

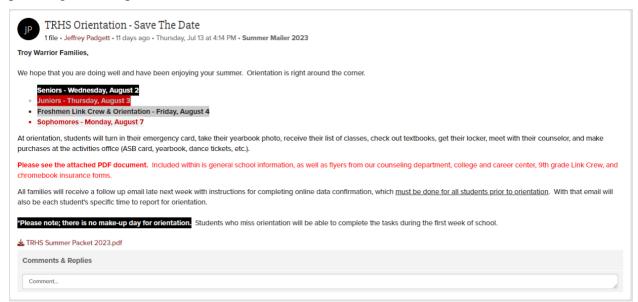
TROY HIGH SCHOOL WARRIOR WEEKLY



July 29, 2023 Summer Update

July, 2023 Space X rocket launch from Vandenburg AFB.

Warriors, I hope everyone has been enjoying a restful and relaxing summer. The heat is finally here, and perhaps now is the time to be grateful as we are gearing up to head back into the classroom—where we have outstanding air conditioning! © To all our students and parents, Orientation begins on Wednesday, August 2nd for Seniors only. Hopefully, everyone has been receiving the information both in email and by phone from Assistant Principal of Student Affairs, Mr. Jeff Padgett. There is one very important step that must be completed by parents/guardians prior to Orientation, which is the online Data Confirmation for each student.



Instructions on Data Confirmation have been sent by Mr. Padgett to the primary email addresses we have on file in our AERIES data management system. Please check your spam folder if you did you did not receive them. Here is the address to begin the Data Confirmation process.

https://mystudent.fjuhsd.org If you need assistance, you may call or come to Troy's Main Office between 7:30am—4:00pm and one of our Troy team will be able to help you. Remember, the Data Confirmation process must be completed by Parents / Guardians before any student may go through Orientation. If any of our Parents or Guardians have been unable to complete the Data Confirmation process, there will be computers available on your student's scheduled Orientation Day to compete the Data Confirmation process. I would encourage everyone to have the Data Confirmation completed before Orientation as it will greatly simplify your start of the 2023—2024 school year!



TROY HIGH SCHOOL ORIENTATION DAYS



SENIORS - Wednesday August 2nd

• 8am - 12pm

JUNIORS - Thursday August 3rd

• 8am - 12pm

Freshmen - Friday August 4th

- · A-Le: 8am Parent meeting at 11am.
- · Li-Z: 12:30pm Parent meeting at 3:30pm.

Sophomores - Monday August 7th

· 8am - 12pm

- Please check your orientation packets for your specific time to come in.
- There will be no make-up day for students who miss their orientation.
 Students will be able to make it up on the first day of school.
- Data confirmation must be completed prior to orientation. Students must bring their printed emergency card to turn in.

Earlier this summer in preparation for the 2023—2024 school year, we held our first ever Summer Bridge Program for our incoming Freshmen. This event was designed to help our







incoming Freshmen make the transition from middle school to high school. Regarding the Summer Bridge Program, Assistant Principal, Mr. Jeff Padgett wrote to Parents, "Dozens of people were involved in the planning of this three-day event from administrators, to teachers,

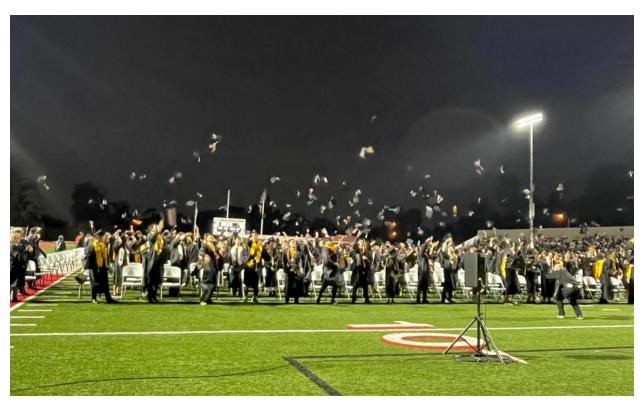
office staff, coaches, and, of course, our great ASB and AVID student leaders. We are truly appreciative of the combined effort to make this inaugural event a success!

We sincerely hope that your new Warriors got value from participating in the program. We know that the transition from middle school to high school is a big deal. Our aim with this program was to provide an introduction for the participants to all aspects of school, and to show them that this is a fun, nurturing, and caring place where they will thrive no matter the path they choose. In doing so, hopefully the start to their freshman year in August is much easier for them and proves to be a resounding success!"

Over the summer there is also some exciting news to share regarding one of our Troy Teachers! Our Computer Science Program has long been known to be one of the best in the United States, if not the world. Earlier this month, Troy Teacher, Mr. David Kim was selected as the CyberPatriot Coach of the Year for the 2022- 2023 CyberPatriot XV competition season! It probably does not hurt that Troy students are almost always in the National Championship round of the CyberPatriot competition every year. This year one of our teams won the All-Services Division for the second time in three years which was apparently not lost upon Bernie Skoch, Brig Gen, USAF (Ret) and Chairman of the Board for CyberPatriot. Mr. David Kim who has taken over the helm for the Cyber program at Troy from Mr. Allen Stubblefield, has been a very important part of our success. Pictured at left is Mr. David Kim CyberPatriot Coach of the Year,



and next to him is 2016 CyberPatriot Coach of the Year and 2022 recipient of the Presidential Cybersecurity Education Award, Mr. Allen Stubblefield. Congratulations, Mr. David Kim and I know that 2023—2024 is going to be another great year for Cyber! Go, Warriors!



Graduation photo courtesy of Troy Counselor, Mrs. Dionne Evans

Here is the link to a short video of Troy's 2023 graduation ceremony. You will enjoy one of the most fun and memorable graduations ever at Troy High School.

https://youtu.be/sBM0hWTNFw8

To all our Troy Teachers, Counselors, Classified, and Administrators, summer is winding down and we are winding up as we get ready for August 14th and the first day of school. I am very much looking forward to this year. I am entering my 10th year with all of you—the best school staff I have ever known. The opportunities that our students are able to access do not happen by accident. These opportunities are culmination and the ongoing product stemming from the years of work and dedication of our Troy Staff beginning in 1964, and which continues and has only intensified through the decades. I am grateful for all of you, and so are our students, parents, community, and entire district Troy Family. Which brings me back to graduation. When I watch the short clip of our 2023 graduation ceremony, I see all the students that are moving on to the next exciting chapter of their lives, and I feel tremendous pride in their achievements. I also feel equally tremendous pride in our Troy Family that provides the opportunities and tools for each of our students—ALL OF OUR STUDENTS—to successfully take the next step in their lives, knowing they are prepared and have the tools to be successful. I

am so very proud to be a Troy Warrior! WE ARE GOING TO HAVE A GREAT YEAR! Warriors, we are ready to go! ©



For our newest Warriors, you will often see my boxer dog family member, Luna at the end of my weekly messages. She usually has some look or expression that makes you smile and is a good way to finish the day and start the weekend. I know this, Luna is excited for the new year! Perhaps, just to get me out of the house... ©.

There has been so much going on over the summer, and I cannot wait to share during our PD days! Athletics, summer camps in Cyber, Science, AP, IB scores, (Cambridge is coming), new building construction, facilities master planning, Professional Learning Communities, AVID Instructional Strategies, and new Troy Staff members, there are all types of wonderful news for us moving forward into the new year!

I hope everyone is coming back rested, restored, and ready and I look forward to seeing all of our returning Warriors, and meeting all our new Warriors in the next few weeks!

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