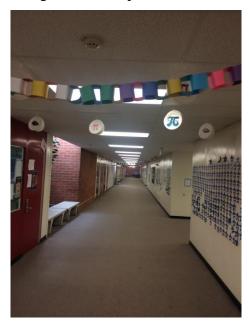




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It is sometimes difficult to fathom let alone keep up with all the various events both during and after school hours happening at Troy. Right now is a very busy time of year in part because in another month we begin our State, AP, and IB testing. Students, make sure you listen to the daily announcements and / or pay attention to our school website to keep up with all the various events! One such example is tonight Troy's Ohana club is having its 4th Annual Showcase in the Lecture/Performing Arts at 6:30pm!



The hallway may look empty, but it is actually full of Pi. Yes, Monday was Pi Day 3.14 and this is one of the ways we celebrate at Troy High School. We decorate the hallways—and also eat pie. Only at Troy. ©

Last weekend our Troy Red Hots and All Male Dance team competed in the State Championships at John Burroughs High School. Our teams performed exceptionally at state with virtually every team scoring very well. Dancer, Abby Takahaski was outstanding and won the Solo State Championship Title! Congratulations on this achievement! Dance Instructor, Ms. Alison Wills provided these pictures from the State Championship. Also, by the time you read the *Warrior Weekly*, our dance team will probably already be in competition at the National Championships, held at the Anaheim Convention Center. Go, Troy Dance!



On Tuesday night, our Girls' Basketball Team put up a valiant fight, but in the end lost a close game in the California State semi-finals to Brea-Olinda High School. Our team is tremendous, and they have been fun to watch all year. The game was very well attended by both sides, and while the outcome was not one for which we had hoped, I remain proud of our team, our coaches, our parents, and our students. Thank you for a wonderful season!



With the last of the winter sports officially over, it is primetime banquet time. Our athletes, parents, coaches, and administrators have been enjoying the season ending celebrations

for our teams over the past two weeks, and probably for the next few weeks. Earlier this week, Girls' Soccer held their banquet and Assistant Principal Lance Bletscher was able to provide this picture. As you can see, the Master of Ceremonies is Coach and Athletic Director, Mike Silzer. The Varsity soccer team had just been presented their certificates and had not yet left the stage. It looks like it was a fun evening!



Every weekend there are always numerous teams competing. Sometime it is our Dance, usually it is our NJROTC, often our athletic teams compete in tournaments, and not infrequently, our academic teams are competing somewhere. Last weekend a couple teams of students, coached by their teacher, Ms. Shannon Regli, competed in the Orange County Chemistry Olympiad Test held at Irvine Valley College. Troy finished #1 in the Chemistry Olympiad! Ms. Regli provided the names of the students that won this competition. For those of us that know them, I don't think there are any surprises here! The Chemistry Olympiad Champions are: Mike Bao, Timothy Li, Sharleen Loh, and Emily Peng.

Next week our Baseball Team kicks off Freeway League play against Fullerton High School. The exciting part is that this first league game will be held at Angel Stadium on Wednesday, March 23rd at 6:30pm. The cost of the game is free, so if you want to see Troy and

Fullerton High Schools play in Angel Stadium, this is your chance! There is also a Troy Night at an Angel Game on April 9th. To purchase tickets to that game, see any Boys' baseball player for information. On Wednesday we are the home team, so let's hope the home team wins!



It is softball season! Yesterday our team won a close game vs. Los Altos, 3-2. Our team is looking to rebound from last year and have a strong season with a deep playoff run! If you have not yet had the opportunity to see our team play, make sure to make some time to see them next week!

We are one week away from Spring Break! To me it sounds like a great weekend to recharge and get ready for an exceptionally busy week at Troy prior to our week off. With the fantastic spring weather, it will be a great weekend to grill out by the pool, or spend some time in the sun. Whatever you do, spend a little time getting some much needed rest and relaxation! I going to try and recover from this darn cold...I will see everyone back here on Monday!

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