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OCS Football finishes regular season 8 – 2 and now faces the Block Bears in the playoffs.



The OCS Eagles finished the regular-season in a huge way last Thursday with a 44 – 0 defeat of district rival St. Fred's. This win solidified the runner-up spot in the district for the Eagles who completed their regular season with a record of 8 – 2, landing the Eagles in the #8 spot for playoff seedings. This seeding brought about a first-round home game matching the Eagles up with the #25 seeded Block Bears. Game time is set for 7 PM on Friday, November 9 at Eagles Stadium.

The Eagles completed the regular season outscoring their opponents by a better than 2 to 1 margin having put up 350 points on the season, while only giving up 146. The Eagles are led on offense by Jacob Davis who has thrown for 1,598 yards this season and 19 touchdowns. Glenn Marshall has been his favorite target, catching 39 passes for 731 yards and 8 touchdowns. Matt Kennedy is the Eagles leading rusher with 470 yards and 9 touchdowns. On defense, the Eagles have six players with over 50 tackles on the season, Drew Harrison (50); Joey Smith (52); Jacob Boles (56); Morgan Livingston (64); Blake Gillikin (69) and Matt Temple with 71.

Coach Jack Lengyel to speak at OCS Benefit Dinner



Jack Lengyel was the head coach of the Marshall University Thundering Herd football team from 1971 until 1974, having taken over following the Southern Airways Flight 932 plane crash that killed 75 people, including the varsity football team, administrators, staff, and boosters.

Looking back on his experience at Marshall, Lengyel says, "I thought I was coming to rebuild a football program. It turned out the town had lost key community leaders on that plane as well". Commenting on the blockbuster Hollywood film on the Marshall team and Jack Lengyel's place in history, Lengyel reflected, "It's a movie about core values, faith, hope, perseverance and love."

Individual tickets for the dinner may be purchased by calling OCS at 325-6000 or by emailing the development office at bdeaton@ocs.org. Table and event sponsorship opportunities are also available for "An Evening with Jack Lengyel".

An Evening with Jack Lengyel OCS Benefit Dinner ~ 2/2/08



Picture retakes are scheduled for
Tuesday, November 13

Upcoming Events

- ◆ HS Football @ Home vs. Block – 11/9
- ◆ HS Basketball @ Home vs. Sterlington - 11/12
- ◆ MS Soccer @ Lee Jr. High – 11/12
- ◆ HS Soccer @ West Monroe – 11/13
- ◆ MS Basketball @ Home vs. Beekman – 11/13
- ◆ HS Soccer @ Home vs. Mansfield (Girls) and Buckeye (Boys) – 11/15
- ◆ MS Soccer @ West Ridge – 11/15
- ◆ HS Basketball @ West Ouachita Tournament – 11/14 – 11/17
- ◆ HS Basketball @ St Mary's Tournament – 11/19 – 11/21
- ◆ HS Soccer @ Rebel Cup (Alexandria) Tournament – 11/23 – 11/24
- ◆ HS Soccer @ Home vs. Ouachita – 11/26
- ◆ MS Basketball @ River Oaks – 11/26
- ◆ HS Basketball @ Sterlington - 11/27
- ◆ MS Soccer @ Home vs. Calhoun – 11/27
- ◆ MS Soccer @ Home vs. St Fred – 11/29
- ◆ MS Basketball @ Grace – 11/30
- ◆ HS Basketball @ Caldwell - 11/30

OCS celebrates National French Week.



Throughout this week students at OCS have participated in a number of activities to celebrate National French Week, held nationwide to help promote the learning of French language and culture. Pictured above are winners of the ULM sponsored French essay contest. These winners, who were presented at a soiree' at ULM include **Meg Giger, Erin Tyler, Stephanie Miller, Madeline Joyner, Hallie Evans and Courtney Fewell.**

Highlights of French week included daily cultural question each day and French Scripture readings. Students were treated to poems, scripture readings and singing in French during chapel on Wednesday.



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Lambda Sigma Kappa club serves the community.



Lambda Sigma Kappa Service Club students are packing groceries for the Senior Program at the Northeast Louisiana Food Bank twice a month. The food bank distributes about 1,400 boxes a month and our students pack about 400 boxes each month.

Annual Literary Pumpkin Contest winners announced.



Fourth grade winners

Mrs. Anderson's Class ~ Caleb Parker
Character ---- Caleb from SARAH, PLAIN AND TALL

Mrs. Brazell's Class ~ Shaelyn James
Character ---- The Cat from THE CAT IN THE HAT

Mrs. Durham's Class ~ LaSheka Davis
Abraham Lincoln from ABRAHAM LINCOLN, THE GREAT EMANCIPATOR

Grand Prize ~ Nathan Bromley
Character ----- Babe Ruth from BABE RUTH, THE GREATEST BASEBALL PLAYER EVER

Christmas Cheer Food Drive.



Beginning Monday, November 26, we will start collecting canned goods for the *Christmas Cheer Food Drive*. We are asking students to bring an average of 15 pounds of canned goods to their first-period teachers by Wednesday, December 12. Last year the elementary students were first-place in the elementary division of the contest and won \$1,000. The Middle School and High School students came in second in their respective divisions. All canned goods collected will be donated to the Northeast Louisiana Food Bank which distributed over 3 million pounds of food during 2006

Shoebox project underway.



Middle School and High School have begun their annual Christmas Shoebox project. Middle School "Operation Christmas Child" shoeboxes may be worked on in Mrs. Culpepper's room before school, at break or during hall. Boxes must be completed by Wed., November 14.

MATTHEW 25: 35 - 36

For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in, I needed clothes and you clothed me, I was sick and you looked after me, I was in prison and you came to visit me.