



OKEMOS HIGH SCHOOL

Bi-Monthly Newsletter for Okemos High School Community

IMPORTANT DATES

LABOR DAY-NO SCHOOL
SEPTEMBER 2-5

EARLY RELEASE (12:35)
SEPTEMBER 14

HOMECOMING KICKBALL
TOURNEY (3PM)
SEPTEMBER 19

HOMECOMING BONFIRE (7-8:30)
SEPTEMBER 21

H.C. PARADE (5:30) & GAME
SEPTEMBER 23

HOMECOMING DANCE (8-11PM)
SEPTEMBER 24

NO SCHOOL
SEPTEMBER 26

IMPORTANT LINKS

click these:

[DISTRICT CALENDAR](#)

[PARENT/STUDENT HANDBOOK](#)

[PARENT GROUP](#)



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dear Okemos High School Community,

It has been a fantastic start to the school year. We are so happy to be working with our students every day! We look forward to partnering with all of you to help all of our students reach their potentials.

This is the first edition of our bi-monthly communication. It is our hope to send these out on the 1st and 15th of every month. We hope you find this communication both timely and useful. Please reach out if you need us! Take care- Dr. Kemsley

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

STUDENT CELEBRATIONS

- In short order, our students have shown they can get to class on time; use passes appropriately; and keep our spaces clean. Great work, students!
- We had a successful Senior Sunrise event. And it was a nice to see so many students and families at Open House!
- Overall, the feeling in the high school is very positive. This, in large part, is due to our students. We're off to a great start!

ATHLETICS

Questions should be directed to Athletic Secretary Melissa Biel at melissa.biel@okemosk12.net

Okemoschiefs.org has all of the athletic **schedules, bus times, and rescheduled dates** will be posted on the site. Each sport has different means of communicating results, with many available on <https://www.mhsaa.com/Schools/okemos>

For additional information on each sport, please contact the coach directly. [Click here to access their contact information.](#)

**Reminder to everyone attending athletic events:
Tickets must be purchased on GoFan**

COMMUNITY ED'S FIRST ANNUAL
TRUNK OR TREAT
OCTOBER 22, 2022
OKEMOS HIGH SCHOOL STADIUM PARKING LOT
CALL TO TRUNK DECORATORS, HALLOWEEN FANATICS, AND CREATIVE KIDS!
STUDENTS, CLUBS, PARENTS, FRIENDS, SPORTS GROUPS...
BEST TRUNK CONTEST AND BRAGGING RIGHTS
REGISTER TO DECORATE A TRUNK SPACE & GET MORE INFO HERE:



<https://bit.ly/3HjiED>

TROPHIES FOR BEST OVERALL TRUNK, BEST SPORTS GROUP, BEST CLUB, SCHOOL DEPARTMENT, STAFF MEMBER, FAMILY, OR STUDENT





Save the Date!
BOND 2022
OKEMOS PUBLIC SCHOOLS

EXPECTED ZERO MILL INCREASE BOND
Safe, and efficient educational environments are at the core of this \$275 million initiative, with no expected change to the current tax rate. If approved, the bond proposal would replace three school buildings and upgrade aging academic, fine arts, and athletics spaces. It would provide safety, security, and operational efficiency improvements district-wide.

VOTE NOV. 8, 2022

LEARN MORE AT
OKEMOSBOND.NET

COUNSELING DEPARTMENT INFORMATION

WHERE ARE WE?

The Okemos High School Counseling Office is located on the 2nd floor directly above the main office. OHS Counselors can help with a variety of things such as: personal problems, academic concerns, scheduling issues, college and career planning, overall wellness etc.

Appointments can be scheduled by clicking on the Meet Your Counselors tab or contacting Vicki Schiro at 517-706-4920.

Yearbook Update:

Yearbooks are currently in storage. We need to train the new yearbook staff. as much as we would love to get everyone their yearbooks immediately, we have to get a system in place in order for that to be successful.

We will get out the yearbooks within the next few weeks. If you are interested in buying a 2022 yearbook if there are extras please email yearbook@okemosk12.net. Thanks for your patience!