PM. We will be unable to accept late sign ups for delivery. However, if you miss the sign up deadline and want to pick up meals from a building, you can choose that option.

Please do not hesitate to reach out to me with any specific questions or concerns.

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Oak Hills Local School District
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3. [Click here for a link to a flyer from our District Nurse about local Free COVID Test Site](#)
4. Make Up Picture Packets from Ritchie Photo were sent home with students today! Virtual Academy Families can pick up picture packets in the office next week during office hours between 9am and 3pm December 14-18th. Contact the office @922-1485 with questions.

5. The Delhi Library is partnering with La Soupe to give away free frozen family meals on Mondays from 3-6 pm (while supplies last) beginning this Monday, November 9 through the end of the year - here is a link with information on our website: <https://cincinnati.library.bibliocommons.com/events/5fa31c945e8c0f2400fa2103>
6. **Community Resource: Oak Hills United Methodist Church Food Pantry is available to everyone who is struggling with providing food for their family. The food pantry is open every Wednesday from 6:30-8:00 p.m. and the 1st & 3rd Saturday of each month from 9 a.m. -11 a.m. Walk ins allowed. For more information go to oakhillsumc.fuse.net or call 513-574-1131.**
7. [Click here for a link to Underground Sports Flyer for Oak Hills spirit wear items](#)
8. Girl Scout Troop 4317 is starting up and looking for girls from kindergarten to join us! We'll have fun learning about entrepreneurship, the outdoors, life skills and STEM. Meetings will happen 1-2 times a month for 1 hour. If interested, register at gswo.org/join and search for troop 4317. For questions, contact troop leader Jessica at graynotion@gmail.com.
9. REMINDER about the Flu Season:
Flu viruses are most common during the fall and winter seasons. Flu is a contagious respiratory illness caused by influenza viruses that infect the nose, throat, and sometimes the lungs. It can cause mild to severe illness. The best way to prevent flu is by getting a flu vaccine each year. The Center for Disease Control recommends that everyone 6 months and older receive a yearly flu vaccine. It is especially important to get a flu vaccine if you have a chronic health disease, over 65 years of age, pregnant or have a weakened immune system due to disease or medication.
Flu vaccines are available at commercial pharmacies (Walgreens, CVS), health provider offices and at clinics.
The Hamilton County Health Department has a flu clinic available for children who are uninsured, under insured, or are receiving or eligible for Medicaid. [Click here for information about scheduling an appointment at Hamilton County Health Department](#)
10. Primary contacts (Residential Parent/ Legal Guardian) can add up to 5 additional emails or phone numbers to the OneCall Now system by creating an account with mycallnow. Here are the instructions:

Add Additional Numbers - The student's primary contact can create a *My Call Now* account to add an addition 5 email addresses or cell phone numbers to also receive *One Call Now* alerts and messages. You may do this by going to <https://www.mycallnow.com> and creating an account using the Primary contact's email address and your student's ID number.
* Please note - school district personnel are not able to access phone numbers or email addresses entered on this site, only the Primary Contact can make changes to the *mycallnow* system.
11. **Attendance reminder!** Please make sure to report the **reason** for your child's absence each day they are absent-this includes remote learning days as well as student sick in Virtual Academy. Parents must contact the school @922-1485, press "1" to leave a message on the absence line. Messages must include your student's name, your name, teacher's name and grade level as well as the reason for the absence. You may also email the attendance secretary @ blome_d@ohlsd.org to report the reason for your child's absence each day. If you receive a OneCallNow message that a child of yours has been reported absent with no call to the school (or email) then your child will be unexcused. **You must contact the attendance secretary to report the reason WHY your child is not in school.**
12. 20-21 Instructional Fees are \$85 and can be paid online using EZ Pay on the Parent Portal @ ohlsd.org or mailing a check or money order to the school at 585 Neeb Rd. Cincinnati, OH 45233. If you mail in or send in a payment with your student, please download a copy of the Instructional Fee paperwork to fill out and include with your payment. [Click here for a link to the Instructional Fee Paperwork.](#)
13. Any cash payments sent in with students for Instructional Fees must include the paperwork, be in an envelope with the student name and it must be for the **EXACT** amount. Teachers do not have change.

14. Although as of now we are not permitted to use the building to host events, we still need your help. Please consider joining the PTA. Membership is \$6 per person. Until safety guidelines permit us to host events, we will continue to assist our teachers/staff, and students. Your membership will help us to support them throughout the year. And to our virtual academy families, we would love for you to join as well! #weareateam

We've added a new option this year to submit your membership. If you wish to use our easy, online option for a no contact form of payment, please use the MemberHub link below. A small processing fee applies. The receipt that is emailed to you will have a digital copy of your PTA membership card.

<https://cohcolonels.new.memberhub.store/store>

For anyone who would still wish to send in cash or a check, please fill out the google form below and send your payment in to school. The envelope must be clearly marked and have your name and the students name on it or in it. There will be no physical membership cards this year. Once we receive your payment, a digital card will be emailed to you.

<https://forms.gle/QGDQejzBPnPt3AZv6>

If you have any questions, please reach out to Susan Williams at smkloepfer@gmail.com

Oak Hills Youth Athletics (OHYA) Sports Registrations

Information on ALL sports, registration fees and registration links can be found by going to www.ohyouthathletics.org and choosing the sport.

SPORTS REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

BASEBALL

- Grades Pre K – 8th
- Registration Fee: \$75 to \$160
- Registration **closes** January 21st

Follow the link for more information and to register for

Baseball! <https://oakhillsathletics.sportngin.com/register/form/272838129>

SOFTBALL

- Grades Pre K – 8th
- Registration Fee: \$65 to \$140
- Registration **closes** January 21st

Follow the link for more information and to register for

Softball! <https://oakhillsathletics.sportngin.com/register/form/380746860>

BOWLING

- Ages - 8 and up
- Registration Fee: \$80 without ball and \$100 with ball included
- Registration **closes** Dec. 31

Follow the link for more information and to register for Bowling! <https://oakhillsathletics.sportngin.com/register/form/715286757>

LACROSSE

- Boys – Grades K-8
- Girls - Grades 3-8
- Registration **closes** Dec. 20

Follow the link for more information and to register for Lacrosse! <https://oakhillsathletics.sportngin.com/register/form/928968297>

IMPORTANT DATES

OHLSD – District Wide, all schools will start Remote Learning Monday, Dec. 14th through Tues. Dec. 22nd
Winter Break – Starts Wednesday, December 23rd, 2020 – Sunday, January 3rd, 2021. Return to school Monday,
January 4th, 2021.

Links:

The 2020-2021 OHLSD School Calendar is available at www.ohlsd.org.

[Click here for a link to the OHLSD Parent Portal](#)

[Click here for a link to the Updated School Supply List](#)

[Click here for the December Lunch Menu](#)

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That is ALL-you can stop reading now!!

Have a great weekend!