

# OSBORNE OBSERVER

*The latest news and updates for Osborne families*

## Matilda: Where Imagination Meets Incredible Talent!

April 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> marked the incredible success of our 8th grade production of "Matilda"! This year, our talented students brought to life Roald Dahl's beloved story, showcasing their hard work, creativity, and dedication.

Our brilliant 8<sup>th</sup> graders stunned with powerful performances, impressive set design, elaborate choreography, and fun musical numbers. The musical score was beautifully executed, with students singing and dancing their hearts out in memorable numbers like "Naughty" and "Revoltin' Children."

It was amazing to see the support of our OMS family. We encourage our community to continue supporting the performing arts in our school. The dedication and expertise exhibited by our 8th graders in "Matilda" have set a high standard and inspired us all.





## Goal-Oriented: Undefeated Girls Soccer Team Eyes Championship!



We are thrilled to announce that the OMS girls soccer team is headed to the GCPS Championship! On April 26<sup>th</sup>, they maintained their undefeated streak with an impressive victory in the Semi-Finals. Throughout the season, the girls have showcased exceptional performances, often winning by significant margins. In many matches, including the Semi-Finals, their opponents were unable to score at all!

Their remarkable skills and athleticism showcase why these girls are truly the ones to watch. Join us in cheering them on Saturday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, as they compete in the Championship game at Seckinger High School at 10:00 AM. Don your school colors, invite your friends and family, and let's create an electrifying atmosphere to support our Lady Hawks as they strive for the title! Let's unite in school spirit and rally behind our amazing team!

A special shoutout to our passionate players and their devoted coaches, Andrew Cornell and Sydney Kelly. Their leadership and guidance have been instrumental in leading our team to victory!



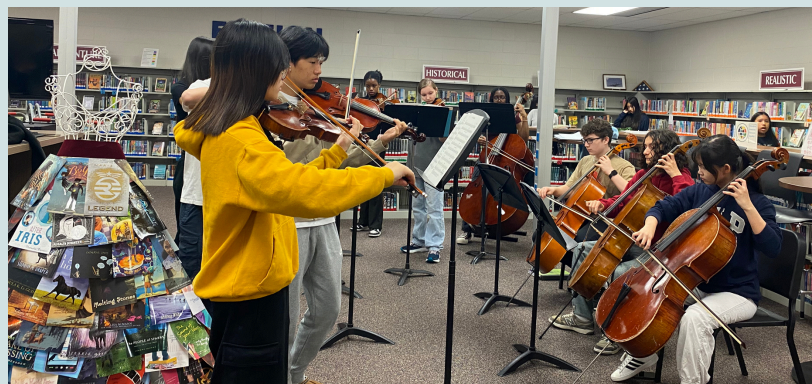
## Bon Voyage: A Retirement Celebration for our Cherished Educators

On April 23<sup>rd</sup>, the staff of Osborne got together to celebrate the incredible teachers retiring this year. We said heartfelt goodbyes to Traci Horner, Kathy Krohnert, Amy Longenecker, Karen Padova, and Pat Sachjen. Each of these dedicated educators has left a lasting mark on our school community and has shaped countless lives through their passion, commitment, and unwavering support. Their impact will be felt for years to come, and we wish them all the best in their future adventures. Thank you for your commitment and everything you've done for our students and community!





# A Month of Melodies: Celebrating the Gifts of Our Band, Chorus, and Orchestra!



## Coffeehouse Concert!



Teachers had the pleasure of savoring coffee and breakfast in the media center while being serenaded by the exquisite musical performances of our talented Band, Orchestra, and Chorus. It was a delightful opportunity to enjoy a delicious meal in such an inviting atmosphere. Our sincere gratitude goes to Emily Nguyen, Taylor Hall, and Carl Rieke for sponsoring this wonderful event that brought joy to our OMS staff.



## Under the Sea Symphony



## Spring Orchestra Concerts







## Shoutout to Michael McIntyre, Chandler Spencer, and Laura Gavin!

Three of our amazing teachers worked with the Office of Post Secondary Readiness to score 7<sup>th</sup> grade Gwinnett Writes responses.

Mr. Spencer led a team of teachers to score the Social Studies prompts, and Mrs. Gavin led a mixed content team to score Organization and Conventions. Mr. McIntyre worked with Language Arts to score prompts in Ideas and Knowledge.

