

MARCH 2024 HI-LITES

Troy High School

Dear Parents:

This time of year we all start to count the days until the weather really starts to warm up. However, besides thinking about the weather, we are well into planning for our spring testing. Even though testing will not begin until April 11th, there are many things that need to occur in March for us to be ready for the start of our annual statewide testing for all juniors. Teachers and students have been working very hard to prepare for these important exams, and I am confident that the results this year will again prove that all this hard work was very worthwhile.

The MME is the total of all of the exams that make up the testing cycle. Each junior must take all three parts to have a complete MME score to meet the TSD assessment graduation requirement. The SAT is the anchor exam of the MME. The SAT (Scholastic Aptitude Test) is a standardized test widely used for college admissions in the United States. It was first introduced in 1926 and it has had several name changes throughout the years. In recent years some universities have eliminated the mandatory reporting of these scores. Our students have performed extraordinarily well on this assessment. Part two of the MME is the ACT WorkKeys and part three is the M-STEP test. The three parts together complete the MME for juniors. Additionally, our 9th and 10th graders will get a chance at a free practice test. On April 16th our 9th graders will take the PSAT 9 and 10th graders will take the PSAT 10 on April 11th

In the meantime, our testing team will be working very hard to register our students. If you have any further testing questions, feel free to contact Mrs. Brennan, kbrennan@troy.k12.mi.us.

Sincerely,

Remo Roncone, Principal

2024-2025 Scheduling

The course selection process for the 2024-2025 school year begins in February. Students will receive a planning guide and have the opportunity to receive guidance from teachers regarding future courses. Students and parents will first input course requests in Power School, then students will sign up for individual student-counselor meetings throughout the coming weeks to finalize selections, review requirements, and discuss current and future goals. Detailed information will be distributed to students at school and posted to the counseling website when available.

Scheduling for 2024-2025 – Scheduling information was distributed to students in February. Counselors will be meeting with students individually throughout March to discuss course requests for next year, future college and career plans, graduation requirements, and current progress. During that meeting counselors will make any necessary or preferred changes to a student's future course requests in PowerSchool.

OSTC – Online student applications for Oakland Schools Technical Campus for the 2024-2025 school year are due March 6th.

Scholarship Information – Seniors can view the latest scholarship updates in the green folder titled "Scholarship Information" on the Class of 2024 course page in Schoology. Information will be updated every Friday throughout the spring.

SAT and PSAT- Dates for standardized testing at Troy High School are as follows: April 11 PSAT 10 for sophomores and MSTEP/ACT Work Keys for juniors; April 16 SAT with Writing for juniors and PSAT 9 for freshman. To view dates and register for an additional SAT or ACT outside of school, please visit www.sat.org or www.act.org

