



RAIDER

Osborne High School

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OSBORNE JROTC VARSITY RAIDERS TEAM **- A HISTORY OF EXCELLENCE.**

"2012 MALE NATIONAL CHAMPIONS / 2012 FEMALE NATIONAL RUNNER-UP"-

- 2019 FEMALE STATE CHAMPIONS
- 2018 FEMALE STATE CHAMPIONS
- *2017 - MALE STATE CHAMPION, FEMALE STATE CHAMPION RUNNER-UP, MIXED STATE CHAMPION RUNNER-UP, MALES 3RD IN NATION, 5K NATIONAL CHAMPION, FEMALE 3RD IN NATION, 5K NATIONAL CHAMPIONS
- *2016 - FEMALES STATE CHAMPIONS / FEMALES AREA CHAMPIONS / FEMALES 6TH IN NATION / MALES 3RD IN STATE / MALES 4TH IN NATION
- 2016 LADY CARDINALS STATE CHAMPIONS
- ULTIMATE RAIDER: DAVID LOPEZ - 9TH IN THE NATION/ JENNIFER ORTIZ - 13TH IN THE NATION
- *2015 - MALES 4TH IN NATION - FEMALES 7TH IN NATION
- -2014 MALES - 6TH IN NATION-
- *2014 FEMALES - 7TH IN NATION-2014 MIXED TEAM - 10TH IN NATION (BEST EVER)-2014 -
OSBORNE ONE OF ONLY TWO SCHOOLS IN THE NATION TO HAVE THREE TEAMS FINISH IN THE TOP 10.
- *2013 RAIDERS MALES: 4TH IN NATION -2013: FEMALES: 6TH IN NATION -
- *2012 MALE RAIDER NATIONAL CHAMPIONS -2012 FEMALE NATIONAL RUNNER-UP -
- *2011: MALE NATIONAL RUNNER-UP -2011: FEMALE 3RD IN NATION -
- *2010: FEMALE STATE CHAMPION - 2010: MALE STATE RUNNER-UP
- [Raider Nationals Article ARTICLE NATIONAL RAIDER COMPETITION](#)



- ❖ WHAT IS RAIDER? CHIEF'S DEFINITION:
- ❖ AN OSBORNE RAIDER IS PHYSICALLY FIT AND MENTALLY STRONG.
- ❖ A RAIDER TAKES CARE OF HIS/HER RESPONSIBILITIES AT HOME AND AT SCHOOL.
- ❖ A RAIDER KNOWS THAT TEAMWORK MAKES THE DREAM WORK. MAKES THEMSELF BETTER WHICH WILL MAKE THE TEAM BETTER.
- ❖ THE TEAM GOALS COMES BEFORE ANY INDIVIDUAL GOALS.
- ❖ A RAIDER IS ROUGH AND TOUGH AND DON'T TAKE NO STUFF.
- ❖ A RAIDER HAS A POSITIVE ATTITUDE AT ALL TIMES.
- ❖ A RAIDER SETS THE EXAMPLE AND IS A LEADER NOT ONLY IN JROTC BUT ALL CLASSES
- ❖ A RAIDER NEVER QUILTS.



Raider Competition or "Raider" as it is more commonly known is a very popular athletic competition held within Junior ROTC programs around the United States. It is the Junior ROTC equivalent of the Army ROTC "Ranger" competition in college, only far less dangerous but very challenging as well! The events are held outdoors in state parks, HIGH SCHOOLS or large expansive wooded areas.

The exact Raider events differ depending on where you are competing much like every golf course is slightly different, but the game is the same. Generally, no matter where you compete, there will be some type of personal fitness/individual strength test (i.e., push-ups, curl-ups, tire drag, obstacle course, etc.) There will also be a distance team running event, along with some type of through the wood's obstacle type event, and also some form of rescue/first aid event (rescuing a body from the woods on a litter). Lastly, almost every Raider event has some form of Rope Bridge construction/transport component. Other events can be maintained and often are held including first aid test, land navigation, etc. but I think you get the general idea that this is a mental and physical test of strength and endurance that takes a committed group of youngsters willing to train hard to prepare for competitions to be safe and successful.

Most schools who competes in "Raider" have a male team, female or a mixed gender team. Competing in Raider is a great way for JROTC cadets to stay mentally and physically in shape in a military framework. Mostly, it is the most athletic and mega-hooah activity in all JROTC!



