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3rd Quarter (Elem. & MS) Honor Roll & Students of the Quarter



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Special points of interest:

- Commission Award
- Disability Awareness Day
- Oklahoma Close Up
- Braille Challenge
- Library Media Center News
 - Publishing form

A-Honor Roll

Elementary

Jaylee Burnside
Lorie Cox
Gavin Day
Hunter Kelley
Quante Sellers
Alyn Walker

Middle School

Shannon Winter

B-Honor Roll

Elementary

Dayton Baccus
Treysen Brown
Khatungi Bryant
Julia Cisneros
Josephina Cox
Angel Cozort
Xerek Hitchcock
Delilah Howell
Mannon Moore
Skyler Moore
Ocie Webster
Katellynn Zampella

Middle School

Jerelyn Black
Lydia Bradley
Elbin Carrillo
John Duong
Tyler Duong
Benjamin Middleton
Kaylie Minter
Julio Valdez



Students of the 3rd Quarter are:

Elementary: Braylen Fuller

Middle School: Benjamin Middleton

High School: Kaylee Ragon



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Social Services Department - News, Tips, etc.



It's never too late to be caught being good....
So keep up the good work students!!
We are proud of you all!

"Caught Being Good"

- ◆ Genevieve F. - for being very kind and courteous to a friend during class.
- ◆ Trinity L., Joey O., and Tyler D.
 - for helping a State Capitol employee with chairs after the DRS awards ceremony.
- ◆ Kentrell W. - for doing a favor for an adult.
- ◆ Johnnie D. - for helping another student at the pop machine.
- ◆ Alyn W. - for helping a new student in the dorm.
- ◆ Allen A. - for running errands and helping an adult.
- ◆ Joey O. - for running errands and helping an adult.
- ◆ Chris S. - for cleaning up another student's mess.
- ◆ Jacob N. - for helping guide another student to trail the wall.
- ◆ Jimmy A. - for helping another student with cutting skills at a meal.
- ◆ Joseph R. - for helping an adult carry ice chests to the Rec. center
- ◆ Jonathon P. and Jake M. - for helping clean and load the bus for goalball.
- ◆ Ariana R., Tai T., Halle S., Dee W., Conner H., Kentrell W., Mykel G., Allen A., John D, Tyler D., Chris S., and Preston F.
 - for helping with the activity of making and mixing tea and helping clean up afterwards.

Social Services Department
Sylvia Sterling

Word of the Month for April is "Confidence"

The word of the month for April is "Confidence" or "confident", which is defined as follows:

1. **a feeling or belief that you can do something well or succeed at something, e.g.**
 - a. The class gave me more confidence.
 - b. He lacked the confidence to succeed.
 - c. The experience gave her the confidence to start her own business.
2. **a feeling or belief that someone or something is good or has the ability to succeed at something, e.g.**
 - a. They have complete/full confidence in their coach.

- b. His parents had confidence in their son's ability to succeed.
3. **the feeling of being certain that something will happen or that something is true**
 - a. School officials express confidence that the problem will soon be resolved.
 - b. We still can't talk about the future with any degree of confidence. [= we don't know what will happen in the future]
 - c. We have every confidence [= we are sure] that you will make the right decision.
4. **a relationship in which you tell personal and private information to someone**

- a. He told me in confidence that he didn't know how to read.
 - b. b. If you take someone into your confidence, you tell someone secrets or private information about your life.
 - c. She accused him of betraying a confidence. [= she said that he told her secret to other people]



Social Services Department (continued)

Abstinence Tea

On March 15th, 2018 the 7th Grade girls attended the annual “Spring Tea” at First Baptist Church in Muskogee.

They enjoyed cookies as they listened to a speaker, who talked

about abstinence before marriage and the importance of respecting yourself.

There were over a hundred girls from surrounding communities who attended the tea.

Everyone had a good time.

Kathy Barrett

OSB's Performing Arts



On March 14th, OSB's **Panther Performing Arts Team** participated in our first “Performing Arts Showcase.”, directed by Muskogee High School (MHS) senior, Madison Eckerson.

OSB Panther Performing Arts Team Members are:

Tyler Duong, John Duong, Garrett Kennedy, Ben Middleton, Jillian Matthews, Tai Thomas, Arianna

Richardson, Kaylee Ragon, and Raven Decker.

These students practiced during their SET time throughout the school year, crafting their talents in singing and acting.

Madison Eckerson from MHS's Performing Arts Team made a dream come true by starting this project. She and her friends, Carlie Johnson and Marissa Smith, volunteered to come and work with our students on improving their skills in public

speaking, singing and performing.

