



# OAKMONT VIKING FAMILY NEWSLETTER

May 2026

## THIS MONTH AT OAKMONT

### May

- 1 Film Festival
- 7, 8 & 9 OHS Dance Show "Storms are named after people"
- 13 Warrior Wednesday @ Lunch
- 14 Band Concert 6:30PM
- 15 Minimum Day, out at 1:05PM - Fun in the Sun
- 15 Quad Dance @ 7PM
- 21 - Junior and Senior **Academic Merit Award Ceremony** (Juniors - 6:00PM, Seniors - 7:15PM)
- 22 IB Exhibition 8:45AM-9:30PM
- 22 Fairwell Rally Day
- 25 Memorial Day - No School
- 27 Finals Periods 3 & 4 - Follow Finals Day Bell Schedule
- 28 Finals Periods 1 & 2 - Follow Finals Day Bell Schedule
- 28 - **LAST DAY OF SCHOOL!!**

**May 29th, 2026**

**Grad Practice and Breakfast at 8AM-10:30AM**  
**Graduation, Class of 2026 at 6:45PM-8PM**

### Class of 2026 Graduation Information



## VIKING INFORMATION

### Follow us on Social Media!

Facebook: [@ohsvikings](#)

Instagram: [@theoakmontway](#)

### Bookmark our website!

<https://oakmont.rjuhsd.us/>

### Bookmark our school calendar!

<https://oakmont.rjuhsd.us/calendar>

### *Weekly Bell Schedule*

M,T,TH,F: 8:30AM-3:20PM

Wednesday: 9:30AM-3:20PM

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# Upcoming Events

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To view Oakmont's Daily Student Bulletin, visit <https://oakmont.rjuhsd.us/activities/student-bulletin>

[OHS 2025 - 2026 School Calendar](#)

[OHS 2026 - 2027 School Calendar](#)

## Important Upcoming Dates:

### May

29 Grad Practice and Breakfast at  
8AM-10:30AM

29 Graduation, Class of 2026 at  
6:45PM-8PM

### July

30 Viking Voyage  
Freshman Orientation - Blue Crew 8AM - 12PM  
Seniors Viking Voyage 12:30PM - 1:30PM  
Juniors Viking Voyage 1:30PM - 2:30PM  
Sophomores Viking Voyage 2:30PM - 3:30PM

### August

6 First Day of School - Class starts at: 8:30AM

## Blue Crew

**Class of 2030!** Be on the lookout during July for details about Freshman orientation. Blue crew leaders will be calling you to welcome our newest Vikings.

## Robotics

Oakmont Robotics teams are already forming and starting their design, coding, and building process over the summer. [If you would like to join a team](#), please reach out to Mr. Wurden ([awurden@rjuhsd.us](mailto:awurden@rjuhsd.us)) or Kade Molloy ([kade.molloy@student.rjuhsd.us](mailto:kade.molloy@student.rjuhsd.us)) for info.

## ATTENTION ALL STUDENTS AND PARENTS

Doordash, Foodjets, or any other 3rd party are **NOT ALLOWED**, [per student handbook!](#)  
Only individuals on your emergency card may drop off food or other items to you on the table in the front office.

See the [Oakmont Calendar](#) for a list of all Oakmont athletic events and activities.

For a list of College & Career Presentations/Dates, please visit

<https://oakmont.rjuhsd.us/services/college-career-center>. Presentations are open to Grade 9-12 students.

Oakmont HS Bell Schedule 2025-2026

<https://oakmont.rjuhsd.us/about/bell-schedules>

Oakmont Parents Club

<https://www.oakmontparentsclub.com>

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# College & Career Events

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Located near the Library \* Hours: 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM  
Katrina Headrick - [kheadrick@rjuhsd.us](mailto:kheadrick@rjuhsd.us)

## Summer Work Permits

The Oakmont College & Career Center closes for summer on Thursday, June 4<sup>th</sup> and will re-open for the 2026-2027 school year on Monday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>. To get a work permit processed over summer, go to either Oakmont's front desk or the District Office. The summer dates and times will be published in June.

## ALL GRADES can apply for SCHOLARSHIPS!

There are scholarships available for every grade, especially in high school. Start applying early enough and set yourself up for college or trade school. Visit Oakmont's College and Career Center web page for 4 ways to "scholarship".

