ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR Tues., Feb. 11, 2020 (**New or happening today or tomorrow)**

**Attention Xtreme Bots Team: Our next meeting will take place TOMORROW at 4 pm at Stillwater Technologies. If you have any questions, please see Mr. Orsborne or Mr. Clendening.**

**Attention Mathletes: February's Math Club meeting is scheduled for TOMORROW from 2:45 - 3:14 p.m. This month's tournament of fun is Blokus. Not sure how to play and compete? No worries, strategies and tips provided at the start of the meeting. Please see Mrs. Lehmkuhl for more details.**

**This is the last week to take advantage of speed training at the stadium. We will have speed training each day this week from 2:50-3:35. There will be no speed training next week.**

**Troy Track & Field will have their team night at Up & Running on Thursday, February 20th from 4-6pm. Team members will receive discounts on running shoes and spikes. Check out the flyer from the team meeting for more information.**

There will be a **YOU MATTER Bonus Trojan Way Drawing** on Thursday, February 13, 2020 during the Pep Rally. **All** Trojan Way tickets earned up to this point will be thrown back into the hopper for a chance to win **Big Money!** Stay tuned during the morning announcements on February 12th to see if your name is chosen. You need to **OWN IT** and be present at the Pep Rally to participate. Additional prizes will be awarded when we are **TOGETHER** at the Pep Rally. You will not want to miss this! #ResilienceMatters

ASL Club's Annual Candy Grams are on sale during lunch this week for $1.00. Purchase a candy gram to send to your friends or favorite teacher, they will be delivered during advisory on Thursday, Feb 13th. Help support ASL Club by sending some love to your fellow Trojans.

On Friday, February 14th Student Government will host its second annual After Party Dance. It’s on Valentine’s Day so dress in your Valentine’s Day colors or costume to watch the Trojan Boys Basketball team beat Piqua. The dance will follow the game and will go until 11:00. All Troy High School students and ONLY Troy High School students are welcome to come, but you have to go to the game to attend. All dance attendees **must be at the game by halftime.** If you will be at another Trojan sporting event during the game, you can still come, just let Mrs. Straughn know when you buy your ticket. Tickets are $5 and include pizza. Tickets will be on sale in the main office before school and during lunch until Thursday, February 13. You must have a signed dance agreement on file to buy a ticket. **No tickets will be sold at the door.** Dress is whatever you wear to the game and the theme is “Valentine’s Day.”

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)’s Individual and Community Preparedness Division (ICPD) is now accepting applications for the national Youth Preparedness Council, a group of students in grades 8 through 11 who are selected to support disaster preparedness and make a difference in their communities. This is an opportunity for young people to engage with FEMA on their perspectives, feedback, and opinions related to preparedness, to grow their leadership skills, and to support the resilience of their communities. Youth Preparedness Council members hold two-year terms and are selected based on their involvement in extracurricular activities, their leadership experience, and any experience related to preparedness and emergency management. The newly redesigned online application, which officially launched on January 27, 2020, is expected to enhance the experience for applicants and encourage more young people to apply. Students may complete their applications and submit online through March 8, 2020. Selected candidates will be notified in May 2020. Interested students can apply online at [https://community.fema.gov/applytoYPC](https://community.fema.gov/applytoYPC). For more information about the Youth Preparedness Council or other youth-focused preparedness initiatives contact us at [FEMA-Prepare@fema.dhs.gov](mailto:FEMA-Prepare@fema.dhs.gov).
Seniors - The Troy High School scholarship application is now on the website. New scholarships and applications are continuing to be added. Make sure you check the page regularly so that you do not miss anything. The Troy Foundation’s on-line scholarship is open and accepting applications! The deadline to apply is March 23rd. Applications can be saved as you progress through the process. Be sure to give your references plenty of time to upload their letters. https://thetroyfoundation.org/troy-high-school-scholarships; The Troy Dollars for College Application is now on our scholarship page. This is a NEED and MERIT based scholarship that is due no later than Friday, March. 13th.

Want to prep for the State ACT? There will be an ACT Prep. workshop February 25th and March 10th at the Miami County YMCA. Visit bit.ly/GPACTPrep (case sensitive) for more information.

Want to win a limo for you and 9 friends for Prom? First Place Food Pantry has a contest. Tickets are $10 each and entry is open to all Miami County students. Raffle opens on Feb. 1 and ends on March 15th. Winner will be announced March 16th. Additional prizes available. For full details check out the First Place Food Pantry Facebook page.

Seniors: Many of you have not turned in Community Service yet and many still owe fees. Please start taking care of these obligations so you can graduate. Please make sure when you do your community service that if it is NOT an organization listed on the back of the form, that you make sure you get it approved in advanced or it will not count. Also, remember your community service must be done in Troy.