

Bulldog Counseling Corner

February 2024

Issue 6

Set Goals

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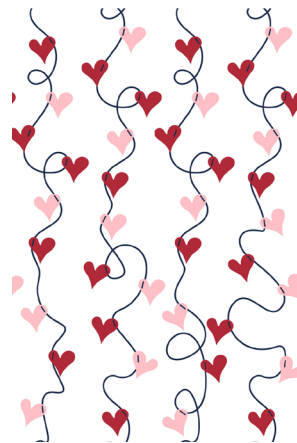
- Be specific
- Set deadlines
- Make a plan
- Track your progress

NOT THIS

- Be vague
- Set unrealistic goals
- Try to do it all alone
- Forget to check in

Parent Teacher Conferences

Olympus Junior High will hold Parent Teacher Conferences on Monday, February 5th and Tuesday, February 6th from 4-7pm in the commons area. Teachers and counselors will be available during that time, so please take advantage and come check in with us. No appointment is necessary, just come!



Valentine's Stomp



Friday, Feb 2nd
12:30pm-1:30pm
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PHOTO BOOTH

Important Dates

Feb 2nd	Valentine's Stomp 12:30-1:30pm
Feb 5-6th	Parent Teacher Conferences 4-7pm
Feb 6th	Olympus High Counselors here for course selection for 8th grade
Feb 9th	No School
Feb 13th	PTSA Meeting 9:15am
Feb 13th	Community Council Meeting 3:00pm
Feb 16th	No School--Teacher work day
Feb 19th	No School--President's Day



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Course Selection for Olympus High School

8th Graders! On February 6th, the counselors from Olympus will be coming to help you get registered for classes at high school next year. Please take some time to look over the classes [at this link and read over the instructions to choose your classes](#). Let your counselor know if you have any questions.

Math Test for 7th/8th Compacted Math

6th Graders in honors math will be invited to take the IOWA test. Those whose test score qualifies will be invited to take the 7th/8th Compacted Math class. This class combines both 7th and 8th grade math curriculum in the 7th grade. Those students then take Secondary 1 Math in 8th grade. Tests will be held February 23rd and March 1st after school. If you have questions, talk to your math teacher.

BULLDOG BUCKS!

We are still looking to hear what your SMART goal is this year! The first 10 students who come to the Counseling Center with their SMART goal will get a Bulldog Buck. Bulldog Bucks can be used to buy items in our school store and students can check their balance by going to clever and selecting "PBIS Rewards." If you've never looked--check it out, you may have more rewards than you know. The app looks like this:



Open Enrollment

The Early Window Application Period for the 2024-2025 school year is from November 15, 2023-February 2, 2024. If you are in 8th grade, live outside of Olympus High School's boundary, and plan to attend Olympus, be sure to fill out an application for the next school year. [Here is a link to more information.](#)

Volleyball

Come support our girls and boys volleyball teams! Games are on Mondays and Wednesdays--you can check dates and places on our [school calendar found here.](#)

Tutoring

The tutoring schedule is posted at the main office, as well as on the [Olympus Junior High Counseling Center website](#). Check it out or email a teacher to find a time to meet with them.

Students can also send a request to a teacher via Canvas to request to meet during advisory.

PARENTS: PLEASE TAKE THIS SURVEY!

Every three years, our counseling center is up for review by the State Board of Education. Please take a minute to do this survey so we can know how we are doing!

Use the QR Code or Click Here

The graphic features a dark blue background with a white border. At the top, there are icons for a tablet, a clipboard with a checklist, and a document with a bar chart. At the bottom left, there is an illustration of a man in a yellow jacket sitting and talking to a man in a purple shirt sitting in a chair. At the bottom right, there is a large QR code.