



Terra Nova High School E-Newsletter | October 16, 2023

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Principal Update

Dear Families,

Starting today, Terra Nova will be using a new anonymous reporting system called STOPit.

<u>STOPit</u> is an online reporting tool designed to deter and help stop bullying, cyber abuse, and other inappropriate behaviors. Through the STOPit mobile and website, anonymous reports can be made to



school administrators, with the goal of creating safer and kinder school communities, both on and offline.

This reporting system allows students and families to:

- Anonymously report concerns through the STOPit App, or website, which are sent to a 24/7 Incident Response Center
- Submit photo or video evidence (App/web only)
- Alert designated administrators to issues and concerns before escalating

No personal information is needed to use STOPit. Both our school and STOPit are committed to protecting the privacy of student data. STOPit is a signatory to the <u>Student Privacy Pledge</u>, spearheaded by the Future of Privacy Forum and the Software & STOPit's <u>Privacy Policy</u> for details, including more information on how anonymous reporting works.

This new system will replace our Tiger Tipline. Today students learned about the system and were given time to download the new app to their phone. Please be sure to check in with your student to ensure they did so and reiterate the importance of being an upstander and reporting issues of concern to us.

QR codes have also been posted around campus to encourage students to download the app. A QR code is included in our newsletter below and accessible on our website.

Tips can also be submitted through a website, https://appweb.stopitsolutions.com/login. Users will need to search for and select Terra Nova High School.

A brief overview video of this program can be found here: Video for Parents/Guardians

• To translate the video: Open video>click on the settings icon>click on Subtitles/CC>scroll down to Auto-translate>find desired language

I appreciate your continued support in fostering a safe campus for our students and staff.

Warmly,

Megan Carey Principal

CAMPUS NEWS

SMC Mosquito and Vector Control District Visits APES Classes

On October 13th, AP Environmental Science classes had a very productive and engaging presentation from Dr. Rachel Curtis-Robles, public health education and outreach officer from the San Mateo County Mosquito and Vector Control District. She talked about the work they do to control mosquitos and other vectors that could transmit diseases in the county. She also talked about how they manage possible mosquito related issues at Sharp Park Golf Course. Students

also learned about what educational background is needed to do the work they do. And students had an opportunity to look at mosquito larva. Dr. Curtis-Robles left a sample of larvae so students can observe for a few weeks the life cycle of mosquitoes.

SMCMVCD runs a community education program and they are happy to give presentations not only to schools but other groups in the county for free.



Dr. Curtis-Robles and her assistant Liz Savin



Dr. Curtis-Robles presenting to 1st period APES



2nd period students looking at and drawing larvae





Half Moon Bay Feed & Fuel Shoe Drive

If you would like to donate reusable athletic sneakers bring them to the main office now through Friday, October 20th.



TEAM TIGER



TN Tigers 2023 Football Season | Volunteers Needed

Here are the links to sign up for the Snack Shack, Tiger Gear, and Membership Booth.

These events are one of the most important ways that TN Athletics Boosters raises money to support all our Athletic Programs at Terra Nova.

Please take a look at the sign-up below and see if you can help out! in the comments field, please note the Sport(s) you are representing!

* Must be 18 years or older to work in the Snack Shack.

Don't forget parking is available on top if you are working, thank you for your continued support.

Thank you in Advance from Terra Nova Athletic Roosters! Go Tigers!!!!!

Game 4 > 10/19/2023 vs Aragon (Thursday Night Game)

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0f4aa5a72ca3f58-20234#/

Game 5 > 11/03/2023 **Skull Game - HMB**

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0F4AA5A72CA3F58-20235

COUNSELING CORNER

College and Career Center Monthly Newsletter

College and Career Center News

If you are looking for information regarding college, career and/or scholarships, head on over to the <u>Monthly College and Career</u>

Newsletter or see Ms. Spasic in the College and Career Center, Room A209 for more information.





Fall 2023 Lunch Visits

<u>September</u>

- 9/7
 - Marines
 - o City of Pacifica-Beaches, Parks and Recreation
 - o Outdoor Education
 - o SFSU Metro College Success Program

• 9/15

- o National Guard
- o City College of San Francisco (CCSF)

• 9/19

- Army
- o County of San Mateo's Jobs for Youth Program
- o Saint Mary's College of California
- Skyline College
- o University of San Francisco

<u>October</u>

- 10/20
 - Army
 - Reed College

• 10/26

- Navy
- SFSU
- o SFSU Metro College Success Program
- o Skyline College

November

- 11/7
 - National Guard
 - o University of Oregon

• 11/16

- o Experiment in International Living
- Job Train
- Navy
- SFSU
- o SFSU Metro Success Program
- Skyline College



WELLNESS MATTERS



LEARN HOW TO SUPPORT THE YOUNG PEOPLE IN YOUR LIFE

Youth Mental Health First Aid teaches you how to identify, understand and respond to signs of mental health and substance use challenges among adolescents ages 12-18. You'll build skills and confidence you need to reach out and provide initial support to young people who are struggling. You'll also learn how to help connect them to appropriate support.

LUNCH AND SNACKS PROVIDED!

This <u>FREE HYBRID COURSE</u> requires participants to take a self-paced, 2-hour intro module online followed by in-person training on:

Must be at least 18 years old to sign up Saturday, OCTOBER 21, 2023 9am-3:30pm Our Second Home 725 Price St. Daly City, CA 94014

TO REGISTER, EMAIL: christi@dcpartnership.org













THE WELLNESS TEAM IS
HERE FOR YOU!

Scan the QR code, complete the form, and we'll meet soon or
If it feels urgent, just come on down to counseling!

Ms. Mika- Wellness Counselor Mr. Marsh- Social Worker







ATTENTION TIGERS

TERRA NOVA HIGH SCHOOL
CONFIDENTIAL SAFETY TIPLINE



TIGERS ALWAYS PROTECT THEIR OWN

SEE SOMETHING? HEAR SOMETHING? REPORT IT CONFIDENTIALLY!

Bullying/Cyberbullying/Harassment Suicidal or Self Harm Threats Violence/Abuse/Discrimination Theft/Drug/Alcohol/Vaping Or anything that impacts campus safety!

TNTIGERTIPS@GMAIL.COM



SOLIDARITY IN STUDENT SAFETY



Stay Connected to Terra Nova Events

School Calendar

<u>District Calendar 2023/24</u>

<u>TN Instagram - @terranovapride</u>

TN Website



Megan Carey

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