

# OCJH PRINCIPAL'S NEWSLETTER

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## EVENTS 1/2-1/16 (SCHOOL EVENTS, PTA EVENTS, HOLIDAYS)

### 1/2-1/8 (A-WEEK)

### 1/9-1/16 (A-WEEK)

2 Teacher Comp. Day--NO SCHOOL	9 Girls' Basketball Practice 2:20-4:10 in the Gym
2 Boys' Basketball Practice 8:00-11:00 in the Gym	9 Boys' Basketball Practice 4:10-5:50 in the Gym
2 Girls' Basketball Practice 11:00-2:00 in the Gym	10 Eagle of the Month 9:00 in the TLC
3 Term 3/Semester 2 Begins	10 PTSA Meeting 9:30-10:30 in the TLC
3 Boys' Basketball Practice 2:20-4:10 in the Gym	10 Girls' Basketball Practice 2:20-4:10 in the Gym
3 Girls' Basketball Practice 4:10-5:50 in the Gym	10 Boys' Basketball Practice 4:10-5:50 in the Gym
4 Boys' Basketball Practice 2:20-4:10 in the Gym	10 School Spirit Night at Cafe Zupas 4:00-9:00
4 Girls' Basketball Practice 4:10-5:50 in the Gym	10 ASD Board Meeting 6:00-8:00 at District Office
5 Boys' Basketball @ Willowcreek 3:00-4:30	11 Group Pictures in the Auditorium
5 Girls' Basketball vs. Willowcreek 3:00-4:30	11 Boys' Basketball Practice 12:00-3:30 in the Gym
6 Girls' Basketball Practice 2:20-4:10 in the Gym	11 Girls' Basketball Practice 3:30-5:50 in the Gym
6 Boys' Basketball Practice 4:10-5:50 in the Gym	12 Group Pictures in the Auditorium
	12 Boys' Basketball vs. PGJR 3:00-4:30
	12 Girls' Basketball @ PGJR 3:00-4:30
	13 Teacher Work Day--NO STUDENTS
	13 Coaches Meeting 10:30-11:30 in the TLC
	16 MLK Day--NO SCHOOL

## MESSAGE FROM MRS. ROSS



- WE COME TO SCHOOL READY TO LEARN
- WE ORGANIZE OUR MATERIALS AND TIME
- WE ACTIVELY PARTICIPATE AND DO OUR BEST
- WE SEEK INNOVATIVE SOLUTIONS TO PROBLEMS
- WE CONTRIBUTE TO OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY

*I am a fan of new beginnings! So it stands to reason that I love the new beginning that each new term/semester brings. Especially when coupled with a new year! For me, it is a recipe for success as it represents an opportunity to make changes that will allow me to participate differently as I start fresh. Past obstacles and frustrations simply can be left in the past. The indicators listed for our Eagle value of COMMITMENT can help us to examine our participation in school--to recognize what is working and to make adjustments where needed. For example, COMING TO SCHOOL READY TO LEARN might require some adjustments to really make lasting changes. A few weeks ago when we had a late-start day, I talked with so many students who expressed how much they loved coming to school later mainly because they got more sleep than they usually do. This was noticed by many teachers as the students seemed more alert and more engaged in the lessons. Hence, for some Eagles, perhaps coming to school ready to learn requires organizing time, extra curricular activities, homework, etc. such that they can get to bed earlier each night. I know that is something I can improve on myself. I welcome the opportunity to become a better version of myself as I seek to better develop the value of COMMITMENT in myself! I look forward to an awesome second half of our school year! Welcome back, Eagles!*

## NEW INFORMATION:

### FROM THE OCJH PTSA

#### **SAVE THE DATE: SCHOOL SPIRIT NIGHT @ CAFE ZUPAS, TUESDAY, 1/10**

Our next PTSA Spirit Night fundraiser will be on Tuesday, Jan. 10 at the Orem Cafe Zupas from 4- 9pm! Come get a snack or dinner for your family! Zupas will be donating 20% of Oak Canyon orders to our school!! Be sure to mention Oak Canyon before paying! We appreciate your support!

#### **OAK CANYON HAS TALENT**

Our annual favorite "Oak Canyon Has Talent" event is coming up soon! Applications will be due online on Friday, Jan. 27. Start thinking about a talent you would like to share with Oak Canyon!

#### **TERM 2 REPORT CARDS/START OF TERM 3**

Term 2 report cards will be posted in Skyward on Friday, January 6th. The 2nd Semester/Term 3 begins on Tuesday, January 3, 2023 as students return to school. Please take a moment to review your student's schedule with them to help them be prepared for any new classes or changes to their schedules from Term 2!

## REMINDERS:

### **ASD RISE NOMINATIONS**

Do you know a teacher or school employee who is **Remarkable, Inspiring, Selfless, and/or Encouraging**? Please nominate them for the new ASD RISE Award. Nominees will be recognized at their school, and a few each month will be selected for Board Recognition during a Board meeting at the District Office. Click [here](#) to access the nomination form.

### **OCJH AFTER SCHOOL CONNECTION ACTIVITIES**

Oak Canyon offers a variety of after school connection activities. Click on the following link to see the complete list: [OCJH AFTER SCHOOL CONNECTION ACTIVITIES 22-23](#)