



January 2018 Board Report

Random Drug Testing

As of January 9, 166 students have been chosen for random testing so far this school year at Oregon High School. 165 have had negative results, one refused – which counts as a positive.

Twitter

Our athletic department Twitter account (@OregonHawks) has 938 followers as of January 9. This is up from 839 followers last year at this time.

Semester eligibility

Fourteen (14) OHS students are ineligible for IHSA sanctioned extra-curricular activities for the second semester for academic reasons. This is down from 22 ineligible from 1st semester of 2016. OHS policy states that if a student fails two or more classes for a semester, they are ineligible for IHSA extra-curriculars the following semester. Only one of the 14 declared ineligible were participating in IHSA activities (choir).

Team GPA's

We are currently in the process of determining team GPA's for the fall sports teams now that the first semester has ended. Teams with a GPA of over 3.0 earn the IHSA Academic Team Award.

Big Northern Music Festival

Members of the OHS Choral Department participated at the Big Northern Conference Music Festival at Winnebago on Monday, January 15.

Winter Sports Update

Boys Basketball – As of January 8, the varsity team had a record of 4-11, 0-3 in Big Northern Conference play. The sophomore team is currently 4-10, overall and 0-3 in conference games.

Girls Basketball – As of Jan. 8 the Lady Hawks had a record of 9-9, 1-2 in Big Northern play. The sophomores are currently 5-12, (1-2 in BNC) while the freshman are 4-6..

Wrestling –As of January 8, the Hawks have a dual meet record of 9-12, 0-2 in Big Northern meets. In tournament format, the Hawks have shined taking home the championship at the 22 team Polo Invitational on January 6 and finishing in 5th place at the 14 team Stillman Valley Invitational on December 16. The Hawks will travel to Winnebago for the IHSA regional on Feb. 3 before hosting the Class 1A IHSA Sectional Meet on Feb. 9 & 10.

Boys Bowling – Through Jan. 8 the Hawks have a record of 12-2 in dual matches. They finished 7th of 12 teams at the Dixon Tournament on Dec 30 and 9th of 16 at the Belvidere Tournament January 6. OHS competed in the IHSA regional at DeKalb on Sat. Jan. 13.

Girls Bowling – As of Jan. 8, the girls have an undefeated dual meet record off 11-0, winning 52 dual matches in a row dating back to 2014. OHS took second place at the L-P Cavalier Classic in

December and 6th of 13 at the Belvidere Tournament on January 6. The Lady Hawks begin post season play at the IHSA Regional in DeKalb on February 3.

Junior High Basketball – The 7th and 8th grade girls' teams began practice for the new season on January 3 and will have their first game Thursday, January 18.

Junior High Wrestling – The JH wrestlers had several practices before break and then resumed daily on January 3. They will open their season at the Byron Invitational on Sat. January 20.

Respectfully submitted,

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