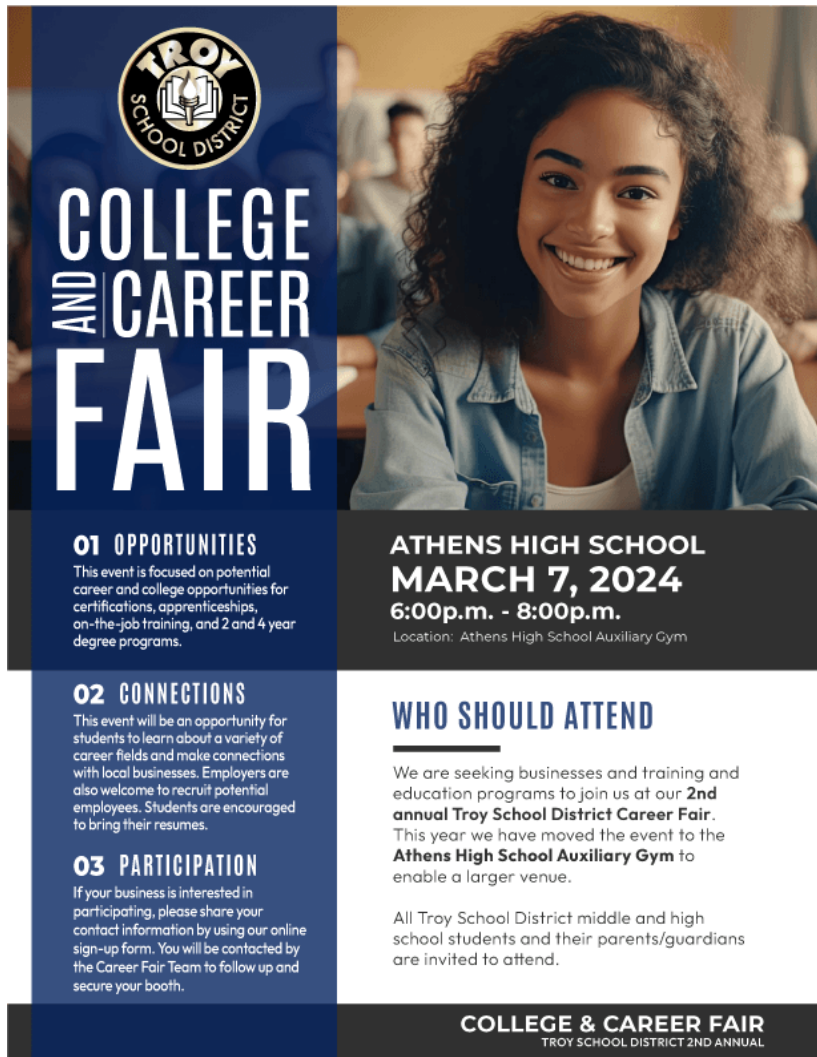
Internet College Search

The following are free search sites that contain invaluable sources of information as students research post-secondary opportunities, such as size, majors, selectivity, settings, etc., as well as electronic campus tours and clues to day-to-day campus life. These links and more are available on the counseling website:

- www.fastweb.com
- www.bigfuture.org
- www.collegeboard.com
- www.campustours.com

College & Career Fair

The 2nd Annual College and Career Fair will be held in March from 6:00–8:00pm at Athens High School. Please see Career Fair Flyer below.



TROY SCHOOL DISTRICT

COLLEGE AND CAREER FAIR

01 OPPORTUNITIES
This event is focused on potential career and college opportunities for certifications, apprenticeships, on-the-job training, and 2 and 4 year degree programs.

02 CONNECTIONS
This event will be an opportunity for students to learn about a variety of career fields and make connections with local businesses. Employers are also welcome to recruit potential employees. Students are encouraged to bring their resumes.

03 PARTICIPATION
If your business is interested in participating, please share your contact information by using our online sign-up form. You will be contacted by the Career Fair Team to follow up and secure your booth.

ATHENS HIGH SCHOOL
MARCH 7, 2024
6:00p.m. - 8:00p.m.
Location: Athens High School Auxiliary Gym

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

We are seeking businesses and training and education programs to join us at our **2nd annual Troy School District Career Fair**. This year we have moved the event to the **Athens High School Auxiliary Gym** to enable a larger venue.

All Troy School District middle and high school students and their parents/guardians are invited to attend.

COLLEGE & CAREER FAIR
TROY SCHOOL DISTRICT 2ND ANNUAL

Testing Out

Non-Math Test Out Sign Up will start Wednesday, February 21, 2024, and will end Wednesday, March 20, 2024 at 11:59 p.m. **THIS IS A HARD DEADLINE!** No late sign-ups will be allowed. To register: Log into your PowerSchool Account. Open Waiving a NON MATH Course through Testing Out. Once a student registers, Mrs. Modetz from the counseling office will send the information regarding that particular test,

including the syllabus, date, location and time to the student's Troy Schools email address. The Math Test Out sign up is TBD.

Attention Seniors

All students are advised not to let up on studies or allow their grades to drop second semester. Eighth-semester grades (final transcripts) are sent to a student's college of choice, and a student's admission status can be jeopardized if his/her grades show a notable decline, so beware of "senioritis." Seniors should double-check graduation status with their counselors if graduation might be in jeopardy.

Financial Aid

It is strongly recommended all seniors complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), which will be used to determine a student's eligibility for federal and state grants, scholarships, and loans. For example, the Michigan Competitive Scholarship is based on a student's standardized test score and financial need, which is determined by filing the FAFSA. The FAFSA is now available online at www.fafsa.ed.gov. The FAFSA is a free service; please be wary of other web applications for the FAFSA that cost money (i.e. www.fafsa.com). The FAFSA should be completed and submitted to ensure a student is given the maximum opportunity to qualify for and receive aid. In addition, it is strongly advised that students check with the financial aid office at the college or institution which they will attend to see if any supplemental information is required. Please contact a college's financial aid office for more information.

Juniors - NCAA eligibility

All junior athletes who may be interested in playing Div. I or Div. II athletics in college must be NCAA eligible. In order to do this, students must register with the NCAA Clearinghouse and meet eligibility requirements. Registering should be done junior year by going to the following website: www.eligibilitycenter.org. Students will also use www.parchment.com to send transcripts to NCAA.

