

Lone Oak High School

Positive Behavior Newsletter

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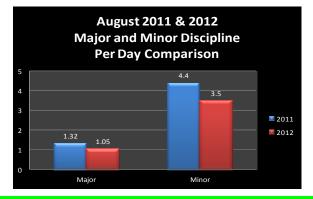
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August Positive Behavior Data



the month of August, teachers rewarded students with 577 <u>Gold</u> <u>Tickets</u> for their positive behavior. A comparison be-

Lone Oak High School teachers started the year off with grand expectations for the students both academically and behaviorally. During tween last August at LOHS and this past month shows a decrease in the major and minor discipline events on average per day.





MONTHLY PRIZE-

Each month we choose at random a student to reward with a Grand Prize. Both the student and the teacher who wrote that particular student are awarded. Teachers receive gift cards to restaurants and the kids choose from among several grand prizes. For August, Cameron was drawn and he chose a 32" flat screen TV. The teacher that nominated him, Mrs. Morris, also received a gift

SHOUT OUTS!

- ✓ Lone Oak High School ranked #20 in the state of Kentucky on last year's ACT test.
- ✓ LOHS has seen a positive increase on each of the past three ACT tests.
- ✓ 60.7% passage rate on AP exams (up 10% in last two years).
- ✓ 19 AP Scholars
- ✓ 192 passing scores on AP exams last year.



School Safety is an important part of a positive and supporting learning culture. Each year schools must conduct fire, tornado, lockdown, and other drills to ensure students and staff know how to react to many types of situations.

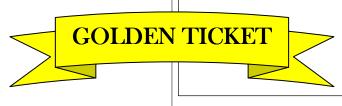
This year we are bringing students on board with this. LOHS has created a student safety team to help staff implement drills along with our county-wide Anti-Bullying initiative. The team is led by Trey Daniels, a special education teacher. The team will also be working with other schools and organizations to learn best practices and bring them back to LOHS.

What Is a Positive Behavior System?

At Lone Oak we are continually working to ensure our students have a safe, orderly environment in which to learn. An overwhelming majority of our kids come to school every day and make good decisions, so we do as much as possible to bring attention to their positive decisions and actions.

We announce the winners and use rewards such as weekly drawings for gift cards, iTunes cards, earphones, and much more to recognize students for making the right choices.

Teachers recommend students for rewards with Golden Tickets.





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Teacher WebPages Can Be Found At: www.mccrackencountyschools.org/lohs/

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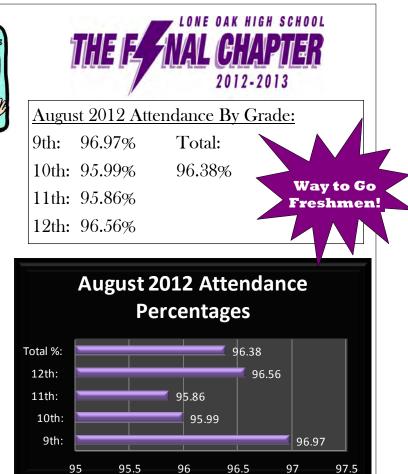
To all of our positive behavior sponsors and to those that have donated items to help us reward students. A special thank you to James Marine, Inc. from the...



VOLUNTEERS NECOED

Interested in becoming a parent volunteer?

Please call the school and speak with Mrs. Champion about this opportunity.



Safety Updates

New Visitor Program-

Starting in the next few weeks, visitors to LOHS will notice a change to our visitor procedures. Visitors to the school will still be directed to the main office to sign in, but those leaving the office area to enter the school will also be asked to provide a government issued ID. The ID will be kept securely and in the office area until the visitor is ready to check out of the school. Doing this will not only verify identities of those that are in the school, but knowing exactly who and how many are in the building will also be vital in case of an

emergency or fire evacuation. This process will not affect those that are only wanting to go to the main office and there is no other information documented from the ID. We welcome all parents and community members to share in this Final Chapter of LOHS.

LOHS Entrances-

While we encourage students to be able to participate in cross-age tutoring, tradeschool, and other off campus programs, we also must keep the school campus itself as secure as possible. To help facilitate this, the main entrance to the school is the only entrance that students and the public will be authorized to use while school is in session. From 7:30 until 2:25 in the afternoon, all students leaving the school to go to the back parking lot must exit the main doors and use the pedestrian sidewalk around the side. This will help clear up any confusion during the school day and prevent students needing to exit the school from interrupting classes as they leave.



Main Entrance to Lone Oak High School.

Doors open at 7:00 AM and close at 2:45 PM.

