



# TMS E-News

## 4/23/2021

**TMS DOES NOT UNLOCK THE DOORS UNTIL 7:40 A.M.**

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### **ATTENTION PARENTS:**

**STUDENTS ARE CALLING PARENTS FROM THEIR CELL PHONE TO SAY THEY DO NOT FEEL WELL AND TO ASK THE PARENT TO PICK THEM UP. THE OFFICE AND THE NURSE ARE NOT AWARE OF THIS UNTIL A PARENT SHOWS UP TO TAKE A CHILD HOME. IF YOUR CHILD CALLS, PLEASE ASK THEM TO GO TO THE OFFICE AND CHECK IN WITH THE NURSE.**

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### **IMPORTANT FLYER INFORMATION - PLEASE READ BELOW**

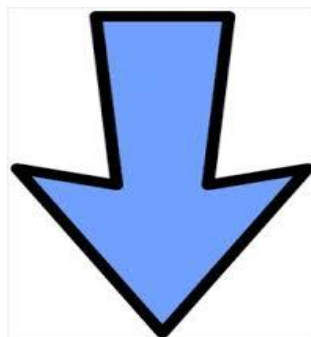
**\*\*\* IMPORTANT MORNING DROP-OFF INFORMATION \*\*\***

**(Morning drop-off procedures apply to the afternoon pick-up as well)**

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# ***Kona Ice Is Coming***

## ***Friday, April 30!!!***





**On FRIDAY, April 30th we will have an "Incentive Day" to celebrate student hard-work and effort during state testing. There will be indoor/outdoor activities as well as the Kona Ice Truck!!! Please see the flyer below.**



**IS COMING!**



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**APRIL 30**

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**\$4 Klassic Kona**




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**Bring your quarters, dimes, nickels and pennies and help raise money for your school!!**

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# PRESCRIPTION MEDICATION TAKE BACK DAY



Dispose of unused and expired  
medications safely for you and  
the environment!



EARTH DAY  
APRIL 22ND

Grace Point Church

3727 Oxford Millville Rd, Oxford,

OH 45056

2:00-4:00pm

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First Christian Church

5877 Todd Rd, Oxford, OH 45056

11:00am-1:00pm

5:00-7:00pm



DEA NATIONAL  
EVENT

APRIL 24TH

TRI Community Center  
parking lot

6025 Fairfield Rd, Oxford, OH  
45056

10:00am-2:00pm

No questions asked.

Will accept disassembled vape devices.





# **GREAT MIAMI ROWING CENTER**

**COME JOIN US—NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY!**

## **J ROW: A Junior Rowing Development Program**

- **For 5th—8th Grades**
- **Wednesdays, Fridays, and Saturdays**
- **5-7 PM Wednesday and Friday, 8:30-10:30 Saturday**
- **Spring Season: Now through May 28th, 2021**

## **WHY ROWING?**

- ***Land Workouts to Build Strength!***
- ***Water Time to Learn to Row!***
- ***Make Friends!***
- ***Get prepped to join the Youth (High School) Competitive Team!***

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**For More Information:**

**513-857-2494    [director@greatmiamirowing.com](mailto:director@greatmiamirowing.com)**

**[greatmiamirowing.com](http://greatmiamirowing.com)**



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COLLEGE OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Division of Health Behavior and Health Promotion

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April 9, 2021

To Whom it May Concern,

As a public health professor at The Ohio State University, I'm leading a research project to survey Ohio youth. The purpose of this online research study is to better understand young people's health behaviors and attitudes. Survey questions concern health issues such as substance use, exercise, and COVID-19. All responses are kept confidential, and we obtain parent/guardian permission for minors.

Our goal is to enroll 1000 adolescents and young adults (aged 15-24) from Ohio. We've enrolled about 500 people so far, but recruitment has not been easy during a pandemic! We're especially in need of more adolescents. It would therefore be extremely helpful if this information could be shared in your e-news. Below is the recruitment language that has been approved by our University's Institutional Review Board (ethics committee):

Researchers at The Ohio State University are looking for teens and young adults to participate in a research study aimed at better understanding people's health behaviors and attitudes. Participation involves a 10-15 minute baseline survey and three 5-10 minute follow-up surveys.

You will receive a \$25 online gift card for baseline and a \$10 gift card for each follow-up. Participating in these surveys may make you qualify for additional studies related to this project.

To determine if you are eligible to participate, please complete the following screener survey: <http://www.go.osu.edu/EAHP>

Thank you for your assistance!

