

OGDENSBURG CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT  
OGDENSBURG, NEW YORK

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**SUBJECT:** Sports Merger for the 2018-2019 School Year with Canton Central School District

**DATE:** April 16, 2018

**REASON FOR BOARD CONSIDERATION:**

In support of the Ogdensburg City School District's decision to share services, the District has requested consideration of a sports merger for Varsity Girls Hockey with the Canton Central School District. The coaches, Athletic Director and Superintendent of Schools support this request.


**FACTS AND ANALYSIS:**

The Ogdensburg City School District would like Canton Central School District to consider a request for a sports merger in Varsity Girls Hockey for the 2018-2019 school year. If approved, the Ogdensburg City School District would file the proper forms with Section X.

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

Moved by \_\_\_\_\_ and supported by \_\_\_\_\_ that, having the approval of the Superintendent of Schools, the Board of Education of the Ogdensburg City School District does hereby approve the sports merger with the Canton Central School District in Varsity Girls Hockey for the 2018-2019 school year, on this 16<sup>th</sup> day of April 2018.

**APPROVED FOR PRESENTATION TO THE BOARD:**

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Superintendent

TMV/alf  
Attachment

Section 10 Athletics

COMBINED TEAMS APPLICATION

1. Describe the reason(s) for this request and any history that will help demonstrate need:

OFA doesn't offer Girls Varsity Hockey. OFA would like to merge with Canton. OFA + Canton have a very good relationship in Girls Ice Hockey

2. List all schools considered: Indicate their anticipated number of participants and league record for the previous year.

HOST SCHOOL	BEDs # (9-11 only)	Current # of Players	Total # of Players Last Season
CANTON	368		
REQUESTING SCHOOL	BEDs # (9-11 only)	Current # of Players	Total # of Players Last Season
OFA	341	6-7 Players	

Original Team Classification/Division  
SECTION 10 DIVISION

Classification/Division With Combined School(s)

3. What name will the team use? CANTON GOLDEN BEARS

4. Which Athletic Director is responsible for the team? Bill Porter

What, if any, are the financial obligations to the host school?

What, if any, are the financial obligations of the requesting school? OGDENSBURG FREE ACADEMY WILL PAY MERGER FEES.

*NOTE: Financial obligations, if any, will be paid directly by the school or a school organization.*

5. Which school will be responsible for awards? CANTON

Which school will be responsible for practice and game transportation? CANTON

Which school will be responsible for the coach? CANTON

6. Which facility will be used for practices and contests? CANTON PAVILLION

7. Do the schools involved participate in the Advanced Placement Process? If one or more do not, please explain procedure to be used. (use back of form) YES

The following schools: 1. OFA 2. CANTON  
3. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_

have agreed, with the Board of Education approval, to combine in the sport of:  
ICE Hockey at the Varsity Level, during the 18'-19' school year.  
(Boys only, Girls only) (Both) (MOD, JV, VAR)

Signature of the Requesting Superintendent\* 

4/3/18  
Date

Signature of the Host Superintendent

Date