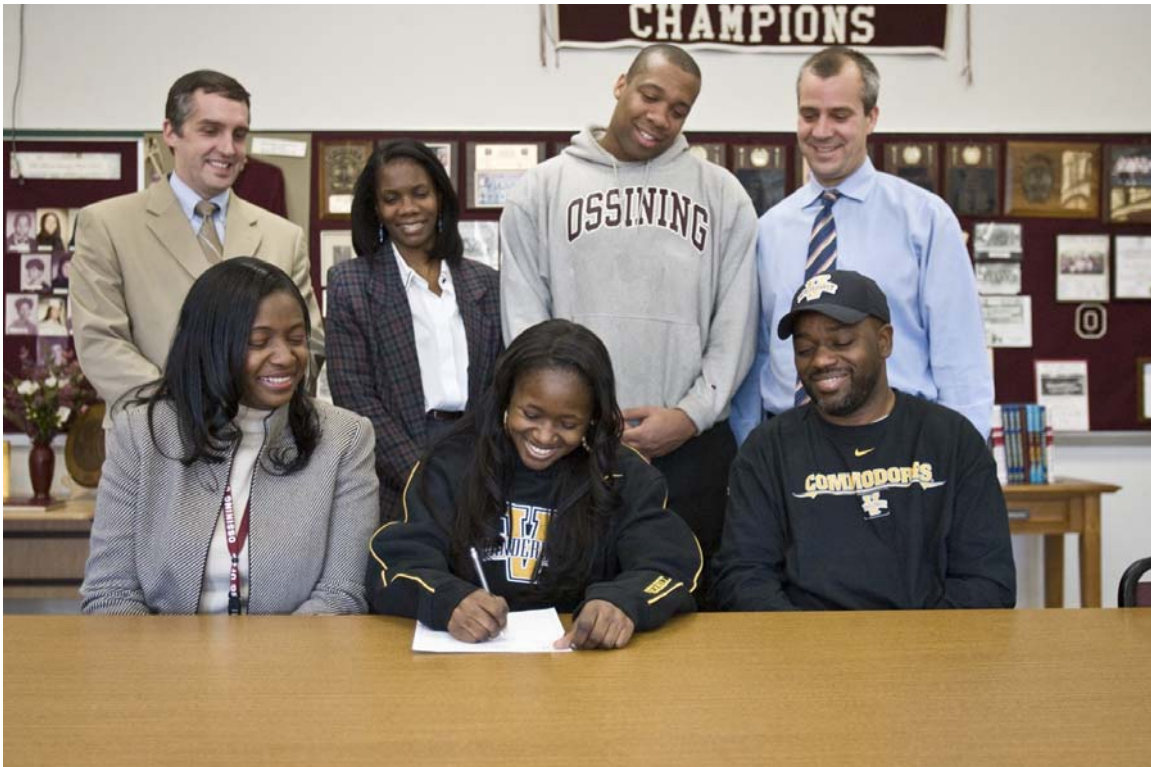




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Ossining Star Sprinter Signs Letter of Intent

(OSSINING, N.Y.) – Joined by her coach, guidance counselor, and family, Ossining High School student athlete Josalyn White signed a National Letter of Intent to enroll and compete in track and field at Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Tennessee.

“Josalyn has tremendous talent and will do great things for Vanderbilt,” said Ossining High School Track Coach Russell Rainey. “We are extremely proud of Josalyn,” said Director of Health, Physical Education, and Athletics James Dennett. “Vanderbilt University is getting an amazing athlete with a bright future ahead of her.”

The 5 ft. 6in. scholar athlete is also on the Honor Roll, secretary of the African American Club at Ossining High School, and recently won the 55 meter in the Westchester County Track and Field Championship. Just this past summer White won the Gold medal for the 4 x 100m relay during the Empire State Games. “I am truly excited to be attending Vanderbilt University,” said White. “I can not wait to go there and be a part of the Commodores track team.”

PHOTO CAPTION

Top row, OHS Assistant Principal Chris Olson, OHS Guidance Counselor Kendall McFarlane, OHS Track Coach Russell Rainey, Director of Health, Physical Education, and Athletics James Dennett. Bottom Row, Angela White, Josalyn White, and Wade White.

The Ossining Union Free School District, nationally recognized for its mission to further the success of all children, serves approximately 4,200 pupils in six schools: Roosevelt School for newborn to four-year-olds, Park Early Childhood Center for kindergarten through first grade, Brookside School for grades two and three, Claremont School for grades four and five, Anne M. Dorner Middle School for grades six through eight, and Ossining High School for grades nine through 12. **[February 2008]**

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