



*Ogemaw Heights High School*  
*Daily Announcement*  
*Monday, January 12, 2026*



Congratulations to this week's Falcons of the Week - Nash Munson, Chad Smith, Colton Montney and Gavin Heintz. Please stop in the office during advisory to pick up your shirt, lunch, popcorn and slushy pass from Mrs. Rice.

To all returning esports players and any students interested in the winter season, there will be a brief meeting after school on Wednesday, January 14th at 2:30 in room 159.

January's NHS meeting has been rescheduled for Wednesday, Jan. 21st in the library right after school. A reminder to new members, stop by Mrs. Rexford's room (153) before that if you need the code for the Google Classroom.

There will be a NHS blood drive on January 27th. Students must be 16 years old or older to donate. See Mrs. Rexford for more information.

Falcons, January is a time to reset and work on becoming a better version of yourself. Some of those changes are physical, while other changes go much, much deeper. Maybe you want to work on learning a new skill. Perhaps you are trying to set a new personal record in the weight room. You might even want to change the ways you interact with people. If you're working on skills like being a more attentive listener or being more respectful, then our word of the week is for you: Deference. Deference is the respect given to experienced persons, bosses, or elders. It is submission to those who may have a higher rank than you or may have more knowledge or skills than you. Here it is in a sentence: "You might wear ripped jeans to school every day, but you wouldn't wear them to a job interview out of deference to your potential employer." See Mr. Pilarski if you want to win fabulous prizes based on our Word of the Week.

On Saturday, the Falcon Swim Team hosted the Stephanie Rice Memorial Invitational. Ogemaw finished 4th out of 9 teams! Of the 34 swims the Falcons competed in, 32 were season personal best times, an incredible accomplishment! Earning Top 6 honors with ribbons and medals were Kedrick Munn, Bryce Hinkley, Anthony Watson, Jager Hill, Brenson Keith, and Griffin VonSteenburg. The Falcons' will compete next at the Tri-Cities Prelims and Finals, this Thursday and Saturday at SVSU.

**Today in Sports**

JV & Varsity Boys Basketball vs Tawas High School 5:30pm/7:00pm