



TROY HIGH SCHOOL WARRIOR WEEKLY



February 17, 2023

It is the end of Valentine's Day/Week which actually began last Friday, but it is likely restaurants, will still be busy through this long Presidents Day weekend for those wanting to miss the Valentine's Day rush. This will be our second three-day weekend in a row, and then we have a stretch until we get to Spring Break the week of March 19th. It has been a busy four school day week at Troy, and there is a lot to cover in this *Warrior Weekly*! Go, Warriors!



Winter Sports are almost over, as we have three wrestlers, Jacob Longcrier, Purva Bhatt, and Mattrina Ifopo still in CIF competition! Congratulations, and good luck this weekend! For

the rest of our teams that have completed their runs in the CIF playoffs, our Girls' Basketball had a great year through the 1st round vs. Bonita High School last Thursday. Our Boys' Basketball team also had a fantastic season through in the 2nd round last Friday vs. Beaumont High School.



Our Girls' Soccer team played at William S. Hart High School to the Quarter Final round last Friday. The season is over for all these teams, but all these athletes had a wonderful season!





This past weekend, our NJROTC qualified for the Third time in a row for the National Championships in Pensacola, Florida by earning the Area 11 Championship for the third year in a row! Congratulations to our cadets and their instructors!



Our NJROTC Drone Team drove down to UC San Diego for the (Robotics Education & Competition (REC) Foundation Aerial Drone Competition called **Mission 2023, Blackout**. They had a great day! Our pilots had to master their drones, and had to be successful competing in

both manned and unmanned flight operations! Our Troy Drone Team named (24431A) finished 2nd and subsequently qualified for the National Championships, later this spring! Team members are: Brandon Kim, Commander (Pilot), Krish Gupta, Assistant Commander (co-pilot), Ryan Lim (Visual Observer), Daniel Sim (Programmer), Thomas Nguyen-Ta (Programmer). Also a special thank you to LT Roger Fronek and 1st SGT. Barnes for their coaching and support for the Drone Flight Operations! Time to fine tune the pilot skills further for the next event!



FJUSHD and Troy High School remain committed to providing Mental Health support to our FJUHS community. There are many options at your disposal, so please take advantage of them as needed. Some of the numerous Mental Health resources available to our FJUHS Family, include Parents and Guardians. Please use the resources that are available to you and these resources can be also be found on our district website [HERE](#).

Additionally, FJUHS has partnered with [Care Solace](#), a wonderful agency available to help our FJUHS families access community mental health resources. It is free, confidential, and they are experts at connecting mental health providers to anyone needing support. Please feel

free to review by clicking here, [Care Solace](#). FJUHSd also has these additional mental health resources and links to Orange County and National mental health support.

- [FJUHSd Virtual Calming Room](https://sites.google.com/fjuhsd.org/fjuhsd-virtual-calming-room/home): <https://sites.google.com/fjuhsd.org/fjuhsd-virtual-calming-room/home>
- [FJUHSd Parenting Resources](https://www.fjuhsd.org/Page/4317): <https://www.fjuhsd.org/Page/4317>
- [OC Support and Crisis Resources](https://www.namioc.org/help-support-overview): <https://www.namioc.org/help-support-overview>
- [National Alliance on Mental Illness \(for OC\)](https://www.namioc.org/): <https://www.namioc.org/>



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Warriors, here is the link to the Superintendent's newsletter for February! For the global FJUHSd insight, news, and events, it does not get much better! <https://conta.cc/40vIJmM>



**BE SAFE, BE SMART
SCHOOL IS A SAFE SPACE**

**NOTICE
WEAPONS
OF ANY KIND
PROHIBITED**

SAFETY BEGINS WITH US

REMINDER: Toys that look like weapons are prohibited in school for various safety reasons. Please help us keep weapons, dangerous objects, and weapon replicas out of our schools.

