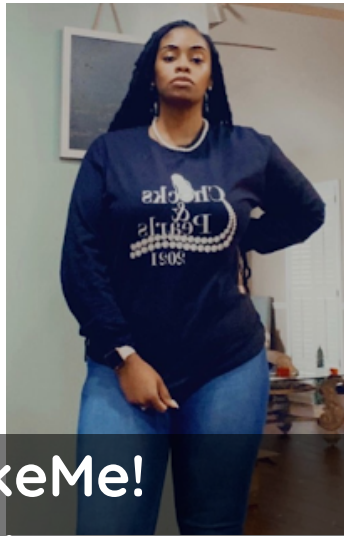


THE HAWKEYE VIEW

OAKHAVEN HIGH SCHOOL
MEMPHIS, TN



ICE CREAM ON KING'S DREAM



#MyVPLooksLikeMe!

#GirlsInPearls!



Right on the heels of observing the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday, a very special and momentous event took place in the United States. The historic Inauguration of the country's newly elected president and vice-president took place at the United States Capitol in Washington D.C. on January 20, 2021. The mighty Hawks of Oakhaven High participated in a school-wide inauguration watch party to witness history being made as the first female of minority descent was sworn in as Vice-president of the United States. Later into the evening, Vice-president Kamala Harris swore in an African American male by the name of Raphael Warnock into the United States senate. Warnock is a true realization of Dr. King's dream as he is the first Black man to represent the state of Georgia as a senator.

To make the dream even sweeter, Warnock is currently the pastor of the Ebenezer Baptist Church where Dr. King served as co-pastor for six years.

Many of the Hawks faculty and staff joined women of all races around the world displaying virtual support to the newly elected VP by wearing pearls to acknowledge her consistent show of loyalty to her sorority. The members of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, inc. have been some of her most vocal supporters throughout her political career. The pearl necklace is perhaps her most obvious and endearing tribute. The students completed activities such as "inauguration BINGO" that engaged them in the content of Biden's inaugural address.

Admin Spotlight of the month!

Mr. Matthew Oliver is the beloved behavioral specialist of Oakhaven High School. Affectionately known as Mr. "O", Oliver is in his second year in this role and well respected amongst the student body population. Before becoming a behavioral specialist, he was the computer tech assistant at Douglas High School.

Mr. "O" is a positive role model for the scholars of Oakhaven. Not only is he easy to talk to, but he is educated. Oliver possesses a Bachelor's degree with a double major in Criminal Justice and Administration and Sociology with a minor in Family Studies.

Mr. "O" was born and raised in Memphis, TN. What many don't know about Mr. "O" is that he is a minister and is the author of a non-fiction book. He says what he loves most about Oakhaven is the students and that he can't wait until covid is over so that he can reconnect with everyone.

When asked to leave a word of wisdom for Oakhaven, Oliver stated this: "Stay focused on what's to come! Do not look at your current situation but look towards to the joy of your future! If you do that, you will soon see yourself walking in the joy that you foresaw".

MR. MATTHEW OLIVER

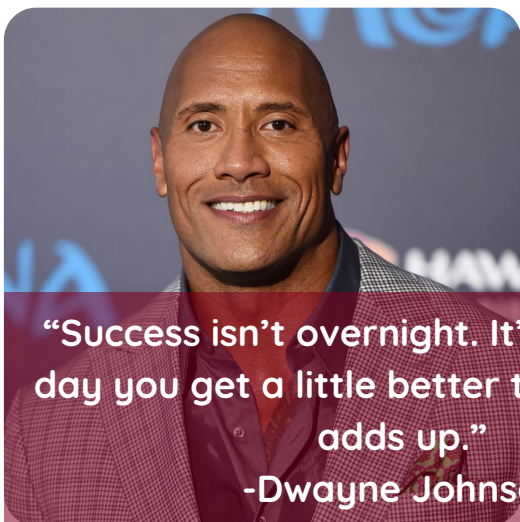


Student Spotlight of the month!