Testing Information

PSAT- Current juniors who took the PSAT last fall can view their results on the College Board website. Students and parents who have questions, need clarification, or wish to discuss the test results are encouraged to contact their student's counselor. All current freshmen and sophomores are scheduled to take the PSAT 9 or PSAT 10 in April.

SAT- Free practice tests for SAT are available at www.sat.org as well as registration information and additional test dates. Counselors also recommend using Khan Academy for free, personalized online practice. Other links are available on the counseling website. Juniors are scheduled to take the SAT and M-STEP in April for free at Troy High School.

ACT- Students interested in taking the ACT should go to www.act.org for exam dates and registration. It is normally recommended students take either the SAT or ACT as juniors in order to be prepared for the application process starting in September of senior year; however, many colleges are now "test optional" or "test flexible" with regards to standardized testing, so individual actions may vary. Please refer to university websites for the most up to date information on test-optional or test-flexible policies.

OSTC- OSTC-SE is proud to offer prospective students currently in 10th grade an opportunity to experience a preview of select programs available at the campus. WEEKDAY SESSIONS: 3:15 – 5:00 p.m. See attached flyer to sign up.

OSTC-SE Program Exploration

Learn about the exciting programs available at Oakland Schools Technical Campus – Southeast! OSTC-SE is proud to offer prospective students currently in 10th grade an opportunity to experience a preview of selected programs available at the campus. **WEDNESDAY SESSIONS:** 3:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Programs

- Automotive Technology: 01/24/24, 03/06/24
- Collision Repair & Refinishing: 11/08/23, 11/15/23, 12/06/23
- Construction Technology: 11/08/23, 11/15/23, 12/06/23, 01/24/24, 01/31/24, 02/28/24, 03/06/24
- Criminal Justice: 02/28/24
- Culinary Arts/Hospitality: 11/08/23, 11/15/23, 12/06/23, 01/24/24, 01/31/24, 02/28/24, 03/06/24
- Cybersecurity Networking: 11/08/23, 01/24/24, 01/31/24, 02/28/24, 03/06/24

- Energy/Electrical Technology: 11/08/23, 11/15/23, 12/06/23, 01/24/24, 01/31/24, 02/28/24, 03/06/24
- Engineering, Robotics & Mechatronics: 11/15/23, 12/06/23, 01/24/24, 01/31/24, 02/28/24, 03/06/24
- Entrepreneurship & Advanced Marketing: 11/08/23, 11/15/23, 12/06/23
- Graphic & Communication Design: 01/24/24, 02/28/24
- Health Sciences: 11/08/23, 11/15/23, 12/06/23, 01/24/24, 01/31/24, 02/28/24, 03/06/24
- Welding: 11/08/23, 11/15/23, 12/06/23, 01/24/24, 01/31/24, 02/28/24, 03/06/24

For more information or to sign up for a session, please visit bit.ly/ostcse-showcase2023. ALL REQUESTS must be submitted no later than 2 days prior to the showcase date per program. OSTC Oakland Schools Technical Campus, 5055 Delamere Street, Royal Oak, MI 48073. Phone: 248-289-4020.

Scholarships currently available:

- 3/1 Rosa Park Scholarship – due to organization
 - 3/1 Robert A. Leonard Jr. Scholarship
 - 3/1 American Chemical Society Scholars Program
 - 3/15 Troy Community Lions Club Scholarship
 - 3/15 Gamma Lambda Education Foundation
 - 3/15 Community Foundation for Southern Michigan (Registration deadline 2/15)
 - 3/29 Eastern Michigan University Alumni – Legacy Scholarship
 - 3/29 Michigan State University Alumni Club of Oakland County
 - 3/31 Automotive Aftermarket Scholarship – due to organization
 - 3/31 Lighthouse Guild Scholarship
 - 4/1 Officer Collin Rose Memorial Foundation Scholarship – due to organization
 - 4/10 Alpha Upsilon Chapter of Alpha Delta Kappa – Wass Scholarship
 - 4/30 VFW – Kenny Evancho VFW Scholarships
 - 5/3 Troy Education Association Building Scholarship
 - 5/21 B. Davis Scholarship – due to organization
 - Ongoing Ferris State University Tuition Incentive Program (TIP)
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National Merit Finalists

