

THS E-NEWS *Apríl* 5, 2019

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Annual Parent Satisfaction Survey- https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/TSN88HC
- Yearbook Senior Ads are on sale! Please email yearbook@talawanda.org if you want more info!
- Are you interested in taking CCP classes in the fall of next year? Don't forget that the application deadline is May 1st. See your counselor if you have questions.
- Attention all college-bound juniors: It is recommended that you take the June 8th ACT. You can register online: www.actstudent.org. Registration deadline is May 8. See your counselor if you have questions.
- The Fresh Air Fair and Kiwanis Pancake day will be held at the high school on April 13th.
- Hypnosis/Comedy show on Friday, April 12th, see attached flyer for details.
- **Calling ALL THS Parents!** With less than 2 months left in this school year, we are organizing a THS Teacher Appreciation event on May 8th. We're looking for desserts, 2-liter soft drinks, and monetary donations. Please send an email to tomoko@woh.rr.com if you'd like to show your appreciation to your child's teachers. We need all the help we can get in order to serve all 120 THS teachers and staff! Thank you! -Tomoko Brown, THS parent
- Athletics Boosters will be hosting a Golf Scramble on May 5th. See attached flier for more info.
- THS Prom will be May 4, 2019 at the Shriver Center on Miami's campus. Tickets will go on sale the week of April 15. Each Junior or Senior may purchase 2 tickets. Guests who are not THS students need to be registered with the main office-- contact Mrs. Stivers for details.
- Want to know what's going on in the community? Look here: <u>https://bit.ly/2g31xqC</u>

Swim and Dive News!

Even though the swim & dive season is over, the awards still continue to roll in for the Brave Swim & Dive Teams. Last week both the boys and girls teams were named All-American Scholar Teams. The girls team earned silver status by having a team GPA of 3.625, while the boys team earned bronze status with a team GPA of 3.456. Also, individually Rory Adryan, Olivia Baker, Arthur de Boer, Casey Johnston, and Sean Mondello were named Academic All-Americans. To become an Academic All-American you must be a senior, have a GPA greater than a 3.75, and have earned a varsity letter during your senior year. There are over 340,000 students that compete in high school swimming & diving across the country and only 2% of these students are named Academic All-Americans. Congratulations to all on getting the job done in the pool and in the classroom as well.

From the Oxford Lions Club - Eye Exams and Glasses Program:

The Oxford Lions Club is dedicated to the overall philosophy of Lions International concerning the provision of vision services to our local community. The local community includes Oxford and the surrounding areas serviced by the Talawanda School District. An important vision service funded by our Club is providing eye exams and eyeglasses for needy school children and adults within the local community. Our Club policy is to provide full funding and other necessary support for those children and families with limited financial resources. Applications for the eye exams and eyeglasses program are available at each Talawanda school building by contacting Talawanda social service workers and/or nurses. The Oxford Lions Club also collects old eyeglasses and donates them worldwide to people in need. As you are doing your spring cleaning, please drop-off or send any old eyeglasses to Marshall! Thank you!

SENIOR NEWS

 Buy a senior ad in the 2018-19 Yearbook! The prices range from \$19.95 for an 1/8 page ad all the way up to \$139.95 for a full page. You can even share the space and split the cost with multiple graduating seniors. Contact yearbook@talawanda.org for more information. The deadline to place your order is Friday, May 10th.

- THE LAST DAY TO ORDER A YEARBOOK IS MAY 25TH! GET YOURS TODAY AT: www.jostens.com
- Seniors should have received a short survey via email regarding their high school diploma. Please fill out the form; this information is needed for graduation.
- Seniors must return their Chromebook, have all school fees paid and other financial obligations (library fines and lost books, lost textbooks, athletic equipment and uniforms, etc.) paid and/or returned in order to participate in commencement. Fees must be paid no later than May 20th. <u>Personal checks will not be accepted after May 3rd—after that date, fees must be paid in cash or on EZ-Pay.</u>

THS CALENDAR OF Events- April 14th to April 20th

Check www.talawandaathletics.org for athletic events.

Sunday, April 14th

No events scheduled

Monday, April 15th

7:30 – 9:30pm School Board Meeting, PAC

Tuesday, April 16th

Interims Sent Home

10 - 11:30am	Partnership Meeting, Media Center
11am – 12:30pm	Navy recruiter, Cafeteria
2:30 - 4:30pm	Talent Show Practice, PAC

Wednesday, April 17th

2 – 6pm	Talent Show	Practice, PAC
6 – 8pm	Talent Show	Performance, PAC

Thursday, April 18th

7:30 – 10:34am	Talent Show, PAC
2 – 3pm	Partnership Meeting, Guidance Conference
4:30 – 7pm	Literacy Program, Media Center

Friday, April 19th

No School

All day FFA auction set up, full building

Saturday, April 20th

6am – 9pm

FFA Auction, full building





FOR YOUTH OF ALL AGES!

