

March 2022 Board Report

Drug testing

As of March 7, 214 students have been randomly tested so far this school year. All have tested negative.

Communications/Twitter

Our athletic department Twitter account (@OregonHawks) has 1,224 followers as of March 15.

Coaches Professional Development

On Thursday, February 24, Positive Coaching Alliance (PCA) conducted a workshop here at the Blackhawk Center for our OCUSD coaches. PCA has partnered with roughly 3,000 schools and youth sports organizations nationwide to deliver live group workshops, online courses and help those involved in youth and high school sports create a positive, character-building youth sports culture.PCA gains support from a National Advisory Board, including National Spokesperson and 11-time NBA Champion Coach Phil Jackson, and many other top coaches, athletes, organization leaders and academics who share PCA's mission.



Spring Participation Numbers

Overall spring participation numbers are up significantly. As of March 15, we have the highest amount of athletes out for baseball and softball in at least over a decade.

	2022	2021	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Baseball	28	17	22	19	21	20	24
Softball	32	28	21	20	28	26	23
Boys Track	29	22	35	37	52	41	36
Girls Track	25	31	30	24	25	28	33
Girls Soccer	30	23	30	24	31	-	-

Activities Updates

<u>Track</u> – Both the boys and girls teams began their indoor season at Sterling Westwood on Saturday, March 5. They also participated at the Rock Falls Indoor Invitational on Mon. March 14. At this

meet, the OHS girls finished in first place out of seven schools while the boys took fourth.

Baseball – OHS baseball opened their season on Tuesday, March 15 with a home varsity game against Warren HS. For the first time in many years, we will be able to field a JV level team this season.

Softball – OHS softball opened their season on Tuesday, March 15 with a home game vs Scales Mound. Since the Park West fields were not playable yet, the game was moved to Dillehay Park in Mt. Morris.

<u>Girls Soccer-</u> The OHS girls soccer team opened their season also on Tuesday, March 15 at Park West vs Galena.

<u>Academic Bowl</u> – The OHS Academic Bowl season ended on March 7 as Oregon hosted the IHSA Class A Regional tournament.

<u>Spring Musical</u> – OHS held its' annual Spring Musical "Annie" on March 10, 11, 12, & 13. Approximately 50 students participated in one way or the other with the production.

All Conference Honors:

Big Northern -

Competitive Cheerleading: Grace Eisenrich

Girls Basketball: Hadley Lutz (Hon. Mention)

Boys Basketball: Isaac Reber (Hon. Mention)

Wrestling: Lane Halverson, Seth Stevens, Gabe Eckerd, Evan Flaharty (iIrst team); Preston LaBay, Anthony Bauer, Ethan George (Second Team); Jared Glendenning (Hon. Mention)

NIBC Bowling: Boys - Isaac Kaltenbrun, Brandon Rowe, Stylar Klapp, & Brady Davis.

Girls - Ava Wight, Mackenzie Alford, Paige Beauchem, & Kendra Ehrler. Girls Hon. Mention - Trinity Hultquist

Respectfully submitted, Mike Lawton