Web Page: <https://oakmont.rjuhsd.us/services/college-career-center/scholarships>

If you have any questions, or need assistance, see Mrs. Headrick in the College & Career Center.

## Academic Merit Award Ceremony - Qualifying Juniors and Seniors

The AMA's or Academic Merit Award Ceremony will be on Thursday, May 21<sup>st</sup> in the Oakmont Theater. If you received an invitation by email sent on 4/27, then your child has qualified to attend based on one or more of the following criteria:

- Earned a cumulative Grade Point Average of 3.31 or higher
- Receiving an Award
- Being awarded a RJUHSD Local Scholarship

Junior Ceremony: 6:00 PM

Senior Ceremony: 7:15 PM

Important Reminders:

- Please arrive **30 minutes prior** to your ceremony to check in and line up alphabetically
- This is a formal celebration of your achievements; **professional attire is expected**
- Due to limited seating, each student may bring **up to two guests**

Congratulations to all who qualified!

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## Junior Checklist for a 4 Year College

- STAY INFORMED**  
Check in with the College & Career Center regularly. Stop by in person, read your school emails, and stay connected through social media and the website.  
<https://oakmont.rjuhsd.us/services/college-career-center>
- RESEARCH COLLEGES, MAJORS, AND CAREERS**  
Start exploring colleges and think about what fits you best, including location, size, programs, and campus culture. Build a preliminary list and begin considering possible majors and career paths. Use [CaliforniaColleges.edu](http://CaliforniaColleges.edu) as a starting point.
- BUILD YOUR RESUME**  
Create a strong resume that highlights your achievements, leadership, and community service. Not sure where to start? Come see me.
- GET INVOLVED**  
Participate in meaningful activities that reflect your interests and strengths. Look for internships, job shadowing, or part time work. Give back through community service and keep track of everything for your resume.
- TAKE TESTS**  
Prepare for and take exams like the SAT or ACT if they align with your college goals. Get ready for AP or IB exams in the spring.
- VISIT COLLEGES**  
Attend college fairs and visit campuses to see what feels like the right fit. If you cannot go in person, take advantage of virtual tours and events.
- ASK FOR LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION**  
Build strong relationships with teachers, your counselor, and employers. Plan to request at least two letters of recommendation before the end of the school year.
- MAKE A SUMMER PLAN**  
Use your summer wisely. Consider a job, internship, summer program, or volunteer opportunity that builds your experience and skills.
- APPLY FOR SCHOLARSHIPS**  
While most scholarships are for seniors, there are opportunities for juniors too. Start looking and applying now.
- KEEP YOUR GPA STRONG**  
Challenge yourself with a solid senior schedule, including a math class if possible. Stay organized and manage your time so you can balance school and activities.



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# Viking News

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## Oakmont Athletics

Go Vikes!!! Check out the Athletics page on the school [website](#) for schedules, athletics clearance and coaches contact information.

Go Vikes!

## Yearbook Distribution

Yearbook distribution will begin **May 19th to Seniors ONLY!** Seniors, you may pick them up before school, during both lunches, or after school at the student store.

**Grades 9 - 11**, you may pick up your books before school, during both lunches, or after school **May 20th and 21st** at the student store. Be sure to have your ID with you. STILL NEED TO BUY ONE? Do it NOW before we run out! Visit the OHS webstore or go to [www.yearbookordercenter.com](http://www.yearbookordercenter.com) and enter 17572 to order today!

## Administration of Medication Form 2026/2027

**2026/2027 School Year:** If your student needs any medicine will on campus, please have their healthcare provider complete the Administration of Medication by School Personnel form. [The form can be found here.](#) For any questions or concerns about medical needs, please contact the school nurse, Rebecca Fielder at [rfielder@rjuhsd.us](mailto:rfielder@rjuhsd.us)

## AP EXAMS 2026

[See Flyer](#)

## Tutoring Support

[Odin's Eye Tutoring: Year-End Update Flyer](#)

Questions? If you have any final questions for the remainder of this term, feel free to contact the OHS LSS Department: Raisa Wyant - [rwyant@rjuhsd.us](mailto:rwyant@rjuhsd.us) or David Thompson - [dathompson@rjuhsd.us](mailto:dathompson@rjuhsd.us).

Have a strong finish to the semester, Oakmont!