Amia Johnson is the March Hawkeye Student Spotlight. Amia is recognized by her peers at Oakhaven as an intelligent leader.

Amia is noted for her many academic accomplishments and her overwhelming success in the classroom. During her time at Oakhaven, Amia has been Vice-president of the FLY Academy and the 10th-grade student of the month.

CONGRATULATIONS AMIA!



"Success isn't overnight. It's when every day you get a little better than before. It adds up."

-Dwayne Johnson

Congratulations to our elite scholars who received Outstanding scores on the ACT.

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JADEN PALMER 22
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JAYDON WEAVER 22



BACK TO SCHOOL

STUDENT CHECKLIST



Schools return to normal bell times of 7:15 a.m./ 8:15 a.m./9:15 a.m. I know my school's start time.



I know where my bus stop is and when to be there.



I have my mask, device, charger and headset. I also packed my own bottled water.



I know what safety measures to expect and follow when I come to school.



I know my parents/guardians will not be permitted to enter the building, and I know my school's arrival/dismissal plan.



I am feeling healthy and not showing any symptoms of illness. I am ready to learn!



Make sure your school device is **FULLY** charged before you get to school!



What's happening in the Hawk's Nest?

Upcoming events and announcements



STUDENT DEVICE REPAIR & SUPPORT UPDATES

- Effective October 30, the only Technology Repair & Assistance Center (TRAC) location available for device drop-offs is 3237 Knight Rd. (former Knight Road ES building).
- All devices must be picked up from the TRAC location at 3030 Jackson Ave. by November 6. After November 6, devices can be picked up at 3237 Knight Rd.
- The TRAC will be closed on November 3 because students are not in class for the scheduled Teacher PD day.
- Contact your child's school for instructions on lost, stolen or damaged devices.
- Standard TRAC Hours are Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. COVID-19 screening is required for all visitors.

Congratulations to our Hawk Seniors who have been officially accepted into college!

- Tyler McClinton - Tennessee State University, University of Memphis, and UT Martin
- Jaden Palmer - University of Memphis
- DeMarius Anderson - Murray State University



STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

Oakhaven High School
JANUARY
Students of the Month

12th	Tyler McClinton
11th	Fatoumata Diallo
10th	Kavion Dickerson
9th	Tae'Tiana Vann

February
Students of the Month

12	DeArius Smith
11	Keyshawn Grady
10	Javon Harris
9	Veverlin Aguilar

March
Students of the Month

12th Grade Laniah Mabry	11th Grade Treasure Johnson
10th Grade Za'Karia Weasby	9th Grade Jakari Vancey



WE ARE FINALLY BACK!

The anticipated return to in-person learning is finally taking place in Shelby County schools with safety measures in place and COVID-19 pre-screening procedures in place, the faculty and staff at Oakhaven welcomed some students back into the building to continue to receive instruction for the remainder of the school year. Of course, students returned in grand fashion as the red carpet was laid out for them to strut on as they re-entered the building for the first time since last March. Teachers and admin were all there to greet the Mighty Hawks and to ensure their comfort and safety.



COACH'S SPOTLIGHT



Coach Michael Mosby

Oakhaven High School
Head Football Coach

COACHING HISTORY

11 years coaching football
9 years middle school
2 years high school at OakhavenHigh School

TEACHING HISTORY

6 years teaching music production in SCS schools with Memphis BAR Community Development Non-profit.

"I love coaching because it's an opportunity to fulfill a life calling and vocation, both in something I love and very passionate about serving youth and football!

I would say that this past season we didn't have it due to the pandemic. The actual coaching "regularly" didn't have but the calling didn't stop! My non-profit Raising The BAR created several opportunities for athletes to participate and be highlighted. Those were our virtual recruiting fair (September), High School Combine (October) and 7v7 league (Nov/Dec). This year will be memorable for sure!"