F.R.E.S.H Air Fair

Family Resources in Education for Safety and Health

SATURDAY, APRIL 13, 2019 9:00 AM- 12:00 PM (RAIN OR SHINE) TALAWANDA HIGH SCHOOL Rain location inside the high school



ACTIVITIES INCLUDE: • CHILD IDENTIFICATION KIT • CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES • • TOUR A FIRE ENGINE OR HELICOPTER •



• FIRE SAFETY EDUCATION •
• VISION CHECKS •
• ARTS AND CRAFTS AND MORE! •



DRUG TAKE-BACK DAY

Bring your expired and unused prescriptions and over the counter medications. Law enforcement officers will dispose of them in a safe, legal and environmentally conscious manner and destroy the original bottle.



BIKE SAFETY COURSE AND FREE HELMETS

Oxford Police will provide a bike safety course. FREE bike helmets will be given. Child must be present and fitted to receive helmet (while supplies last)



HELP KEEP OUR COMMUNITY HEALTHY & SAFE

MEDICATION

DISPOSAL DAY

Saturday, April 13th 9:00 am to 12:00 pm Talawanda High School

Bring your expired, unused prescriptions or over-the-counter medications. Law enforcement officials will dispose of the contents in a safe, legal, and environmentally conscious manner.





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Kramer Cultural Night Kramer Elementry School



"Come Explore the World With Us"

This will be an evening festival celebrating our community's diversity. At the heart of this endeavor are our English as a Second Langauge students representing 24 countries and 27 languages. Participants include: Talawanda School District K-12, Miami University students and professors, citizens of Oxford and surrounding communities. The festival is the perfect opportunity to create diversity awareness, bringing young and old together as one in the spirit of unity. Upon arrival, guests will receive passports. Cultural booths will be in the gymnasium. Guests can experience a variety of activities such as Chinese Calligraphy, Origami, Henna Tattoos, Chinese Paper Cutting, and creating International flags out of Legos. The STEM staff will "take you away" on imaginative trips through countries using Virtual Reality Goggles. On stage will be an array of entertainers including Japanese Drummers, African Drummers, Indian Dancers, Nishaana Bollywood Fusion Dance Team, and a Mariachi Band. Dinner will be available from authentic Food Trucks located in the Kramer parking lot. If you plan to attend please RSVP to bucherl@talawanda.org.



OXFORD KINSHIP

JANUARY 8, 2019 Great Meeting!

Join us for upcoming dates:

FEBRUARY 12, 2019

Meals on a Budget.

MARCH 12, 2019

How to find Peace and Joy!

APRIL 9, 2019

Snacks for Summer Days.

MAY 14, 2019

7 Tips for New Kinship Caregivers.

JUNE 11, 2019

Summer Camps and Respite Ideas.

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Contact us for more information about Butler County Educational Service Center programs and services: 400 North Erie Blvd., Suite A • Hamilton, OH 45011 • (513) 887-3710 • www.bcesc.org

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Butler County

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Oxford United Methodist Church 14 N. Poplar St. **Oxford, OH 45056**

WHEN Second Tuesday of the Month

> TIME 12:00 Noon - 1:30 PM

Call to Confirm and reserve your spot!

(513) 785-6881

For more information, contact Melissa at ruffnerm@bcesc.org

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Courses Preparing for JUNE 8th ACT

4-DAY INTENSIVE - Mason | West Chester | Newport Mon-Thu: 6/3, 6/4, 6/5, & 6/6 9AM-4:30PM

Early Registration Deadline: 5/28/2019

WEEKEND WARRIOR - Mason | Newport Sat & Sun: 5/18, 5/19, 6/1, & 6/2 9AM-4:30PM



Early Registration Deadline: 5/13/2019

Courses Preparing for JULY 13th ACT

4-DAY INTENSIVE - Mason | St. X | Newport Mon-Thu: 7/8, 7/9, 7/10, & 7/11 9AM-4:30PM

Early Registration Deadline: 7/1/2019

Courses Preparing for SEPT 14th ACT

WEEKEND WARRIOR - Mason | Newport Sat & Sun: 8/24, 8/25, 9/7, & 9/8 9AM-4:30PM

Early Registration Deadline: 8/19/2019

SIGN UP HERE

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TICKETS to the HYPNOSIS/COMEDY SHOW are on SALE NOW! \$8 pre-sale or \$10 at the door FRIDAY, APRIL 12, at 7pm TALAWANDA HIGH SCHOOL PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

Jason Christopher is an experienced hypnotist, who has entertained 1000's of Middle and High School students. He will be performing live at the THS PAC on Friday, April 12th. His subjects/victims could be <u>YOU</u> sitting in the audience. 20 - 25 students will be chosen at random, called up on stage and placed under hypnosis. What happens after that will keep you laughing throughout the show.

Stop by the office at the High School or Middle School to buy a ticket(s) to the show. We have 550 seats to sell and once they are gone, well . . YOU WILL BE OUTTA LUCK!

SEE YOU ON THE 12th of APRIL!

The show is a fundraiser for TMS PTG.

Thanks for your support,

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