

Orangeville CUSD #203

November 2023 Newsletter

THANKFUL, GRATEFUL & BLESSED

October 30, 2023

Dear Bronco Families,

As winter approaches, we are reminded of how thankful we are for the harvest season and the hardworking families in our district. We are truly grateful and blessed daily to have the support of our community in our schools.

The students completed their first academic quarter on October 20th and report cards are now available for parent review in Infinite Campus for grades 6-12. Elementary students received their report cards to take home. Please call the school if you did not receive a report card for your son or daughter. The 2022-2023 Illinois School Report Card was released by the Illinois State Board of Education today. We are proud to announce the following accomplishments at Orangeville #203 this past year as seen on the Illinois School Report Card:

- *100% Graduation Rate*
- *Above State Average in English Language Arts Proficiency*
- *72% of graduating students enrolling in college within 16 months*
- *91.40% in financial adequacy*
- *COMMENDABLE Summative Designations for all three levels (elementary, junior high and high school)*

Orangeville offers a wide variety of courses to high school students through CareerTEC, fine arts and agriculture. CareerTEC offers 15 programs within the 5 CTE Career Clusters as follows: Auto Mechanics, Careers in Auto Technology & Service, Careers in Business, Computer Information Systems, Construction Trades, Cosmetology, Criminal Justice, Culinary Arts, Early Childhood Education, Education Career Pathways, Graphic Design, Health Occupations Youth Apprenticeship, Industrial Technologies, Nail Tech, and NJROTC. Agriculture courses offered include Introduction to Agriculture, Animal/Vet Science, Plant/Horticulture science, Food science, and Supervised Ag Experiences. Art, woodworking, Spanish and music education are also available for a well-rounded educational experience beyond the core classes. The district has a proud tradition of offering a competitive and rigorous curriculum to prepare Broncos for college and career readiness! If you should ever have any questions or suggestions, please let us know! Thank you for your partnership!


Happy Thanksgiving to all!

Sincerely, Julie Katzenberger, Ed.S.

FROM THE OFFICE OF MR. RIDDLE



<p>IMPORTANT DATES</p>	<p>Safety Drills</p>	
<p>Nov. 2 - Parent Teacher Conferences Nov. 3 - Fire Drill Nov. 7 - Parent Teacher Conferences Nov. 9 - Veteran's Day Program Nov. 15 - Lockdown Drill Nov. 22-24 No School</p>	<p>During the first half of November we will be having fire, tornado, and lockdown drills. These drills are important to ensure the continued safety of students and staff. Please reach out to Mr. Riddle with any questions or concerns about safety drills!</p>	
<p>Veteran's Day Program</p>		
<p>Join us on November 9th at 9:00. There will be performances by band and choir, speeches, and recognition of the veterans in attendance. Please stay for donuts and coffee after the program as well!</p>		
	<p>REMINDERS</p>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make sure to dress in layers as the weather is unpredictable. • Keep an eye on the website and social media for events and updates. • There are plenty of opportunities to get involved in the school! • We are still looking for athletic event volunteers - contact Mr. Kolar! 	
<p>Thoughts from Mr. Riddle</p>		
<p>November is a time to be thankful. I am thankful to be in a district that has the full support of the community. I am also thankful to be surrounded by staff who strive to do what is best for the students we serve each and every day. Lastly, I am thankful to have a wife and children who support the work I am fortunate enough to do every day. What are you thankful and grateful for?</p>		



With changing seasons, comes new
opportunities...

Winter Sports!

“THE BRONCOS BUCKLE DOWN FOR WINTER ATHLETICS”

- MAKE SURE TO STAY UP TO DATE ON THE GAME SCHEDULE USING OUR DISTRICT CALENDAR.
- ALL GAMES HOSTED IN THE HIGH SCHOOL GYM ARE STREAMED THROUGH NFHS SERVICES.
- MAKE SURE TO LIKE ORANGEVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT #203 ON FACEBOOK TO GET THE MOST UP-TO-DATE INFORMATION ON BRONCO ATHLETICS.