Twenty-Eight THS students were recently awarded National Merit Finalist status. Congratulations to the following students:

- Michael Chen
 - Srivaishnavi Cherukuvada
 - Vedant Das
 - Mark Hong
 - Michael Hong
 - Jeffrey Hung
 - Steven Li
 - Timothy J. Mathew
 - Vishnu Nair
 - Huyen Nguyen
 - Nishit Palepu
 - Kush V. Parikh
 - Ashish M. Rajam
 - Ishanya Saini
 - Aanya Shah
 - Sungat Singh Shienh
 - Ashmit Shrivastava
 - Seongjin Shyn
 - Kanush Singh
 - Jack Henry Svoboda
 - Janhavi G. Tonge
 - Gautham A. Veettil
 - Claire J. Wu
 - Julia Wu
 - Daniel L. Xiao
 - Alan X. Zhang
 - Matthew T. Zhao
 - Edison T. Zhou
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ATTENTION SENIORS AND SENIOR PARENTS!! Senior All Night Party:

Planning and fundraising are underway for the Senior All Night Party! This year's party will take place on Saturday, June 1st from 9pm-Sam at Urban Air Adventure Park in Oxford.

Tickets will go on sale beginning Tuesday, January 16th for \$80 (price will go up on April 2nd), or \$105 April 2nd-May 10th). Scan the QR code on the attached flyer, or follow the jotform link <https://www.jotform.com/233045847990061> to purchase tickets and fill out the waivers.

Please also consider donating to this exciting event by visiting <https://givebutter.com/THSANP24>. The All Night Party Committee is looking for volunteers to help on the evening of the event. More information to follow including a sign up genius. If you are interested in joining the committee, please stop by one of our meetings at The Stable from 7-8pm on the following dates: Jan 22, Feb. 26, March 18, April 22, May 20.

Seniors will be transported via bus. No tickets will be sold at the door. Must be purchased by May 10, 2024.

BUY YOUR TICKETS TODAY:

ALL NIGHT PARTY TICKETS

ConGRADulations signs:

Celebrate your senior by purchasing a ConGRADulations yard sign! Visit the website at <https://signsunleashed.com/collections/troy-high-school-fundraiser>. Visit the ANP website!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

SEEKING ENTHUSIASTIC INDIVIDUALS WHO LOVE TO PLAN A PARTY! THE FOLLOWING POSITIONS ARE AVAILABLE. "SHADOWS" ARE NEEDED TO PLAN ANP 2025 & BEYOND. SHADOWS WILL WORK WITH CURRENT MEMBERS WHO WILL BE STEPPING DOWN IN 2024. OVERALL CHAIRPERSON(S) NEEDED AS CURRENT CHAIRS WILL BE STEPPING DOWN.

- OVERALL COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON(S) (SHADOWS)
- BUS COORDINATOR (OPEN POSITION)
- TREASURER (SHADOW)
- DECORATIONS (SHADOW)
- PR/MARKETING (OPEN POSITION)
- SECURITY {SHADOW}

THSANP@GMAIL.COM FOR MORE INFO

THS Save the Date - Class of 2024

- **May 22: Senior Last Day**
 - Troy High School
 - **May 23: THS Prom**
 - Palazzo Grande
 - **June 1: Senior All Night Party**
 - Legacy Center - Oxford
 - **June 1: Graduation**
 - Oakland University O'Rena, 2:30 p.m.
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Bonjour tout le monde! from the French Club

It was a relaxing alternative to French Club's regular activity-based meetings, especially considering that members had taken midterms the week prior.

Last month, French Club celebrated Valentine's Day with a fun "cooking" activity in which members were blindfolded and tasked with picking up as much of an item as possible using a spatula in a specified number of scoops. There were a variety of items - each varying in difficulty- including small pink rocks, assorted porn porns, noodles, and more. The members of the group with the most items picked up in total, won points towards their

club membership! Afterwards, members enjoyed an assortment of sweets, such as marshmallows, strawberries, and Rice Krispies, covered in chocolate using a chocolate fountain machine. Miam! (Yum!)

With the 2024 Summer Olympics quickly approaching, we encourage everyone to learn more about the teams and athletes competing in the games, new sports that will be introduced, and more! Notably, it will be held in a variety of courses and venues both in and outside of Paris (despite having the label "Paris 2024"), including the Parc Olympique Lyonnais in Lyon for football. To learn more about the Olympics in France, join us for our March meeting (look out for flyers or check out our Instagram @ths.frenchclub for more information)!

