

**OREFIELD MIDDLE SCHOOL
ANNOUNCEMENTS
MAY 22, 2023
DAY 5**

GUIDANCE

"As part of our OMS school wide positive behavior program our next open gym will be held **Wednesday May 24th**, in the morning during Jaguar period! Mr. Stoudt and Mr. Fulmer will be overseeing the open gym. You need 5 Jaguar passes or one fast pass to attend. Please come to the guidance office to redeem your tickets for an open gym pass."

The middle school deadline for making 9th grade course changes is May 26th. If you would like to make a change to your 23-24 course requests please come to guidance to obtain a course change form.

QUEBEC TRIP

Attention all enrolled travelers on Mr. Moran's June trip to Quebec and Montreal. The last meeting before departure will be held on **May 24, 2023 in room A236, at SMS, at 7:00pm**. It is expected that you will attend this final meeting to get all of the information needed. Please arrive on time.

FUTURE LUNCH CHANGES

May 23rd

Lunch "A" - 6th Grade

Lunch "B" - 8th Grade

Lunch "C" NONE - (7th Grade at Iron Pigs)

ATHLETICS

THIS YEAR'S GIRLS BASKETBALL PLAYERS

OMS Girls Basketball middle school players who were on the team this past season are welcome to attend open gyms and weight training sessions (*note that for the sessions below 3:00-4:30pm will be basketball & 4:30-5:30 will be strength training):

Tuesday, May 23 - 3:00-5:30pm at PHS

Thursday, May 25 - 3:00-5:30pm at PHS

Tuesday, May 30 - 3:00-5:30pm at PHS

Thursday, June 1 - 3:00-5:30pm at PHS

Girls can take the 2:40pm activity bus from OMS to PHS to attend these workouts. The players should report to the main gym where a high school coach can direct them to where they can change. Girls will need to have a ride home at 5:30pm as there are no activity buses home after workouts.

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Girls interested in playing volleyball next year for OMS or the high school, please attend an informational meeting on **Wednesday, May 24th at 8 AM during Jaguar Period**. Current, 6 & 7th-grade girls will report to Mr. Budge in room 248. 8th-grade girls, please report to the cafeteria with Coach Krause.

CROSS COUNTRY

**Attention current 6th & 7th graders [Incoming 7th & 8th graders in 2023-2024]:
Interested in learning more about the 2023 Parkland Middle School XC Team?**

- Want to learn how to BE FAST?
- Want to learn good running form and enjoy the benefits of outdoor exercise?
- Want to improve your endurance and speed in training for another sport?

Enjoy running with 70+ of your closest SMS and OMS friends on our Parkland Middle School Cross Country team!

Interested students should join our Parkland MS XC Schoology Course using Access Code 3FJF-J36J-6KPKN. Then, follow the steps posted there to officially join our team. Also, please stop by room 233 to pick up an informational packet from Coach Helffrich. Any questions? Coach Yudt at yudtk@parklandsd.net

CHEERLEADING

"Any student in grades 6 through 8 interested in trying out for the 2023-2024 middle school or high school cheerleading team should join the schoology course for more information. Open gyms are now in session and the official tryout will be held May 23RD. Join the Cheerleading Tryouts Schoology Course with the code 5MND-M6VN-NXQH6"

TRANSPORTATION

*If you are going to SMS or PHS it is your responsibility to let your last teacher know that you need to be **dismissed at 2:20** so you can catch the **2:28 shuttle bus to SMS/PHS. This is bus #122** and will be located in front of the field house.

*If you are going to PHS and you miss the above bus you may take the second bus which will take you directly to PHS. That will be bus #133. However, this is only to be used if you miss the above bus. Students should not purposely hang around or intentionally be dismissed late to take the second bus. The Late Activity Bus leaves Orefield promptly at 4:20. This shuttle bus takes students to Parkland High School, where the students board the appropriate Late Activity Bus depending on their address. This bus leaves the high school at 4:35.

BUS PASSES WILL ONLY BE ISSUED FOR EMERGENCY SITUATIONS THIS YEAR!

IMPORTANT: All students' **must report to the main office to sign in** when coming to school late and all students **must report to the main office to sign out** when being picked up early from school for appointments.

***STUDENTS:** Please be aware that you are not allowed in the building (using the auditorium entrance) prior to **7:30**. In the unfortunate case that you must be dropped off earlier than 7:15, you should be dropped off at the main entrance and must wait in the vestibule until the doors open at 7:30

