



Osan High School

Cougar Update

Friday, September 25, 2009

Welcome Back Message

from Diana Ohman

DoDDS-Pacific/DDESS-Guam Director

Welcome students and parents back to school year 2009-2010! This promises to be an exciting school year full of new scholastic, athletic and social opportunities for everyone.

This year, you will hear and see DoDEA Pacific used more frequently—but not exclusively—to communicate our unified mission and programs to military families around the world. DoDEA was established in 1994 with the clear purpose of providing continuity and equity for students transitioning between DoDDS and DDESS schools. This is not a formal name change—we are DoDDS-Pacific/DDESS-Guam in policy and legislation and we will continue to celebrate our unique qualities and proud tradition. We may have several names, but we are one DoDEA school system with one clear mission: highest student achievement. The high-quality educational experience you have come to expect will continue and strengthen in the years ahead.

I plan to visit as many schools across the Pacific as possible this year to hear directly from you, and other valued stakeholders, on ways to address the untapped opportunities and unique challenges in your community.

However, a great school year begins with a clear plan and while I am collecting feedback and ideas, DoDEA Pacific will focus on student achievement, monitoring and improving instruction, and supporting military transformation.

As the new Director for DoDEA Pacific, I extend my well wishes to you and your family for a productive, rewarding school year!

Warmest regards,

Diana J. Ohman
Director, DoDEA Pacific



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Upcoming Events:

Monday, September 28 - "A" Day

Tuesday, September 29 - "B" Day

Wednesday, September 30 - "A" Day

Thursday, October 1 - "B" Day

Friday, October 2 - No School Chusok In-Service Day

Football & Cheerleading @ Seoul American High School

Coming Events...

October 9 - Early Release CSI In-Service Day (1030 Dismissal)
(Early Dismissal Schedule Attached)

October 12 - No School - Columbus Day Federal Holiday

October 14 - School Portraits (Freshman, Sophomores and Juniors)

October 14 - Jostens Representative in Osan (Class rings and senior orders)

October 21 - Osan Air Power Day - School Will be in Session

October 27 & 29 - Senior Portraits

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Cougar Time

Early Dismissal Schedule

A Days

Period A1 - 0835-0900

Period A2 - 0915-0930

Period A3 - 0935-1000

Period A4 - 1005-1030

B Days

Period B5 - 0835-0910

Period B6 - 0915-0950

Period B7 - 0955-1030

No Seminar

