



October 2021 Board Report

Drug Testing

Through September 27, 61 high school and jr. high students have been randomly tested so far this year. All have had negative results.

Twitter/Social Media

We currently have 1,284 followers on the OHS athletic department Twitter account @OregonHawks. We have 574 following the Instagram account for Athletics "gooregonhawks"

Athletic Community Service

Girls Volleyball – The OHS volleyball program hosted a Volley For The Cure Night at their Oct. 11 game vs. Rock Falls.

Winter Sports Signup

OHS students began sign up for winter sports on Tuesday, October 11 at the Athletic Office. First practices are as follows:

- Boys Bowling – Monday, Oct. 24
- Girls Basketball – Monday, Oct. 31
- Boys Basketball/Wrestling – Monday, Nov. 7
- Girls Bowling – Monday, Nov. 14

Athletic Leadership Council

As part of the school's Leader In Me efforts, we have started an Athletic Leadership Council for high school athletes. In August, all head coaches nominated several of the athletes in their program to participate. The group meets once a month before school to discuss challenges and ideas to help lead and promote a positive athletic experience. Mr. Boyer, Mr. Kundert, Mr. Bothe, and Mr. Lawton are spearheading this effort.

Big Northern All Conference Golfers:

Ava Hackman – First Team, Girls
Lexy Davis – Second Team, Girls
Aniyah Sarver – Honorable Mention, Girls
Jackson Messenger – Honorable Mention, Boys

Events to be hosted by OHS

The IHSA has awarded Oregon High School as a regional or sectional host in two October athletic events as follows:

- IHSA Class 1A Boys Soccer Regional – Tues./Wed/Fri., October 11-14 at Park West
- IHSA Class 1A Boys & Girls Cross Country Sectional – To be held at Park West on Sat. Oct. 29

Fall Sports Update

Volleyball – As of October 11, the varsity volleyball team has a record of 15-5 and is in second place with a 5-1 mark in BNC games. They have earned the #4 seed of the 11 teams in the sub-sectional and will be playing in the Rock Falls 2A Regional on Tuesday, October 25 vs the winner of the prior day's Erie-Prophetstown vs Mendota game. The JV team is 13-9-2 overall while the fresh/soph are 10-12 overall.

Boys Golf – The varsity boys finished 6th place of 10 team at the BNC Tournament at Timber Pointe on September 21. At the IHSA Class 1A Regional, the team finished 7th of 13.

Girls Golf – At the Big Northern Tournament on September 23, the girls finished in 4th place of nine teams. Ava Hackman (4th) & Alexys Davis (11th) earned medals. At the IHSA 1A regional at Rockford, the team finished in seventh out of thirteen teams with Ava Hackman qualifying for sectional. At the Sectional, Ava advanced to the IHSA State Girls Golf Finals. At State, Ava finished in 20th place overall with a two day score of 80-79 for a 159.

Soccer – The Hawks finished the regular season with an 11-11-2 overall record. Oregon opened their 1A Regional on Wednesday, October 12 vs Winnebago here at Park West.

Football – Through Week 7, the varsity football team had a 1-6 record. Sophomores were 3-3 while the freshman were 2-4.

Cross Country – The girls finished 14th of 22 teams at the Amboy Columbus Day meet. Both boys and girls will participate at the Big Northern Conference meet in Dixon at Sauk Valley CC on Saturday, October 15..

Respectfully submitted,

Mike Lawton