## District Cell Phone Policy

Dear Oakmont Families,

The district is currently gathering feedback from students, staff, and parents regarding our district cell phone policy. We want to ensure our community has every opportunity to weigh in on this topic.

We are specifically seeking your perspective on our current policy and the possibility of a "Bell-to-Bell" focus-first approach. This potential shift is aimed at encouraging more face-to-face interaction and student connection during the school day.

### Survey Details:

- Link: [Parent & Community Cell Phone Policy Survey](#)
- Deadline: The survey will close on May 8, 2026.
- Privacy: All responses are strictly anonymous.
- Students and staff will take their surveys during the school day.

Thank you for partnering with us to help guide this focus on student engagement and success.

Best regards,  
Oakmont High School Administration

## Important New Law

### [New Law](#)

SB19 – Effective Jan. 1, 2026

- What is illegal? Making a threat to kill or seriously hurt someone at a school, university, daycare, workplace, medical facility, or house of worship.
- Does "online" count? Yes. This includes social media posts, images, or texts, as well as things said in person.
- The "Just Kidding" Rule: It is still a crime even if you don't actually plan to carry it out. If the threat is specific enough to make people feel reasonably and continuously afraid for their safety, it is against the law.
- Consequences for Students: Possible MISDEMEANOR charge on your record. School consequences could range and include a possible suspension and possible recommendation for expulsion.
- Interventions for Students: May include a referral to counseling or wellness, and a referral to the Behavior Threat Assessment process.

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# Class of 2026

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# 2026



## Class of 2026 Checklist

Click the link below to go to the OHS website and find the Senior Checklist and Senior/Graduation Information. This will be updated throughout the year, so check back frequently for new information:

<https://oakmont.rjuhsd.us/resources/graduation-senior-information>

## Seniors! Buy your Chromebook.

Seniors may [purchase their Chromebook](#) between March 2nd and **May 15th**.

Students must have no outstanding fees in order to purchase their Chromebook. The cost is \$40, which includes the charger. Come see Mrs. Fajardo at the Student Services window.

## Sober Grad Night

Class of 2026, your Sober Grad Night is approaching quickly. Go to

<https://www.oakmontparentsclub.com/content/37692/Sober-Grad-Night> for more information.

## Cap & Gown and Grad Tickets

**May 19, 2026 Cap and Gown:** during both lunches, bring your ID.

(for orders received after December 1). \$60 cash will allow you to purchase a cap/gown/tassel if you didn't order online but there will be limited stock

**May 27, 2026 Graduation Tickets:** Distributed at the finals break, bring your ID.

## Step needed before getting Diploma..

Seniors come into the Library and find out what you have checked out.

(Textbooks, Library books, Chromebooks & chargers.) You can also come and find out what fines and fees you have that need to be cleared **before** graduation.

If you have any questions please contact: Heather Aiken at - [haiken@rjuhsd.us](mailto:haiken@rjuhsd.us)

## Attention All Drivers!

### Unauthorized Parking Will Result in Tickets and Towing!

To ensure safety and convenience of everyone we are strictly enforcing parking regulations.

**Please be aware that parking in the following designated areas without proper authorization will result in a parking ticket AND your vehicle being towed at your expense. Possible revocation of parking privileges.**

- Senior Spots - Painted parking spot and must include OHS parking pass. (Seniors Only)
- Staff Parking - Designated for authorized staff member's only. Clearly marked as STAFF in the parking spot. (Must have New OHS STAFF DECAL)
- Visitor Parking - Reserved for **Visitors only**. (Clearly marked Visitor)
- Handicap Parking - Must have a handicap placard.
- Other open spots - Must have a current OHS Parking Pass.

### Why is this important?

Accessibility: Ensures those with mobility challenges to have convenient access.

Operational Efficiency: Staff parking allows our team to perform their duties effectively.

Respect for Designated Areas: It maintains order and fairness for all.

If you are unsure where to park please, please ask for clarification. We appreciate your cooperation in helping us maintain a safe and organized parking environment.

## Important RPD Safety Facts

Click here for information about [E-Bike, E-Scooter, & bicycle safety](#) and [Law Requirements](#)

## Parent drop off reminders

Please remember the back parking area is for bus drop off and pick up only. Also when dropping off in the front, please DO NOT BLOCK LANES. Pull forward and have students exit quickly and safely. Please do not allow your student to jump out of your car on Cirby Way. Thank you!