WANT TO TRY OUT?

• INFORMATION FORM ALL CADETS TRYING OUT MUST COMPLETE THE INFORMATION SHEET:

- [Select here to complete information sheet](#)
- (Hold Ctrl button and click over the blue link)

SUMMER WORKOUTS: TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAYS 7:30 – 11:30.
MEET IN THE WEIGHT ROOM. EMAIL rodney.fagan@cobbk12.org for more information.

INCOMING FRESHMEN AND CADETS WANTING TO TRYOUT:

Tryouts begin on 3 Aug. The second day of school. We will have a meeting the **first day of school, on 2 Aug, 3:30 - 5:00 for those trying out.**

You must have a current physical or completed consent forms and your parent's permission to tryout.

Subject: Osborne High School JROTC Varsity Raider Team

Dear Raider Senior,

I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate you on accepting the challenge and being a member of the Osborne High School 2019 – 2020 Varsity Raider Team. As you know it takes a tremendous amount of physical and mental strength to be a Raider...especially an Osborne Raider. I hope that you are proud of the fact that you are a member of the most athletic team at Osborne. I strive to have a team of scholars, leaders and athletes and am happy to see that goal accomplished. I am proud of the fact that not only did we compete against the best teams in the State (Females four consecutive State Championships) and the Nation, but our Raider senior class maintained an average GPA of 3.3 percent.

You do not realize it now but later on in life you will look back on your Raider experience and realize that is will be one of your best if not the best experience you had in your high school career. The physical and mental toughness you had to have during the season are the same traits you will use later in life to accomplish your goals. In your quite times you will think about the great friends you had on the team. You will think about all the practices in 98-degree weather and wonder how you made it without passing out (except for Rubio who did pass out).

You will think about the first meet at Adairsville and how you thought you would be stuck in the tube on the obstacle course. You will think about the team run during the State championship when you thought it would never end. You will think about the good food we ate that was prepared by the parents and family members. You will think about qualifying for the National championships with the mud pit at CCR, the mountain on the team run, the canoe on PPT, going over the river on rope bridge, the tire, tube and walls on Gauntlet. You will think about camping out and the campfire our last night of nationals. You will think about your last Raider season and how much you miss the team, your friends and yes maybe Chief. I hope you have no regrets because you gave 100% effort, 100% of the time.

I will think about you and wish you all the best in life. Once a Raider, always a Raider. Raiders for life. I am very proud of you.

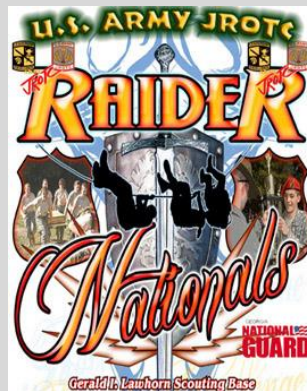
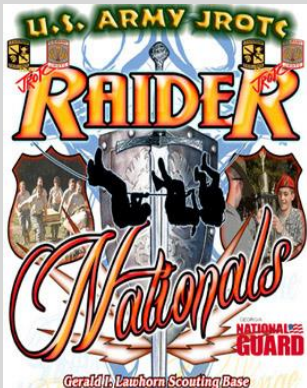
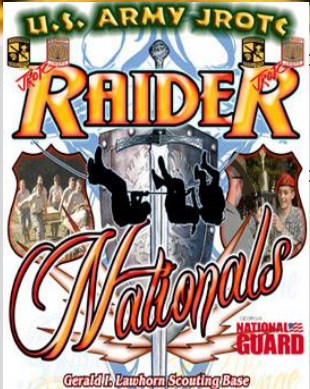
Your Coach,

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Senior Army JROTC Military Science Teacher

Varsity Raider Coach



NATIONALS INFO FOR PARENTS



The National Championships will be held 5 - 6 November at the Gerald Lawhorn Boy Scout Camp, 518 Thundering Springs Rd, Molena, GA 30258.

We will depart from Osborne at 8:00am Friday and return at approximately 2:00pm on Sunday. We will be camping in tents. The tents have a mattress and a raised platform. Your child will need a sleeping bag or sheet, blanket and a pillow. Your child was given a packing list. Males and female will sleep in separate areas and are not allowed in each other's area. This will be strictly enforced. We understand that you are placing an enormous amount on trust in us to take care of your child for the weekend and will do everything to keep your child safe. We also have several parents that will be staying in the campgrounds with us. Your child must call home every night.

