



TROY HIGH SCHOOL WARRIOR WEEKLY



February 11, 2022

Troy High School – January 10, 2022

Warriors,

This is truly a wonderful Friday as we get ready for a three day weekend! Today during lunch, our much anticipated “Food Fest” returns after a COVID-19 induced hiatus. ASB Advisor, Ms. Alexandria Williamson Gillespie is the key organizer as this event in addition to being tasty is always a big club event! Additionally, we are on a slightly adjusted schedule to allow for a longer lunchtime for Food Fest!

Tonight we have a great event at Troy from our Instrumental Music Program. It is going



to be a wonderful program and will start at 7pm and go until around 8pm. One slight change to

the event is regarding the sale of food. There may not be tacos and there could be ice cream. Therefore do not depend upon tacos at the concert for dinner...



Our Boys' Soccer team will face Arlington High School, Riverside tonight in Riverside at 6:00pm! We have a great team and are looking for them to win this game and hopefully get a home game for next week! Go Warriors!



Tomorrow, our Girls' Soccer Team, again undefeated in the Freeway League have a home match here at Troy at 3pm against Woodbridge High School! We have a very good team, and a fairly young team, so tomorrow will be a good test for them to face that next level of play against a worthy opponent! I look forward to this game and the next round! Go Warriors!

Last but not least, our Girls' Basketball team will be facing Westlake High School away in Thousand Oaks tomorrow night at 7:00pm in the first round of CIF playoffs. It has been a challenging season for our Warriors, and they have been knocked down. However, they do not stay down, and they have kept getting back up and continuing to battle. They are going to have a good night at Westlake High School, and I am very hopeful we will see our Warriors in a home Round 2 CIF game next week!



Last week, Troy Computer Science Teacher, Mr. Don Allen was notified of several Troy students receiving this prestigious computer science award!

On behalf of the National Center for Women & Information Technology (NCWIT) National Award Selection Committee, we are pleased to officially inform you that three of your students, Amber Wang, Isabella Alpert, and Mishty Dhekial, has/have been selected as a 2022 national recipient of the Award for Aspirations in Computing (AiC)!

Out of over 3,500 applications this year, the 400 national recipients represent the top 11% of applicants for the Award for AiC. This is a phenomenal achievement. We hope you are incredibly proud of your student(s) and yourself for encouraging their technological interests. We appreciate you for supporting your students' computing and technology journey.

Congratulations to these three amazing Troy students, Amber Wang, Isabella Alpert, and Mishty Dhekial!

Troy has some amazing students and we have some students that were recently recognized for their work by the 2022 Scholastic Art & Writing Awards!

- Yating Liu's essay "Feminine Traits as Heroism" in *The Odyssey* received Honorable Mention in the Critical Essay category.

- Cloris Shi received a Silver Key in Flash Fiction, two Gold Keys in Poetry, and an Honorable Mention in Poetry.
- Ariana Perez for “Levanta Te-Huelga De Humana” received the Silver Key in poetry. “Fate of a Tree” received an Honorable Mention in poetry. “Wonder Woman of the American Revolution” received an Honorable Mention in the Critical Essay category. Additionally, Ariana also won the Lions Club Speech Contest and will be moving forward to the next round in March!

Congratulations to these three fantastic writers and poets! Great job, Warriors!



Hopefully we will have some additional opportunities to see our Red Hot Dance teams in action! Recently they have been performing during halftime at home basketball games. I am hoping we have the chance to see them perform at home again next week! As if we needed another reason to cheer for our Girls' Basketball team tomorrow night!!!



National School Counseling Week from February 7—11th



Troy Counselors, pictured from left: Mr. Varieur, Ms. Morck , Ms. Evans, Ms. Saleen, Ms. Avila

It has been another busy week, and this week our Counselors have been going out to classes and speaking with students regarding Registration for courses in the 2022-2023 school year. On our school website in the Counseling link are more details including videos. Here is a sample of the information that is available.

2022-2023 Course Registration Information

Current 9-11 graders will register for 22-23 courses as well as 2022 summer school starting February 8, 2022. The registration process begins with grade-level, in-class presentations by the school counselors. Following the presentation and new this year, students will enter their course requests in their Aeries Student Portal. School counselors then meet with students to review their course requests, discuss appropriateness of course totals and course levels, and ensure they have met the course prerequisites. It is vital that your students is at school to receive this information. If they are absent for the presentation date, they are to view the presentation at home. If a current 10-11 grader is out ill for the Registration Materials Return dates, they are to see their school counselor the day they return at break, lunch or after 6th period to review their 22-23 course requests. <https://www.fjuhsd.org/Page/600>

As I wrote last week, our Counselors do a wonderful job, and during National School Counseling Week we take a moment to reflect upon all they do for our school. Troy has a very

strong team, and this week one of our counselors, Ms. Jacquie Morck was recognized by the Orange County Department of Education! Here is the letter I just received regarding Ms. Jacquie Morck. Congratulations!!!!