There were lots of laughs and joyful singing, as they performed their individual acts.

It was a wonderful performance from our students!

Go PANTHERS!

Jennifer Eckerson

**Great Job Madison and
THANK YOU GIRLS !!!**

Commission Award given to OSB's own KAREN REED

2017 Commission Award Karen Reed

Compliance Officer of the Oklahoma School for the Blind

Presented by Commission Chair April Danahy at the February 12, 2018 meeting.

“Our recipient of the DRS Commission award is an extremely hard worker who conducted herself in a professional manner at all times.

She maintains a great rapport with staff, parents and students.

She maintains accurate records and ensures that all students access educational programs that fit their specific needs.

She works tirelessly and often after hours to complete these tasks.

She is pleasant and kind to all who come into contact with her.

Teachers often seek her out for advice and assistance.

She never complains and is always happy to assist others.

She is an exemplary employee and deserving of this award.

If you will, please join us in honoring the Compliance Officer for the Oklahoma School for the Blind, Karen Reed.”

Carol A. Brown, DRS



**GREAT
JOB !!!**

Hundreds make annual Awareness Day a success



Awards presenters included (from left) Emily Cheng, Commission for Rehabilitation Services

vice chair, Chair April Danahy and Gov. Mary Fallin.

Gov. Mary Fallin joined more than 750 disability advocates at the 24th People with Disabilities Awareness Day on March 13 at the state Capitol.

The Oklahoma Department of Rehabilitation Service hosted the event, which included 76 disability-related exhibitors and 120 volunteers.

The agency provided Braille and large print materials, certified sign language interpreters and other accommodations to enable all guests to fully participate.

For the second year, DRS partnered with Oklahoma People First, which promoted self-advocacy to 300 participants at their morning Developmental Disabilities Rally on the South Plaza.

Many advocates visited their legislators throughout the day.

Fallin presented her keynote speech before a capacity crowd in the South Plaza during the agency's afternoon awards ceremony, noting that **DRS served 97,864 Oklahomans** with disabilities in 2017.

She also read a proclamation declaring March 13 as People with Disabilities Awareness Day in Oklahoma.

Two high school students, senior Trinity Lewis from DRS' Oklahoma School for the Blind and freshman Parker Simpson from DRS' Oklahoma School for the Deaf, shared personal stories about challenges they faced before achieving academic and personal success at their current schools.

Commission for Rehabilitation Services Chair April Danahy and Vice Chair Emily Cheng joined DRS Executive Director Noel Tyler to present the agency's awards to seven recipients:

State Agency Partner of the Year: Oklahoma State Department of Education accepted by Joy Hofmeister, state superintendent of public instruction, and Matt Holder, deputy superintendent of finance and federal programs.

Business of the Year: Cintas Tulsa accepted by Jonathan Mackey, plant manager and Holly Fisher, senior resource manager.

Legislator of the Year: Senator A. J. Griffin (R-District 20).

Excellence in Communication: Journal Record accepted by reporter Molly Fleming.

Transition Employee of the Year: Drew Whitlow, employed

at Integris Baptist Medical Center. His VR counselor was Bonnie Allen.

Client of the Year: Jennifer Pellat-Finet, employed at Limbs for Life Foundation. Her VR counselors were David Ridner (now retired) and later Stacye Alfred.

Access for All Partner of the Year: Office of Workforce Development, accepted by Erin Risley-Baird, executive director; Jeane Burruss, Workforce System Oversight Subcommittee manager; Lindsey Workman, Workforce Innovations and Opportunity Act equal opportunity officer; and Linda Emrich, Governor's Council on Workforce and Economic Development coordinator.



Jennifer Pellat-Finet, employed at Limbs for Life Foundation, was named Client of the Year.

To see more photos from the event, go to:

<https://www.flickr.com/photos/okdrs/albums/72157693764608604>

(Official DRS article)

Oklahoma Close Up by Susan Young Mock



OK Close Up 2018 Full of Opportunities

Five students from the Oklahoma School for the Blind (OSB) in Muskogee spent February 20–23 in Oklahoma City (OKC) participating in workshops, meetings, and shadowing with Oklahoma's elected officials, highest court justices, and agency leaders.

Oklahoma Close Up is an educational program designed to provide students an experiential learning program about Oklahoma state government.

