2009 Fall Athletics Information

Mark Your Calendar:

Event: Fall Sports Parent Meeting  
Who: All middle and upper school parents with student-athletes participating in cross-country, football, golf, sailing, swimming and volleyball are required to attend.  
Date: Monday, August 24th  
Time: 7:00-8:15 p.m.  
Location: Thunderdome on Uihlein campus  
Format: The meeting will begin with general athletics information in the Thunderdome. The group will then split up into assigned classrooms for team meetings led by the head coaches. Thunder Athletic Club memberships and season passes will be available for purchase at the meeting.

Fall Sports General Information:

**Cheerleading**  
**Varsity Team** (grades 9-12): Coach Amber Maltby: a501bluz@aol.com; 518-6696  
Optional Practice Week: August 10-14 (10:00 a.m.-Noon)*  
First practice: August 17, 2009 (3:45-5:45)  
Regular practice times/days: 3:15-4:15 (M-F)  
Practice location: ODA – Petrik Thunderdome/Uihlein Fields  
Varsity and JV cheer teams were selected last April  
Kathleen Abrams: katab@comcast.net; 228-6843

**JV Team** (grades 7-9): Coach Shelby King: kinggirl@ufl.edu; 730-8482  
Optional Practice Week: August 10-14 (10:00 a.m.-Noon)*  
First practice: August 17, 2009 (3:45-5:45)  
Regular practice times/days: 3:15-4:15 (M-F)  
Practice location: ODA – Petrik Thunderdome/Uihlein Fields

**Cross Country**  
**Varsity/JV Team** (grades 7-12): Coach Joe Runge: irunge@oda.edu; 554-5990  
First practice: August 17, 2009 (3:45-5:00)  
Regular practice times/days: 3:45-5:00 (M-F)  
Practice location: ODA – Uihlein Fields

**Football**  
**Varsity Team** (grades 10-11): Coach Brett Timmons: btimmons@oda.edu; 554-5967  
First practice: August 10, 2009 (8:15-10:30 a.m.)  
2 per day practice times: 8:15-10:30 a.m. / 3:15 – 5:45  
Regular practice times/days: 3:45-5:45 (M-F)  
Practice location: ODA – Uihlein Fields

**JV Team** (grades 7-9): Coach Sean Ball: sball@oda.edu; 554-5983  
Optional practices days: August 19-21 (3:15-5:15)*  
First practice: August 17, 2009 (3:45-5:45)  
Regular practice times/days: 3:45 – 5:45 (M-F)  
Practice location: ODA – Uihlein Fields
**Golf**

**Varsity/JV Girls Teams** (grades 7-12): Coach Rodney Woods (G): rwoods@oda.edu; 554-5959  
First practice: August 18, 2009 (2:30-5:00)  
Regular practice times/days: 3:45 – 5:00 (TU-TH)  
Practice location: Lakewood Ranch Country Club  
Prior golf experience is required

**Varsity/JV Boys Teams** (grades 7-12): Coach Shelley Stone (B): sstone@oda.edu; 554-5989  
First practice: August 18, 2009 (2:30-5:00)  
Regular practice times/days: 3:45 – 5:00 (TU-TH)  
Practice location: Lakewood Ranch Country Club

**Swimming**

**Varsity/JV Teams** (grades 7-12): Coach Carolyn Keber: ckeber@oda.edu; 554-5952  
First practice: August 17, 2009 (3:30-5:00)  
Regular practice times/days: 3:45–5:00 (TU-TH)  
Practice location: Lakewood Ranch Athletic Center

**Volleyball**

**Varsity Team** (grades 10-12): Coach Julio Cruz: icruz@oda.edu; 554-5998  
Optional practice week: August 10-14 (3:15-5:45)*  
First practice: August 17, 2009 (3:45-5:45)  
Regular practice times/days: 4:15-6:00 (M-F)  
Practice location: ODA – Petrik Thunderdome

**JV Team** (grades 9-10): Coach Cynthia Ritchie: cynthia.ritchie@gmail.com  
Optional practice week: August 10-14 (9:00-11:00 a.m.)*  
First practice: August 17, 2009 (3:45-5:45)  
Regular practice times/days: 4:15-6:00 (M-F)  
Practice location: ODA – Petrik Thunderdome

**Middle School Team** (grades 7-8):  
Coach Dave Hawkes: dhawkes@oda.edu; 554-5970  
Coach Joanne Barrett: ibarrett@oda.edu; 554-5964  
Coach Jeff Horr: jhorr@oda.edu; 554-3449  
Practice begins on: August 17, 2009 (2:15-4:15)  
Regular practice times/days: 3: 15 – 4:15 (M-F)  
Practice location: ODA – Petrik Thunderdome

* Optional practice dates are listed in the information for several sports above. Please note that student-athletes are not required to attend these practices but may do so if in town and available. Absences from optional practices will not be counted against players.

### 2009-10 Sports Offerings:

**Fall Teams**
- Varsity and J.V. Cheerleading  
- Varsity and J.V. Cross-Country  
- Varsity and J.V. Football  
- Varsity and J.V. Golf  
- Varsity and J.V. Sailing  
- Varsity, J.V. and M.S. Volleyball

**Winter Teams**
- Varsity, J.V. and M.S. Basketball  
- Varsity and J.V. Cheerleading  
- Varsity and J.V. Soccer

**Spring Teams**
- Varsity and J.V. Baseball  
- Varsity Softball  
- Varsity, J.V. and M.S. Tennis  
- Varsity and JV track

Please Note: the number of teams per sport is subject to change depending on participation. 7th and 8th grade students are eligible to participate on J.V. teams in sports where no middle school team is being offered. 7th and 8th grade students are eligible to participate on varsity teams where no middle school or JV team is being offered.

Game schedules for all sports teams will be posted throughout the summer on [www.oda.edu](http://www.oda.edu) as they become available. Winter and spring sports information is available on athletics web page at [www.oda.edu](http://www.oda.edu).