

# OREGON *Hawks*

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## May 2024 Board Report

### Communications/Twitter

Our athletic department Twitter account (@OregonHawks) is up to 1,304 followers. Twitter has again been an effective method of announcing the numerous cancellations/postponements this spring. We have also used the district's Facebook page and graphics platform more than ever for communicating schedule changes.

### New Vehicle

We have finally replaced the old golf cart that the athletic department has been using for over 35 years. The old one finally became basically unrepairable in mid-April after serving the district well. Thanks to Mr. Nesemeier for the work in seeking out vendors to make this happen.



### College Bound Athlete Recognition event

On Wednesday, May 1, our Class of 2024 college bound athletes were honored at an event in the OHS Gym. Those students were:

- Anthony Bauer- Loras College, Dubuque, IA (Wrestling)
- Jameson Caposey - Loras College, Dubuque, IA (Basketball)
- Leo Cardenas - Olivet Nazarene University, Bourbonnais, IL (Track & Field)
- Kylar Early - Sauk Valley College, Dixon, IL (Golf)
- Lexi Ebert - Loras College, Dubuque, IA (Volleyball)
- Jackson Glendenning - Augustana College, Rock Island, IL (Football)
- Olivia Paul - Sauk Valley College, Dixon, IL (Softball)
- Gracen Pitts - Kishwaukee College, Malta, IL (Softball)
- Sarah Stevens - Carthage College, Kenosha, WI (Softball)
- Kenna Wubbena - Sauk Valley College, Dixon, IL (Volleyball)



### **Completed and Upcoming Events:**

OJSHS has or will host the following major athletic events:

- Five team Jr. High Carnival Relays on April 29
- IHSA Class 1A Girls Track Sectional, May 10
- IHSA Class 1A Girls Soccer Regional, May 11 & 14
- IHSA Class 2A Softball Regional May 14 & 18

### **Youth Summer Camps**

Almost all OHS athletic programs will be conducting some type of youth summer events this June or July. Many of these are being held in conjunction with the Oregon Park District.

### **All Conference Honors:**

*Girls Track* – First Team - Sonya Plescica. Second Team - Daleanah Koertner, Miranda Ciesiel, Lexi Ebert, Rylie Robertson, & Grace Tremble. Honorable Mention – Alease McLain, Skylar Bishop

*Boys Track* – First Team – Leo Cardenas, Evyn Carreno. Second Team – Aidan Guida. Honorable Mention – Daniel Gonzalez

All Conference selection meetings for baseball, softball, and girls soccer will occur on May 20.

### **Spring Sports Update**

*Softball* – The varsity softball team saw their season end with a first round Regional loss to Genoa-Kingston. The squad finished with a 17-13 overall record. The JV team went 11-11.

*Baseball* – The varsity baseball team saw their season end with a first round Regional loss to Mendota. The squad finished with an 11-18 overall record. The JV team finished 7-13-2.

*Girls Soccer* – The girls soccer team has had the best season in the history of the program, winning the IHSA Regional on May 14 and upping their overall record to 18-1 as of that date.



Boys Track – The OHS boys finished in 4th place of ten schools at the annual Big Northern Conference Meet in Dixon on May 9. The team will participate in the IHSA 1 Sectional at Winnebago on Friday, May 17.

Girls Track – The OHS girls track team took 3<sup>rd</sup> of 16 teams at the IHSA 1A Sectional meet here in Oregon on May 10. Rylie Robertson (hurdles), Grace Tremble (high jump), Lorelai Dannhorn (800m), and the 4x100m & 4x200 m relay teams all qualified for the IHSA State Finals

Junior High Track – Two jr high students, Kayden Cover and Levi Benton advanced out of the IESA Sectional at G-K to move on to the IESA State Finals May 14-15 in East Peoria.

Respectfully submitted,  
*Mike Lawton*