Those representing OSB were Trinity Lewis, senior from OKC, Joey Owens, senior from Broken Arrow, Cameron Hughes, senior from Broken Bow, Kaylee Ragan, sophomore from Tishomingo, and De'Poris "Dee" Willis, sophomore from Sand Springs. With the students were Jeremy Jackman, Social Science Instructor and Susan Young Mock, Marketing Education Instructor.

I enjoyed Close Up. It opened my eyes to the kind of impact the government makes on society so I'm going to pay closer attention to the issues. I want to make a difference!
– **Cameron Hughes**

The winter weather shut down State offices but didn't cool the enthusiasm of students as they discussed current events and how Oklahoma's government impacts our lives. Since 1981, Oklahoma Close Up, open to all Oklahoma high school students, has partnered with schools across Oklahoma to engage and educate

students about what is going on in Oklahoma. **Over 3,500 students** have met with every Governor and key leaders of the Legislature and the Judiciary.

*I've gained an understanding of our State government and how they affect and shape our very lives. Before I participated in this event, I had little to no interest in government, but now I'm all for it. The thought of me actually having a voice in what happens is truly an amazing thing. – **Joey Owens***

The program is open to all Oklahoma high school students and provides opportunities to discuss issues with some of the leading officials in state government. Program workshops give students a chance to explore their own ideas and share views with students from across the state.

*My favorite part of the week was the mock legislature where we had a chance to write our own bills, including some funny ones, send them to our student-elected committee. Then, those that passed through went into the student-led legislature. Even though the bill I wrote didn't make it through, there were still many bills that we had the chance to ask questions to the author, add amendments, and my favorite – **DEBATE!** – **Kaylee Ragon***

This unique learning experience includes a number of presentations, small learning groups as well as large group discussions, and a unique, one-on-one opportunity to shadow an Oklahoma office holder.

Program activities include:

- ◆ Seminars with government officials
- ◆ Meeting with Legislators
- ◆ Tour the Capitol building
- ◆ Discussions about current issues
- ◆ Spend a day with a Legislator
- ◆ Discussions with Legislators, judges, elected and appointed officials, media representatives, lobbyists and special interest groups, and the Governor, Lt. Governor and their staff.

Oklahoma Close Up is a non-profit organization modeled after the Washington, D.C. based program, Close Up. The need to focus on state government with an in-depth experiential program was recognized and Oklahoma Close Up was established.

OK Close Up reminded me that I make a difference! One of the speakers said that we are the current leaders in our schools and the future leaders of Oklahoma. Well, I'm not stopping there; I'm a future leader of this country.
– **Trinity Lewis**

This program gives students, educators, and policymakers the opportunity to come together to enhance the understanding of Oklahoma state government.

OK Close Up opened my eyes to a world I didn't know anything about. Now I'm determined to be involved in my government!
– **Dee Willis**

Braille Challenge by Faye Miller



Congratulations to all 33 contestants at the **16th Oklahoma Regional Braille Challenge!**



Contestants received a commemorative t-shirt, certificate, and a backpack full of goodies for participating.

Contestants who received a gold, silver or bronze medal also got a choice of prizes from the prize table. Thanks to our many sponsors for their donations to make this possible.

Students taking the Apprentice, Freshman and Transition 1 tests had to spell words like 'shriek' and 'reservation', using uncontracted and contracted braille. They also found braille, punctuation, and spelling mistakes in the proof-reading tests and completed a reading comprehension test before lunch. Middle and high school contestants completed four tests, including a proofreading and reading comprehension test. Instead of a spelling test, they had Speed and Accuracy. They transcribed an audio recording into braille. They were scored on their accuracy and the amount they were able to transcribe. They also had a Charts and Graphs test where they read maps, tables, or graphs and answered questions about the information.

After contestants completed their tests, they got a break with fun activities thanks to Tera Webb. The kids relaxed for a while before returning to class. Unfortunately, contestants had to wait through

the weekend for all the tests to be scored. Too many of our score room volunteers were coming from Oklahoma City and could not get out of their driveways because of the ice. Medals were awarded and contestants chose prizes from a prize table.

Congratulations to all of the contestants!

Thank you to our volunteers who braved icy roads and cold weather to proctor and score tests. They also had to deal with several changes in assignments as many of the volunteers were stuck in their driveways in Oklahoma City, Enid and Stillwater.

Special thanks to Cheryl Daniels's Service Learning class for putting together the wonderful gift bags for both our contestants and volunteers. And, thank you to Allison Garner's FACS classes for making wonderful cookies as an extra treat to our volunteers.

