

Welcome to October!

OPA has a lot of exciting events planned for this month.

- One of the events is the Fantasma Fun Run that is being held to provide scholarships to 9th grade students who will be studying at the University of Salamanca for one week. The race will be held on Saturday, October 15th, at 4:00 p.m. You can run/walk in costume if you wish. Be prepared for Zombie scares as you run along the River Parkway from Dinosaur Park to the Elementary School. Registration forms are at each of the schools. Prizes for costumes will be awarded at the end of the race.
- A group of our students will be presenting water and aquatic life study results at the dedication of the Ogden River Parkway dedication on Friday, October 7th. At this time, our school will be awarded a section of the Parkway to maintain and keep clean.

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7	Minimum Day Ogden River Parkway ribbon cutting and dedication
11-12	Scoliosis testing for 7 th graders by our school nurse, Jan Mitchell.
11	The Parent Organization monthly board meeting, 4:30 p.m. Secondary school's library. Picture Day Retakes
12	Ogden Preparatory Academy Board of Directors meeting, 5:30 p.m., Secondary school library.
14	The Secondary Student Council Zombie Dance at the Elementary school's cafeteria, 6 – 8 p.m.
14	Family Game Night at the Elementary School Library, 6-8 p.m.
15	Fantasma Fun Run, 4 p.m. Runners/Walkers start at Dinosaur Park, run along the Ogden Parkway to Lincoln Avenue then turn north and head towards the Elementary School.
17	Recognition Assembly for Secondary, Monday, October 17 @ 2:20 p.m. Recognition Assembly for Intermediate, Tuesday, October 18 @ 2:25 p.m. Recognition Assembly for Elementary, Wednesday, October 19 @ 9:00 a.m.
19	Report Cards go home
20 & 21	Fall Break
26	Halloween Orchestra Concert, 6:30 p.m., Elementary cafeteria
28	Family Library Night, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Information & School Nurse Recommendations:

- Please have your student turn in your Fresh Market receipts. The school earns dollars!
- Please keep kids at home if they have a rash, sore throat, stomach ache, headache, fever 100 or above, nausea, vomiting or diarrhea. Keep your child at home until there is no fever for at least 24-48 hours. If a child is sick and you are contacted, please have the child picked up immediately from the school.
- Head lice can be a problem. Do not share combs, brushes, hats, helmets, or any items that come in contact with the head.
- Hygiene classes have been given to all students at the Elementary and Intermediate Schools.
- Vision checks for all students in grades K-3 have been completed.

Your student should be reading 20 minutes each evening. Continue to check the Planner. If your student is having problems finishing assignments at home, consider our Homework Recovery option at the Intermediate and Secondary. This class is not a punishment. Rather, the class is an opportunity for students to do their homework until 4:00 p.m. daily, M-Th, and to go home with everything completed. A proctor is available to help. Teachers can also be accessed until 4 p.m.

Thank you for your continued support!