Megan E. Roberts, Ph.D.  
Assistant Professor  
College of Public Health  
The Ohio State University

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Their will be a doorprize drawing for the "graduates".  
Email me today to register and find out how you can get  
your name put in numerous times, even before the class starts!



This life-changing class offers concrete, no nonsense solutions to the most difficult parent questions. **Classes are once a week for 10 weeks.** We look forward to working with you to support your children in making healthy, safe choices and being successful in all aspects of life.

- \* Never argue with your child again
- \* Prevent or intervene in alcohol or drug use
- \* Improve school attendance and performance
- \* Find resources to help your family

*Children ages 11-16 are asked to attend their own session to participate in the WhyTry Program if possible.*

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Butler County has adopted the Why Try Program for students. This program helps to answer the question "Why should I try in school?" Why Try uses a series of ten visual metaphors to teach vital social, emotional, and leadership principles. The program's unique multisensory approach caters to every learning type. Over 2 million students have participated in this program. This program has produced favorable outcomes in such areas as:

- \* Increased GPA
- \* Increased Graduation Rate
- \* Reduction in Disruptive Behavior
- \* Improved Self-Concept & Emotional Health
- \* Increased Resilience

**WHEN - March 18th - May 20th, 2021**

**Time:** 6:00 PM – 8:30 ish pm for the 1st 6 wks  
6:00 PM – 8:00 pm for the last 4 wks.

**Location:** Your place and ours! We are doing a Zoom class again.

**Cost:** Free to Butler County Residents

To register or for more information email - Patsy Bolden: [pbolden@ccswoh.org](mailto:pbolden@ccswoh.org)

(If you live outside of Butler County you are more than welcome to join us, you will just be required to cover the cost of the Syllabus @ \$33 + shipping.)  
Talawanda School District is committed to building healthier families and a healthier community!  
Questions? Call 513.273.3390.



Butler County United Way  
Community Partner



# Order your yearbook today on [onypay.lifetouch.com](https://onypay.lifetouch.com)

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**Order Deadline:**

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03/15/2021

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Código ID del anuario:  
10975621

**School Name:**

Nombre de escuela:  
Talawanda MS

Yearbook Anuario

**\$24.00**

- Sturdy soft cover with protective coating
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- Cubierta blanda resistente con revestimiento protector
- Todas las páginas a color, que captan de manera vibrante tus recuerdos durante el año escolar

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- Anuario
- Cubierta personalizada
- Zoom
- Volante de autógrafo
- Adhesivos del anuario

**Hardcover Upgrade**

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**PACKAGE B**  
PAQUETE B

**\$30.00**

- Yearbook
- Personalized Yearbook Cover
- Zoom
- Autograph Insert
- Anuario
- Cubierta personalizada
- Zoom
- Volante de autógrafo

- Yearbook
- Personalized Yearbook Cover
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PAQUETE C

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**PACKAGE D**  
PAQUETE D

**\$25.50**

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- Anuario
- Zoom

- Yearbook
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Extras Adicionales



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**Personalized Yearbook Cover\***

Your student's name printed on the cover.

Cubierta personalizada. El nombre de tu estudiante impreso en la tapa

**Included**

**Zoom: Current Events Insert\*\***

An insert displaying this year's most memorable news, sports, entertainment and more!

Zoom: Volante de los eventos actuales. Un volante que exhibe las noticias, el entretenimiento, los deportes más memorables de este año y mucho más!



**Autograph Insert\*\***

A paper insert for students to collect signatures from friends and teachers.

Volante de autógrafo. Un volante en papel para que los estudiantes reúnan firmas de amigos y docentes.



**Yearbook Stickys**

Fun, removable stickers to personalize your yearbook pages.

Adhesivos del anuario. Adhesivos divertidos y removibles para personalizar las páginas de tu anuario.



Prices include sales tax where applicable.  
Los precios incluyen impuesto a las ventas cuando corresponde.

\*Yearbook design varies by school. El diseño del anuario varía según la escuela.  
\*\*Inserts must be affixed in the yearbook after arrival. \*Los volantes deben ser anejados al anuario después de su llegada.