“BEYOND THE BRONCO”

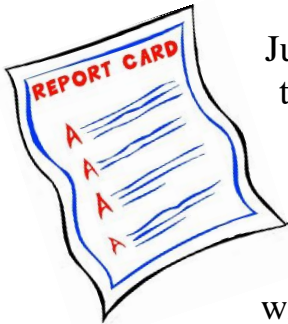
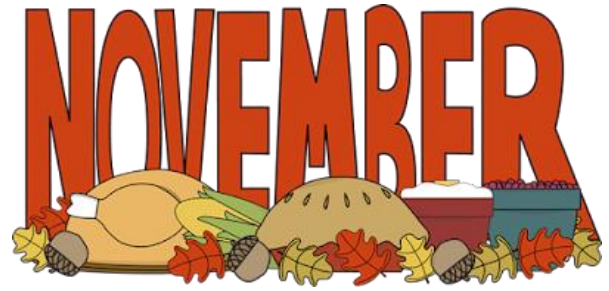
- STUDENTS THIS QUARTER CONTINUED TO WORK ON THE BTB EXPECTATION BEING **RESPECTFUL, RESPONSIBLE, PERSEVERING, AND ORGANIZED.**
- STUDENTS WHO QUALIFIED FOR THE INCENTIVE WATCHED A MOVIE IN THE GYM THIS PAST MONTH.



GAMEDAY RECORDS

- HS VARSITY VOLLEYBALL MADE IT TO THE LAST ROUND OF REGIONALS, TAKING SECOND PLACE IN THE REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP AT RIVER RIDGE HS
- HS VARSITY FOOTBALL TOOK ON MILLEDGEVILLE FOR A DIFFICULT GAME IN ROUND 1 OF PLAYOFFS

October flew by!! I loved the weather we had... right up to Halloween... BRR! I always love the change of seasons. I went to several apple orchards this year, comparing their cider and (best of all) doughnuts! ☺ It was also great to see and enjoy the lovely leaves before many finally fell in the rain and wind at the end of the month.



Just a reminder that first quarter report cards have been completed. On Oct. 27th, the ‘hard copy’ report cards were sent home with elementary students. For Jr.-Sr. High (and all) parents, you should be able to see your child(ren)’s report card in the parent portal of *Infinite Campus* by going to Documents in your menu. If you want to see current (now Q2) in-progress quarter grades, look on the main page of your parent portal (scroll down). Those current grades will always show there. If you want a hard copy of a 6-12 student report card, please email me (rheck@orangevillecusd.com). Also remember that Parent/Teacher Conferences are happening right at the beginning of this month. On Thursday, Nov. 2, conferences are 2-5 pm, and on Tuesday, Nov. 7th, conferences are 3-6 pm. Because of the conferences, both of those dates are 1:15 dismissal for students. Links to sign up for conferences were emailed to parents on Oct. 25th. If all the slots for the teacher you would like to see are full, please email that teacher to see if there is another time to meet.

Speaking of Infinite Campus, I just want to let you know that we are still looking into the issues with the online pay option, and hope to open it this month sometime. When that happens, I will send out an email to parents, along with instructions how to pay in our portal, if you wish. Always keep in mind, we take lunch or fee payments via cash or check anytime, in either office. Also, if you are having a hardship, we do have F/R lunch applications available online under the Registration page, or by request from either office.

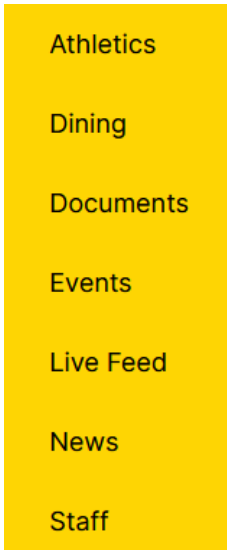
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App Store, or Google Play. It is built for working on your mobile device, and you can see any of the main pieces of website info (right in yellow) as well as the News and Live Feed. The only parts not available are our specific webpages. You can also sign up for push notifications.

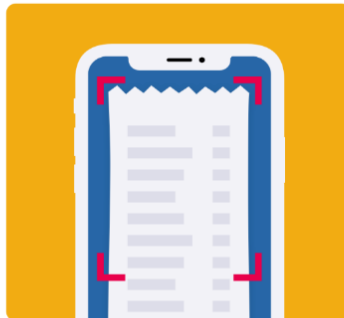


With the basketball season starting, remember that basketball games in the Terry Miller Memorial Gymnasium at the high school can be viewed on the NFHS Network. There may also be games at other schools that are available on the NFHS Network. If you wish to subscribe, you can go to www.nfhsnetwork.com



