

**OREFIELD MIDDLE SCHOOL
ANNOUNCEMENTS
DECEMBER 7, 2021
DAY 4**

READ ACROSS AMERICA

Attention 7th and 8th Graders!!

Remember when the big kids from the middle school came and read to you on Read Across America Day way back when you were in elementary school? Well, guess what? Now it is your chance to be the "Big Kid"! We are very excited to announce that Read Across America is set for March 4th, 2022!! If you are interested in "possibly" returning to your old elementary school to read and do fun activities with the Kindergarten, First, Second, and Third-grade students, please attend our informational meeting on December 16th. The meeting will be held in the auditorium during Jaguar Period. If you have any questions, please see Mrs. Roberts in room 262 or Mrs. Berrigan in room 107.

STUDENT COUNCIL

Reminder. This week we are still collecting small stocking stuffers, toiletries and useful items for the Adopt A Family program. Please donate to the buckets found in homerooms so that families in need can have a good holiday season!"

GUIDANCE

As part of OMS school wide positive behavior program, we are excited to announce the next open gym for this year is December 16th. You'll need 5 Jaguar passes to attend. Please come to the guidance office to redeem your tickets for an open gym pass.

TRANSPORTATION:

*If you are going to SMS or PHS it is your responsibility to let your last teacher know that you need to be **dismissed at 2:20** so you can catch the **2:28 shuttle bus to SMS/PHS. This is bus #122** and will be located in front of the field house

*If you are going to PHS and you miss the above bus you may take the second bus which will take you

IMPORTANT LATE ACTIVITY BUS (4:20PM) REMINDER Students are only allowed to use the after-school activity bus to be dropped off at home. Also, such items as skateboards, bikes and other non-school related items are not allowed on the buses.
directly to PHS. That will be bus #133. However, this is only to be used if you miss the above bus. Students should not purposely hang around or intentionally be dismissed late to take the second bus. The Late Activity Bus leaves Orefield promptly at 4:20. This shuttle bus takes students to Parkland High School, where the students board the appropriate Late Activity Bus depending on their address. This bus leaves the high school at 4:35.

NO BUS PASSES WILL BE ISSUED THIS YEAR

IMPORTANT: All students' **must report to the main office to sign in** when coming to school late and all students **must report to the main office to sign out** when being picked up early from school for appointments.

***STUDENTS:** Please be aware that you are not allowed in the building (using the auditorium entrance) prior to **7:30**. In the unfortunate case that you must be dropped off earlier than 7:15, you should be dropped off at the main entrance and must wait in the main lobby until the doors open at 7:30