They all agreed that the event was helpful for learning the GCPS expectations and for taking this knowledge back to their CLT groups to prepare for next year. We love our hardworking and dedicated teachers!

## Student Lunch with the Principal

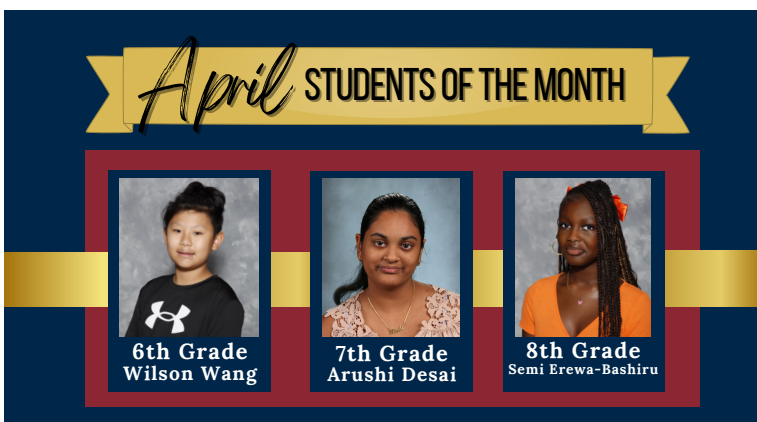
On April 4<sup>th</sup>, some of our 6<sup>th</sup> graders had a memorable lunch with Principal Callahan! This special event was a fantastic opportunity for students to connect with him in a relaxed and enjoyable setting. We look forward to more opportunities to connect and grow together as a school community.



## School Bus Driver Appreciation Breakfast!

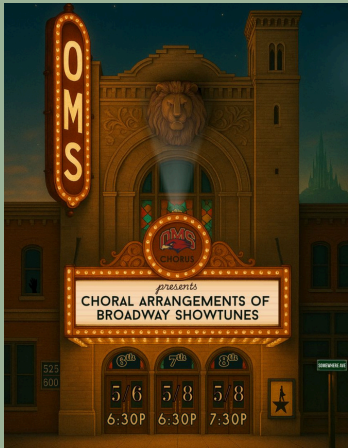


On School Bus Driver Appreciation Day, the Osborne PTA treated our outstanding bus drivers to a special breakfast! Thank you for your dedication, hard work, and for the safe transportation you provide every day. Your commitment ensures that our students arrive at school and home safely. We appreciate the care and positive impact you have on our school community.





# WHAT'S COMING UP IN MAY...



## SPRING CHORUS CONCERT CHALLENGE

At the Spring Chorus concerts, the choirs will be performing selections from 6 different Broadway musicals. Can you find the item that represents each musical?

**HAMILTON** **RENT** **WEST SIDE STORY**  
**THE LION KING** **Addams Family Musical** **WICKED**

### 6th Grade Concert

Tuesday  
May 6th  
6:30PM

Gym 1

### 7th Grade Concert

Thursday  
May 8th  
6:30PM

Gym 1

### 8th Grade Concert

Thursday  
May 8th  
7:30PM

Gym 1

*Dive into*  
**Summer Reading!**

## OMS TAKE 5!

You can check out up to five (5) books to read over the summer from the OMS Media Center.

Checkouts are May 15-20. Be sure to bring your signed TAKE 5 Permission Form.

See the Media Center staff, the OMS Website, or the Media Center eClass page for more information about TAKE 5 and Osborne's Summer Reading Challenge.

\$50 MY PAYMENTS PLUS

- T-SHIRT
- LUNCH
- GAMES & ACTIVITIES

**PAY BY FRIDAY, MARCH 14**

## 8TH GRADE EVENT

→ FRIDAY, MAY 16  
→ 9:30-2:00

## ALL LIBRARY BOOKS ARE DUE MAY 9TH!

## 8TH GRADE THEATER TALENT SHOW

07 MAY, 2025

6:00 PM OMS GYM 1

May 1st, 2025

## SPRING BAND CONCERTS

OMS Gym

7th Grade Band @ 6 PM  
8th Grade Band @ 7 PM

## Last Day of School is May 21<sup>st</sup>!