In Troy Cyber news, our own Mr. Allen Stubblefield was featured in *California Educator*, December 2022 / January 2023 Volume 27 Issue 3 in an article titled, *In Defense of Data*. It is a great article and further underscores the tremendous need to fill these

very important and lucrative positions and also the tremendous opportunities for students if choose to pursue this path. I am very grateful for the legacy Mr. Stubblefield leaves in the education of K-12 students in the world of cybersecurity. His efforts are making a difference now and in the future as our former students will defend us from cyber threats for decades yet to come. Go Cyber, and go, Warriors!



Drawn with love by Troy resident artist, Mrs. Cogswell

Troy's Excellent video: <https://youtu.be/a3HtnItxd8>



Troy AVID Program

A - ADVANCEMENT

V - VIA

I - INDIVIDUAL

D - DETERMINATION

Want More Information?

TRHS AVID

INFORMATION NIGHT

FOR STUDENTS AND GUARDIANS

THURSDAY 2/23 @ 6 PM

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We are a program for students who want to attend a 4 year University, and plan on, or would like to take some AP, IB, Cambridge, and Honors classes.



College Prep Program

AVID is a nationally recognized college preparatory program that is an academic elective during the school day.



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Students will also learn effective study strategies, test preparation, time management strategies, goal setting, and organization strategies.

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If you have any questions contact TRHS AVID Coordinator Tiffany Wilson
(twilson@fjuhsd.org)



Here is some Troy Speech and Debate information from their very proud coach, Ms. Deliana Park! *Last weekend, Troy Speech and Debate members competed in the Claremont Wolfpack Invitational. 36 High Schools and over 470 entries performed in person and we are proud to announce two winners:*

- **Noemi Maciel** - Finalist and 6th Place in Original Oratory
- **Helen Fang** - Finalist in **two events**, 6th place in Informative category and 2nd place in Humorous Interpretation. The club is practicing and looking forward to State competition on March 4th and 5th!

Congratulations to all of our students on our Speech and Debate teams! The skills learned and honed in these competitions will be of great value for the rest of your lives. Go, Warriors!

Fullerton College's High school Outreach and Financial Aid

Attention High School Seniors and First-Time College Students

Are you planning to attend FC and need help completing your Financial Aid? Join us to receive assistance!

Financial Aid Workshops

FAFSA / CA Dream Act / Cal Grants / Work study

In order to qualify for 2 years free tuition, students must complete a Financial Aid application!

Join us through Zoom:

When: Wednesday, February 15th, 2023
Time: 5:00pm - 7:00pm

Join us through Zoom:

When: Wednesday, February 22nd, 2023
Time: 5:00pm - 7:00pm

Space is limited!
 RSVP Here: <https://bit.ly/WorkshopsFA>

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TROY COUNSELING DEPARTMENT

FAFSA/DREAM ACT WORKSHOP

Presented by:



February 17, 2023
February 21, 2023



Troy High School
Library



5:30 PM - 7.00 PM



To complete the FAFSA, please bring:

1. Your Social Security Number
2. Your Alien Registration Number (if you are not a U.S. citizen)
3. Your 2021 federal income tax returns, W-2s, and other records of money earned. (Note: You may be able to transfer your federal tax return information into your FAFSA using the IRS Data Retrieval Tool.)
4. Bank statements and records of investments (if applicable)
5. Records of untaxed income (if applicable)
6. An FSA ID to sign electronically. You must request here: <https://studentaid.gov/fsa-id/create-account/launch>

To complete the CADAA, please bring:

1. Your 2021 tax information, untaxed income, bank statements, household size, and number in college.



From proud Choir Director, Mr. Mark Henson, here is some excellent news regarding our singers from the Kennedy HS Show Choir competition and our Ladies First choir!

Ladies First won 1st place as well as both caption awards (top music score, top showmanship score) and the Sweepstakes trophy for highest overall score among the 12 schools. In addition, Kyrri Valdma received the Outstanding Performer award. Great night for the group. Their next competition is this Saturday at Brea Olinda HS. Our vocal music is truly second to none. Congratulations on the win and good luck tomorrow at Brea Olinda HS!

