

# Oasis Athletics: "Fin-tastic" News!

August 2017



## Who We Are...

Originated in 2009, the Oasis High School Athletic Department was developed to fulfill the athletic desires of the Cape Coral Charter School students. Despite the size of the high school, the athletic program joined the FHSAA during the 2009-2010 school year with **eleven sports**. Within the year, Oasis played its first football game, and to complement our department and ignite the school spirit, the cheerleading squad was formed to bring us to where we are today with **thirteen sports** offered by the Charter School System.

Today, the Oasis Athletic Department holds two FHSAA District championships (2014 Volleyball & 2016 Girls Soccer) and one FCAPPS Regional title (2015 Football) in its very young history. It is also a proud recipient of a 2014 Fred E. Roszell Sportsmanship award from the FHSAA for its students' exemplary behavior on and off the field of play.

## Message from the Athletic Director – Brian Montag

It is an exciting time to be a Shark! Our two-day holiday Boys Basketball tournament gained some attention as our first over-seas team participated which made for a very exciting championship round, we have officially announced our return to 11-man football in the fall of 2017 and return to the FHSAA state series, and our girls soccer team won the school's second FHSAA District Championship!

This is just a small example of the excellence our athletics have accomplished all year long. There are many more great events coming our way and we invite you to come out and be part of the excitement and witness Oasis history in the making.

Be on the lookout for this quarterly newsletter to bring you up to speed on everything you need to know about Oasis Athletics

## In the News!

Our athletic department and what we have accomplished throughout the years has been highlighted by [www.CapeCoral.com](http://www.CapeCoral.com) (Click [here](#) for the full article) and our return to 11-man football (Click [here](#) for the article) by the Cape Coral Breeze.

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*"Come out and witness history in the making!"*

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## 2017-2018 Athletic Season

### FALL SPORTS

The fall sports season began Monday, July 31<sup>st</sup> for football, volleyball, cross country, swim, and golf. Our coaches have been busy this past summer preparing which will kick off with our first fall contest on Friday, August 18<sup>th</sup> when our football team hosts Lake Placid for a preseason match-up at Storm's Football Complex.

### TEAM SCHEDULES

Game schedules for [football](#), [volleyball](#), cross country, golf, [boys](#) & [girls](#) basketball, and [boys](#) & [girls](#) soccer have been constructed and posted to our Athletic website.

### VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Volunteer opportunities to match those games schedules are now available! Please visit the website at <http://www.oasishighschool.net/athletic-department-volunteers> to explore those opportunities. Please feel free to get a head start on the 2017-2018 school year in order to fulfill your 30-hour requirement.

**Volunteer hours will no longer be granted for attending athletic events.** Our Athletic Department needs the help of our parents and student-body to continue its success. Please check the website often as new opportunities can be posted weekly.

**Season Passes** will be available online and through your student-athlete.

## Becoming a Student-Athlete

- Every student wishing to compete for Oasis High School **MUST** submit a valid FHSAA Physical (EL2) and Waiver (EL3) on file with the Athletic Department before starting **ANY** activity. These documents are valid for 365 days from completion and are not finalized without a parent/guardian and student signature on all pages.
  - **Florida Department of Health forms cannot be accepted.**
- The student **MUST** be covered under their family's health insurance plan. If a family does not have health insurance for their student, they can purchase insurance from [Healthy Kids](#), a Florida KidCare partner.
- Students and their parents can find copies of the required FHSAA forms at <http://oasishighschool.net/fhsaa>.
- Students with as little as one signature missing will be held from any and all activities until the issue has been resolved.

## Open House – Tuesday, August 8<sup>th</sup>

Start your new year by meeting your teachers and coaches at the fall Open House on Tuesday, August 8<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 starting in The Shark Tank! Mr. Montag will be there to introduce himself and answer questions about the new athletic season!

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Need Volunteer Hours?  
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Volunteers are needed at all  
of our athletic events!



## Summer Camps – Thank You!

Volleyball, tennis, and basketball offered a wonderful experience for the kids of SW Florida this past summer. Everyone who attended reaped the benefits of our knowledgeable coaching staffs and the excitement for the new season is at an all-time high!

