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Sports

- December 10- We have a Varsity Girls Home Basketball Game against Lakeland Christian- 6:00PM
- December 13- BLACK OUT NIGHT against our cross-town rival Winter Haven Christian.
 All three high school teams are playing, come wearing black!!
 - + Var Girls- 4:00pm
 - + JV Boys- 5:30pm
 - + Var Boys-7:00pm
- Make sure to check out all of our athletic games at ocalions.org/activities

Teacher of the Month

Our Teacher of the Month November was Tonya Smith!! Congratulations; and thank you for all that you do for OCA!!





From the Administrator

Merry Christmas Oasis Family, I would like to wish you all a wonderful Christmas Advent Season. December can get so busy with Christmas Holiday activities. I would like to encourage you to keep Christ in Christmas this year. One great way to do that is to complete a Family advent devotion together. If you have never used the YouVersion Bible app, please download it today. It is free and provides so many opportunities to study God's word with your friends and family. The teachers, staff and I complete Bible studies together each month and they are thoughtful, truthful and helpful. The best way to keep Christ in Christmas is to worship as a family in your church. Church is a gift that God instituted to help us with the trials of life. We were created for community and cannot accomplish all God has for us by ourselves. Other people make us better. Make it a priority to make your church your home. Lean into your community. Life will happen and you will need them at some point. Even Jesus needed people. We need people on our left and right for the good



Important Dates

- Dec 7- King Rd Clean-up 9:00am
- Dec 7- All Hands Helping @ King
- Dec 9-17- Book Fair @ King
- Dec 10- PAWS Meeting 7:45am or 6:30pm
- Dec 10- 11th & 12th Grade-Valencia College Trip
- Dec 11- Elem Grandparents Day
- Dec 12- Elem Grandparents Day
- Dec 12- Elem Christmas Program 6:30pm
- Dec 16-7th & 8th Exam Prep
- Dec 16- High School Exam Prep
- Dec 17-7th & 8th Exams
- Dec 17- High School Exams
- Dec 17- Preschool Christmas Program 6:30pm
- Dec 18-7th & 8th Exam Prep
- Dec 18- High School Exams
- Dec 19-7th and 8th Exams
- Dec 19- High School Christmas Play 6:30pm
- Dec 20- Early Dismissal (NO Aftercare available)
- Check out all of our athletic games at <u>ocalions.org/</u> <u>activities</u>

times and the bad times. Do life together with like minded believers. If you don't have a church home or have just gotten busy and slipped away, purpose in your heart this December to reconnect with your church home and your God who loves you so much that He gave His Son to be born, he lived a perfect life, and he died for the sins of the world. Thank you God for Your amazing gift of Jesus and thank you Jesus for coming knowing that You would have to die in order to pay my sin debt and the sin debt of the entire world. What a gift that we can never repay!

Dean of Student's Corner

The Christmas season has arrived! Excitement and anticipation are in the air at the King Rd Campus. With all the excitement comes all the usual business of the season. Our elementary kids have been working so hard to prepare for their Christmas program. Parents and Grandparents are in for a treat! Middle School students are quickly approaching the end of the first semester, and beginning to plan and prepare for their coming midterm exams. With all the "hustle and bustle" of the season, I hope we all remember the reason for the season. Let us come together to celebrate the greatest gift ever given, our Lord Jesus Christ! I hope that everyone has a safe, blessed, and a very Merry Christmas!

From the High School Principal

The month of November offers a focused time to reflect on the things and people in our lives that we are thankful for. At the high school we are truly blessed to share life with one another. It is a joy to see learning take place in a setting where we can openly share Jesus. One thing that stands out to me this month is the amazing chapel services we have had. Our students are gaining so much as they support each other in their "big small groups!" It is so rewarding to watch as students spontaneously worship God and then pray for one another as they share their individual situations with their peers. Although life is not without its ups and downs, we truly are thankful for these experiences that allow us to develop closer relationships with our peers and most importantly, with God.

Thank you, parents for trusting us with the academic and spiritual growth of your student.