If you are interested in learning about French culture, bonding with other students through activities, and enjoying French food, consider joining us for our next meeting. Anyone is welcome to join, but please make sure to pay your \$50 club fee and \$10 French Club fee (counts as 2 points towards membership). Don't feel discouraged if you haven't earned any points yet—there are many more opportunities to come!

For updates and announcements, join our GroupMe at https://groupme.com/join_group/96197442/LMF1cWOu. Also, make sure to check out our Instagram for extra information and pictures from club meetings (1 point towards membership for a follow)! If you have any questions, please reach out to club President Nikhita Mahajan (nrmahajan024@gmail.com) or club Vice-President Melodi Yilmaz (melgiyilmaz@gmail.com).

Orchestra News

February is a big month for Troy High Orchestras!

The 31st Annual Troy High Orchestra Gala Concert is Saturday, February 3rd at 7:00 pm in the Troy High Auditorium. The concert will feature performances by the Troy Country Fiddlers, Freshman Orchestra, Concert Orchestra, Philharmonic Orchestra and Symphony

Orchestra, as well as a featured student chamber ensemble. The soloists for the Gala this year are Jeremy Crosmer, Composer and Detroit Symphony Cellist and Mike Chen, Detroit Symphony Violist and Michigan State Viola Professor. Roop Raj is returning as Master of Ceremonies.

Immediately following the concert, ticket holders are invited to Afterglow in the cafeteria. Almost 40 restaurants and stores in our community have generously provided food for the Afterglow and prizes for our raffle. We encourage you to get dressed up and come out for a wonderful evening!

Tickets can be purchased for \$25 at <https://troyhighorchestra.seatyourself.biz> Email TroyHighOrchestra@gmail.com to reserve accessible seating, or if you have any questions. All the proceeds from the ticket sale, and raffle are going to support our orchestra program.

Many orchestra students will also be performing at MSBOA District Solo and Ensemble during the day on February 3, 2024. There are 87 events from our orchestras that are scheduled to perform for adjudicators at Rochester High School. Events that earn a 1st Division rating will qualify for State Solo and Ensemble, held on March 16. Best wishes to our Troy High performers at District S&E!

We hope to see you at the Orchestra Gala Concert!

National German Exam Awards 2024

Congratulations to the many German Language students who took the National German Exam earlier this year and attained Gold, Silver, Bronze, and Achievement (above average in the National Exam) levels.

German 1 students will take their exam in April. **Danke, Frau Catlin!**

German 2

Level 2 Awards

Gold: Abigail Losey, Riya Athalye, John Showalter

Silver: Henry McBrien, Jyotsna Shivakumar, Ryan Deller

Bronze: Pratyush Neelakantan, Phillip Kanoza

Achievement: Jeong Hyoungkoo

German 3

Level 3 Awards

Gold: Katharina Zak, Philip Kapp, Chinmay Nair, Aditya Patil

Silver: Anusha Gupta, Sanjeev Nethaji, Varsha Seshadri

Achievement: Giovanna Carter, Swathi Jeeda, Parker Silvagy

German 4

Level 4 Awards

Silver: Christian Orzame, Aleksandar Erdelean

Bronze: Quinn Curcio

Band News

The winter months are a great time to enjoy our Troy Bands!

Congratulations to the Troy Band students who participated in MSBOA Solo & Ensemble Festival! Over the course of three days, many of our student musicians performed in six honors chamber groups, three large percussion ensembles, and over 100 solos and small ensembles. Students received exceptional positive feedback from professional adjudicators and gained valuable performance experience. All students who received a Division 1 rating qualified for State Solo & Ensemble, to be held on Saturday, March 16. The MSBOA District Band Festival takes place Thursday, March 7 at Dakota High School. Make plans to join all our bands as they perform for district ratings. The Campus/Cadet Band will perform at 3:50 p.m., the Concert Band at 7:10 p.m., and the Symphonic Band at 9:20 p.m. The THS Jazz Ensemble will host their annual Colt Celebration dinner, dance, and silent auction, "The Colts Go Marching in," on Friday, March 15, at the American Polish Cultural Center, 6-10 p.m. This event typically sells out, so do not wait to get your tickets! It is not necessary to have a student in the bands to enjoy this wonderful getaway. Individual tickets or tables of 10 may be purchased at <https://bit.ly/3TRsnCX>.

