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First OKML contest to be held Oct. 12

The first Oklahoma Math League (OKML) contest will be held Tuesday, Oct. 12, in the Reading Room. All students are invited to participate.

Be seated at 4:25 p.m. for a sharp 4:30 p.m. start; bring your calculator (graphing allowed) and pencils.

The OKML is a 30-minute, six-question contest. Questions start out relatively easy and gradually get more challenging.

Sample contest here: https://mathleague.com/ml-files/hs_contest_1_2005-06.pdf

Reach out to Jane Gou to give Student Testimonials for Student Ambassadors and potentially gain service hours!

Students wear yellow in support of Mental Health!

Students take photos at Operation: Yellow's Yellow Day Photo Booth

by Oviya Selvakumar

On Wednesday, September 29th, Operation YELLOW (Youth Engaging Local Lives On Wellbeing) held the first-ever Yellow Day at OSSM to bring awareness to Suicide Prevention month.

Mental Health Awareness day!

This Sunday, October 10, is Mental Health Awareness Day. Operation: YELLOW encourages everyone to foster conversations about mental health and provide support, compassion, and kindness to your fellow peers, and work to stop the stigma around mental health!

PAOSSM Charlie and the Chocolate Factory Trip

The OSSM Parent's Association is planning a trip for all students to see the musical performance of "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory" at the Oklahoma City Civic Center on October 31. In previous years, all students would attend this event. This year, however, the Civic Center is requiring all visitors to be fully vaccinated against the COVID-19 virus or get a negative COVID-19 PCR.

Please see the link for more information: [Patron Health & Safety Information | OKCBroadway.com](#)



Wanting to Check out Old Newsletters?

There's a new resource page for OSSM students that includes test registrations, archives of the OWL newsletter, the handbook, etc. under Student Resources and Handbook on the OSSM website.

Have a Passion for Writing?

Operation YELLOW is working incredibly hard to bring mental health awareness to the OSSM community, whose challenging curriculums can give way to stress, overworking, and anxiety.

To show support, OSSM students were asked to wear yellow on Wednesday, and a photo booth was set up in the evening to capture fond memories and boost morale.

Senior Leslie Shultz enjoyed the pictures and finds it funny how an "accidental photo has turned into a great memory and wallpaper."

Assembly on Wednesday

OSSM will host Dirk Spiers, founder and CEO of Spiers New Technologies at its next assembly on Oct. 6.

Originally from the Netherlands, Mr. Spiers established the OKC-based start-up in 2014, specializing in repairing, remanufacturing, refurbishing, and repurposing electric vehicle batteries for major car manufacturers.

Mr. Spiers will discuss why advanced battery packs are so important, predicting the future of energy, and posing the "ultimate puzzle for smart people like you."

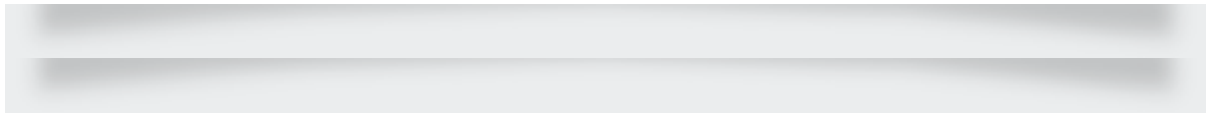


Dirk Spiers, founder and CEO of Spiers New Technologies

Here's your chance to both pursue your passion and earn service hours. The communications department needs students to write for this newsletter, the website, the OKC Friday newspaper and social media.

We can also use photographers and artists!

If you're interested, contact Ms. Waters at linda.waters@ossm.edu or Anusha Fathepure at anusha.fathepure@ossm.edu.



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