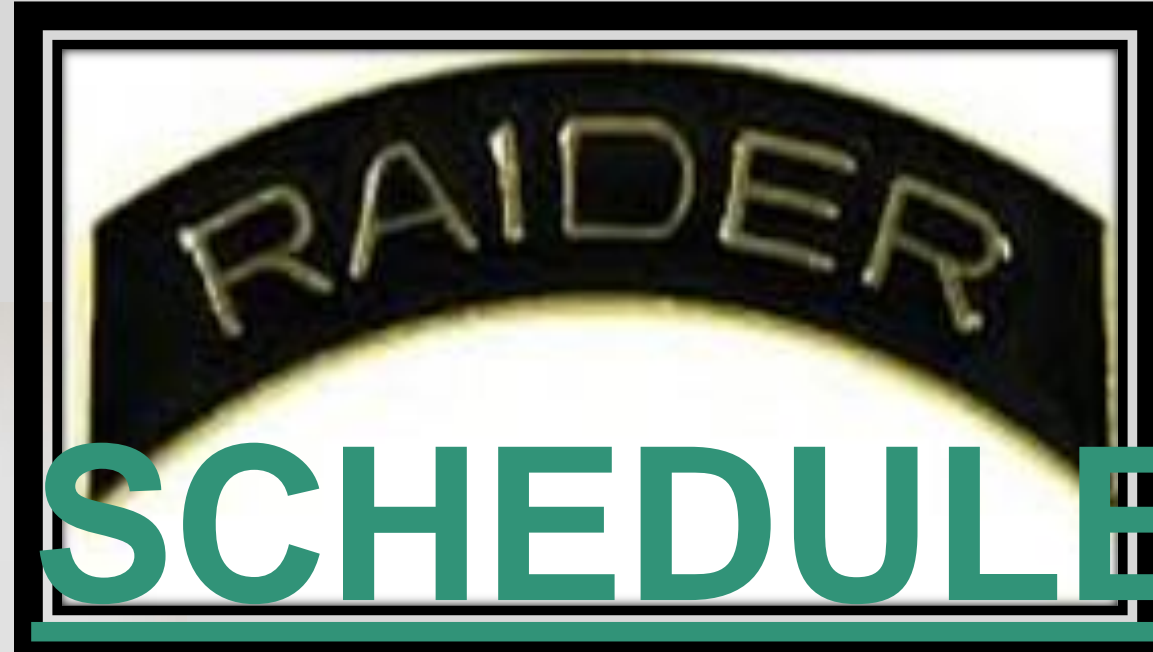
We pay most of the expenses, but each student must pay \$25.00 to help offset the cost. For the \$25.00, your child will receive a t-shirt, national medal and an 8 x 10 picture. I (U.S. Army) will cover the cost of registration, camping fees and food. We welcome donations of sports drinks, water, snacks and fruit.

The national Championship is the highlight of the year for our Raiders. We camp out, tell stories around a bond fire, compete and have our seniors reflect on their years in JROTC. You are welcome to see your child compete on Saturday. Our first event begins at 8:30am.

Again, congratulations. You can be proud that your child has proven to be one of the best athletes at Osborne High School and a member of the number one Raider team in the State. Our goal is to once again to compete for the National Championship. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.



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RAIDER-TEAM 8-FT-WALL FAR-SIDE LADDER FEMALE-TEAM
COLD RUN LITTER CCR RAIN CHIEF-FAGAN TEAM-CAPTAIN BRIDGE
4-FOOT-WALL TEAM-WORK RIVER ROPE-CLIMB ALL-THE-WAY-UP NO-ONE-LEFT-BEHIND
ONE-HUNDRED-PERCENT-EFFORT ONE-HUNDRED-PERCNT-OF-THE-TIME HOT FINISH-LINE
MALE-TEAM COLD NATIONALS RUCK-SACK MONKEY-BARS
SUCK-IT-UP MUD RAIN ROPE COMMANDER
NEAR-SIDE NO-QUIT DREAM-WORK 10-FOOT-WALL
FAMILY TIRE-FLIP



SOME RAIDER PICTURES



















































































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