



February 2023 Board Report

Drug testing

As of February 6, 258 high school and jr. high students have been randomly tested by KSB so far this school year. All have been negative.

Communications/Twitter

Our athletic department Twitter account (@OregonHawks) has 1,289 followers as of February 14.

IHSA Academic Awards

We are proud to announce that five varsity OHS fall athletic teams have earned the IHSA Team Academic Achievement Awards for obtaining a team GPA of over 3.0 for the semester during their season. The teams are:

Girls Cross Country – 3.58
Boys Soccer – 3.08
Girls Volleyball – 3.91
Girls Golf – 3.80
Boys Golf – 3.23

Congratulations to these teams on this fine accomplishment!

Future Hawk Nights

Events were held in conjunction with the Oregon Park District on Monday, Jan. 23 for boys basketball and on Tuesday, February 2 for girls basketball. These events included halftime scrimmages for the youth players and door prizes for elementary aged students.

Spring Sports

First practices for boys' & girls track were held February 13. Baseball, softball, and girls soccer practice will begin on February 27. Spring participation numbers will be available in the March report.

Recent Events:

Oregon C.U.S.D. has hosted the following major events over the past month:

Oregon/KSB FS Boys & Varsity Girls Wrestling Classic – Over 30 schools participated in the event at the Blackhawk Center on Saturday, January 28. Several years ago, a girls division was added and this year there were over 35 participants.

IHSA Class 1A Sectional Individual Wrestling Tournament – Held at the Blackhawk Center on Feb 10 & 11.

Oregon Jr. High Girls Basketball Tournament – Held at the BHC & OHS Gym on Saturday, February 18.

Upcoming Events:

IHSA Class 1A Dual Team Wrestling Tournament – To be held at the Blackhawk Center on Tues Feb. 21

Rt. 72 Conference Jr. High Girls Basketball Tournament – To be held in BHC & OHS Gym on Saturday March 4 and Tuesday, March 7.

Winter Sport/Activity updates

Boys Basketball – As of Feb. 11, the Hawks have a 9-20 record. The JV team has a fine 23-5 mark while the F/S team is 15-9. Oregon opened up the 2A Regional with a quarterfinal game at Winnebago on February 18.

Girls Basketball – The Lady Hawks varsity team finished the season with an overall record of 14-18, an improvement of six more wins from last year. They dropped their Regional opener at Rockford Christian on February 11 to close out the season. The JV team finished with a record of 9-16.

Wrestling – The Hawks finished their regular season with a fine dual meet record of 22-4 and went 6-1 in Big Northern matches to finish as conference runner-up. The team finished in 3rd place of 11 teams at an extremely tough Polo Regional and qualified six individuals for the Oregon Sectional. Unfortunately at the Sectional, none of the Hawk wrestlers were able to qualify for the state meet. At the Geneseo Girls Sectional, none of the Oregon girls were able to advance as well.

Boys Bowling – OHS finished with a nice dual meet record of 16-3. The team won the IHSA Regional Championship for the first time in school history. At Sectional, sophomore Gavin Surmo qualified for the IHSA State Finals where he finished in 101st place overall.

Girls Bowling – The Lady Hawks finished their regular season with a record of 12-3 in dual matches. At the IHSA Freeport Regional, Oregon finished in 7th place overall with senior Ava Wight winning the individual championship to advance to the Sectional. At Sectional in Carpentersville, Wight finished in a 4th place tie individually qualify for the IHSA State Finals on Feb 17 & 18 in Rockford.

Competitive Cheer – The OHS cheer team participated at the Belvidere Sectional on January 28 finishing in 11th place in the small varsity division.

Academic Bowl – OHS participated in the Big Northern Tournament on Feb. 14 at Stillman Valley..

Respectfully submitted,
Mike Lawton