# **Oberlin Magnet Middle School**

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#### Greetings Oberlin Families,

Our week began with viewing the Solar Eclipse. Students and staff enjoyed this experience greatly, and many of our bus students returned outside with their teachers, to catch a bit more of the eclipse during dismissal. This would not have been possible without the quick action and generous support of our Oberlin parent we community! With little lead time, you all made an almost "one in a lifetime" event possible for ALL students and staff, and we are tremendously grateful. This week we shifted into fourth quarter, and it is time to commit to finishing strong!

--Ms. Pelton, Principal

## Week of: 15th -19th

#### **Book Fair Week all Week - Wooh hooh!**

#### Tuesday, April 16th

- Principal Coffee Chat, Oberlin Media Center, 12:00pm Details Below
- Boys Soccer at Oberlin vs Martin

#### Wednesday, April 17th

• Track Meet at Enloe vs Ligon / N. Garner

#### Thursday, April 18th

• Global Getaway, 5;30 - 7:30 - Details Below!

**Principal Chat - Tuesday, April 16th -** Join us for our final Principal Chat of the year on the much requested topic of Internet Safety on Tuesday, April 16th at 12:00pm. We are excited to host the NC Department of Justice for a presentation on Internet Safety and Middle School. As the online world continues to change, it can be challenging as a parent to keep up with trends that may or may not be harmful to our children. This program will help parents as we navigate this ever present part of our

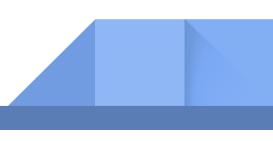
lives. More information about the program can be found <u>here</u>. Visitors should plan to enter via the auditorium / Media Center doors. We hope that you will be able to join us.



**Global Getaway** - We hope all Oberlin students will join us for **A GLOBAL GETAWAY on Thursday, April 18th,** from 5:30 - 7:30! This is our Spring community event where students will go on an adventure around the world! Our goal is for our Oberlin community to come together to have fun, to celebrate the global uniqueness of our school, and to raise much needed money for school improvements! There will be games, cultural demonstrations & performances, inflatables, food and more. Mark your calendars now! https://oberlin.memberhub.gives/globalgetaway24

- Corporate Sponsors link <u>HERE</u> to see our different giving level options.
- Family Sponsors link <u>HERE</u> to see our different giving level options.
- Sign up <u>HERE</u> to volunteer at the event
- Sign up <u>HERE</u> to donate items.
- All tickets and sponsorships can be purchased online <u>HERE</u>.
  - Pre-order All-Access wristbands are \$25 and include 10 tickets for food during the event. The deadline to pre-order this wristband is Monday, April 15th. Pre-ordered wristbands will be delivered to your student's homeroom on April 18th.

**Book Fair** - Oberlin's Spring Book Fair is HERE! Help support the Oberlin Media Center while shopping for some amazing books at our spring Scholastic Book Fair. The book fair runs from Monday April 15<sup>th</sup> - Friday April 19th. Students will visit with their class and have additional opportunities to shop throughout the week. The Book Fair accepts cash, credit cards, and checks (made out to Oberlin PTA) or you can set <u>up a</u> <u>Scholastic eWallet</u> as a cashless way to pay for books. Want to join in the fun? We are still in need of some volunteers, especially on Wednesday and Thursday. Sign up<u>HERE</u> to help.

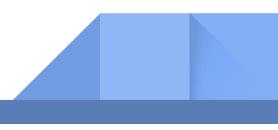


Annual Family Survey - Your feedback matters at Oberlin! Please complete this family survey so that we can ensure that your student's school experience as positive and beneficial as possible. In doing so, we encourage you to complete the family survey for each school where you have a student enrolled. Parents or guardians with more than one student enrolled at a school should only complete the survey for that school once. Please complete the survey by May 17. Oberlin will use this feedback as a part of our School Improvement Plan to continue to improve and enhance our school community. Complete our Family Survey

**7th and 8th Grade Families** - In coming weeks, the Oberlin Student Services Team will be teaching a state mandated lesson on the topic of Human Trafficking. Parents may see the district <u>letter</u> for more information. The Human Trafficking lesson will be taught according to the schedule below. Please contact the 7th Grade Counselor, Mr. Milner (smilner@wcpss.net,) or the 8th Grade Counselor, Mrs. Blanton (kblanton@wcpss.net,) if you have any questions.

- 7th Grade
  - Monday, 4/22 Phoenix
  - Tuesday, 4/23 Dragons
  - Tuesday, 4/30 Embers
  - \*\*\*7th Graders who have Mrs. Cherry, Mr. Upton, or Mr. Allen for 1st Pd will participate with the Phoenix team on 4/22.
- 8th Grade
  - Thursday, May 2 Mountaineers
  - Monday, May 6 Rangers
  - Tuesday, May 7 Globetrotters

Eighth Grade Families - Check out all eighth grade "end of year" dates at this link.



### **Team Newsletters**

6th Grade -	<u>Astros</u>	Rockets	<u>Voyagers</u>
7th Grade -	Dragons	Embers	<u>Phoenix</u>
8th Grade -	<u>Globetrotters</u>	Mountaineers	Rangers

A copy of all Weekly Family Communications can be found on our <u>website</u> (<u>https://www.wcpss.net/oberlinms</u>). Follow us on **Social Media**: **@oberlinmiddle** on Twitter, **OberlinMiddle** on Instagram, and **oberlinmagnetmiddleschool** on Facebook.