February 8, 2022

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Dear Jacquie Morck,

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The Orange County Department of Education would like to recognize you for your professional work as a Professional School Counselor and your participation in this year's Counselor Recognition Program. Our primary goal is to spotlight and celebrate our amazing school counselors who are working tirelessly to support the needs of our students in all three areas; Academic, Social Emotional and College and Career development. We congratulate you on the work you are doing using a comprehensive school counseling program with data driven interventions as part of the Multi-Tiered System of Support framework.

Furthermore, your commitment and advocacy for the profession is appreciated and essential to the growth of the school counseling field as a whole. School counselors are essential members of the site and district leadership team and thus play an enormous part in the growth of the educational community. Thank you for committing to be an agent of change in the lives of your students and your schools.

To formally recognize and congratulate you on your Counselor Recognition Program Award, we would like to extend an invitation to join us in our upcoming 2023 Orange County Counselor Symposium, where we will recognize you at the event. Your registration fee will be waived as part of your award. There will be more information to follow in the next few months. We hope your colleagues and peers can join you in recognizing and celebrating this award during National School Counselor Week (February 7-11, 2022). We look forward to seeing you at the celebration ceremony.

Sincerely,

Jami Parsons, Ed.D.
Director

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Coordinator, K-12 School Counseling Services

Learning Supports Unit
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Cc: Al Mijares, Ph.D., Orange County Superintendent of Schools
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Students, here is more time sensitive information from our Guidance Department.

- For All Current 9th through 11th Grade Students and Families: Registration for 22-23 courses as well as 2022 summer school starts Tuesday, February 8th. For all registration

information including deadlines, course profiles/descriptions and more can be found on this section of the school website: <https://www.fjuhsd.org/Page/600>. Parents/Guardians, please work with your student to select the courses that interest them, that they qualify for and that they have the time to commit to the workload, while having time for family, friends and activities. This will help ensure a successful 22-23 school year.

Spring Semester Deadline to Drop an Additional Class or Class Level:

- Students may request to drop down in course levels (i.e., H/AP/IB/C to the lower level) if space is available or drop an additional class. Students in grades 9-11 must be enrolled in a minimum of 6 classes and students in grade 12 must be enrolled in a minimum of 5 classes. The deadline for a level change or to drop an additional class is Friday, March 18th by 3:00 p.m (end of the third grading quarter). Students must see their counselor in person before first period, at break, lunch or after sixth period by the deadline. If a student is in an Honors, Advanced Placement (AP), International Baccalaureate (IB) and/or Cambridge course and wishes to request to move down in levels, they have until 3 PM on Friday, March 18th to do so. To request a level change, the student is to see their school counselor in-person at break, lunch, before first period or after sixth period. Parent/guardian permission is required. As long as there is room in the lower-level course and it will work with the student's schedule, the request can be accommodated.



What if I missed the January 28, 2022 online Troy Tech application deadline for 8th grade students? Troy's administrators will be working on enrollment in the upcoming months. By approximately April 1, we will know if there is room to consider additional applicants. Complete [THIS FORM](#) to indicate that you would like to be contacted if additional applicant opportunities occur after April 1.

COVID-19 Reminder for all Troy High School Students!

In accordance with the Center for Disease Control (CDC), CA Dept. of Public Health (CDPH), and Orange County Health Care Agency (OCHCA), we ask that you complete the Qualtrics survey each morning prior to arriving on campus. However, **please do not attend school** if you have experienced any COVID-related symptoms:

- Flu-like symptoms such as fever of 100.4 or greater
- Chills
- Cough
- Sore throat
- Runny or stuffy nose that is not associated with a pre-existing condition or other chronic health condition.

Following the recommendations issued by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC), the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) has issued guidance in support of full in-person instruction and to as much instructional time as possible. A link to that guidance is included at the bottom of this communication.

Please note that masks will be required by all staff and students while indoors regardless of vaccinated status. As an extra precaution, FJUHSD is committed to continuing the enhanced cleaning procedures established to ensure that our schools are clean, sanitized, and safe.

[CDPH COVID-19/K-12-Guidance](#)

Safety Procedures for attending school during the COVID-19 pandemic.

- All students and staff will complete the Qualtrics COVID Safety Survey each morning (the survey will be sent to your school email).
- To enter campus, students will show their green checkmark from the completed survey permitting them to be on campus.
- Students will walk through the thermo-imaging temperature cameras by either the Main Office or the North Gym and show their green Qualtrics survey checkmarks.
- Face coverings (masks) are required inside and are optional while outside.
- Last but not least, **if you have taken a COVID-19 test** and are still waiting for results, **please do not attend school until you receive the results of that test**, and then **only come to school if you are negative for COVID-19!**

This program is available to all FJHSD students districtwide.

