



November 17, 2023

CHS Limelighters Fall Production

On November 17, 18 & 19, the Clay Limelighters will present the highly acclaimed Off-Broadway production, *The Old Man and The Old Moon*, from the award-winning PigPen Theatre Company. In this music-filled theatrical fable, The Old Man tends to The Old Moon, refilling the light that spills out every night. When his wife unexpectedly leaves home, The Old Man abandons his post and plunges the world into darkness. His eventful journey across land, air and sea to find her reminds them-and us-of the unwavering power of love. This magical and inevitable tale full of music and puppetry will be a delight for the entire family. All seating is reserved and may be purchased at www.claylimelighters.org. Ticket prices are \$12 for adults and \$10 for Senior Citizens and students. Concessions will be available at all performances. The Old Man and The Old Moon is presented by special arrangement with Broadway Licensing, LLC.

Semester Exams

The semester exams are right around the corner, just one month away. Please continue to check PowerSchool and monitor your child's grades and homework. The semester exams are scheduled for: Tuesday, December 19; Wednesday, December 20; and Thursday, December 21. Continue to stress the importance of the semester exams with your child. The exam is worth 20% of the semester grade, with the 1st and 2nd quarter grades each worth 40%. The exam schedule is attached.

Kinship Navigator Program

The Kinship Navigator Program's mission is to help connect grandparents and other relatives who are raising children to services that are available in the community. Oregon City Schools is partnering with the Area Office on Aging of Northwest Ohio, to bring this information to the district. If you or someone you know could benefit from this program, please join us on Wednesday, November 29, at 6:00 pm in the CHS Auditorium. High school student volunteers are providing activities for the children while caregivers learn more about this nationally recognized program. Contact Jessica Fitch for more information at 419-725-3351.

Model UN Results

On Saturday, November 4, the CHS Model UN Team hosted their 9th Annual Model United Nations Invitational with schools from Northwest Ohio and Southeast Michigan participating in this event. Congratulations to seniors, Tristan Ogburn and Lydia Roberts, who earned Honorable Mention and the Gavel Award for playing extremely difficult roles of the 1950s Republic of China and present-day Russia respectively. Another difficult role was the 1950s Soviet Union, played by junior Danya Abdulkhak who earned the highest honor of Distinguished Diplomat for flawlessly sticking to her nation's historic and controversial Cold War foreign policy. Finally, junior Jessica Joyce scored a near perfect score for her position paper on maintaining peace and security with artificial intelligence, winning her this year's writing award. Good luck at the next competition during the first weekend in December.

Quiz Bowl Results

On Monday, November 6, the Clay Quiz Bowl team showed off the depth of the team in a blowout victory against Toledo Early College. All six varsity team members scored and were led by Noah James, Alex Adamski, and Julia Joyce. The JV team also took home a win and were led by Nguyen Nguyen who scored 50 of the team's toss up points. Good luck to the team in their next match.

Cookie Walk, Holiday Vendor/Craft Show, and Vespers Concert

Get ready to kick off the holiday season in style! Join us on Sunday, December 17, from 2:00-6:00pm, for a delightful trio of events!

Cookie Walk: 2:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Do you love to have a wide variety of holiday cookies for your guests to choose from but can't find the time to bake this year? Don't want the mess baking can cause? Let us do the baking for you! Indulge your sweet tooth in our much-anticipated, 12th annual, Cookie Walk! Upon entry, guests will receive a bakery box to mix and match your personalized assortment of homemade cookies. The cookies are priced at \$9 per pound, allowing you to indulge in as many sweet treats as you desire.

Holiday Vendor/Craft Show: 2:00 pm – 6:00 pm

Looking for unique gifts and festive decorations? Look no further than our Holiday Vendor/Craft Show. Local artisans and vendors will showcase their one-of-a-kind creations, providing you with the perfect opportunity to find that special something for everyone on your list. From handmade crafts to seasonal goodies, you're sure to find treasures that will add a special touch to your holiday celebrations.

Vespers Concert: 3:00 pm (auditorium doors close at 2:55 pm)

Get ready to be enchanted by the magical sounds of the season featuring Clay High School's talented band and choir members. This entertaining concert begins promptly at 3:00 pm in the auditorium. (Doors close at 2:55pm)

Event Details:

Sponsored by: Clay High School Volunteer Focus Students
Date: Sunday, December 17, 2023
Time: 2:00 - 6:00pm (Vespers Concert starts at 3:00 pm)
Parking: Lot B (by the tennis courts)
Enter: Door #17

Make sure to mark your calendar and invite friends and family to join the festivities. Entrance is free and the joy is priceless!

