

OWLET NEWSLETTER

3RD SIX WEEKS

THIS SIX WEEKS IN OJH

As the end of the first semester quickly approaches, we have so much to be thankful for this year. Odem Junior High Students are working hard in and out of the classrooms.

We thank our students, parents and guardians for working together with us. Our honor roll 2nd six weeks included 75 students. We had 23 band students make it for All Region Band.

We had a great turn out for Career Day. The students enjoyed hearing from all the speakers OJH students completed our first Interim STAAR assessment on the Cambium platform, which is the online platform for our spring STAAR test. Currently students are taking Fall Semester exams. We will be on Winter Break from January 22 until January 7.



DATES TO REMEMBER

When students return in January, OJH will be preparing for our District UIL meet. This is the second year we host this meet.

On Friday, January 19 students will compete in the Academic portion which includes; art memory, music memory, calculators, chess, dictionary skills, listening skills, maps, charts and graph, mathematics, number sense, social studies, science I and II.

On Saturday, January 20 students will compete in spelling and speaking events.



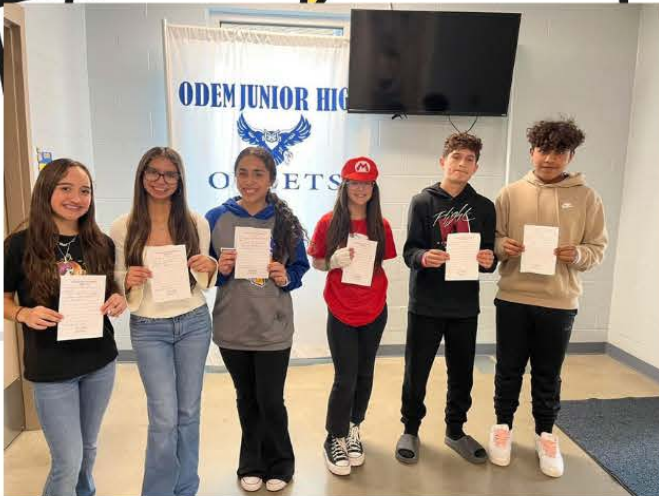
2 ATHLETICS

Odem Junior High Basketball is in full swing. We have four teams playing each Monday. In January, teams will begin playing on Thursdays.

8th grade Girls B team won 3rd place in the Odem Tournament. The boys basketball will host a tournament on January 20th.



EXTRA CURRICULAR



Our highlighted club this six weeks is Junior National Honor Society. NJHS is comprised of students from 7th and 8th grade. Students can be nominated at the end of their 6th grade year. Students must have 90% gpa and demonstrate character, leadership, service and honor.

Odem Junior High National Junior Honor Society officers this year are: President, Berta Jasso; Vice President, Aaliyah Martinez; Secretary, Vincent Elizondo; Treasurer, Aysel Huerta; Parliamentarian, Naomi Cruz; Historian, Hayden Copeland, Class Representative, Alexander Rodriguez and Zoey Torres.

Students will return on January 8th.

UIL Events and Coaches



M..Sykora	Maps, charts, and Graphs 6,7,8
M. Sykora	Number Sense 6,7,8
A. Sanchez	Spelling 6,7,8
A. Sanchez	Dictionary Skills 6,7,8
A. Ortiz	Color Art 6,7,8
A. Ortiz	3d art 6,7,8
E. Rodriguez	Art Memory 6,7,8
E. Rodriguez	Listening Skills 6,7,8
V. Martinez	Chess 6,7,8
V. Martinez	Modern Oratory 6,7,8
V. Martinez	Ready Writing 6,7,8
A. Gomez	Social Studies 6,7,8
A. Gomez	Black and White Art 6, 7 ,8
Y. Hinojosa	Calculator 6,7,8
Y. Hinojosa	Mathematics 6,7,8
Price	Editorial Writing 6,7,8
Price	Science I and II 7,8
C. Perez	Music Memory 6,7,8
B. Swartsfager	Impromptu Speaking 6, 7,8
K. Nelson	Oral Reading 6,7,8

**Christmas Holiday will be from December
22nd- January 5.**

Dates to Remember

- December 21- Teacher Workday
- December 22- January 4 - Winter Break
- January 4- Basketball Mathis
- January 5- Teacher Workday
- January 8- 4th six weeks begins
- January 11- Girls BB vs Goliad
- January 19- Early Release
- January 19 - UIL Academic Events
- January 20- UIL Spelling and Speaking Events