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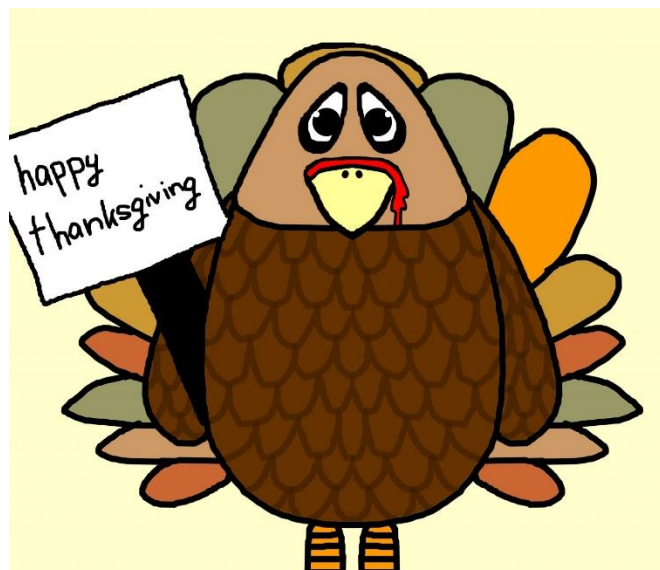
Finally, I'm putting a word in again about the Box Tops for Education app again. The only way to earn Box Tops, or bonus Box Tops, for the school now is to scan the receipts via the app. So if you're willing to download the app, we would

appreciate it. Also in the app there are coupons and chances to earn bonus Box Tops. The way it works is, you buy what you normally buy, and then scan the receipt within 14 days to get credit for any Box Tops for Education items. Finally, we continue to collect Loaves 4 Learning bread-shaped UPCs to turn in at the end of the year.



Have a wonderful November and Thanksgiving (for which we have three days off school this year, Nov. 22-24th).

~Miss Rachel ☺



2023

Activity
Calendar



NOVEMBER



2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
FUNDRAISER JUNIORS: Fun Factory Sweet Shoppe Fudge Nov. 13 - Nov. 27	Boys Basketball Free throw shoot-a-thon Pledges Nov. 6-Nov. 12		JHBB- HOME vs Shirland @ 5:00	Parent/ Teacher Conferences 2:00-5:00 DISMISSAL @ 1:15		OAA 1 st -4 th grade Basketball field house 8:30-10:30 JHBB @ Pearl City Tourney 7 th Grade Only	
Girls Basketball Open Gym Jr High 5:00-6:30 HS 6:30-8:00	JHBB- HOME vs Pearl City @ 5:00 Field Trip-Servant Leadership to VA Hospital 8:00-1:00	Parent/Teacher Conferences 3:00-6:00 PTO Meeting @ 6:30 NHS Induction 7:00-8:00 DISMISSAL @ 1:15	JHBB- HOME vs South Beloit @ 5:00 Bronco Booster Meeting @ 6:00	Veteran's Day Program @ 9:00 (HS Gym) JHBB- @ Durand @ 5:30	Field Trip Seniors to HCC 9:15-1:00 Jostens presentation 2:30-3:00 JHBB @ Pearl City Tourney 8 th Grade Only	OAA 1 st -4 th grade Basketball field house 8:30-10:30 Servant Leadership Meeting @ 9:00	
Girls Basketball Open Gym Jr High 5:00-6:30 HS 6:30-8:00	School Board Meeting @ 6:00			JHBB- @ Pecatonica @ 4:30	JHBB- @ West Carroll @ 4:30 Jostens order pick up	Orangeville Lions Home for the Holidays Craft & Vendor Show 9:00-5:00	
Girls Basketball Open Gym Jr High 5:00-6:30 HS 6:30-8:00		JHBB- HOME vs Chadwick @ 5:00 HSBB-Scales Mound Turkey Tourney	HSBB- Scales Mound Turkey Tourney @ 5:30			OAA 1 st -4 th grade Basketball field house 8:30-10:30 HSBB-Scales Mound Turkey Tourney @ 1:15	
HSGBB- Forreston Turkey Tourney		NO SCHOOL - THANKSGIVING VACATION					
Girls Basketball Open Gym Jr High 5:00-6:30 HS 6:30-8:00	JHBB- HOME vs Durand @ 5:00		JHBB- @ South Beloit @ 5:30 HSBB- HOME vs Stockton @ 6:00	Thanksgiving			