If you would like to hear some wonderful singing, dancing, and acting, the musical *Crazy for You* opened last night! This show will sell out, so do not wait to buy your tickets! Music and lyrics are by George and Ira Gershwin and performed by our amazing students under the direction of Mr. Hufferd and Mr. Henson.

Last Saturday our students competed in the Business world. A very proud coach, Troy Business Teacher, Mr. Luke Laubhan reports upon their success! *32 THS FBLA students competed at the Southern Section Leadership Conference (SSLC) at Valencia High School. The Southern Section*

is the largest competitive FBLA region in the state of California. It was an all-day event, with the students dressed in formal business attire.



The students were great representatives of Troy High School. They looked sharp, networked, cleaned up after themselves, and worked hard throughout. I proctored their actual testing session, and it was awesome to see them at work. As for results ...

- *28 students finished as finalists (top-10 or higher) in their respective events*
- *10 students finished 1st (Marketing, International Business, Business Law, Advertising, Job Interview, Health Care Administration...)*
- *7 students finished 2nd (Computer Problem-Solving, Impromptu Speaking, Introduction to Financial Math, Hospitality & Event Management...)*
- *20 qualified to advance and compete at the State Leadership Conference (SLC)*

*As a chapter, Troy finished **3rd** in Sweepstakes, the award given to the chapter who earned the most total points. This is a strong achievement, since several chapters had more competitors*

in attendance. All told, it was a great day. Next up is SLC in Sacramento in late April. Then NLC in Atlanta in late July, for those who qualify. Outstanding work, Warriors!



Yesterday, I accompanied LT Fronek and six of our NJROTC cadets to the San Diego Military Advisory Council event at the San Diego Convention Center. In addition to the presence of many STEM related companies such as Boeing, Northrop Grumman, CAES, General Dynamics, Lockheed Martin, CBRE, IBM, and numerous cyber companies, the keynote speaker for the event was the Secretary of the Navy (SECNAV) Mr. Carlos Del Toro.

This was a special opportunity for our cadets to meet the Secretary of the Navy and to hear his thoughts on our Navy, world events and concerns, and what is being done to maintain, improve our naval capabilities and capacity, as well as being grateful for the support of the American people. During his remarks, the Secretary mentioned that the US Navy is not only those currently in the service, but it is truly all Americans that are not only defended by the US Navy, but are also integral to its success. California is important for our National Defense, and is especially important to our naval operations in the Pacific. It was eye opening when the Secretary started listing all of the various Naval facilities throughout California and if you were to do a search, I think you may be very surprised. Our cadets and cadets from Chaparral High



School in Temecula are pictured above meeting with Secretary Del Toro. Pictured below, our cadets also had the opportunity to meet Admiral Gilday, the Chief of Naval Operations, he is the most senior admiral in charge of the entire U.S. Navy and a member of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.



In the end, our cadets had a tremendous day, walked away with firsthand conversations with both Admiral Gilday and Secretary Del Toro and also a bag full of swag from the various companies in attendance. Thank you to both LT Roger Fronek and Commander Bill Lauper for helping make this opportunity available to our cadets!





Happy Presidents' Day on Monday and for this we get to enjoy another long weekend. I will take it. It looks like we will get a break with the relatively cold temperatures and it will warm up a little bit. Last weekend, it was cold as can be seen by the down coat being worn in the above picture. Luna, runs hot and does not mind the cold which is weird for a very short haired dog, but she was also ready to go back inside after our walk.

It may be a nice enough weekend to have a BBQ, take a hike, bike ride, go to the beach, or if so inclined head to the slopes for some skiing or snowboarding! Have a great weekend, rest, relax, and enjoy time with family and friends! I will see everyone back here on Tuesday!

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