Thank you also to all the support and assistance from the kitchen, maintenance, nursing, IT, and front office! Wonderful lunches, tables and chairs for prizes and registration, flexibility on medication times, and music and slides for our opening ceremony were just a few of the ways you helped us run a successful event.

Special thanks to Sherry Holder, Ronna Johnston and Tonya Givens for all their help with certificates, t-shirts, prizes, and a whole lot more!

Apprentice/Transition 1

- Gold** Morgan Hudson, Westville
- Silver** Lydia Bradley, Stilwell
- Bronze** Blazen Sitterly, Ponca City

Freshman

- Gold** Hunter Kelley, Claremore
- Silver** Xerek Hitchcock, Strang
- Bronze** Dayton Baccus, Muskogee

Overall Apprentice/Freshman:
Hunter Kelley, Claremore

Sophomore

- Gold** Katelynn Zampella, Muskogee
- Silver** Lorie Cox, Lawton
- Bronze** Ocie Webster, Tahlequah

Transition 2

- Gold** Shaylin Wells, Sapulpa
- Silver** Nicholas Jackson-Morrison, Muskogee
- Bronze** Joey Owens, Broken Arrow

Junior Varsity

- Gold** Julio Valdez, Oklahoma City
- Silver** Elbin Carrillo, Oklahoma City
- Bronze** Gianna Loepp, Oklahoma City

Varsity

- Gold** Richelle Zampella, Muskogee
- Silver** Ariana Richardson, Enid
- Bronze** Tai'Yauri Thomas, Oklahoma City

Overall Sophomore, JV, Varsity:

Richelle Zampella, Muskogee



Let's Play Hospital



On Wednesday March 14th, the following students went on a field trip to St. Francis Hospital, Muskogee for the "Let's Play Hospital" program:

Noah Dougan, Braylen Fuller, Payton Crum, Blake Priddy, Madilyn "Madi" Gray, and Eric Enzenauer.

The students were accompanied by Mrs. Kimberly Thomas and Ms. Amy Morgan.

We got to meet some of the people who work there and take care of you if you are ever sick and in the hospital.

The hospital volunteers put on a skit explaining what it is like to be a patient in the medical center and the students got to participate in the skit as the

patient/s and family members visiting the hospital for a tonsillectomy.

It was a fun and educational day.

Thank you St. Francis staff and volunteers.

Kimberly Thomas

Jump Rope for Heart

Students are collecting donations to the American Heart Association for our "Jump Rope for Heart" campaign.

Students have until April 9th to get their donations turned into Mrs. Webb.

Prizes start at \$5 !!!

Please help support our students and the American Heart Association. Thank you.

Tera Webb



Ms. Daniels' Science Class "insights"

Ms. Daniel's Science Class - Behind the Scene looks



The hallway is/was our "Collisions Lab", measuring different

masses/speeds and what happens when they collide.

The hedgehog is the prickly classroom mascot.



He doesn't really have an

Can I please get a name?

appropriate "official" name yet (some of us call him Bar-fly because he only comes out at night).

So, here is a **CALL FOR HELP**.

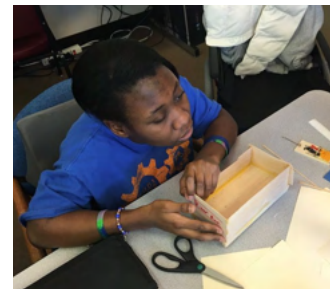
If you want to help **NAME our mascot**, please send your suggestion to Ms. Daniels at cdaniels@osb.k12.ok.us.

The winner of the contest and his/her name suggestion will be announced in our next edition.

Thank you in advance for your suggestions.

Cheryl Daniels

Science is better with "hands-on" experience.



Ariana R.



Nick J. & Tai T.

Student Corner

Unfortunately, we do NOT have any student submissions this time.



EXCUSES



SECRET REPORTER

Last edition's "Secret Reporter" was:

Trinity Lewis

GREAT JOB !!!

OSB's Library Media Center News by Sarah McClendon

Crafting for St. Patrick's!

This month at the Library Media Center, classes participated in spring-time crafting, including salt-dough caterpillars and butterfly bracelets inspired from "*The Very Hungry Caterpillar*", as well as St. Patrick's Day rainbows! Thanks to everyone that participated and made each craft event so much fun!

Giving Back to LMC

The OSB Library Media Center received some much needed TLC this month as we expanded our children's Braille shelving section to make room for . . . you guessed it! More books!

The newly installed shelves were measured, cut, and fastened to fit just the right size of our space and height of our kiddos. These specially designed shelves make this space even safer and easier to browse – a fact we are proud to

offer each elementary Braille student.