HSGBB- High School Girls Basketball

JHBB- Jr. High Boys Basketball

HSBB- High School Boys Basketball

Event schedules subject to change. For most current and updated information go to [Events Calendar](http://www.orangevillecusd.com/) at <http://www.orangevillecusd.com/>





2023

Lunch Menu PK - 12

NOVEMBER



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
			Nachos ¹ Meat Sauce Tostada Chips Pineapple Cookie	PK-5 Pizza ² 6-12 French Bread Corn Applesauce DISMISSAL @ 1:15	Spaghetti ³ Meat Sauce Green Beans Pears Breadstick		
Grades 6-12 ⁵ WG Pizza 2 nd Choice Daily	Chicken Strips ⁶ Mac&Cheese Sliced Carrots Pineapple	Meatball Sub ⁷ Corn Applesauce DISMISSAL @ 1:15	Tator Tot Casserole ⁸ Green Beans Peaches WG Muffin	Tacos ⁹ Hard or Soft Romaine, Cheese, Salsa, Sour Cream, Black Olives Pears Slushie	Turkey/Bacon ¹⁰ Sub Baked Beans Baked Chips Mandarin Oranges		
Grades 6-12 ¹² WG Pizza 2 nd Choice Daily	Quesadilla ¹³ Mixed Vegetables Pears Churro	Barbequed Pork ¹⁴ Baked Beans Baked Chips Mixed Fruit	Taco in a Bag ¹⁵ Romaine, Cheese, Sour Cream, Salsa Pineapple Go-Gurt	Sliced Turkey ¹⁶ Gravy Mashed Potatoes Stuffing Jellied Applesauce Cookie	Breakfast Pizza ¹⁷ Hash Brown Peaches Juice Cup		
Grades 6-12 ¹⁹ WG Pizza 2 nd Choice Daily	Mr. Ribb ²⁰ Au Gratin Potatoes Mixed Vegetables Pineapple	Chicken Tot ²¹ Casserole Green Beans Applesauce Krispy Treat	NO SCHOOL THANKSGIVING VACATION				
	Mini Corn Dogs ²⁷ Sliced Carrots Hash Brown Peaches	Hamburger ²⁸ Fries Applesauce	Nachos ²⁹ Meat Sauce Tostada Chips Green Beans Pineapple	Alfredo ³⁰ Corn Mixed Fruit Breadstick			

All meals include 1% white milk or fat free chocolate milk. Bread will be served on days when there is no bread item on the menu for grades 6-8. Bread will only be served on days marked for grades PK - 5. No 2nd choice daily for PK - 5.

WG = Whole Grain
Menu subject to change.

1st QUARTER AWARDS AT THE GRADE SCHOOL 2023-2024

PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Mrs. Greene- 1st Grade

Kyle Beard
Huxton Dietmeier
Jaxx Kruse
Natalee Martin
Hudson Ward

Mrs. Kleckler- 2nd Grade

Gage Lameyer
Zaiden Schaefer

Ms. Goeke- 3rd Grade

Rowan Baker
Levi Brownson
Gavin Davis
Carson Keeney
Lola McCary
Kori Scheuerell

Mrs. Brown – 4th Grade

Brinley Baker
Griffin Davis
Kayden Kubly
Bryden Scheuerell
Noah Thompson

Mrs. McKay – 5th Grade

Sloane Price
Alyssah Workinger

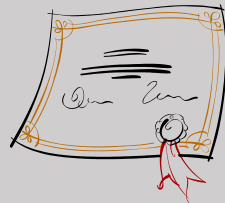
“A” HONOR ROLL

Ms. Goeke – 3rd Grade

Maryella Dietmeier
Kori Scheuerell

Mrs. Brown – 4th Grade

Brinley Baker
Adelena Fry
Sadie Grant
Bryden Scheuerell



“B” HONOR ROLL

Ms. Goeke – 3rd Grade

Cora Schultz

Mrs. Brown – 4th Grade

Jace Borden
Griffin Davis
Brody Diffenderfer
Kayden Kubly
Blair Schultz
Billy Statdfield

Mrs. McKay – 5th Grade

Ashlyn Klein
Keaton Laurent
Wyatt Scheider



Honor Roll Award – This award is presented to the students who received an A or B average for the quarter. (Grades 3 – 5)

Perfect Attendance Award – This award is presented to the students for perfect attendance during the quarter. (Grades K – 5)



Share the Bounty

This year, the Orangeville PTO is challenging students to help make the holidays a little bit brighter for local residents. Each day for the next few weeks, bring the item listed to your classroom. Every donation earns a point for your class. The classroom with the most points on November 21 will earn an ice cream party in December!