Breakfast with Santa

The Oregon-Northwood Rotary Club will once again host their annual event, Breakfast with Santa, at Clay High School. This special event will be held on Saturday, December 2, from 8:00 am – 10:00 am in the CHS Cafeteria. Children will have the opportunity to participate in various crafts, eat a pancake breakfast, listen to special stories, have their picture taken with Santa, and much more. Please open the attached document for the QR code to purchase tickets. This event is intended for elementary students.

Buffalo Wild Wings Fundraiser

The Wrestling Team, with assistance from BW3 on Navarre, will be hosting a fundraiser on Wednesday, November 29, from 5:00 – 9:00 pm. Buffalo Wild Wings (Navarre Ave. only) will donate 15% of your total bill back to the wrestling team. You will need the attached flyer in order for BW3 to make a donation to the wrestling team. Please help the team raise funds for the 23-24 season.

Toy Drive

The CHS Volunteer Focus Club along with the Oregon Christmas Basket Program is asking for help this holiday season. Volunteer Focus is collecting donations of new and unwrapped toys for local families that will be donated to the Oregon Christmas Basket Program. If willing, please have your child bring in any new unwrapped toy to the main office. Please consider giving to this worthwhile cause and helping families within our community. The last day for the collection is December 8. Thank you in advance for helping our Oregon families.

Ohio State Tests (OST) for Juniors and Seniors

The Ohio State Tests will be administered on Tuesday, December 5; Wednesday, December 6; and Thursday, December 7 to junior and senior students that have never taken the initial test or need to retake these tests. Mr. Sigg will send individual emails to the students that need to take these tests and their parents/guardians. The email will indicate the test that will be taken, the time, and location of the test. If you have any questions, you may contact the Assistant Principal, Mr. Sigg, or your child's counselor.

Career Tech Expo for Sophomores

The Career Tech Department will host their annual Career Tech Expo for all sophomore students to learn about the twelve Career Tech programs available at CHS. Sophomores can sign up to tour up to three programs, with these visits taking place on December 4 - 6. On December 7, all sophomore students will receive an email at 9:30 am with a link to complete the enrollment process to be admitted into a Career Tech Program for the 24-25 school year. The deadline for all sophomores to enroll in a Career Tech program for the 24-25 year is December 8 at 2:35 pm. Additional information will be disseminated to all sophomores on Monday, November 20 during the Career Tech Expo Kickoff during STRIDE. If you have any questions, please contact the Career Tech Office at 419-693-0668 or email the Director of Career Technology, Ms. Becci Bihn at rbihn@oregoncs.org.

Walk the Clay High School Halls

Clay High School is once again extending its invitation to the Oregon Community, by offering access to its hallways during the winter months for indoor walking. To participate, all walkers are required to have a completed registration form on file and should wear their "Walking Pass Badge" while inside Clay High

School. For detailed information and the registration form, please refer to the attached documents. If you need a new pass or want to register, kindly complete the appropriate form and submit it to the Clay High School Main Office during regular school hours (7:50 am – 2:30 pm) to obtain your Walking Pass Badge. Please note that previously issued passes remain valid. The indoor walking program will begin on November 8, 2023, and be held on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from 4:00 pm – 7:00 pm until March 27, 2024. Stay active and warm in CHS this winter!

2023-24 CHS Yearbook

It's never too early to start thinking about the CHS Yearbook. The CHS Yearbook Staff is busy creating a picture packed 23-24 yearbook. This year, all yearbooks will be ordered online at www.jostens.com or by scanning the QR code that is included on the attached document. Please contact the yearbook advisor, Lisa Joseph (ljoseph@oregoncs.org) with any questions. The 2023-24 yearbook will be delivered to all students in September of 2024.

Job Opportunity

Often, CHS receives inquiries from local businesses/companies/ asking if we have any students interested in obtaining a job. When those requests are received, the job opportunities will be posted in this area. If your child is interested in working at any of these companies/organizations, please click the link to obtain more information.

*WhiteWater Car Wash

Counselor Corner

Adrian College – A representative from Adrian College will be at CHS on Monday, November 27 during all lunch periods. Any students interested in learning more about Adrian College are encouraged to stop at their table and talk with their admission representative.

Oregon YMCA – The Oregon YMCA is looking to hire many positions, with Lifeguards as their highest need. The YMCA will work with any individual on certifications needed and will work around schedules. Please open the attached document for the link to apply.

