



On Campus

A quarterly newsletter for parents & guardians of OBI students
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Culture Fair

Students, staff and guests sampled a wide variety of foods from around the world at the annual Culture Fair on February 3, 2024. Over 30 students participated in preparing cuisine from nine different countries and cultures: Ethiopia, Nigeria, Taiwan, Cambodia, Thailand, Korea, China and Appalachia. The young chefs partnered with staff sponsors and spent Friday evening and most of Saturday cooking in home kitchens. The students enjoyed sharing—and we enjoyed sampling—some of their favorite flavors from home! For more Culture Fair photos, check out the [OBI Facebook page](#).



It's not too late to order the 2023-24 OBI Yearbook!

Go to the website:
www.treering.com/validate
 Enter OBI's passcode:
 10147042369128

Order Deadline: April 1st
 (to ship free to OBI)

Still thinking about joining Tennis or Track & Field?



Step 1: Talk to the coach.
 Step 2: Talk to A.D. Middleton so he can check your eligibility.

Class of 2024

- The **Senior Trip** is April 17-19. Students will need modest swimwear (one-piece for girls, trunks/board shorts for boys).
- The **Junior/Senior Prom** is May 4th at 6:00 PM. The attire is "Sunday best" or formal. Dresses must be school-approved.
- The **Graduation Ceremony** is Saturday, May 18th at 1:00 PM. Graduates must arrive by 12:30 PM to line up.

Questions? Email:
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Remaining Choir Dates Spring 2024

DATE	LOCATION	TIME
3/24	North Fork Baptist Frankfort, Ky.	10:00 AM
4/7	Mt. Pleasant Baptist Lawrenceburg, Ky.	11:00 AM
4/14	Horse Creek Baptist Manchester, Ky.	11:00 AM
4/21	Bardstown Baptist Ninth & O Baptist Louisville, Ky.	11:00 AM 5:00 PM
4/28	Dripping Spring Baptist, Olmstead, Ky.	7:00 PM CST
5/5	Lytleton Baptist	11:00 AM

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Winter Sports Wrap-Up

Basketball and cheerleading seniors were honored at Senior Night on 2.20.24. Girls, left to right: **Emily Wagers, Kayyo Negisho, Fenet Gemeda, Fenet Merdassa, Hermela Andualem, Savannah Young**. Boys, left to right: **Canaan Tyree, Obiora Kenekukwu, Alazar Silla**.



Below: Congrats to OBI juniors and seniors on earning their varsity athletic or fine arts letter jacket, left to right: **Shiloh Tive, Alex Gritton, Sam Cho, Rachel Monday, Jason Fan, Canaan Tyree, Alazar Silla**.



District Basketball Tourne

OBI hosted the 49th district basketball tournaments Feb. 24-March 1. We have rotation with the other schools in our district—Red Bird, Clay County, North Laurel and Jackson County.

The OBI Girls played hard in the first round but were defeated by North Laurel. The OBI Boys advanced to the semi-finals with an opening round win over Red Bird and then lost the next round against Clay County. We are proud of our teams!



Congratulations to these OBI players named to the All District Tournament Team! Girls' Team (L-R)—8th Grader **Hayley Davidson**, Freshman **Bailey Bristow**. Boys' Team (L-R)—8th Grader **Skylar Roberts**, Senior **Canaan Tyree**.

† Baptism Service



On January 31st, we celebrated 16 student baptisms during a special service held at Oneida Baptist Church. OBI Campus Minister Dr. David Price met individually with each of the students who signed up to participate. The families of the students being baptized were invited to join us for this special day.

Spelling Bee Winners

The annual Spelling Bee was February 16th. Congrats to the following students placing first, second and third in their grade. (* denotes 1st place)



5th L.-R.
Madison Sumrell
Payton Wells
***Ricky Deaton**



4th L.-R.
Riley Lewis
***Lolo Olayinka**
Charlie Rickett



3rd L.-R.
Natalie Ball
***Cassie Campbell**



2nd L.-R.
Zoey Byrd
Carson Donnelly
***Virginia Salmons**



1st L.-R.
***Roman Carbajal**
Riley Steltenpohl
Rodney Hensley