Weekly news for current families of O'Dea High School

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JANUARY 9, 2017 - JANUARY 15, 2017

Weekly Schedule

Monday, January 9th - Semester Exams (11:30am Dismissal)
*POSH Auction Meeting, O'Dea Library @ 5pm (all interested parents invited!)

Tuesday, January 10th - Semester Exams (11:30am Dismissal)

*Freshman Basketball vs. Eastside Catholic, 5:45pm @ Eastside Catholic

*JV Basketball vs. Eastside Catholic, 5:45pm @ Eastside Catholic

*Varsity Basketball vs. Eastside Catholic, 7:30pm @ Eastside Catholic

Wednesday, January 11th - Semester Exams (11:30am Dismissal)

Thursday, January 12th - Semester Exams (9:40am Dismissal)

*Varsity Wrestling Match vs. Roosevelt, 6:30pm @ Roosevelt

Friday, January 13th - No School, Faculty/Staff In-Service

*Swim Meet vs. Nathan Hale, 4pm @ Ballard Pool
*JV Basketball vs. Cleveland, 5:45pm @ O'Dea
*Varsity Basketball vs. Cleveland, 7:30pm @ O'Dea

Saturday, January 14th

*JV Liberty Wrestling Tournament, 9am @ Liberty HS

*Varsity Marysville-Pilchuck Wrestling Premiere, 9am @ Marysville Pilchuck HS

Click here to view the full O'Dea Calendar!

Main Office Final Exam Schedule

Below is the final exam schedule for the end of Semester One:

Monday, January 9th
Maroon 1: 810am - 9:40am
Mentor Group: 945am - 955am
Maroon 2: 1000am - 1130am

Tuesday, January 10th
Gold 1: 810am - 9:40am
Mentor Group: 945am - 955am
Gold 2: 1000am - 1130am

Wednesday, January 11th
Maroon 3: 810am - 9:40am
Mentor Group: 945am - 955am
Maroon 4: 1000am - 1130am

Thursday, January 12th Gold 3: 810am - 940am

PowerSchool Closure

While teachers are entering semester one grades and they are being verified in PowerSchool, there will be a "quiet period" where we will be closing access to PowerSchool. Access will be closed from 2:25pm on Friday, January 6th, until 8:00am on Thursday, January 19th. Thank you for your patience!

Academics & Counseling Junior College Counseling Appointments

parents are encouraged to attend these meetings also.

Juniors who have Dr. Eulberg as their counselor can now sign up for a one-on-one meeting about their College Application process. The sign up is done online through Sign Up Genius. Students should come to the meeting with any questions they have and a list of colleges that they are interested in. Additionally, students should spend some time reviewing The Road to College Admissions Part I. If schedules permit,

If Mr. Kight is your son's counselor, he will contact your son directly and make arrangements for a meeting.

Please do not hesitate to contact <u>Dr. Eulberg</u> or <u>Mr. Kight</u> with any questions. We look forward to meeting with you as your son begins this exciting journey.

Saturday Math

Final exams are quickly approaching! For those students interested in extra help, please join Mr. Rittman for Saturday Math on January 7th from 9am-10am in Room 212. Contact Mr. Rittman with any questions.

SAT Classes Start Soon!

Mazor Test Prep is pleased to offer its highly regarded SAT prep courses at a discount to O'Dea students once again this year. They have an excellent 29-year reputation for helping thousands of students in the Seattle area get the test scores they want and need.

Mazor Test Prep offers:
• Expert, effective, and caring instruction
• Small classes

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Significantly discounted tuition for O'Dea students
 Winter session starts January 21st to prepare for the March 11th SAT.

Spring session starts March 18th to prepare for the May 6th SAT.

Course schedules, registration, and much more are available at

www.mazortestprep.com. Private tutoring is also available. Please use the code: ODEA to get your \$100 O'Dea discount at checkout. Feel free to contact Lisa Mazor at 206.632.TEST (8378) or lisa@mazortestprep.com for more information.

Advancement Office Volunteers Needed

We are in need of volunteers to help phone parents and remind them to make their POSH Auction donations. This is a requirement for all current O'Dea families. The deadline for submitting donation information is **Wednesday**, **January 18th**. Calls may be made from school or home. A call list and script will be provided.

Please note: One easy way to procure an auction item to fulfill your family requirement is by participating in the Dessert Dash. Please click here to sign up and contact Maggie O'Donnell if you have any questions.

Volunteers are also needed to help mail POSH invitations on January 18th and 19th. If you can help with either of these opportunities, please contact Dianne Irwin

Fathers' Club

Italian Dinner

Join us for O'Dea High School's 52nd Annual Italian Dinner. Whether you are an alumni, a current parent, or just a friend of O'Dea, we invite you to join us for fine

Italian cooking and a celebration of the Fighting Irish spirit found only at O'Dea.

When: Saturday, January 28th @ 6pm Where: Knights of Columbus Hall

at <u>dirwin@odea.org</u> or 206-622-7151. Thank you!

Invitations will be sent out later this week or you can make your reservation online now! Please click <u>here</u>. Thank you!

The Arts Music Ensemble Schedules

Instrumental Ensembles
January 9 – No Band
January 10 – No Band or Drum line
January 11 – No Band
January 12 – No Band
January 13 - No School

<u>Vocal Ensembles</u> January 11 – M3 Choir

A note about Liturgical Choir: Students who are not signed up for the Choir class are still able to sing with us at school masses. If your son is interested, they should talk to Mr. Ruiter.

Looking Ahead Important Dates to Remember

January 9th - 12th - Semester Final Exams
January 13th - No School, Faculty/Staff In-Service
January 16th - No School, MLK Jr. Holiday
January 28th - Italian Dinner, 6pm @ Knights of Columbus
January 30th - Choir Festival Concert, 7pm @ Benaroya Hall
February 20th - No School, President's Day
February 24th - 26th - Drama Production
March 10th - No School, Regional Curriculum Day
March 18th - POSH Gala Auction @ O'Dea Gym

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