# **Oberlin Magnet Middle School**

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Greetings Oberlin Families,

It's truly amazing how quickly the first quarter has flown by! We are so proud of all the learning and growth that has happened. We thoroughly enjoyed our final fall week of first quarter together, celebrating many wonderful learning experiences as we brought the quarter to a successful close. Don't forget to set your clocks back for Daylight Saving Time this weekend! We will have a Teacher Workday on Tuesday, November 4th, and a holiday on Tuesday, November 11th, so no school for students on either of these days. As we prepare to start the second quarter, this is a fantastic opportunity for families to "goal set" with their students! It's the perfect time to discuss areas for continued improvement and identify specific focus points to help them reach even greater heights. We are excited and looking forward to another great week ahead!

-- Ms. Pelton, Principal

## Week of November 3rd - 7th

Tuesday, November 4th - Teacher Workday, No School for Students

### Wednesday, November 5th

- Oberlin Girls Soccer AT Martin, 4:00pm
- Oberlin Girls Volleyball AT Martin, 4:00pm

#### Thursday, November 6th

Oberlin Football AT Martin, 4:00pm

#### Friday, November 7th

Fall Picture Make Ups

## Spirit Week - November 3rd - 7th

- Monday, 11.3 College Day Wear your favorite college gear!
- Tuesday, 11.4 No School (Teacher Workday)
- Wednesday, 11.5 Wild Wednesday Safari Gear or Animal Print
- Thursday, 11.6 Neon Day Go all out in neon colors as we cheer on our Trailblazers vs. the Martin Mustangs.
- Friday, 11.7 **Anything But A Backpack** Bring your gear in "anything but a backpack." Your item must be "backpack sized" and school appropriate.

**Lost and Found** - With cooler weather here, our "lost and found" is filling up quickly. Student volunteers make every effort to return items labeled with names to their owners. If your students is missing an item (like a jacket or water bottle,) please have them check "lost and found" right away. We clear out our "lost and found" every few weeks to prevent items from piling up!

**Book Fair -** The book fair is coming the week of November 17th, and we need (approved WCPSS) volunteers to allow this event to be possible. Please consider signing up via this link! Thanks in advance for making this a special week focused on reading!

**Broughton High School Open House** for prospective families will take place on November 13 from 6:00-7:30. Join us to explore the great opportunities available at Broughton, and please invite your friends and neighbors! No pre-registration is necessary for this Open House. More information found <a href="https://example.com/here/broughton-necessary">here</a>.

Parent Volunteer Needed for Science Olympiad - Are you interested in electronics and circuits? Do you want to help out at Oberlin? We are in need of a volunteer to help coach a couple of students one day/week for our Science Olympiad team. The event meets one day a week for our Circuit Lab event. Students will need to learn some basic circuit information. Supplies will be provided. Please email Mr. Kowaleski At <a href="mailto:rkowaleski@wcpss.net">rkowaleski@wcpss.net</a> for more information.

#### **Team Newsletters**

Sixth Grade - <u>Astros Rockets Voyagers</u>
Seventh Grade - <u>Dragons Embers Phoenix</u>
Eighth Grade - Globetrotters Mountaineers Rangers

## **PTA Updates**

**Join the PTA -** Thank you to all of our parents, faculty, and staff who have already joined the PTA. For those of you who have not yet joined, click <a href="mailto:here">here</a> and select the option that works for your family. Email Tracy Lathan (<a href="mailto:tracy.lathan@gmail.com">tracy.lathan@gmail.com</a>) with membership questions.

A copy of all Weekly Family Communications can be found on our <u>website</u> (<a href="https://www.wcpss.net/oberlinms">https://www.wcpss.net/oberlinms</a>). Follow us on **Social Media**: **@oberlinmiddle** on Twitter, **OberlinMiddle** on Instagram, **oberlinmagnetmiddleschool** on Facebook, Oberlin PTA: <a href="https://linktr.ee/OberlinPTA">linktr.ee/OberlinPTA</a>.