TROY HIGH SCHOOL WARRIOR WEEKLY



May 21, 2021 The Summertime Troy Chalk Art Creation by resident artist, Mrs. Shannon Cogswell! Warrior Family,

We are in the midst of Senior Finals and for students, there is less than one week left in the 2020-21 school year. Students, it has been an interesting and challenging year, but you have but you have done it! Finish the year strong, and you can celebrate more than just Memorial Day weekend next Friday. Go Warriors!

While 9th, 10th, and 11th grade students are looking at Final Exams which begin next Tuesday, our seniors are already in second day of their finals. Keep in mind that on Monday we are still in the hybrid schedule. On Tuesday we will go to our Distance Learning Schedule for Final Exams, however for seniors, there are still all of the events tied to graduation week beginning Monday afternoon.

Seniors, here is your Finals and Graduation information! Continue to check your email for information on graduation! We have also posted information on the school website.

<u>Information for 2021 Seniors</u>

Monday May 24:

• Last day of senior finals (follow the regular hybrid learning schedule)

3-7PM Senior Night: Turn in Chromebooks, and textbooks, pick-up caps and gowns.
 Seniors arrive by their last name, Click here (and Scroll down) for the schedule
 https://www.fjuhsd.org/Page/3617

Tuesday May 25:

 Senior Lunch In-N-Out Truck 11am-2PM in the Troy Quad (Click here to purchase tickets)

https://troygradniteinfo.wordpress.com/2021/04/28/class-of-2021-senior-lunch/

Wednesday May 26:

Graduation Practice 11am Fullerton Stadium, <u>FIVE</u> tickets will be given to each
graduate only at graduation practice if all you fines and fees, and other holds are cleared.
For information on where to line-up click here:

https://www.fjuhsd.org/Page/4694

- 1PM reflections practice for student involved in reflections only
- **6PM** Reflections for students only, the event will be live-streamed for any spectators at www.troyhigh.com wear your cap and gown, and formal pictures will be available beginning at 5pm, as well as a photo booth
- If you are a current senior and would like to RSVP for Reflections, complete this form:

Thursday May 27:

https://forms.gle/NoWivez4SS5renpg6

Graduation!

All graduates arrive at **5:45PM** to the Gym at Fullerton Stadium, Caps, gowns, and approved stoles only may be worn. No cell phones, purses or backpacks will be permitted. Car keys and small wallets only will be able to be held by graduates.

Friday May 28:

• Diploma pick-up 9am-12pm, Troy Activities office. Graduates only can pick-up diplomas, must have ID.

For our 9th, 10th, and 11th grade students, here is your Final Exam Schedule, which can also be found on our school website!

Spring 2021--FINAL EXAM SCHEDULE May 25th (Tuesday) Final Exams-Distance

Period (0)	6:51-8:51 (120 min)
Break	8:51-9:01 (10 min)
Period (1)	9:01-11:01 (120 min)
Break	11:01-11:11 (10 min)
Period (6)	11:11-1:11 (120 min)
Lunch	1:11-1:41 (30 min)
May 26th (Wednesday) Final Exams-Distance	
Period (2)	7:47-9:47 (120 min)
Break	9:47-9:57 (10 min)
Period (3)	9:57-11:57 (120 min)
Lunch	11:57-12:27 (30 min)
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The 2nd AP exam administration is Digital at Home and began for our students on Tuesday, May 18th! For students taking the Digital at Home AP Exams, in the 2nd and 3rd AP testing administrations, please make sure you are following the College Board procedures for digital testing. This means students taking a digital exam must follow these procedures. From our AP Coordinator, Ms. Lisa Avila: "The digital, at-home AP exams will begin next week and it is imperative that students have followed the appropriate steps necessary to take the exam. If students are using school-issued Chromebooks, the app is already installed, but they still need to login and follow the additional instructions 1- 3 days before their exam and then logon 30 minutes before the start time on exam day. Students who are using their own at-home computer will need to download and install the digital app before logging in.

 $\underline{https://apcentral.collegeboard.org/about-ap-2021/updates/four-steps-before-digital-test}$

Troy's Science Olympiad team is competing for another National Championship! Here is some timely news from our Lead Science Olympiad Coach, Mr. Justin Kim!

On Saturday, Troy Science Olympiad will be competing in the Science Olympiad National Tournament. Due to the ongoing pandemic, the competition will be held virtually.

