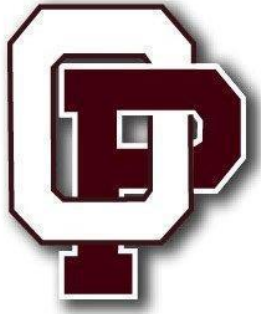


# **2023 Homecoming Dance**

## ***Purchase Your Tickets ONLINE!!***



**Who:** Only Orchard Park High School students (grades 9 – 12)

**Date:** Saturday, September 30, 2023

**Time:** 7:30 – 10:30 p.m.  
(Doors will open at 7:00, and students will not be admitted after 8:30 p.m.)

**Place:** Orchard Park High School gym

**Ticket Sales:** Tickets are \$21

**\*Tickets will be sold online from Thursday, September 21 through Thursday, September 28 ONLY!**  
**Students' current OPHS student ID will serve as the ticket.**

Orchard Park High School has the pleasure of having one of the most well attended homecoming dances in the area. We are proud of our reputation for providing our students with a happy, healthy, and safe evening that they are sure to remember.

**All Orchard Park High School rules as outlined in the *Orchard Park High School 2023 – 2024 Student Agenda and Handbook* apply to the Homecoming Dance.**

Please review with your child the enclosed information regarding our expectations for the Homecoming Dance. These expectations are designed to help ensure that our students have another safe and fun-filled evening.

**Keeping Kids Safe (KKS) Meeting:** In order for students to attend an Orchard Park High School dance, parents/guardians must view the “Keeping Kids Safe” (KKS) video and acknowledge they have done so before their students may purchase a Homecoming ticket. The video is linked on the Parent Portal as “KKS Signoff.” **The final opportunity to meet this requirement is the last day of ticket sales, Thursday, September 28, 2023.**

## Tickets

Homecoming dance tickets are to be purchased ONLINE on the Orchard Park Central School District website at <https://www.opschools.org/hsdance>. Once there, click on the Homecoming Dance link found on the left-hand side of the page. At the time of ticket purchase, students will have to choose which door they would like to enter when they arrive at the dance, either Baker Rd. or Freeman Rd. side. This is done to expedite getting students into the building.

Upon entering the dance, ALL STUDENTS must have their current OPHS Student ID, which will serve as their ticket.

**NO ID = NO ENTRANCE TO THE DANCE!**

## Drop off / Parking

Students, whether driving themselves or being dropped off, should arrive and park on the side for which they purchased their ticket. They may leave the dance through either exit.

## Appropriate Dress

Dance attire is **SEMI-FORMAL** and should be in line with the code of conduct as published in the 2023 – 2024 *OPHS Student Agenda and Handbook*.

Attendees should be dressed with the following guidelines in mind:



- A collared shirt, tie (long or bow), dress pants, belt, and dress shoes. (A jacket or sport coat is nice but not necessary.)
- Dresses, dressy pants, skirts, and shoes that are safe and comfortable being worn all night.
- **For health and safety reasons, students may not go barefoot at any time.**

- Students wearing informal attire, such as shorts, t-shirts, jeans, Crocs (or other foam shoes), or gym shoes will not be allowed entrance.

- Students will be denied entry at the discretion of administration for items that are not expressly mentioned here but that are deemed inappropriate at the time of arrival.



## A Note

*Your child's health and safety is of utmost importance for us. Please feel free to call the school at 716-209-6242 with any questions.*