Upcoming Events

Nov. 17 = Limelighters Fall Show at 7:30 pm

Nov. 18 = Limelighters Fall Show at 7:30 pm

Nov. 19 = Limelighters Fall Show at 3:00 pm

Nov. 20 = Career Tech Expo for all Sophomores during STRIDE

Nov. 20 = Winter Sports Parent Meeting at 6:00 pm in the Cafeteria

Nov. 20 = Athletic Booster Meeting at 6:30 pm in the Athletic Director's Office

Nov. 21 = Board of Education Meeting at 6:00 pm in the CHS Learning Commons

Nov. 22 = NO SCHOOL

Nov. 23 = NO SCHOOL

Nov. 24 = NO SCHOOL

Nov. 30 = Model UN at the Canadian-American Security Council Summit in Lansing, MI

Dec. 1 = Grade Update for the 2nd Quarter

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Dec. 2 = Breakfast with Santa from 8:00 am – 10:00 am in the CHS Cafeteria

Dec. 4 = Sophomore Career Tech Expo Lab Tours during STRIDE

Dec. 4 = Band Booster Meeting at 7:00 pm in the Learning Commons
Dec. 5 = Sophomore Career Tech Expo Lab Tours during STRIDE
Dec. 5 = OST Fall Retakes for Juniors & Seniors
Dec. 6 = OST Fall Retakes for Juniors & Seniors
Dec. 6 = Sophomore Career Tech Expo Lab Tours during STRIDE
Dec. 6 = Cenovus Holiday Concert with the Toledo Symphony at 7:00 pm in the Auditorium
Dec. 7 = OST Fall Retakes for Juniors & Seniors
Dec. 7 = Sophomores will Receive an Email with a Link for the Enrollment Process for CT Programs
Dec. 8 = Deadline for Sophomores to Enroll in a CT Program for the 24-25 School Year
Dec. 9 = ACT Administered at CHS
Dec. 11 = Limelighter Booster Meeting at 7:00 pm in the Performing Arts Studio
Dec. 13 = Symphonic Band Performance at the Toledo Zoo

James Jurski

Clay High School Principal

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Clay High School Limelighters

PRESENTS

The **OLD** **MAN** *and* *The* **OLD** **MOON**



BOOK, MUSIC AND LYRICS BY
PIGPEN THEATRE CO.

Directed by Thom Sneed

Choreographed by Amanda Nye

Musical Director Elizabeth Gibson

Technical Director Leah Walsh

November 17, 18 at 7:30 pm

November 19 at 3:00 pm

For tickets and information visit us at
www.claylimelighters.org



2023-24 SEMESTER EXAM SCHEDULE

Tuesday, Dec 19
Wednesday, May 22

7:50-9:15 Period 1 Exam
9:15-9:25 Break
9:25-10:45 Period 2 Exam
10:45-10:55 Break
10:55-12:15 Period 4 Exam
12:15 Dismissal

Wednesday, Dec 20
Thursday, May 23

7:50-9:15 Period 3 Exam
9:15-9:25 Break
9:25-10:45 Period 7 Exam
10:45-10:55 Break
10:55-12:15 Period 5 Exam
12:15 Dismissal

Thursday, Dec 21
Friday, May 24

7:50-9:15 Period 8 Exam
9:15-9:25 Break
9:25-10:45 Period 6 Exam
10:45 Dismissal

2-HOUR DELAY SCHEDULE (IF NEEDED)

9:50-11:20 Exam
11:20-11:35 Break
11:35-12:55 Exam
12:55-1:10 Break
1:10-2:35 Exam

Kinship Navigator Program Caregiver Information Night

- Are you a grandparent, aunt, uncle or other relative raising children within your extended family?
- Do you find yourself seeking support, education, and resources in the community?
- Do you want to learn more about programs available to help?

THEN JOIN US!

Wed. November 29, 2023 | 6:00 – 7:00PM

Clay High School Auditorium

5665 Seaman Rd. Oregon, OH 43616

High school volunteers will be available to provide games and other activities for children, while you hear about the great ways the AOoA's Nationally Recognized Kinship Navigator Program can help!