Troy High Bands Auditions: Auditions for the 2024-25 school year are coming up! See the dates below. The Color Guard will hold clinics for anyone interested in auditioning for the 2024-25 school year on April 1-3.

Clinics will be held immediately after school until 5 p.m. This will give prospects an introduction to flag drills and dance movements prior to auditions on April 3. While dance experience is beneficial, no prior music, dance, or flag experience is required. For more information contact thbb_president@troycoltbands.org.

Save the dates:

- MSBOA District Band Festival: March 7, Dakota High School
- Colt Celebration: March 15, American Polish Cultural Center
- Current students: March 11-13, THS band room
- Jazz Ensemble: March 14, THS band room
- Middle school students: March 18-19, by appointment, THS band room
- Color Guard auditions: April 1-3, THS band room
- MSBOA State Jazz Band Festival: April 4, Royal Oak High School
- Orlando pre-trip dinner: April 15, THS cafeteria
- Orlando spring trip: April 17-21

If you missed any of the earlier performances, to find photos and videos of the bands, and to check for updates and upcoming events, visit the www.troycoltbands.org website or the social media accounts - @troycoltbands on Facebook, @troycoltbands on Instagram, and @officialtcbands on X (formerly Twitter).

Character Strong Awards

We are very proud of our students that have demonstrated our **Troy High Character Values of Resilience, Responsibility, Empathy, and Kindness** and have won a **Character Strong Award**. Here is the list of students from the 1st semester that have been recognized by one of our staff.

- Faraan Ahmed
- Yeju Kim
- Yihan Wang
- Malak Algahim
- Nikhil Koka
- Ziqing Wang

- Abdullah Alsafasfeh
- Erin Konwinski
- Sydney Wood
- Rebecca Austin
- Amrit Krishna
- Rachel Zhai
- James Belton
- David Macias
- Angela Zhang
- Kate Bestul
- Shawn Maloney
- Elaine Zhang
- Nolan Block
- Leonardo Matti
- Ryan Carruthers
- Marwan Mohammed
- Linsey Chen
- Bhuvir Narkhede
- Amelia Chong
- Seawon Oh
- Larson Custer
- Noah Ordway
- Michelle Delgado Mendoza
- Shayuri Patel
- Drilon Demiraj
- Samuel Sanchez
- Una Domazet
- Yein Seo
- Ann Ducas
- Saamiya Shaik
- Jaylin Elmore
- Melodie Shao
- Olivia Essebaggers
- Noah Shin
- Noah Gambalan
- Athrv Siriki
- Sara Gonzalez Romero
- Lev Smirnov
- Jessica Harmon
- Justin Stephen

- Lucas Holmquist
- Natalie Tallu
- Annabelle Hou
- Afeefa Thahasin
- Faris Ibrahim
- Van Thang
- Surya Jeeda
- Isabelle Urbina
- Tyler Jewell
- Naren Venkatesh

Media Center – Battle of the Books

Help us Celebrate Reading!

Troy School District Battle of the Books is promoting reading! We are seeking prize donations for our celebration on May 17th. Any amount will help. We love items that feature local businesses from the Troy Community!

Businesses, non-profits, and individuals are encouraged to donate prize items, gift cards, and monetary gifts. Donations from \$5 to \$100 or more are always appreciated. Direct donations can be dropped off to the front office or to the Media Specialist at your high school (checks payable to Troy School District).

Typical Gift Items

- Restaurant and shopping gift cards
 - Snacks and Beverages
 - Fun local items
 - Blankets and items that make reading cozy
 - Teen friendly tech
 - E-books and bookmarks
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TROY HIGH SCHOOL
Troy School District
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Troy, Michigan 48098
Troy High School Administration

- Remo Roncone, Principal
- Kerry Brennan, Assistant Principal, Junior Class Administrator
- Melissa Curth, Assistant Principal, Freshman Class Administrator
- Shane Hynes, Athletics Administrator
- Dan House, Assistant Principal, Sophomores Administrator and Senior Class Administrator

Important Dates

FEBRUARY

Saturday, February 3Orchestra Gala Concert in THS Auditorium at 7:00 p.m.

Mon. • Fri., Feb. 5 • 9Stugo Activist Week / Survivor Competition / Spirit Week/
Crush for your Crush

Monday, February 5Donut Truck at Lunch and Troy High's Got Talent 7:00 • 9:00
p.m.

Tuesday, February 6Coin Stall (hours 1 • 6)

Wednesday, February 7Bead Battle (New Event• All Day) and Powerpuff in Gyms 7:00
• 9:00 p.m.

