

OKCS

NEWSLETTER

Have a very Merry Christmas!

Thank you

Thank you to all the parents who have volunteered for hot lunch, drove for sports, or supported the school through prayer. We are so thankful for a supportive parent body! May you be blessed this Christmas season.

Elementary Christmas Concert

Thank you to Mrs. Algra, Mrs. Neufeld and Mr. Lehman for a fantastic Christmas production! Great work, students and thank you to families for attending! We loved the music and the shadow play!

ROYALS ATHLETICS

Remember to check your email for the weekly practice and game schedule from Mr. Miller. There are lots of games this week as we gear up for Christmas!

Alumni Basketball Game!

The OKCS Annual Alumni Basketball game will be held on December 28 from 8:30 AM- 6:00 PM. Plan on coming out to watch some entertaining basketball! Please contact Mr. Taks or Mr. Murray for more information.

Turkey Dinner

If your child is gluten or dairy free, please indicate a special meal for them (through online payments). Note: this is only necessary for those with dietary restrictions!! Please watch for a schedule from Mrs. Evans, if you volunteered for this special day.

OKCS Society Board Members:

Jason Geddert, Bryan McIver, Charity Trites, Franchesca Hildebrand, Paula Swalm, Leah Stanley-Jones, Ken Taks, Christine Barnsdale

Kindergarten Registration

Kindergarten Registration opens on January 6 at 9AM! Watch the website for the pre-registration application (this must be completed first to get on the list!)

Exam Schedule for January

Please see the Exam Schedule on the next page for January and note any dates that your child has exams. [Here are some helpful study tips](#) to help your child succeed!

IMPORTANT DATES

- December 17 - Christmas Colours Day
- December 17 - **NO HOT LUNCH!**
- December 18 - Crazy Christmas Sweater Day
- December 19 - Turkey Dinner & Formal Day
- December 20 - PJ day
- December 21 - January 5 - Christmas Holidays
- January 7 - Panago
- January 10 - Kinders In
- January 14 - Chubb Eats
- January 15 - Social 30 Part A Diploma
- January 21 - Social 30 Part B Diploma
- January 21 - Hamburgers
- January 22 - Last Day of Classes for 9-12
- January 23 - Science 9 PAT
- January 24 - Social 9 PAT
- January 29 - End of S1
- January 30 - Semester Break - No School
- January 31 - Semester Break - No School

Praise and Prayer

Thank you for your prayers - God is at work!

Praise - for a successful Christmas Concert...
Prayer - for focus and diligence this week!

OKCS Exam Schedule

| MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
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| | 14 * | 15 Social 30 Dip- Part A - | | |
| 20 * | 21 Social 30 Dip- Part B | 22 Last Day of Classes English 10 Part A 12:30pm start | 23 AM Science 9 PAT English 20 Part A Final <i>Chem 30 - Diploma</i> ----- PM English 20 Part B Final | 24 Social 9 PAT English 10 Part B Biology 20/Physics 30 Math 20-2 ----- PM MATH 10C/10-3/20-3 |
| 27 Physics 20 | 28 FIRST AID 9-5 Open to Gr 11 Students- Not re-cert \$20- 18 spots | 29 Last Day of Semester | 30 Semester Break- Organizational Day NO Students | 31 Non- Instructional Day School closed |

Olds Koinonia Expectations and Regulations for Final Exams

GRADE 9 specific:

THURSDAY:

- Grade 9's will stay after their Science 9 PAT.
- They will have PE class as a break in the gym and then have a Social 9 review period .

FRIDAY:

- After the Social 9 PAT, students are welcome to be picked up by a parent.
- Any arrangements to go home with a friend must be communicated by the student's parents to the office. Students are required to be signed out by the adult picking them up.

GENERAL

1. Students in Grade 10 -12 need only attend school for scheduled exams after the last day of class. Teachers are available this week to offer tutorial sessions and provide individual help.
2. Students in Grade 10-12 may leave the school when they have completed the exam. To limit distractions during exams, we ask that students stay out of the hallways at any time while exams are being written.
3. Students not in attendance for their final and mid-term exams may receive a grade of zero.
4. Students are not permitted to talk, whisper, or communicate non-verbally during exams.
5. Course materials (ie. textbooks, review booklets, etc.), will be returned to the classroom teacher prior to beginning the exam.
6. Students are requested to be in the exam room 15 minutes before exams begin (20 minutes when writing on computer).
7. Students may bring bottled water if they desire and a quiet snack.
8. All digital devices, other than approved calculators, must be stored in a teacher designated area.
9. Exams for courses not listed in this schedule may be written in class.