



# TROY HIGH SCHOOL WARRIOR WEEKLY



May 28, 2021 *The Summertime Troy Chalk Art Creation by resident artist, Mrs. Shannon Cogswell!*

Warrior Family,

We did it! The 2020-2021 school year has ended and we made it! Congratulations on everything you did as a student, teacher, parent, classified, administrator to ensure success for everyone at Troy High School, which of course begins with our students. We have the long Memorial Day weekend and then Summer School begins on Tuesday, June 1<sup>st</sup>! Summertime is finally here! No matter if you are taking the entire summer off, attending or teaching one or two sessions of summer school, there will be some downtime. We have all earned the time to slow down a little bit. Congratulations to our seniors on a memorable year for the ages. We are so proud of our Troy High School Class of 2021! Go Warriors!





This may not be the most glamorous shot of our May 27, 2021 Troy High School Class of 2021 graduation ceremony, but it is the moment right before we entered the stadium. What is fun about this picture is how the students and the Troy counselors are clearly excited to be able to be here for this event! If you would like to recap our graduation, the livestream of the ceremony may be accessed at either our school website, or the YouTube link below. It was a wonderful night to be with our graduating seniors and families! Great job, Warriors!

<https://www.fjuhsd.org/Page/19>

<https://youtu.be/IhhrDmZGNYs>



The 3<sup>rd</sup> AP exam administration is Digital at Home and began for our students on Tuesday June 1<sup>st</sup>! For students taking the Digital at Home AP Exams, in 3<sup>rd</sup> 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.

<https://apcentral.collegeboard.org/about-ap-2021/updates/four-steps-before-digital-test>

### COVID NEWSLETTER – May



### SCHOOL SITE RESOURCES - EDUCATIONAL VIDEOS - NEWS ARTICLES

Here is the most updated FJUHSD COVID Newsletter! Remember, California is still on target for a full reopening on June 15, 2021! ☺ Here is the link!

[https://docs.google.com/document/d/191VEQDeBYaHDbNfyWTQbQwiksC94wB5wpV7C\\_alWjg4/edit?ts=60a81cf9](https://docs.google.com/document/d/191VEQDeBYaHDbNfyWTQbQwiksC94wB5wpV7C_alWjg4/edit?ts=60a81cf9)

In very exciting news from our Cyber Coach, Mr. Allen Stubblefield, there is some outstanding recognition for our Troy students! Congratulations to the following students who have been named National Cyber Scholars! Ashmita Kumar, Shirley Jia, Sean Shin, Hongrui Luo, Ryan Nguyen, Jacob Jayme, and Mahak Mathur! There is also scholarship money attached to this award that I believe amounts to \$2,500 to their college of choice! Great job, Warriors!



**Troy High School**  
**International Baccalaureate Diploma Candidates**  
**Class of 2021**



Congratulations to the 30 full IB diploma candidates from the Troy High School Class of 2021! IB is a rigorous program that kicks into full gear in 11<sup>th</sup> grade. However, there are some components such as a four year language requirement that begin sooner. These are our outstanding IB students, and sometime later this summer we will know the final word from IB on their candidate status. If history is any predictor of the future, I think we will have 30 IB full diploma graduates by the end of summer! Fantastic job, Warriors!



Troy held our Senior Reflections event on Wednesday evening in what was a very nice low key event. Due to COVID restrictions on venue capacity we did livestream the event on YouTube for our seniors parents and family members. Here are a couple pictures from the event!

Here is the livestream link!

Reflections: <https://youtu.be/0RzcultwGcw>

From Troy's Science Olympiad Coach, Mr. Kurt Wahl, here is the report on how our team finished in the 2021 National Championship hosted by Arizona State University! Our team performed very well, and while they love to win it all, 3<sup>rd</sup> place is a tremendous accomplishment! Also remember, our team won their 26<sup>th</sup> straight California Championship this year! 😊

Congratulation to the **Troy Science Olympiad** for their outstanding performance at the 2021 National Science Olympiad Tournament. Troy finished in third place, missing 2<sup>nd</sup> place by just 1 point. The competition was hosted virtually by **Arizona State University**.



Team members won medals (top six) in 10 events. Senior **Nitin Sreekumar** and junior **Arjun Patel** won three medals each, including two gold medals working together as partners in fossils and experimental design. Juniors **Viraj Jansari**, **Tim Elniarta**, **Alex Bowman** and senior **Jack Hung** were all double medal winners as well. Here is a list of all the Troy medalists.

### 1<sup>st</sup> Place Medals

**Fossils:** Nitin Sreekumar (12) & Arjun Patel (11)

**Experimental Design:** Nitin Sreekumar (12) , Arjun Patel (11), & Viraj Jansari (11)

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Medals

**Boomilever:** Alexander Bowman (11)

**Chiropterology:** Alexander Lee (9) & Rishabh Gowda (9)

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Medals

**Machines :** Arjun Patel (11) & Tim Elniarta (11)

**Wright Stuff:** Chen-Young Lin (10)

### 5<sup>th</sup> Place Medals

**Boomilever:** Alexander Bowman (11)

**Circuit Lab:** Tim Elniarta (11) & Jack Hung (12)

**Ornithology:** Bella Liu (10) & Jack Hung (12)

### 6<sup>th</sup> Place Medals

**Anatomy & Physiology:** Nitin Sreekumar (12) & Viraj Jansari (11)

Troy freshman **Andy Chen** competed for Jeffrey Trail Middle School. He won three medals and helped them finish in 2<sup>nd</sup> place overall.





On Tuesday night our Girls' Basketball team won their first CIF playoff game this season at home vs. St. Paul! Our team played a strong defensive game and had a balanced attack on offense. Also, showing some grit, none of our players were afraid to go after this loose ball, which in the end resulted in another basket for our team! We have 2<sup>nd</sup> Round CIF game tomorrow night away at Aliso Niguel at 7:00pm! Go Warriors!



Tomorrow, our NJROTC team will be competing in the Quizbowl Nationals. If you would like to see an interview done today with our team by Fox morning news *Good Day LA*, it was filmed this morning via Zoom. The Quizbowl Nationals this year are also virtual, but there is no ability to watch them while the teams are competing. The competition is Saturday and Sunday, and we will know sometime Sunday afternoon how our Troy team performed! Good luck Warriors!



Congratulations to our Class of 2021! Luna is sorry to see our seniors leave us, but she will be happy to see them again in the future! For all our 2021 graduates, it has been a challenging year, but you have persevered and overcome the expected and unexpected challenges throughout the year. I wish all of you nothing but the best in all your future endeavors as you pursue your college degrees and careers! Please stay in touch as we will be looking and listening for news about all of you! We are all Warriors forever! Go, Warriors!

To everyone in our Troy Family, we have earned some rest and relaxation time. Please, take time to recover from what has been one heck of a year. Enjoy the summer, unwind and recharge, and I will see everyone back here in August when we welcome our students back to

school in person, five days a week!!!! ☺ We will be surrounded by real people, not screens for our lessons!



*Ok, I'm ready. Where are we going?*

If at all possible, with COVID winding down, try to “take off” and safely reconnect with family and friends this summer. Just being able to reconnect will do all of us a lot of good!

Have a fantastic summer!!!!

W.V. Mynster