We want to thank our coaches for their time and dedication to our campers throughout the month of June. On behalf of our coaching staff, thank you to our parents for sending us your child and choosing Oasis High School.

## Welcome to Oasis!!

### ADMINISTRATION

We have some familiar faces starting new roles within Oasis High School this fall! **Mrs. Amanda Sanford** is excited to start the 2017-2018 school year as our new Principal, and **Mr. Todd Baldwin** and **Mr. Keith Graham** return to Oasis as our new Assistant Principals! We are all looking forward to a great school year!

### COACHES

The Athletic Department has some new faces working with our student-athletes this year. We are very excited about the energy they provide and the dedication they have shown to Oasis in the short time we have been working with them has been tremendous. We have added quality coaches to an already spectacular staff. The new coaches are:

**Eric McCauley** – Football Head Coach

**Ben Weissberg** – Football Assistant Coach

**Dick Wolters** – Football Advisor

**Brad Strey** – Head Golf Coach

## Coach for Oasis!

Oasis currently has vacancies within the coaching positions listed below. If interested, please contact our Athletic Director, Brian Montag, with at least two letters of recommendation and a resume.

**Head Wrestling Coach**

**Head Boys Soccer Coach**

## Shark Volleyball Invitational!

The 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Shark Volleyball Invitational will be held on Saturday, September 2<sup>nd</sup> on the Oasis campus. This 6-team tournament will host Lee & Collier County schools that make for an exciting day of volleyball.

The Sharks look to bounce back from dropping the 2016 final against Ida Baker HS in two out of three sets.

The day starts at 9:00 and we are in need of plenty of volunteers to help! We always want to put our best foot forward and put on a first-class experience for our visitors, but we cannot do that without the help of our parents. Please visit [Sign-Up Genius](#) to get involved!



*Which Sharks will be named News-Press player of the week this year? Come out and find out for yourself!*

## Booster Club

The Oasis High School Booster Club is looking for new members and has plenty of volunteer opportunities available! All parents and students are welcome to attend their monthly meetings in the OHS cafeteria. The Boosters will meet on the following dates through the first semester:

August 23  
September 13  
October 11  
November 8  
December 13

Check them out at [www.ohsboosters.com](http://www.ohsboosters.com).




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*Come spend a Saturday cheering on your Lady Sharks as we host the 7<sup>th</sup> annual Shark Volleyball Invitational!*

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## Upcoming Events

Check out our school calendar for our *Upcoming Events!* Below are just a few that may just peak your interest.

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| <b>Fall Sports Begin</b>                    | July 31 <sup>st</sup>                               |
| <b>Open House</b>                           | August 8 <sup>th</sup>                              |
| <b>First Day of School</b>                  | August 10 <sup>th</sup>                             |
| <b>Football Preseason vs. Lake Placid</b>   | August 18 <sup>th</sup> @ Storm Football Complex    |
| <b>Volleyball Opening Night vs. Mariner</b> | August 21 <sup>st</sup> in The Shark Tank           |
| <b>Shark Volleyball Invitational</b>        | September 2 <sup>nd</sup> in OHS & OMS gyms         |
| <b>Homecoming vs. SFCA</b>                  | September 29 <sup>th</sup> @ Storm Football Complex |
| <b>Homecoming Dance</b>                     | September 30 <sup>th</sup>                          |
| <b>District Golf Tournament</b>             | October 16 <sup>th</sup> & 17 <sup>th</sup>         |
| <b>Winter Sports Begin</b>                  | October 16 <sup>th</sup>                            |
| <b>Volleyball Playoffs Begin</b>            | October 16 <sup>th</sup>                            |
| <b>Cross Country District Finals @ Lely</b> | October 26 <sup>th</sup>                            |

## Our Next Issue - November

Within the next three months the Athletic Department will be developing and finalizing the following:

- Information on our Fall Sports Banquet.
- Season pass information for our 2017-2018 Basketball seasons.
- Information on our annual Boys Basketball Santa Slam Tournament which will be held December 22 & 23.
- Information on how you can volunteer for the 2018 Boys Basketball District Tournament held in the Shark Tank!
- Winter sports start throughout the month of October and the first week of November. Please watch our website and social media outlets for updated information on how students can try out.

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