CONTACT JESSICA FOR MORE INFORMATION

419-725-3351

jfitch@oregoncs.org





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Sunday

December 17, 2023

2:00-6:00pm

Gym Lobby/Culinary

Before & during the
Christmas Vespers Concert &
at Mom's Night In Vendor
Event

Christmas Cookies

PRESENTED BY: CLAY HIGH SCHOOL
VOLUNTEER FOCUS

CLAY HIGH SCHOOL
VOLUNTEER FOCUS
PRESENTS

Holiday Vendor/Craft Show & Cookie Walk

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17
2:00 PM - 6:00 PM

CLAY HIGH SCHOOL GYMNASIUM
5665 SEAMAN RD. ENTER DOOR #17

FREE WILL
DONATIONS
ACCEPTED



DONATIONS WILL
HELP FUND CHS
SCHOLARSHIPS

**All are invited to attend the
CHS Vespers Concert
3pm in the Auditorium.**

VOLUNTEER FOCUS COOKIE WALK,
HANDMADE CRAFTS, ORNAMENTS,
COLOR STREET, AND MORE!

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DECEMBER 2 • 08-10AM

Breakfast *with* Santa



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Photo opportunities available, please
bring your own camera! Crafts, Bike
Raffle, Story Time and So much More.

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**\$5.00 PER
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Home of the Eagles



For Information contact Clay
High School at 419-693-0665

Walking at Clay HS

OPEN TO THE OREGON COMMUNITY

Registration form & Walking Pass
available at Clay High School between the
hours of 7am –2:30 pm
or the registration form can be downloaded at
www.oregoncityschools.org

November 8, 2023 - March 27, 2024
Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays
4pm to 7pm
Enter at Door 3 (East side of Clay)

Must sign release form (If signed in previous
years, a new one is not needed))
Sign in and out each time you walk

Closed holidays, teacher work days and days
school is closed due to weather

Clay HS 5665 Seaman Road, Oregon

The Oregon City Schools and Clay High School are offering a safe, convenient, “weather friendly” environment so that the community can continue to follow a healthy life style through the fall and winter.

Walking Hours:
Monday/Wednesday/Friday
4:00 pm - 7:00 pm
November 8, 2023 - March 27, 2024

Things to remember:

- * For security reasons, everyone must fill out a registration form and receive a “Walking Pass” which is available at Clay High School between the hours of 7am - 2:30pm. (Registration & passes issued in prior years are still valid)
- * Park in Lot C (the east side of the building located between the high school and the administration office). Enter the school through door #3.
- * Walkers must sign in and out.
- * When school is closed (inclement weather, holidays, teacher work days) there will be no Walking Club.
- * A coat rack will be available in the cafeteria for coats & boots.

Walking doesn’t need to be complicated. Something as simple as a daily brisk walk can help you live a healthier life. A walk can help you maintain a healthy weight and prevent/manage various conditions such as heart disease, high blood pressure and Type 2 diabetes. Walking can help strengthen your bones and lift your mood while improving your balance and coordination. Whether you choose to walk slow or brisk, try to turn your normal walk into a fitness stride.

Here are some suggestions:

1. Keep your head up, looking forward not at the ground.
2. Keep your neck, shoulders and back relaxed, not stiffly upright.
3. Keep your arms swinging freely with a slight bend in your elbows.
4. Keep your stomach muscles slightly tightened and your back straight, not arched forward or backward.
5. Set realistic goals and work towards them.
6. Choose comfortable, well-fitting and supportive shoes with thick, flexible soles to cushion your feet and absorb shock.
7. Start your walking program slowly and gradually increase your speed, distance and time so you can avoid stiffness or soreness in your muscles or joints.

Check with your healthcare provider before you begin any type of exercise program, including a walking program.

2023-24 Community Walking Program at Clay High School

Last Name _____ First Name _____
(Please Print)

Date of Birth _____ Gender M _____ F _____ Pass # _____

Last 4 digits of SSN _____ Email Address _____

Address _____ Apt _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

Emergency Contact:

Family member/friend _____

Phone _____ Alternate phone _____

Disclosure Statement

Any information obtained from this form is kept confidential and no personal information is released to the public without written consent, or unless otherwise required under federal law.

Hold Harmless Clause

I agree to indemnify and HOLD HARMLESS the Oregon City Schools, the Oregon Board of Education, Clay High School and their agents and employees from all liability, claims, demands, damages, or costs for or arising out of The Walking Club whether it be caused by the negligence of indemnitor or the Oregon City Schools, or the Oregon Board of Education, or Clay High School or any of their agents or employees, or otherwise.

Signature

Consent for treatment to Medical Care Providers and Local Hospital

In the event we are unable to contact the Emergency Contact listed above, the school will have your permission to transport by local EMS to the nearest hospital.

I give permission for my health information to be shared with emergency care personnel as needed.

OR

Signature

I **DO NOT** give my consent for emergency medical treatment. In the event of illness or injury requiring emergency medical treatment, I wish the school authorities to take ONLY the following action:

Signature

23-24

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