Tutoring Central

01 HOW DOES TUTOR.COM WORK?
Tutor.com is a fully online tutoring service. You can get a tutor in more than 40 subjects including Math Science, Social Studies, English, AP © Support and Foreign Languages. Tutoring sessions take place in an easy-to-use online classroom, which has been added to your Google Chrome App Launcher.

02 HOW DO I GET A TUTOR?
Using your chrome book sign into your google school account, click on your Chrome App Launcher "Waffle", scroll to find Tutor.com. Select to begin a new session.

mondays- math/biology
tuesdays- biology
wednesdays- math
thursdays- english/world history

Library 3-4pm

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For up to date Troy High School information on programs, sports, clubs, counseling, virtually anything having to do with Troy High School, our school website has quite a bit of valuable information and links. Our school website is a valuable resource, and I encourage everyone to check it out! <https://www.fjuhsd.org/Page/19> .



Last Saturday our Troy NJROTC cadets had a very good weekend. While I enjoyed seeing how well our Warriors performed in the 2022 NJROTC State/Regional Drill, Academic, and Athletic State Championships, I think Lt. Chris Cecil has the best report. *"I'm honored to*

share that our Elite Drill Team, Troy Black, won 1st place overall in the NJROTC Drill State/Regional Championships. This qualifies those 40 cadets for the NJROTC National Drill Meet Championship in Pensacola Florida April 1st and 2nd. The team was commanded by Cadets Kristin Yap and Joshua Ortiz. Our 2nd team comprised of mainly 9th and 10th graders placed 8th overall out of 16 teams! All of the credit goes to Commander Lauper, LT Fronek, 1stSgt Lyon, 1stSgt Barnes, the cadets, supporters, cadet families, and the Troy staff!

Troy Black

1st Push Ups

1st Curl Ups (Sit Ups)

1st 16 X 100 Relay

1st Overall Academics

1st Unarmed Regulation

1st Armed Regulation

1st Armed Exhibition

1st Overall Drill

1st Overall Physical Training

2nd Personnel Inspection

2nd Unarmed Exhibition

2nd Color Guard

3rd 8 X 220 Relay

Individual Placings

Female Curl Up State Champion - Wendy Ahn

Hannah Choi - 2nd curl ups

Kristin Yap - 4th curl Ups

Dylan Kha - 4th male curl ups

Justin Huang - 7th male curl ups

Daniel Yoon - 8th male curl ups

Justin Park - 10th male curl ups

Male Push Ups State Champion - Patrick Um

Benjamin Yu - 4th Male Push Ups

Chan Chung - 9th Male Push Ups

Esther Lee - 3rd Female Push Ups

Madison Dang - 7th Female Push Ups

Academic State Champion - Tyler Dang

Jonathan Ricafort - 2nd Academics

Patrick Um - 3rd Academics

Justin Park - 7th Academics

Chris Seo/Anderson Zhu - 10th Academics

Thank you so much for your continued support of the cadets and the program!

Sincerely,

LT Cecil, USN Retired

Troy NJROTC SNSI



Congratulations to our cadets! I look forward to our results from the National Championship!

Are you feeling stressed or need a quick pick me up? This link to our FJUHS virtual calming room with all the various relaxing and humorous options is for you! You have my word, the puppy cams are the way to go!

<https://sites.google.com/fjuhsd.org/fjuhsd-virtual-calming-room/home>



VIRTUAL TEEN MENTAL HEALTH SUMMIT



This free, teen-led event will showcase student voices, offer key breakouts to discuss mental health themes, and highlight clinically-vetted resources. Teens, educators, and mental health advocates from across the country are invited as we Work2BeWell together. Register today!

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

FEB 26

10 AM - Noon

Pacific Time

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WHEN?

WHAT?

10:00-10:10 AM	Welcome / What is Work2BeWell? / Our Why
10:10-10:35 AM	Share2BeWell What teens from across the nation are doing to improve mental health and wellness in their communities.
10:35-11:00 AM	Keynote Speaker
11:00-11:05 AM	Breakout Session Overview
11:05-11:25 AM	Breakout Session #1
11:30-11:50 AM	Breakout Session #2
11:50 AM-NOON	What can YOU do? Work2BeWell Resources

Register today at

[WORK2BEWELL.ORG/SUMMIT](https://work2bewell.org/summit)



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*Participants must be registered to receive access to all presentations.



The results from the Staff Cookie Contest last Friday are in! Our overall winner was a hardly a surprise. In the blind tasting cooking challenge here were the top three winners!

1st place - Stephanie Rosner, 2nd place - Dionne Evans, 3rd place - Laurie Downum



It is Super Bowl weekend, and on Monday it is Valentine's Day and Lincoln's Birthday (why we have a three day weekend) as well! It is going to be a great weekend, and in terms of the Super Bowl, I would like to see the L.A. Rams win one for Los Angeles this time. Enjoy the warm weather, and hopefully we will be able to work off all the big game day food! Rest and relax and I will see everyone back here bright and early on Tuesday, February 15th!

W.V. Mynster