ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR Tues., Feb. 04, 2020 (**New or happening today or tomorrow)

**Science Club will meet TODAY after school in room 239.

**Attention Xtreme Bots Team: Our next meeting will be Wednesday, February 5th at 4 pm at Stillwater Technologies. If you have any questions, please see Mr. Orsborne or Mr. Clendening

**The THS Valentine Showcase will take place Friday, February 7 at 7pm in the Auditorium. Tickets are $2.00 for general admission. Come share the love, laughs and talent of your fellow Trojans!

**The February Drama Club meeting will take place after school on Thursday, February 6. The meeting will be a quick one but come in for prizes and to update your point sheets!

**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 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.”

**Presale tickets will be available this week in the Athletic Office for the boys basketball games at Celina on Saturday. Adult tickets are $6 and student tickets are $4. All tickets at the door will be $7.

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 . For more information about the Youth Preparedness Council or other youth-focused preparedness initiatives contact us at 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.

Seniors – 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

If you were unable to attend the track and field meeting, you can pick up a packet of information on the front counter in the Athletic Office.
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.**

Students wanting to apply to the Upper Valley Career Center can apply by visiting the UVCC website http://www.uppervalleycc.org/highschool_home.aspx and clicking APPLY in the upper right corner.