Thursday, February 8Community_ - Wide Bingo Night in Cafeteria at 6:00 p.m.

Friday, February 9Ticket to Skip It (hours 1 • 3) and Pep Assembly 6th hour and
Movie Night in Gym at 6:00 p.m.

Saturday, February 10Snowcoming Dance in the Gym at 7:00 - 10:00 p.m.

Wednesday, February 14Early Release Day 7:20 a.m. - 12:40 p.m. Count Day and PTO
Meeting at 7:00 p.m. (Virtual)

Mon., & Tues., Feb. 19 & 20MID- WINTER BREAK

Wednesday, February 21School Resumes - Full Day

Thursday, February 22Festival Concert at Macomb Center for the Performing Arts at
7:00 p.m.

Thursday, February 29WIDA Testing (Aux Gym 7:20 a.m. • 2:10 p.m.) and Spring
Conference Evening (Virtual) 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

MARCH

Friday, March 1 Spring Musical (Footloose) THS Auditorium 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, March 2 Spring Musical (Footloose) THS Auditorium 7:00 p.m.
Sunday, March 3 Spring Musical (Footloose) Senior Citizens • THS Auditorium 2:00 p.m.
Wednesday, March 6 Early Release Day 7:20 –12:40 p.m.
Friday, March 8 Spring Musical (Footloose) THS Auditorium 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, March 9 Spring Musical (Footloose) THS Auditorium 7:00 p.m.
Sunday, March 10 Spring Musical (Footloose) THS Auditorium 2:00 p.m.
Wednesday, March 13 PTO Meeting at 7:00 p.m. (Virtual)
Wednesday, March 20 8th grade Curriculum Night at 7:00 p.m.
Thursday, March 21 End of Marking; Period
Friday March 22 • Friday March 29th • Spring Break • School Resumes on April 1st.

Footloose Theatre Production

Box Office opens for Troy Theatre Ensemble's 2024 Spring Musical "Footloose"

The Troy Theatre Ensemble, Troy High School's award-winning theatre troupe, is opened . TTE's Footloose features a cast, stage crew and pit crew of more than 80 students.

Based on the 1984 film starring Kevin Bacon, *Footloose* is the story of Ren McCormack, a teenage boy from Chicago. When Ren and his mother move to a small farming town, he is prepared for the inevitable adjustment period at his new high school. But he's not prepared for the rigorous local edicts, including a ban on dancing instituted by the local preacher, who is determined to exercise control over the town's youth. When the reverend's rebellious daughter sets her sights on Ren, her roughneck boyfriend tries to sabotage Ren's reputation, with many of the locals eager to believe the worst about the new kid. The heartfelt story that emerges pins a father longing for the son he lost against a young man aching for the father who walked out on him. With dynamic new songs augmenting the powerhouse hits from its bestselling Oscar-

nominated score, *Footloose* celebrates the exhilaration of youth, the wisdom of listening to one another, and the power of forgiveness.

Performances are Friday March 1st and Saturday March 2nd at 7pm, Sunday March 3rd at 2pm, Friday March 8th and Saturday March 9th at 7pm, and Sunday March 10th at 2pm. All seats are reserved and sold online at: <https://troytheatreensemble.seatyourself.biz>. Adults are \$20.00; Senior Citizens 60 and over are \$15.00, and Students K-12 are \$15.00. General admission is sold at the box office 30 minutes prior to showtime.

Winter Scholar Athletes

Congratulations to THS student athletes who maintain semester grade point of 3.5 or higher!

- **Boys Basketball – Varsity**
- Bryce Bauman
- Patrick Johnson
- Chase Kuiper
- Mason Parker
- Leonardo Penzoza
- Jack Sobotka
- Vikrant Vedapudi
- Jon Whiteside
- **Boys Basketball – JV – A**
- Yanzhuo Chen
- William De Armit
- Michael Helinski
- Elijah Johnson
- Subhaan Khan
- Jason Li
- Joseph Light
- Larry Oriol
- Nathan Wanstreet
- **Boys Basketball – JV – B/Frosh**

- Ryam Ahmed
- Cole Cusmano
- Ronan Faulkner
- Noah Gambalan
- Faris Ibrahim
- Jayden Mikulan
- Vihaan Sridhar
- Kristijan Tomic
- **Girls Basketball - Varsity**

