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OMS Newsletter

March 2020

OMS Students, Families, and Staff,

Congratulations to Mrs. Hawk's eighth grade

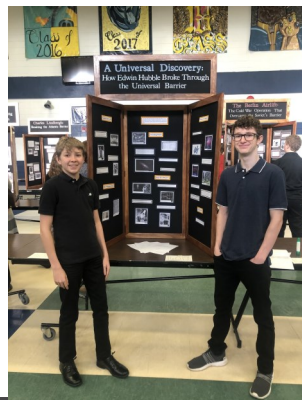
TARGET students at History Day this past Saturday. Four of the five groups made it to the finals round. Bella Perz took second! Her topic was *The Stonewall Riots: Breaking Barriers of Inequality*.

We are so proud of these students for all of their hard work on their projects!



Yours in Education,

Mrs. Malizzi, OMS Principal



Athletics and Activities Alert:

The OMS Track & Field team has taken shape with 65 seventh and eighth grade student athletes out for the team. Practices are daily from 3:00 - 4:30. With eight meets on this year's schedule, the team opens the competitive season at the Grain Valley Open on April 2. We are hoping for sun and seventy five degrees!

Thank you to Mr. Buford and all students who participated in Intramurals. Many students took advantage of the extra time to work on their basketball skills and play some fun games throughout February.

Important Dates:

March 12 - OMS Track & Field Team Parent Meeting - 4:45

April 2 - First Track Meet -- Grain Valley Open - 4:00

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

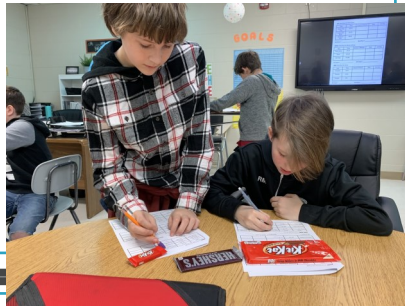
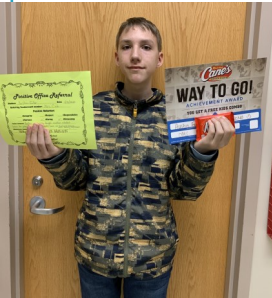
Mr. Doering, OMS Assistant Principal & Athletic Director



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OMS Fun



Staff Member Spotlight

Mrs. Hart has been a paraprofessional at OMS for 14 years. She is excited to retire, but will miss interactions with her “kids”.

After retiring Mrs. Hart plans to travel, spend time with her family, attend Chiefs games, and read. She is looking forward to her grand return to Senior Softball, where she hopes to play first base or any infield position.

We will miss Mrs. Hart’s sweet caring heart and fun spirit!



Fun Fact:

Mrs. Hart was a Kansas City Chiefs’ cheerleading coach from 1989-2009.

Dates of Interest:

March 12: Mrs. Callahan's baby is due

March 19th: Early Release and Parent/Teacher Conferences

March 20th-24: No School—Spring Break

Test your OMS Staff Knowledge!

Match the fact with the staff member- Coaching Edition

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| 1. Head Track Coach | A. Coach Herring |
| 2. Asst. Track Coach | B. Coach Kratz |
| 3. Asst. Track Coach | C. Coach Pierce |
| 4. Asst. Track Coach | D. Coach Herzberg |