Throughout the year, students have adapted to competing online and have done their best to maintain Troy's tradition of excellence. Having won their 26th state championship, the team will be going for their 14th national championship this weekend.

This year's team: Seniors: Willow Huang (captain), Jack Hung, Tejal Patel, Nitin Sreekumar Juniors: Timothy Elnitiarta (captain), Alexander Bowman, Viraj Jansari, Timothy Kim, Arjun Patel, Amber Wang

Sophomores: Susanna Cao, Chen-Young Lin, Bella Liu

Freshmen: Chris John, Rishabh Gowda (alternate), Alexander Lee (alternate)

Video links to the Opening Ceremonies (Friday, 5/21, 5 PM) and Awards Ceremonies (Monday, 5/24, 5 PM) can be found at https://www.youtube.com/user/ScienceOlympiadTV.

The COVID-19 pandemic conditions have significantly improved in the last month, and this past Wednesday, Orange County officially moved into the Yellow Tier! This is super exciting because it means we can give five tickets to each graduating senior for the Troy graduation ceremony on May 27th @ 7:00pm at Fullerton Stadium! © For more news regarding COVID-19 and FJUHSD, again here is our updated district COVID newsletter!

COVID NEWSLETTER – May



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For anyone wanting more information on current protocols and more, I have again included the link FJUHSD COVID Newsletter. https://docs.google.com/document/d/1VVJIJ4Vu-XTk-kw2jhvrzAR2gX2rK7zakd8Daf1IcY/edit?ts=6074d2a2

Even in the Yellow Tier, there still continue to be COVID restrictions, we have to make some additional modifications to our Senior Graduation Week events. Earlier I mentioned we are able to give five graduation tickets to our seniors. This is based upon a 67% capacity limit for Fullerton Stadium, based upon the number of graduates in our Troy Class of 2021. For our Reflections event on Wednesday evening, normally we have parents included for this ceremony. Because we are unable to put our seniors and spectators into the North Gym, we are going to still hold the event live with our seniors, but we will livestream the event on YouTube. We will also

be livestreaming our Class of 2021 graduation ceremony on May 27th for those unable to obtain a ticket due to the current capacity limitations.

Here are the livestream links!

Reflections: https://youtu.be/0RzcultwGcw Graduation: https://youtu.be/lhhrDmZGNYs



Last week I included a link to the Top 10 eSports high school programs in California! https://espin.gg/post/3403 I also mentioned the article is great, which it is. Here is a more detailed follow up from our outstanding eSports Coach, Mr. David Kim! For the first time ever, our League of Legends team, Troy Warriors, competed in PlayVS's CIF Esports tournament this semester, and the team finished top 4 out of 62 schools in the state after an incredible record of 13 - 3 in the regular season and a record of 4 - 3 in the postseason. Congratulations to Samuel Chen, Tony Kuang, Sean Belanio, Daniel Chen, Sonny Zhu, Awin Zhang, and Justin Zheng for an incredible CIF run!

Our Overwatch team, Troy T1, competed in Trinity Esports Championship's inaugural tournament this semester and claimed the title of Overwatch Champions after going undefeated 8 - 0 in the regular season and 3 - 0 in the postseason! Congratulations to Matthew Baek, Jonny Xu, Victor Lee, Logan Nankil, Michael Robertson, Jeffrey Mun, and Josh Cho for a perfect season!

Lastly, special recognition to our League of Legends team, Troy Froggers, and our Valorant teams, Troy Red and Troy Black. Troy Froggers was our All-Female team this year, which has been recognized by various Esports organizations around the nation. Troy Black was our school's first ever Valorant team, and our second Valorant team, Troy Red, was able to reach the playoffs in Trinity Esports Championship's inaugural tournament this semester. Congratulations again to all of our Warriors for another successful year in Esports!



Tuesday night our Girls' Basketball team won their last regular Freeway League home game against La Habra High School! We also won last night and finished the season vs. Buena Park High School. Our team is playing well, and now we wait to see where we will be playing when the playoff brackets are announced on Sunday. Go Warriors!



Last night, our Boys' Varsity Basketball won their game vs. Buena Park in our last Freeway League home game of the season. Our Boys team looked strong and they will also be waiting to see on Sunday who we will be playing next week! Great job Warriors!



For FJUSHD students seeking a full time distance learning education once the full inperson learning returns this fall, FJUHSD does offer the iSierra Online Academy as it has for the past decade. Students attending may take courses that are UC/CSU & NCAA approved and upon graduation receive their diploma from La Sierra High School.



