**Tickets are on sale now for the fall production of Shakespeare in Love. This play tells the story of a young Will Shakespeare before he became famous. It features comedy, romance, drama, sword fighting, England's most influential monarch and a bit with a dog. Tickets are $5.00 for students and can be used for the Saturday, October 19 performance at 7pm or Sunday, October 20 at 2pm.

**Seniors, if you would like to select your photo for the yearbook and graduation slideshow, please see Mr. Owen in room 105 before Thanksgiving Break. After break, the yearbook staff will select the photo.

**Join the Culture Club...a new club at Troy HS! The culture club will hold its first meeting on Friday October 18th from 3:00-3:45, location TBA. To join the club, text to 81010 (remind) or open the remind app: @clubcultur This month’s country is Mali! Come play a game, enjoy good music, and learn about a new culture! Next time, share your culture with us! If you are part of a culture or have an interest in a culture you would like to share with the club, LET US KNOW! See Mrs. Limke in room 250 or Alayna Jones for more details.

**Attention any girls interested in gymnastics. There will be an information meeting on Wednesday, Oct. 16 after school in the HS commons for any girls that would like to participate on the high school gymnastics team this winter. The meeting will last approximately 30 minutes.

**Presale tickets for the football game on Friday v. Sidney are available in the athletic office TODAY until 3:00 PM.

**Seniors: Due dates for several of the Miami County Foundation Scholarships are coming up. You can use the Troy website or the Miami County Foundation website to verify dates, complete applications, etc. Don't wait too long or your chance for money for college will be gone.

**Attention Mathletes: Octobers math club meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, October 16, 2019. There will be a "mathnificent" scavenger hunt planned by Math Club President, Jonathan Post. New members are welcome to join this well-rounded group. Meeting will last from 2:45 p.m. - 3:14 p.m. in room 166. Please see Mrs. Lehmkuhl for more information.

**Spanish club will meet on Wednesday, October 16th. We will be discussing events this year, T-shirts, and doing our first activity. See Sra. Clark, or Sra. Capparelli to sign up for the year or if you have any questions. Hasta miércoles!

**There will be an informational meeting for anyone signed up to be a Cookson reading buddy, or anyone who is interested in becoming one, on Tuesday October 15 at 7:20 in the auditorium. This is an opportunity to receive 10 hours of community service over the course of the year. Please see Maggie Welker with any questions.

**Juniors and Seniors: The following colleges will be visiting soon. The schedule of college visits for dates and times will be on the announcements and posted in the Guidance Office. You must sign up in Guidance by 3 pm the day before the college visit. Fill out a college visit pass and have the pass signed by your teacher for the class you will be missing. Your teacher has the right to refuse to sign your pass if he/she feels you need to be in class or you wait till the last minute. Present your completed pass to the THS counselor at the college visit.

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Attention Science Club members, our next meeting will be held on MOLE DAY, Wednesday October 23 at 2:45 in room 239. Sadly, we can't meet at 6:02! We will be celebrating mole day, the International Year of the Periodic Table which turns 150 years old, and National Chemistry Week. There will be several experiments with metals, pizza and mole cupcakes. Mrs. Davis must be notified if you plan to attend. Deadline to RSVP is October 18.

Attention THS Students: It is once again time for the Troy-Piqua Blood Drive Challenge at Troy High School! This will be held on Monday (10/28) in the Trojan Activities Center (new gym) from 9:00AM until 1:00PM. If you would like to donate blood, please sign up during your lunch on Monday (10/21) through Friday (10/25) in the Commons. You will receive snacks and a free t-shirt in exchange for your donation. Please join us for this life-saving event, help us beat Piqua, and bring the title and the trophy back to Troy!

Any student interested in competing in this year’s VFW Voice of Democracy Audio-Essay Contest should see Mr. Gegel, in room 234, with any questions and for a handout about the contest. This year's theme is: What Makes America Great. All entries must be turned in to Mr. Gegel by Wednesday, October 23.

The Miami County Park District is looking for volunteers to help at their annual Fall Farm Fest on Saturday, October 12th and Sunday, October 13th at Lost Creek Reserve in Troy. All hours donated to this festival can be used for community service hours. If you sign-up before midnight on October 1st, you will get a Fall Farm Fest volunteer t-shirt. To sign-up or for more information text (937) 823-4874 or email mweaver@miamicountyparks.com. You can also sign up through the following link.

Community Service Opportunity: Boo Bash: Story Book Edition at the Troy Hayner Cultural Center on Sat., 26 from 12:30 -5. Help is needed for craft and games. If you can help, call or email Leona at the Hayner Center to volunteer 937-339-0457 or lsargent@troyhayner.org.