The Library Media Center would like to send a big **THANK YOU** to Duane in maintenance and his student assistant, Nick Jackson! We LOVE our new shelves!

Braille Special Collection Order

The Braille Institute's Special Collection catalog has ***FREE*** Braille books available for kids and teens, but only for a short time! These special orders **must be mailed in by April 30th**.

Please use the form included in this newsletter, so you don't miss out! (pages 14-15)

Next Month . . .

May is nearly here! With only 7 weeks left, the Library Media Center is asking everyone to locate any overdue books, Braille Writers, and other borrowed equipment during this month, and

have them **ready to turn back in by May 1st**.

We'll also have plenty of spring-time activities scheduled at the Library Media Center!

We hope you'll join us for our upcoming Easter crafts and library card signup day, as we get ready to start the

Summer Reading Program, "Libraries Rock!"



Stay tuned!



Recreation Activities by Belinda Thomas

27 Feb 2018 - Happy February Birthday Party



HAPPY BIRTHDAY! OSB staff and students celebrated individuals born in the month named after the Roman god of purity, Februus. An excellent month for the soil to start again before the world blooms with beautiful arrangements of flowers. Happy Birthday again to all born in this most auspicious month!!!

06 March 2016 - Goalball Outing

While the rest of OSB staff and students stayed on campus and had Open Rec, the Goalball Team went on a jolly fellowship on our magic school bus to the Center for Individuals with Physical Challenges in Tulsa, OK. We sang loudly, played multiple games boldly, and celebrated by drinking purple Propel sports drinks and traveling to the forbidden land of Quick Trip.

07 March 2018 - Happy Birthday March

OSB staff and students got to chill out, sing loud and proud for our birthday kids, and eat deliciously tasting cupcakes made by Mrs. Admire, Miss Isom, and our Independent Study students here at school. Thank you again and **HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ALL!!!**



13 March 2018 - Workout Room and Karaoke Night

Due to popular demand, the Rec Center will be hosting the Workout Room for MS/HS for students wanting to run, and work on their endurance skills and/or muscle strength.



However, students love **Karaoke Night** so much, we brought it back to end this week with a **BANG**.

**Hooray
SPRING
BREAK!!**



14 March 2018 - OSB Performing Arts Showcase and Open Rec

Madison Eckerson (Mrs. Eckerson's daughter) from Muskogee High School has been working with our Middle and High School students on their performing arts skills. So, we had our first OSB Performing Art Showcase held in our auditorium. Participation was highly recommended but the Rec Center was also open with board games, video games, movies, and internet for those that did not want to attend.

And without further a due..... it was **SPRRRRRRINNNNNNNNG
BRRRRRRRRREAAAAAAK!**
(March 19-23)

27 March 2018 - Workout Room and Spring Tea Making Craft Night

In honor of spring, OSB students got to choose their own seasonings and make their own delicious tea while longing for a promise of the season to come! Flavors that the students got to choose from were blueberry, raspberry, rose, hibiscus, chamomile, and so much more. Student sat together after making batches of their individually named teas. They got to keep the tea they made for themselves, or were free to give their tasteful craft away as gifts.

(Pictures were not available in time for this edition.)

28 March 2018 - Swimming at Muskogee Swim and Fitness

Spring is almost here, and the kids were so excited to seize the day, they asked to go swimming. We ate a quick dinner in our cafeteria before we left, and then turned into vulnerable mermaids for the rest of the evening!

(Pictures were not available in time for this edition.)

GOING THE EXTRA MILE -



Following employees were nominated for their devoted support of our students, staff and school:

- ◆ Thank you Ms. Woods for having so much patience with our students.
- ◆ Thank you Ms. Lisa for going beyond the "Call of Duty".
- ◆ Thank you to Mrs. Thomas and her class who made special Dr. Seuss snacks and shared them with another class.
- ◆ Thank you Mr. Butler and Ms. Thomas for buying food and drinks for students.
- ◆ Thank you Cash Uhrmacher, transportation officer, for helping our scouts with a special event.