Tonight is the first live choir with our fantastic Ladies First choir! They are amazing and I have had the pleasure of hearing them practice the past two nights in the Quad.



On Monday and Wednesday we held our Freeway League Prelims and Finals at Fullerton Stadium. For all FJUHSD athletes these were two outstanding days of competition with the top finishers moving on to the CIF—SS Unified Track & Field Prelim Meet next Friday, May 28th! Congratulations to all our FJUHSD athletes and go Warriors!



Our Swim & Dive teams had a great year! From our amazing Troy Swim & Dive Booster parents, Ms. Stacey Lee and Rebecca Mao, here is how the season finished! We are so proud of your accomplishments! It has been a tough year but you continue to push through and

give it your all. Zachary Cheung represented TROY DIVE at CIF yesterday and took home 7th Place in Division 1!

SWIM League Finals: TROY BOYS SWIM Varsity and Frosh/Soph took 1st Place by a landslide!

TROY GIRLS SWIM Varsity came in 2nd Place in a close race against Sunny Hills.

TROY GIRLS SWIM Frosh/Soph barely missed 3rd Place by 1 POINT!



On Wednesday night our IB Diploma Candidates celebrated with their parents, and teachers. This yearly event was put together by IB coordinator, Ms. Charlotte Kirkpatrick and of our thirty full IB diploma students came out to receive their IB stoles and other IB regalia for graduation. Students, congratulations on completing a very rigorous academic program!

In Girls' Golf, Coach Jerry Cowgill has this exciting information! *The current Lady Warrior Team has its sight set on the CIF playoffs coming up June 2nd (Individuals) and 8th (Team). The girls competing are Kamille Dimayuga, Gabby Kano, Hannah Ulibarri, Tessa Lapradez, Jacqueline Liu, Victoria Choi, and Lauren Lee.* Good luck to our outstanding athletes! Go Warriors!

From our Instrumental Music Director, Mr. Joseph Castillo here is info on the last concert of the year! *The last concert of the year is here. We will have music from the Marvel Cinematic Universe.*

Symphony of Troy performs "The Avengers" Freshmen Warrior Band performs "Ant Man"

Symphonic Winds performs "Guardians of the Galaxy" Apollo's Strings performs "Black

Panther" Warrior Jazz performs "Iron Man" Symphony of Troy Performs "I Want You Back" The

Warriors of Troy (the entire music program) performs "Hooked On A Feeling"

And here's the link. It will be released tonight at 7 pm.

Troy High School Instrumental Music Program End of the Year Concert 2021





Yesterday, our Troy ASB met for a year-end awards ceremony in the Performing Arts building. They had a tall order to meet this year in orchestrating and creating virtual Pep Rallies and other



Troy school spirit events and activities to plan throughout this year! Their efforts culminated last Saturday night with the Under the Stars senior movie night event. It was a great evening and our seniors had the opportunity to dress up a little bit and enjoy being able to mingle in a socially distant and masked environment. © Great job Troy ASB and their Advisor, Mrs. Alexandria Williamson Gillespie!



Congratulations to our Boys' Volleyball team on what was effectively their inaugural season this year! Technically last year was their first season, but it was cut short by the pandemic just as they were beginning to play. This season, they were able to play most of their games, and then finished 2nd in Freeway League this year and made CIF playoffs. On Tuesday night we won the first round of CIF when we defeated Temecula Canyon 3-1. Last night we played a strong private school team from North Hollywood called Oakwood and unfortunately our season ended 1-3. I have to say, while we lost this match, we did come back and force a fourth game when we won the third game 26-24 in what was a tremendous display of talent, heart, and skill from our players and coaches! Thank you on a wonderful season to our team, and for all the support they have received from their parents! It was truly a team effort and a dream season! Great job Warriors!



TGIF and it is the weekend! Here is Luna and Troy Physics Teacher Mr. Tom Mosig enjoying a fun moment in our Main Office. Luna knows Mr. Mosig well and is intently focusing upon his N95 mask. If she were not on the leash, she would be trying to get a closer look. © One week left and I know we are all ready for Finals and Graduation Week culminating in our graduation ceremony on Thursday, May 27th @ 7:00pm at Fullerton Stadium! Troy family, it has been an amazing, difficult, frustrating, and extraordinarily rewarding year. I cannot believe it is almost over. Enjoy the weekend, get some rest and relaxation, and I will see everyone back at Troy in person or via Zoom on Monday! W.V. Mynster