



The Clay Chronicle

A message from CHS Principal

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Chromebook Distribution/Parking Permit/Picture/Locker Distribution

On Wednesday, August 18, and Thursday, August 19, all students will report to the high school (please enter door #38 located by the attendance office) to pick up their Chromebook, have their school picture taken, obtain a parking permit (if needed), select a locker (if desired), and senior students can turn in proof of meningitis vaccine. We realize that all returning CHS students kept their Chromebook over the summer. However, it is important to have your child attend one of these Distribution Days to obtain/turn-in the information listed above. Please remember that every student must be present at Chromebook distribution to receive their device. Chromebooks will not be issued to siblings.

For Chromebook distribution days, all students are asked to report to the high school according to their last name as indicated below at the appropriate time. Please note the times below are a guide to avoid waiting in long lines. If your child cannot attend the assigned day and time, please have your child report on August 18 or 19 at a time that is convenient for your family.

Wednesday, August 18, 2021

Last Name A – I	=	10:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Last Name J – Q	=	1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Last Name R – Z	=	3:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.
Open Time	=	5:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Thursday, August 19, 2021

Open Time	=	2:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
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Please review the attached document that was emailed in early August for additional information on August 18 & 19. Also, a sample picture order form (including prices) is attached.

CHS Open House

The CHS Open House is scheduled from 10:30 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 18. On Wednesday, after picking up the Chromebook, please feel free to walk the halls and stop in your child's classrooms and talk with the teachers to discuss the year and classroom expectations. Teachers will be available for Open House from 10:30 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 18.

Freshman Orientation

Freshman Orientation will be on Friday, August 20, with students attending a full day of school from 7:50 a.m. – 2:35 p.m. The students will have the opportunity to meet the CHS administration and teachers, tour the building, go to each class on a mini-schedule, eat in the cafeteria and complete numerous other activities. Students DO NOT need to bring a lunch, backpack, books/notebooks, their Chromebook or purse. Transportation to and from school will be provided for the students at their normal pick up and drop off locations and times. If you drop off/pick up your child to/from school, please use Lot A (by the football field) or Lot B (by the tennis courts). Students dropped off in Lot A will enter door #38. Students dropped off in Lot B will enter door #17. Please do not drop off/pick up your child using the front semi-circle. The front semi-circle is strictly used for bus drop off/pick up. We have an exciting day planned for the freshman students and look forward to meeting the Class of 2025. If you have any questions, please contact CHS Assistant Principal Greg Sigg.

CHS Attendance Office

Clay High School has an Attendance Office that is separate from the Main Office. Please contact the Attendance Office at **419-693-9729** or email (CHSattendance@oregoncs.org) if your son or daughter is going to be absent from school, if he or she is in need of an early dismissal due to a doctor's appointment or family emergency, to submit a medical excuse or any other valid reason.

Tardy to School/Early Dismissal Procedures:

When dropping off your child to school after the 7:50 bell, or when picking him or her up for an early dismissal, please use the Attendance Doors (#38), located off parking lot A, on the West side of the building.

Athletic Booster Yard Signs

Don't forget that the last day to order a yard sign is August 15. Show your support for your favorite Eagle Athlete by placing a sign in your yard. Open the attached document for general information and ordering instructions. Please contact the CHS Athletic Boosters (oregonclayathleticboosters@gmail.com) if you have any questions.

Required Senior Immunization

Students in the 2022 graduation class are required to have the meningitis–MCV4 vaccine. If your son or daughter has received the immunization, please have your child take a copy of the shot record on Chromebook Distribution Days and give the record to the school nurse. If your child has not received the required immunization, please schedule an appointment to receive the immunization. You may call your doctor's office to get the immunization, or the Mercy Health Center at Clay High School has the immunization available for your child. If you would like to schedule an appointment with the Health Center, please call 419-696-5533 to schedule the

appointment. Please contact the school nurse (Meghan Ferguson, RN) at 419-693-0665, ext. 2040, if you have any questions.

Goodwill "Pass It On" Challenge

Once again, Clay High School will be participating in the Goodwill - 13abc "Pass It On Challenge." This will be a challenge against Anthony Wayne for the school that can collect the most goods (measured by total weight) to be donated to Goodwill. There will be a Goodwill trailer parked in the West parking lot (Lot A) at Clay High School on Monday, August 30, through Thursday, September 2, from 2:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. The items donated may be clothing, household items, books, but please no TV's, computers or items with Freon. On Thursday evening, the trailer will be removed from our property and weighed. The school with the most weight "wins" the challenge. The winning school will receive a \$500 scholarship from Goodwill and 13abc. Please see the attached flier for more information.

WTOL Channel 11 Pack-a-Pick Up Challenge

Mark your calendar during the week of September 27 for the Pack-a-Pick Up Challenge. Before the Central Catholic football game, Charlie's Dodge will have a pick up at the gate collecting canned goods to help support the Seagate Food Bank of Northwest Ohio. The school that collects the most canned goods wins the challenge. Attached is general information about the Challenge. Additional information will be shared as we get closer to the challenge.

CHS Distinguished & Friends Hall of Fame and Athletic Hall of Fame

On Thursday, September 16, Clay High School will welcome ten people into the Hall of Fame. Due to the pandemic in October 2020, the induction ceremony had to be postponed until this year. As a result, this year's induction ceremony will honor the Hall of Fame class of 2020 and 2021. Tamara Hughes (1976) and Thomas Phillips (1983) will be inducted as the 2020 CHS Distinguished Alumni Hall of Fame. Sherry VanCamp (1970) and Terri Hook (1979) will be inducted as the 2021 CHS Distinguished Alumni Hall of Fame. The Athletic Hall of Fame will induct Megan Scharer, Nick Garcia, and Eryn Simon in the Class of 2020. Furthermore, Nick Tammerine, Justin Wharton and Jesse Castilleja will be inducted in the Athletic Hall of Fame Class of 2021. The event will be held at St. Michael Centre beginning at 6:00 p.m. Deadline to purchase tickets is Friday, September 3. Please contact Chris Walendzak at 419-693-0665 ext. 2001 for additional information or to purchase tickets.

Oregon City Schools Substitute Workers

The Oregon City Schools are in need of substitute bus drivers and bus monitors. If you know of someone who is interested or if you are interested, please open the attached flyer and follow the application directions.

Upcoming Events

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Aug. 20 = Freshman Orientation from 7:50 a.m. – 2:35 p.m.
Aug. 23 = First Day of Classes for All Oregon Students K-12
Aug. 30 = First Collection for the Goodwill Challenge from 2:00 – 6:00 p.m.
Aug. 31 = Collection for the Goodwill Challenge from 2:00 – 6:00 p.m.
Sept. 1 = Collection for the Goodwill Challenge from 2:00 – 6:00 p.m.
Sept. 2 = Last Collection for the Goodwill Challenge from 2:00 – 6:00 p.m.
Sept. 3 = NO SCHOOL for Students, Teacher In-Service Day
Sept. 3 = Winner of the Goodwill Challenge is Announced at the Football Game
Sept. 6 = NO SCHOOL, Labor Day
Sept. 10 = Grade Update for the 1st Quarter
Sept. 11 = ACT Administered at CHS

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