



TROY HIGH SCHOOL WARRIOR WEEKLY



December 18, 2015

We have successfully concluded the fall semester at Troy High School! Thank you to all students, staff members, and parents for making this a semester to remember! Students, tonight is the chance to celebrate at our Winter Stoplight Dance from 8:00pm to 11:00pm. The dance is going to be in the North Gym, so students will not have to wear parkas...



Last Friday we held the 2015 version of the famous Troy High School Elf Dance. This picture is most of the senior class performing one of their four different routines during the Elf Dance and rally. It really is amazing to see the students in costume and dancing in a semi-coordinated manner. We also had an unexpected special guest when Santa Claus showed up and

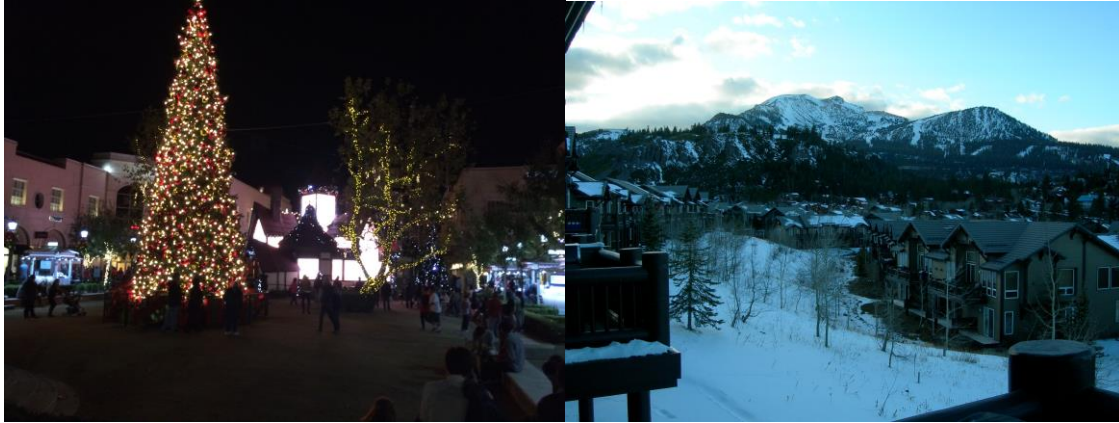
for the first time gave his support to the Elf Dance. I guess that means the students at Troy have been good this year!



In Tech News, our Cyber Patriot teams all made the next level of competition after a great performance last week! This includes our combined middle school and nine high school teams from NJROTC and Troy Tech Computer Science. They are now all in the Platinum division and have qualified for the State Round, January 29-31, 2016. Congratulations Warriors!

In Troy High School Engineering news, we are almost ready to fabricate metal using our new CNC mill under the watchful eye of Mr. Goodman. Likely, our robotics team will be the first engineering group to likely use the mill as they prepare for the competitions this spring. I cannot wait to see the various components that can be milled by our kids using this technology!

This is the final reminder for Troy Tech testing before we return for the beginning of the spring semester. If you have 8th grade brothers, sisters, cousins, or friends that are interested in coming to Troy High School and want to be part of Troy Tech in 2016-2017, we are about to conduct our annual Troy Tech Testing. The testing dates are January 9, 23, and 30th. Student arrivals for testing begin as early as 6:30am for students to register. Preregistration has also been available on our school website for awhile, and is strongly encouraged as it will make the registration process easier. Best wishes to those testing January to join our Troy Tech Magnet Program! Troy Tech is an even better program than it appears from the outside!



Victoria Gardens, Rancho Cucamonga

Mammoth Mountain, Mammoth Lakes, CA

I hope everyone will have a wonderful holiday season! If you are travelling, hopefully you are able to spend time visiting with family and friends. If you are staying closer to home, I wish you also the company of family and friends! 'Tis the season! I plan to enjoy some time in many years the ability to do absolutely nothing. On the other hand, because it is difficult to sit still, I may have to take a trip. Shopping, Mammoth Lakes, or perhaps San Francisco are all good candidates. Regardless, it is going to be a nice restful two weeks for me, and I hope it will be the same for the rest of the Troy family. Have a wonderful Holiday Season, and a very Happy New Year! I look forward to seeing everyone back here in 2016!



San Francisco, New Year's Eve 2011.