



The Bulldog

OMS Newsletter

November 2019

OMS Students, Families, and Staff,

A huge thank you to our students for raising \$189 for the Senior Center. The students paid a \$1.00 to wear their Halloween costumes to school. The Student Council students will be taking the check to the Senior Center later this month and eating lunch there! We are proud of our students for giving back to the community.

Congratulations to the following students for making honor band. Our 7th grade students are: Emily Schulmeyer-Horsley (flute), Tanner Walser (Clarinet), Haley Burk (Clarinet), Jordan Ailor (Horn), and Dylan Boehmer (Trombone). The 8th grade students are: Elissa Unruh (Clarinet), Lorelai Burch (Trumpet), Emmalea Munsterman (Trombone) and Sam Gillespie (Tuba). We are proud of these talented students!



The students in Mr. Behrman's classes have lots of opportunities to do hands-on experiments in class. A couple of weeks ago the students got to experiment with dry ice. Mr. Behrman carefully placed the *dry ice* into the soapy water using gloves. With the liquid dish soap in the mix, the soap in the water traps the CO₂ and water vapor to form a bubble.

Yours in Education,

Mrs. Malizzi.

OMS Principal

Athletics and Activities Alert:

Winter Activities are underway at OMS! Wrestling is in full swing with 28 athletes learning and working hard daily. Basketball tryouts are also full steam ahead and are set to wrap up November 8.

OMS Winter Guard Club is just around the corner! Open to 7th-8th graders, Winter Guard combines dance, rhythms and flags. Practices are in the evenings, and the club will perform at four OMS home basketball games. Permission slips are due to the office as soon as possible.

Important Dates:

November 12 -- First Winter Guard Club Practice (5:30 - 7:15 PM)

November 21 -- OMS Wrestling - Home Quad

November 23 -- OMS Wrestling @ Oak Grove Tournament

November 23 & 25 -- OMS Basketball - A Tournament @ Sherwood

* Please check the Odessa R-VII website for full OMS sports schedules.

Mr. Doering

OMS Assistant Principal & Athletic Director



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OMS Fun



Staff Member Spotlight

Mrs. Sandi Beauchamp is our attendance secretary. This is her first year at OMS. Sandi is very friendly and organized.



Mrs. Beauchamp grew-up in Mayview and graduated from Odessa in 2002. Her and her husband, Darron, have four boys who attend the Odessa Schools.

The family has three chickens, three cats and two dogs.

Sandi and her family moved back to Odessa from Concordia about 4 1/2 years ago. They own a Victorian house that was built in 1905. The house had been turned into duplex in the 1970s. Sandi and her husband have completely rehabbed it into their current five bedroom house.

Fun Fact:

Sandi took her first plane ride this summer. The plane went 13,000 feet for ten minutes, then she jumped out!

Dates of Interest:

November 11-17: American Education Week

November 19th: 7th Grade Field Trip

November 27th-29th: No School for Thanksgiving Break

Test your OMS Staff Knowledge!

Match the fact with the staff member.

1. I have four sons
2. I work part-time at a library
3. I am the Girls B team Basketball Coach
4. I ride a scooter to work with a helmet!
5. My daughter will be playing Soccer at MU

- A. Mrs. Easley
- B. Mrs. Beauchamp
- C. Mrs. Grubb
- D. Miss Walkenhorst
- E. Mr. Rouillard