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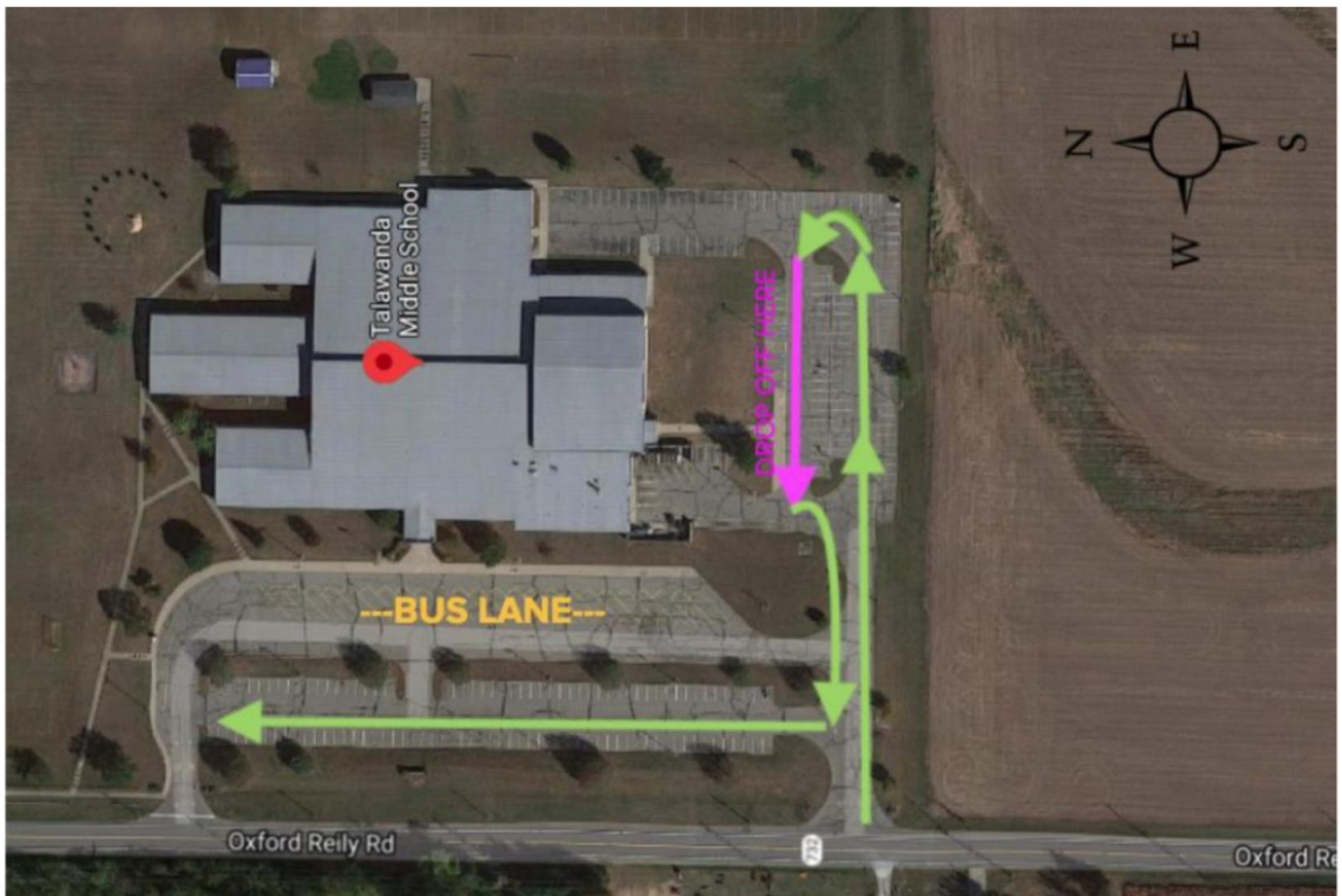
## TMS Morning Drop Off Procedures

*Talawanda Middle School will open the doors for students at 7:40am. Students can enter the building, take their coats to lockers if needed, and report to the cafeteria for breakfast or first period.*

**When you enter the parking lot, the line of cars should be continuously moving (see image below). If you arrive earlier than 7:30am and need to wait for your student to exit the car, please park in a spot between the basketball hoops. There is plenty of space outside for students to safely keep distant from others while waiting just a few minutes for the doors to open. Please have your student exit the vehicle as soon as you pull alongside/parallel the building (the pink section of the image below). This allows 5-8 cars to drop off at the same time and the line moves significantly faster.**

Be careful to note that the busses will also be entering the parking lot and will need to have the right of way as they attempt to enter the bus drop off lanes in the front of the building.

Thank you for your assistance with this. If everyone follows these procedures morning drop off will move much faster.





