

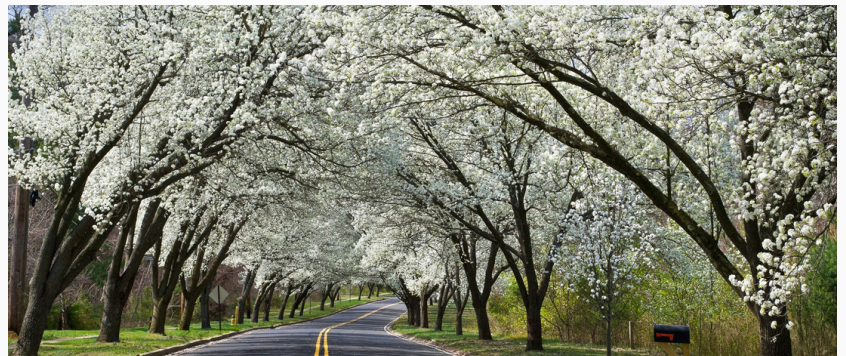
THE KNIGHT LIFE

The official school newsletter of Our Savior
Christian Academy



EARLY ENROLLMENT EXCEEDS EXPECTATIONS

We experienced a record early enrollment period for the 2022-2023 school year. Thank you Jesus! We are now in Open Enrollment, which allows those on our waiting lists and those students in our local communities the opportunity to enroll for next school year. Anyone who wants to be an Our Savior Christian Academy Knight should contact us at 816-866-5899. "We will do everything we can to get all those who want parent empowerment, a positive and encouraging environment and where Jesus is the focus, an opportunity for education," stated Superintendent Pappert.



NATIONAL LUTHERAN SCHOOL ACCREDITATION

As part of a 5-year cycle, OSCA is preparing for our onsite accreditation visit at the end of March. Work to prepare a 400 page document with over 500 links to over 1,000 of pages of evidence started in September 2021. This is all part of our school's self-study document, which evaluates the actual conditions in place that are related to essential indicators of school quality. These indicators are evaluated and measured in seven specific standard areas. In order to become accredited in good standing with National Lutheran School Accreditation (NLSA), a school must comply fully with 30 required indicators of success. Upon conclusion of the self-study, an NLSA visiting team validates that the information prepared by the school accurately reflects the actual conditions present at the school. In a formal two-day visit, the team examines evidence, interviews school stakeholders, visits classrooms, and observes overall school practices. National Lutheran School Accreditation encourages, assists, and recognizes schools that provide quality Christian education and engage in continuous improvement. OSCA has maintained NLSA accreditation since 2012.



The Knight Beat: Shows Us Your Love For Education

If you follow us on Instagram, you already know about our new monthly series called The Knight Beat. This month we are featuring our very own Smithville Principal, Mr. Will Pemberton. Will was born in Reading, Berkshire in the UK, but moved to Missouri four years ago. Recently, he has chosen to study for his second Masters in Education and Education Leadership & Management via remote, online lessons at Liverpool Hope University. His dissertation will focus on the role of parents within their child's education. Will has amassed a wealth of professional experience, being a former Deputy Head at three different UK schools before arriving in Missouri. "Getting back into studying some 20 years after first getting my degree felt quite daunting and bewildering, especially as other people in my classes have just finished their degree. There's an age gap, but I still think I'm 20 something which helps," states Pemberton.

Under the Stars Daddy/Daughter Dance Friday March 4

Calling all PreK-5th Grade girls!

Please plan to join us for the first annual Daddy/Daughter Dance, Under the Stars, scheduled for Friday March 4 at the Platte City campus. Girls are encouraged to invite their dads, grandfathers, uncles or other special father-figures in their life to this special event. Check out the school calendar for event details. Tickets can be purchased through your school's front office.

Job Well Done, Knights!

Congratulations to your OSCA Knights basketball teams! We enjoyed watching each of you learn new skills and hone your athletic gifts. "I am so proud of our teams!", stated Athletic Director Pappert. "Thank you to our parents and coaches for the time you invested in growing our hard working athletes."

MISSION STATEMENT



Growing faith in Jesus through scripture

CLASSROOM NEEDS

Glue Sticks- Mrs. Campbell
Bounty Paper Towels- Smithville Campus
Snacks- Platte City Campus