- November 6 - Vegetable Oil
- November 7 - Salt and Pepper
- November 8 - Crackers
- November 9 - Canned Tuna
- November 10 - Pasta or Rice
- November 13 - Peanut Butter or Jelly
- November 14 - Canned Soup
- November 15 - Coffee, Tea, or Hot Chocolate Mix
- November 16 - Cake Mix or Frosting
- November 17 - Dishsoap or Dishwasher Detergent
- November 20 - Boxed Cereal or Powdered Milk
- November 21 - Canned Fruit or Vegetables



***All donations
will be given to
13:16 Ministries
for local
residents in
need.***



Thank you for your support to help make someone's holidays a little more festive!



GET YOUR LUNCH & DONATE TO THE FFA ALUMNI

Friday, November 3rd
11 am to 3 pm
Cub's Brat Stand in
Freeport



Orangeville Lions Club

Pie Sale



9-inch pies for \$12

5-inch pies for \$6

(pay when you pick pies up)

All types available:

pumpkin, pecan, cherry, apple, peach, blueberry, rhubarb, strawberry, all types of cream pies...

*If you don't see the kind of pie you want,
Call and ask JoAnn if what you want is available!*

Orders Due by Nov. 13

Call to order: JoAnn at (815)789-4676

**Pick up at Orangeville UM Church on
Wed., Nov. 22 from 10 am – 5:30 pm**

*Please advise when you order if you need pickup outside
this time frame and we may be able to accommodate.*

BUY SEVERAL – MOST TYPES OF PIES FREEZE WELL!

The Orangeville Lions Club

Proudly Presents...

Home for the Holidays *Craft & Vendor Show*

Saturday, November 18, 2023

9:00 am – 2:00 pm

Orangeville School

201 South Orange Street

Enter through the main lobby by the gym

Requested \$2 admittance donation (over age 12)



***Silent Auction**

***Food stand in the cafeteria**

**ALL proceeds from this event will be
donated back to our community/public.**

WE SINCERELY APPRECIATE YOUR SUPPORT!

Please contact us with any questions!

HFTHcraftshow@gmail.com

call/text: (815) 997-2511

Join the ORANGEVILLE FFA ALUMNI

The FFA Alumni will help the Orangeville FFA achieve its vision of growing leaders, building communities and strengthening agriculture by:

- Engaging Our Students
- Supporting Our Advisor
- Telling Our Story

**Tuesday,
November 21,
7 PM at the
Barker
residence**

Call or message
for address.

WHO CAN JOIN?

**At this next meeting,
we will be setting up
our events for the
next year. Join us!**

Have questions about joining?

Call:

Phil Barker (815) 821-2544

Email:

orangevilleffaalumni@gmail.com

- Parents
- Family Members
- Community Members
- Supporters
- Former FFA members
- Anyone interested in supporting agricultural education and FFA

ORANGEVILLE LIONS CLUB



 SCHOLASTIC

The Orangeville Lions Club is once again asking for your help! We are spearheading a donation request from our community where **every student** in grades Pre-K through 5th grade would receive a FREE book from Scholastic Books each month for the entire school year! No donation is too small or large and this will for sure take our entire community's support!

If you wish to donate, please make your check payable to Orangeville CUSD #203 and put "Scholastic Book Fund" in the memo line. Please either drop off or send your donation directly to the school at:

**Orangeville CUSD #203
Attention: Cindy Wells/Lions Books
201 S. Orange St.
Orangeville, IL 61060**

If funds are received above what is needed to provide every student a book, this money will be donated back to the school library.



Thank you to all who purchased roses from us and came out to Slot City in Cedarville to play bingo! All proceeds from these fundraisers will be donated back to our community and those in need.

Wheelchair & Walker Loan Program

The Orangeville Lions have a loaner program with our collection of wheelchairs, walkers, and canes. If you or someone you know needs one of these items, please contact (815) 997-2511. You can borrow this equipment free of charge for as long as you need it. We also are accepting gently used, newer type wheelchairs.

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