



C.O. HARRISON

## COLONEL'S CORNER

**February 18<sup>th</sup>, 2022**

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1. **Tuesday, February 22<sup>nd</sup> - COH Kindergarten Showcase Open House 6:30pm-7:30pm-All incoming Kindergarten students and their families are welcome to attend-Click [HERE](#) for the FLYER**
2. [Click here for a link to the Kids Heart Challenge Parent Letter our COH from Fitness Education Teachers.](#) Donation collection ends 3/11/22.
3. C.O. Harrison PTA is excited to announce that the World's Finest Chocolate Candy Bar Sale is back for the Spring Fundraiser. In order to participate, parents must sign the permission slip and return it to school. **It is important to note that if you take a box of chocolate you are responsible for the cost of the box (\$60 per box= \$1 per candy bar) as we are UNABLE to take chocolate back.** PTA Representatives will be available each morning beginning February 15 from 8:30am-9:00am near the front office for money collection and more boxes of chocolate. Anyone with questions can email Sarah Geil at [coharrisonpta.2vp@gmail.com](mailto:coharrisonpta.2vp@gmail.com) or text 513-706-7616. All money is due Friday, March 4<sup>th</sup>!
4. Please join us in an effort to raise funds for "One Hope, One Heart". We are thrilled to announce that our **In Person District Wide Event is BACK!** This year marks the 11th year for raising funds to help support students, staff and Oak Hills families in need due to a sudden or tragic incident. As in year's past, faculty members from each of the nine Oak Hills Local School District buildings and District Office will battle in a volleyball tournament to raise money for this cause. It will take place this year on **Friday, April 1, 2022 at the Oak Hills High School gymnasium.**

Beyond the volleyball tournament, there will be food, kids' games and a fabulous basket raffle! Come on out and cheer on your favorite teachers and faculty members as they battle it out for a good cause! We would like to invite you to join us in one of the following ways to support this annual cause.

There are several ways for you to participate:

1. Purchase an "event" t-shirt for \$8! \*Black with Orange print \*design will be same as years past with our current loyal sponsors on the back\*

All orders are due by **Friday, February 25<sup>th</sup>**. To order shirts for you and your family, please use the following website and pay by credit card. **Click here to order your shirts and tickets:** [www.onehopeoneheart.org](http://www.onehopeoneheart.org)

2. Purchase a ticket and attend the event! Tickets can be purchased on-line at a discounted rate or at the door!
3. Donate to the cause by using the link above.

5. The girls from Girl Scout Troop 44474 are collecting items for Animal Adoption Foundation for their service project this year. [Click here for a link to the Informational Flyer](#)
6. **OHBA Spring Craft & Vendor Fair** - Saturday, March 5, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. at Oak Hills High School. Admission is \$5.00 at the door. Vendor/Craft booths are still available. Registration information can be found here: <https://www.oakhillsbandassociation.org/ohba-fairs>
7. Oak Hills High School Ladies Night Out is on March 26, 2022 in Oak Hills new gym. This event is open to all in the community. For more details, and to purchase an event ticket, or a Louis Vuitton purse raffle (do not need to be present to win), and also, to bid on our silent auction items that will open on March 25, click here: <http://app.memberhub.gives/derby> Contact Teri Ward [ohhsptalno@gmail.com](mailto:ohhsptalno@gmail.com) with any questions.
8. Oak Hills Families do you own or manage a local business? Or know someone who does? Please see attached flyer for Oak Hills High School after Prom. **Click here for link to flyer for OHHS AfterProm Donations Letter** Also, we are seeking adult volunteers interested in helping in many capacities. Please email [ohafterpromdonations@gmail.com](mailto:ohafterpromdonations@gmail.com) if you would like to help
9. [Click here for a link to the Little Highlanders Football Flyer](#)
10. [Click here for a link to the Oak Hills Little Highlanders Cheer Flyer for 2022](#)
11. 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 additional 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.
12. EMA (Emergency Medical Authorization) must be completed & updated every year online via the OHLSD Parent Portal in order to attend field trips.
13. Instructional Fees for the 21-22 school year are \$85. Click [here](#) for a copy of the Instructional Fee Paperwork. You may pay with check or Money Order made out to C.O. Harrison Elementary school and return payment with the Fee form to the main office. You may also pay your fees via EZ Pay - click [here](#) for a link to access EZ Pay on the parent portal @ohlsd.org. If you have applied online for free lunch and received approval for the fee waiver or paid your fees via EZ Pay you do not need to send in a form to the office. Outstanding Fee Balances were emailed to Parents on October 25<sup>th</sup>, 2021. Please check your email to see if you have an outstanding fee that needs to be paid or if you think you qualified for a fee waiver this year and the fees have not been waived then please contact the office at 513-922-1485. Waivers must be applied in the current school year. Past due years fees cannot be waived.
14. Click [HERE](#) to fill out the online Federal Free Lunch Application to determine if you qualify for a 21-22 School Year Instructional Fee waiver. A new application must be filled out **EVERY** school year for the Free Lunch Instructional Fee Waiver.

15. The Oak Hills Board of Education has recently revised two of its policies, based on recent legislative action by the Ohio General Assembly. Here are brief updates on the revisions, with links to the policies:

Policy 5516 Student Hazing - Defines and expressly prohibits any and all forms of hazing activities in the district. For additional information, please see the approved policy. ([Link here.](#))

Policy 5630.01 Positive Behavior Intervention and Supports and Limited Use of Restraint and Seclusion - Requires districts to annually notify parents of their policy and practices related to PBIS requirements, as well as the emergency use of physical restraint and seclusion, including the complaint process. For additional information, please see the approved policy. ([Link here.](#))



Please call 513-922-1485 and press "1" to reach the Absence line to leave the reason for an absence each day before 10am when you are calling to report a student's absence.

#### Health Room Reminders



Please keep your child home if they are not feeling well. We don't want to spread any contagious virus.



If someone in your house is pending COVID test results all unvaccinated students should stay home until negative results are received. Vaccinated students without symptoms can attend school but should be masked during this time.



Please notify the school nurse or complete the [COVID Reporting Form](#) if your student was in close contact with someone that tested positive for COVID or if your student is testing for COVID.

### 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](http://www.ohyouthathletics.org) and choosing the sport.

#### OPEN REGISTRATIONS

##### TRACK & FIELD

- Grades K - 6<sup>th</sup>
- Registration Fee: K - 4: \$45; 5-6: \$55
- Registration **closes** Feb. 15<sup>th</sup> (Grads 5/6) and March 31<sup>st</sup> (Grades K - 4)

For all Track & Field details and registration, click on this

link <https://oakhillsathletics.sportngin.com/register/form/551724064>

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**Wednesday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> - Individual Spring Pictures with Ritchie Photo for Kdg, 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> grades**

**Thursday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> - Individual Spring Pictures with Ritchie Photo for Pre-school, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> grades**

**School will be CLOSED for Spring Break Monday, March 14<sup>th</sup>-Friday, March 18<sup>th</sup>, 2022.**

**Monday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, 2022-In-Service Day-No school for Students-Staff Only reports**

**4<sup>th</sup> Quarter begins on Tuesday, March 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022**

### **Links:**

The 2021-2022 OHLSD School Calendar is available at [www.ohlsd.org](http://www.ohlsd.org).

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

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

[Click here for a link to the Volunteer Background Check](#)

[Click here for a link to the February Lunch Menu](#)

## **21-22 PTA School Theme "We Go Together"**

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