



April 2022 Newsletter

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Spring has Sprung!

The grass is starting to get green and the days are certainly getting longer. It is wonderful to see more of our students taking their lunches and breaks outside to get fresh air and enjoy the sun. We are looking forward to many more sunny and warm days to come. Of course when the weather gets better, sometimes we start to yearn for summer and sometimes our work efforts can wane. Our staff will continue to encourage students to do their best work, aiming for a strong finish that is only three months away.

In an effort to get the important dates to families as quickly as possible following the break, this newsletter won't have too much to share aside from the most pertinent info.

I am wishing you all a lovely April, and a wonderful Easter, which is just around the corner.

Mrs. Villneff
Principal

"April showers bring forth May flowers." - Proverb

Important Dates for April

Monday, April 4	Powerschool closes to Parents and Students so teachers can complete report cards.
Thursday, April 7	School Council Meeting starts at 6:30 via Google Meet Email onowayhighparents@gmail.com for the link
Monday, April 11	Powerschool reopens at 3:30 with report card #3 ready to view
Wednesday, April 13	Parent-Teacher Interviews at OJSH from 5-8pm
April 15-April 18	
April 19-21	Counselors visit grade 11s regarding grade 12 registration
April 25-27	Counselors visit grade 10s regarding grade 11 registration
April 27	Grade 9 Parent meeting - Moving into High School Information night 7pm in person at OJSH
Friday, April 29	Grade 9 students have recommended high school course sheets in to their LA teachers

PTIs- Parent teacher interviews

Before covid, we held PTIs on the main floor in an open format where students and their parents could visit any of their teachers when they were available. We are returning to this format for the first time in a very long time! NO booking is needed. Teacher's meeting areas will be adequately distanced. Parents will need to sign in. Masks are optional for everyone.

We are looking forward to seeing our families in person again!

Grad News

Easter Photos are coming up on April 9-10 in Onoway at the Gazebo (just like Santa Photos).

There will be a Grad Student Meeting April 11 @ noon. Info about the next fundraiser, vote on Emcee and considerations for the ceremony will be taking place.

VIP Meat fundraiser starting April 11 (last one to earn points).

Finally, the spaghetti dinner and hypnotist fundraiser April 23 - Tickets are now on sale. (Adult Only Event)

Easter Photos



A cartoon illustration of a grey rabbit wearing black sunglasses, giving a thumbs up. It is surrounded by two large Easter eggs: one green and yellow striped, and one blue and white striped.

April 9-10, 2022
At
Onoway Gazebo

11 am - 3 pm

\$10 per pose

PHOTOS WILL BE EMAILED.
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Off Campus Policy

This is a reminder to parents and students about our policies about students being off campus for lunch. As per our OJSHS student handbook:

NOON-TIME

Grade 8 & 9 students who DO NOT live in the town of ONOWAY, are NOT permitted to go uptown at lunch time.

For Students who live in the town of Onoway and are permitted to leave the school during lunch break, Section 31 of the Education Act still applies during lunch break and students are required to continue to meet the standards of expected behavior (Education Act Section 36, C).

Starting in May, Grade 9 students who have demonstrated the standards of expected behavior and diligence will be permitted to go uptown at lunch time. Eligible students will be determined by the school administration and will need a completed permission form signed by a parent/guardian.

Senior high students are permitted off campus at lunch.

The forms for grade 9s to be off campus will be sent home after Easter and MUST be signed by parents for students to be off-campus at lunch.

Current Grade 9 Parents - High School Information Night

If your child is entering grade 10 in the fall, please join us for our “*Going into High School*” parent information evening on April 27 at 7pm at OJSH. This meeting helps you understand how high school course pathways work and which credits are needed to graduate.