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OGMS Soaring News

Soaring News is a bi-weekly newsletter intended to share what is happening at Oak Grove Middle School. This is a school newspaper created by students for students, always with a student perspective. We will share information about upcoming events, activities, and ways in which we can get involved to make Oak Grove Middle School a great place for us all!

LOST AND FOUND

If you ever lose a jacket or shirt just go check the Lost and found! The lost and found is located near the water stations, sometimes in front of the office. If your jacket or other personal items are found in the field or lunch area, a student or the staff will bring it to the lost and found. A lovely lady called Mrs. Garcia put most of the jackets all on hangers! She does that to make sure no one steps on them. If you ever see her during lunch, please thank her for all the kind things she does. If no one takes any of their jackets by the end of winter Mrs. Garcia will either take them to a thrift store, goodwill, an orphanage, or donate them to the homeless people. ***By Nadia Wilson***



SPIRIT WEEKS AT OGMS

OGMS spirit weeks are planned by the Making a Difference Club. Thanks to the Making a Difference Club for planning them! They are a success and totally fun!

We will have a spirit week for almost every holiday. Spirit week is one of the most important things that we have at Oak Grove middle school, as the students and the adults on our campus make a very cheerful, fun, and a safe environment. The spirit week we had just recently was spectacular! Many students got into it! Everyone was in a festive mood, and it seemed like everyone got into the holiday spirit! These will be good memories to have.

Check out the pictures! ***By Asyra Williams***







STUDENT of THE MONTH

Congratulations to the students of the month for October, November, and December! Our Eagles are super hard workers and try to do all that they can to be able to get good grades and good citizenship. Our principal is super proud of them and appreciates that they give it their all every day. We know that everyone else can do it too! You got this! We hope that at some point this year, all eagles get this award. We will certainly give you a shout out! I am sure that maybe some of our Eagles were not so sure they could receive this award, but it just goes to show that with a positive attitude anyone can do it! Once again Congratulations Students of the Month! ***by Amalia***







Food Review: THE CHICKEN SANDWICH

We all love food! Every day, all of us consume anywhere between 2 and 3 meals. That is why I am happy to write an article about school lunches. See, the school serves a lot of different types of food. Some of these items are good, some of them are disliked by most students, and there are some items I've never even seen someone eat.

I'd like to start my food reviews with the Chicken Sandwich, as it is my favorite meal. When I first came to this school, I brought lunches from home, and never had even eaten a school lunch. Then, I forgot my lunch one day, and I decided to go get it from the cafeteria instead. This is the first school lunch I've ever consumed. When I saw it, my first impression was "It looks pretty standard." However, when I tried it, I thought it was fantastic. The combination of the bread and the chicken makes the flavor not too bland, yet not too strong. It is the perfect amount of savory. The bread itself is soft, and slightly sweet, and on its own could be a good snack. The chicken has a pretty standard flavor. If you've ever had chicken nuggets, it's much like that, which I think is good.

The Chicken Sandwich is a common item in the cafeteria, that is in great quantity, so usually anyone can get one. As of December, Chicken Sandwiches are served Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays. ***by Christopher Penner***

JAMUL KIWANIS FOOD AND TOY DRIVE





The holidays are about giving and spending time with family and friends. The Jamul Kiwanis organizes a holiday food and toy drive each year that is all about giving. The holiday food and toy drive was from November 27- December 15. Anyone can donate by giving canned and other non-perishable food during that time. The Kiwanis also accepts new unused and unwrapped toys to bring holiday cheer to selected families. The Kiwanis helped over 40 families last holiday season with gifts and meals using these donations. Thank you to all who donated to families in need this holiday season! ***By Elizabeth Ugalde.***