Sylvia Sterling

- ◆ Thank you Brenda for giving me an exotic Orchid root for my green house!
- ◆ Thank you to everyone that helped make the Goalball event possible! Mr. Butler for driving us to Tulsa. For Brenda and her ladies for making sack dinners with fresh oranges and Propel drinks, and for Mrs. Miller to help with the paperwork!!!
- ◆ Thank you to Mrs. Faye Miller for letting the Goalball team use all her equipment for the Goalball activity.
- ◆ Thank you to everyone that helped make Mrs. Barker's crystal science experiment possible! Thank you Mrs. Brenda for letting us borrow the digital thermometer and a steel pan, Mrs. Garner for letting us use her FACS lab to boil water and measure the water needed for the experiment, and also, to Lisa and Brent for helping me get gloves and safety glasses for it as well.
- ◆ Thank you to Mrs. Admire and Ms. Isom for always baking

amazing cupcakes that the children love to eat.

- ◆ Thank you to Mr. Culver and his guys for water in the Rec, and for the sand for Mrs. Barker's Bottle Buddies that her class is making for Social Studies.

Belinda Thomas

Thank you to all our teachers and staff members that spent their own time - and sometimes money - to help our students have a great experience while attending OSB. Only a positive environment and a strong support from the people around them will help them excel and reach their personal goals. Therefore, **THANK YOU** to everyone who is there for our students.

Maggie Mattox

Thank you guys for going the extra mile.

It is highly appreciated.



April Birthdays



Students

Dee Willis	4	2
Chris Shepherd	4	4
Skyler Moore	4	6
Mikel Gentry	4	10
Lorenzo Rodriguez	4	14
Rayce Phillips	4	20

Staff

Christine Timmreck	4	1
Christopher Ferrell	4	4
Joannette Ramsey	4	7
Lynn Cragg	4	13
Maggie Mattox	4	18
Shawndra Johnson	4	27
Jennifer Ogle	4	30



April 2018

 Dorms Open
 NO School
 School In Session

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

Schedule of Events

Date	Time	Event
Mon., Apr. 2		EASTER BREAK—NO SCHOOL—DORMS OPEN
Tue., Apr. 3		Classes Resume
Fri., Apr. 6		SCHOOL IN SESSION (Home Going @ 2:00 pm!)
Wed., Apr. 11	6:00 pm	PROM @ Beduine Shrine Tempel
Thur., Apr. 12		FCCLA State Convention, Oklahoma City
Tue., Apr. 24		State Jazz contest at Tulsa Community College
April 25-26		Accreditation Team on Campus

Upcoming May Events:

Date	Time	Event
Tue., May 8	6:00 pm	Spring Concert & Awards Banquet
May 9-10	all day	Jr./Sr. Trip to Branson, MO - CHANGED !!! -
Wed., May 16	9:30 am	MS & HS Awards Assembly
	12:00 pm	Graduation—followed by Reception
Thur., May 17	10:30 am	Elementary Awards Assembly
		LAST DAY OF SCHOOL
Fri., May 18		Staff Recognition

Recreation Activities

APRIL 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 EASTER MONDAY NO SCHOOL	2 Dorms Open Outside/Open Rec	3 Boy Scouts 5:30—6:45pm Workout Room 6:30—7pm Outside/Open	4 Outside/Open Rec 6:30 pm	5 The Bunny Hop Dance 6:30—8:45 pm	6 Home Going	7
8 Dorms Open Outside/Open Rec	9 Boy Scouts 5:30—6:45pm Workout Room 6:30—7pm Outside/Open Rec	10 Outside/Open Rec 6:30 till dark Minecraft Tournament / Open Rec	11 PROM Movie Night for ELM Open Rec for MS/HS	12 Home Going	13	14
15 Dorms Open Outside/Open Rec	16 Boy Scouts 5:30—6:45pm Workout Room 6:30—7pm Outside/Open Rec	17 Outside/Open Rec 6:30 till dark Minecraft Tournament / Open Rec	18 Movie Night for MS/HS Open Rec for ELM 6:30 pm	19 Home Going	20	21
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Recreation - 918-781-8200 - Ext. 8278

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OSB Employee / Staff Changes:

New Hires:

Cash Uhrmacher, Transportation Officer
– effective March 19th

Welcome on board. Glad to have you !



UPCOMING HIGHLIGHTS !!! - Save the Date/s !!!

April

Fri., Apr. 6	Eastern Oklahoma State Spelling Bee at Muskogee Civic Center
Wed., Apr. 11	PROM
Tue., Apr. 24	State Jazz contest at Tulsa Community College

May

May 9-10	Jr./Sr. Trip to Branson, MO	<- updated dates !
Tue., May 8	Spring Concert & Awards Banquet	
Wed., May 16	MS & HS Awards Ceremony	
	Graduation	
Thur., May 17	Elementary Awards Ceremony	
	LAST DAY OF SCHOOL	



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