**DID YOU KNOW?!?**

Every **WEDNESDAY**  
we offer extra help for all of our  
students! If you are in  
need of extra help

**WE ARE HERE FOR YOU!!**

Please call the Guidance Office to schedule a time,  
**513.273.3310.**

Times are available from 8am - 3pm. Space is limited so  
do not delay! Transportation is **NOT** provided. All students  
must come with a charged chromebook, mask, and a  
positive attitude.

**When you need to pick your student  
up for an appointment.....**

**CALL AHEAD**

**OR**

**SEND A NOTE!**

If you let us know what time you will be  
here to pick up your student we can have  
them in the office waiting for you. With  
the new process of picking up students we are  
trying to make it easier for you. All of the steps  
we are taking to try and keep our students healthy  
and safe it takes a little longer to get them  
out of class and to the office. Let us help you stay  
on time! Send a note into the office or call to let us  
know what time you will be picking up.









# The Manual The Hospital Forgot to Give You

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## Concrete Solutions For Tough Kids

- Learn how to never argue with your child again!
- Improve school performance!
- Stop unwanted behaviors!
- Answers for parents of children diagnosed with ADD/ADHD

To help your child make  
better choices, join us at:

**WHEN** - March 4th - May 6th, 2021

**Time:** 6:00 PM - 8:00 pm Once a week, for 10 wks

**Location:** Your place and ours! We are doing a Zoom class.

**Cost:** Free to Butler County Residents

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welcome to join us, you will just be required to cover the  
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Door prizes will be given for participation also!

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community! Questions? Call 513.273.3390.





## Talawanda School District Health Coordinating Council

We are excited to introduce a wonderful resource to our families! Beginning next week, we will share one section of this Parent Guide each week with the Talawanda community.

### Building Resilient **Families**



As educators, we do our best to help students. But, we have limited tools to impact the challenges they face at home. That's why we developed our guide for parents... **to help them build resilient families.**

### Engaging Tools for Parents

The parent guide is based on the same concepts that make The WhyTry Program and Resilience for Youth so effective.

Now, you can empower parents to teach their children where resilience comes from, and how to access it. They can use simple strategies and fun activities to engage the whole family in the learning process.

To help you implement the parent guide in your community, we also offer training for your team. This training will give you tools to support parents directly, taking a more collaborative approach to developing resilience in your students.

Using the parent guide as a curriculum, you will be able to deliver engaging, activity-driven community events to teach resilience.



To learn more, visit:  
**[ParentGuide.WhyTry.org](http://ParentGuide.WhyTry.org)**

### The **Parent Guide** Includes:

- Resilience-building concepts anyone can use
- Simple strategies for developing resilient families
- Engaging activities that make it fun and easy to learn together
- Audio recordings so busy parents can listen 'on the go'

We hope you find this to be helpful. To preview the guide, visit [ParentGuide.WhyTry.org](http://ParentGuide.WhyTry.org).

For more information, please contact Amy Macechko, Health & Wellness Coordinator, at 513.273.3390 or [macechkoa@talawanda.org](mailto:macechkoa@talawanda.org).





# Symptoms of Coronavirus (COVID-19)

**Know the symptoms of COVID-19, which can include the following:**



**Symptoms can range from mild to severe illness, and appear 2–14 days after you are exposed to the virus that causes COVID-19.**

**Seek medical care immediately if someone has  
Emergency Warning Signs of COVID-19**

- Trouble breathing
- Persistent pain or pressure in the chest
- New confusion
- Inability to wake or stay awake
- Bluish lips or face

This list is not all possible symptoms. Please call your healthcare provider for any other symptoms that are severe or concerning to you.



**Centers for Disease  
Control and Prevention**  
National Center for Emerging and  
Zoonotic Infectious Diseases

[cdc.gov/coronavirus](https://cdc.gov/coronavirus)



**PublicSchoolWORKS**

A Safety & Regulatory Compliance System



# Stay Safe Speak UP!

(Remain Anonymous)

Call or go online today to report harassment, threats, suspicious behavior or other concerns which may jeopardize the safety of students, employees or school facilities.

Your message is very important in helping us maintain a safe school environment.

## *It's easy!*

### **Phone**

1.866.listen2me (toll free)

### **Online**

1. Go to [www.talawanda.net](http://www.talawanda.net)
2. Click on Health & Safety
3. Click on Safe School Help Online



## Report these safety concerns:

- Weapons
- Drugs / Alcohol Abuse
- Suspicious Behavior
- Suicide / Self Abuse
- Problem Relationships
- Sexual Assault
- Fights / Violence / Abuse
- Harassment / Threats
- Theft / Vandalism
- Health Concerns / HIV / AIDS



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