- Shivani Angadi
- Brianna Bert
- Kelsey Block
- Elizabeth Dobbs
- Carly Higginbotham
- Olivia Jasniewicz
- Sophia Kaltsounis
- Alyson Matuza
- Savannah Oddy
- Justine Perakis
- Victoria Siegan
- Olivia Spangler
- Teodora Vlad

- **Girls Basketball - JV - A**

- Blessing Batumike
- Kaitlin Bestul
- Diana Daewood
- Abigail John
- Katherine Liu
- Ridhi Maruneni
- Giadelle Micene
- Astha Patel
- Srujana Uppalapati
- Rachel Zapatka

- **Girls Basketball - JV - B/Frosh**

- Keerthana Gaganam
- Saanvi Gupta

- Sophie Hanoudi
- Laura Le Moal
- Tanvi Puri
- Shohani Sahu
- Bhavisha Santhoshkumar
- Ana Skendo
- Amal Surti
- Sara Yousufuddin

- **Boys Bowling**

- Ashton Bruining
- Aayush Chaugule
- Ethan Fischer
- Jacob Kondratyev
- JaeYoung Kwon
- Joseph Lindholm
- Ryan Morris
- Noah Pittman
- Robin Seo
- Jacob Walter
- Daniel Xiao
- Matthew Zhao

- **Girls Bowling**

- Megha Bhat
- Peytyn Herron
- Sandra James
- Richa Manni
- Alexandria Marlow
- Katherine Park
- Elizabeth Pfauth
- Sofia Romero Quiroz
- Zainab Syed
- Eshaal Tahir

- **Competitive Cheer - Varsity**

- Isabella Anderanin
- Michelle Fedosseev

- Cassidy Horton
- Ashley Jaskulka
- Kaylee Jewell
- Anastasia Krasusky
- Kristin Losey
- Aliyah Mercurio
- Maria Nido
- Morgan Pommerening
- Gabriela Rodriguez
- Isabell Rodriguez
- Jessica Smith
- Ashley Spencer
- Sofia Zelinska
- **Competitive Cheer - JV**
- Sophia Cekaj
- Kayla Kaiser
- Anamika Verma
- **Downhill Ski Racing**
- Nicholas Carpenter
- Riley Durak
- Theodore Mayotte
- Drew Oliver
- Arielle Yoffee
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- **Gymnastics**

- Genevieve Clark Soumya Mahendrakar Aanika Nanda

- **Boys Hockey**

- Joseph Clark
- Lucas Giorio
- Jan Kral
- Yuto Kuwabara

- Michael Li
- Dominic Mastroberto
- Keegan Nolan
- Matthew Van Raemdonck
- Robert Warchuck II

- **Boys Swim & Dive**

- Andrea Acquaroli
- Rahim Basal
- Luan Berishaj
- Michael Blamoun
- Benjamin Bricker
- Truman Cremers
- Jason Cui
- Quinn Curcio
- Larson Custer
- Hector Flores – Cabrera
- Aazif Hussain
- Jaesung Kim
- Gabriel Krajewski
- Noah Kwok
- Matthew Li

- Edison Lin
- Andrew Meng
- Mason Meyer
- Tyler Morey
- Giyun Park
- Ishan Patel
- Errikos Perakis
- Rohith Pramod
- Richard Qu
- Noa Reed
- Jacob Ritter
- Lucas Ruiz Arronilas Fernandes
- Ford Schoonover
- Ismail Shaheen
- Noah Shin
- Vivek Tummala
- Yunis Turk
- Kevin Wang
- Akein Weerakoon
- Andy Wu
- Jonathan Xu
- Eric Zhou
- **Synchronized Swim**
- Rebecca Austin
- Eunwoo Choi
- Sonia De Donna
- Jessica Deng
- Ainsley Giorio
- Ana Sofia Hernandez Gomez
- Nidhi Mody
- Sei Park
- Lucinda Rosati
- Parker Silagy

- Catherine Sivier
- Kara Son
- Isabel Thommana
- Sritha Velireddy
- Sasha Vivek
- **Wrestling**
- Ali – Raza Abedi
- Jesse Chang
- Jason Chen
- Suleman Chowdhary
- Dax Fegley
- Zephyr Fegley
- Eric Kim
- Dmytro Lichykaki
- Pavan Lingampelli
- Tristan Ludeman
- George Mayotte
- Alexander Ponomarev
- Kareem Rashed
- Landon Shamoun
- Abhipriy Singh
- Raiyan Sonki
- Nicklas Stromberg
- Krish Vijay
- Benjamin Wang