



On Campus

A quarterly newsletter for parents & guardians of OBI students

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December 2022

Spirit Week

From Twin Day to Throwback Thursday, students enjoyed a full week of celebrating school spirit and the start of basketball season during the annual Spirit Week.



*Merry Christmas
from OBI*

From the School Counselor

- Seniors: Fill out your FAFSA if you have not done this yet.
- Dual Credit students: Check your college emails to see when classes begin. You should be checking email daily.
- Juniors & Seniors: Search for colleges. A good resource: [2022 Best Colleges in America - Niche](#).
- Seniors: Check for admission/scholarship deadlines and applications at your colleges' websites.

Blue & White Night

Spirit Week concluded at Blue & White Night on November 18th with games, contests, performances by the cheerleaders and "Mighty Mountaineers" plus scrimmages to show off the skills of our Mountaineers and Lady Mountaineers.



Veterans Honored

Due to rain, the community event hosted by the Oneida Tourism Committee to honor Veteran's Day and local veterans was moved from the Oneida Park to OBI's Sparks Gymnasium. The OBI choir sang the national anthem and veterans from the Oneida community conducted the 21-gun salute. Our students enjoyed greeting the veterans and showing their appreciation.



After fall break, the OBI Choir traveled to seven Kentucky Baptist churches. They also sang the national anthem at our first home basketball game and sang Christmas carols for the community Christmas in the Park.



OBI Choir Travel Schedule Spring 2023

DATE	LOCATION	SERVICE TIME
2/19	Harrodsburg Baptist Church	11:00 am
2/26	Island Creek Baptist Church Manchester, Kentucky	11:00 am
3/19	First Baptist Church Walton	10:30 am
4/23	Viney Fork Baptist Church	11:00 am
4/30	First Baptist Church Lawrenceburg, Kentucky	11:00 am
5/7	Calvary Baptist Church London, Kentucky	11:00 am

Questions? Email: tim.cochran@oneidaschool.org



More News from OBI Athletics



The middle school basketball team won a conference tournament on December 3rd in Williamsburg. They defeated Jackson county 55-49 to take home the trophy!



The soccer team won the 13th Region Class A Championship! Coach Oliveira noted, "Each player took the responsibility to represent our school to the best of their abilities."



• **Canaan Tyree**, an OBI junior, was named the 13th Region Boys Player of the Week after averaging 47 points, and 5 steals in two games the week of 11/28/22.



• **Alexis Bowling** and **Raylon Barger**, both Class of 2023, were selected to the 49th District All-Tournament Team.



• **Bailey Bayes**, a freshman, was named to the KCAC (Kentucky Christian Athletic Conference) Volleyball all-tournament team in September.



These students and staff represented OBI in the Manchester Christmas parade December 10th.



The annual chapel Christmas program on December 13th included songs by the Lower School, the high school choir and skits by the middle school drama class. We appreciated all of the families who were able to attend!



Lawrenceburg First Baptist Church brought backpacks loaded with many treats and useful items for all of our students the first week of December. Lower School is pictured above.

Christmas in the Park

Thank you to the Oneida Kentucky Tourism, Commerce and Restoration organization for a fun and festive evening in the Oneida Park on 12.3.22!



OBI Outings



Third grade visits the Post Office

A lesson in how to address an envelope led to a trip to the post office for our third graders to learn about the postal system! Oneida Postmaster Amy Davidson gave them the “backstage tour” and answered their many questions. The students also experienced buying a stamp to put on their hand-written thank you letters to a volunteer who had visited their class recently and dropping their letters into the outgoing mail slot.

Dorm students enjoyed a fun fall outing to the **Devine Corn Maze and Pumpkin Patch** in Harrodsburg, Kentucky on October 29th.



Below: Our 4th and 5th graders visited the annual **4-H Environmental Field Day** at Double Creek Park in October.



Order your 2022-23 OBI Yearbook

It's time to place your orders! We are once again using the online yearbook publisher, TreeRing.

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This year's book will have 100 pages and cost \$29.87 (soft cover) or \$36.72 (hard cover) before tax.

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Order deadlines:

March 6th if you have custom pages.

April 1st if no custom pages.

All yearbooks will be shipped from TreeRing to OBI and distributed to students in May.

Aerial photo taken in November of the new courtyard between the dormitories with the new cafeteria at the top.