ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR Tues., Oct. 29, 2019 (**New or happening today or tomorrow)

**Attention Xtreme Bots team:** Our next meeting will take place **TODAY** after school in Mr. Clendening’s room. Permission slips are due at the meeting, as well as all robot drawings and design ideas. If you have any questions, please see Mr. Orsborne or Mr. Clendening.

**TOMORROW** is the big day! Ten lucky students will have their names chosen to participate in the first Monthly Trojan Way Drawing! The Trojan Way Drawing will take place **LIVE** during the Pep Assembly on Friday with guaranteed cash prizes ranging from $1 to $50. All Trojan Way Tickets must be turned in by 3:00 p.m. **TODAY** to be considered. The tickets can be dropped off in the Guidance Office or in the commons during lunch.

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**Hey Trojan Family!** It's time for the annual Franklin House community service drive. The Franklin House is Miami county's family abuse shelter. They help victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, elder abuse, human trafficking, and homeless individuals and families. From now until November 8 we will be collecting toiletry items for the shelter. Items that can be brought in include shampoo, conditioner, deodorant, body wash, baby wipes, diapers, tissues, and more. See the posted yellow flyers for a complete list. The 1st period to bring in the most donations by the November 8th deadline will receive donuts paid for by Troy's FCCLA chapter.

**Thank you to all students and staff who donated blood for the Troy-Piqua Blood Drive Challenge!!** It was a great success, with 80 donors registered and 71 units actually donated! This has the potential to save 213 lives! We appreciate everyone's support of THS and this life-saving cause!

**We need your help!** If you were unable to donate during the high school blood drive, you can still help us beat Piqua and bring the title and the trophy back to Troy! The community blood drives will be held at US Bank, 910 West Main St., and Troy Church of the Brethren, 1431 West Main St., in Troy on Wednesday, October 30th from 12:00-6:00PM! You can pre-register at donortime.com or call 1-800-388-4483. This will ensure your ability to donate and will greatly reduce your wait time, but walk-ins will also be accepted. All students 16 and over and all adults are welcome!

**Men’s chorus will meet Wednesday morning at 7:20am in the choir room. Men’s chorus is a non-audition men’s singing group that meets twice a week before school. We are currently preparing the song Grandma got run over by a reindeer for the winter concert. New members are welcome to join.**

**Troy Piqua shirts are on sale in the Main Office for $15.**

**If you would like to be considered as a participant in the November 1st Piqua pep rally games, please sign up to put your name in the pool. Sign-up sheets are on the bulletin board outside of the cafeteria and outside Guidance. For Friday's Troy Piqua spirit day, we will be wearing HALLOWEEN COSTUMES! Please keep your costumes school appropriate, and no masks are permitted. The best costume from each lunch will be featured at the pep rally, where an overall winner will be chosen.**

**Community Service Opportunity:** **COOKSON CRAFT BAZAAR!!!** They need various kinds of help: set up/tear down, meal delivery, general assistance—they even need elves to assist with Santa Claus on Saturday! Friday, Nov 1 from 4-7 Saturday, Nov 2 from 7-11am and/or 11am-2:30pm. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, Please reach out to **Alicia Wheeler!!!** Her email is cooksonpto@gmail.com or you can call/text 937-214-7413 (her cell)

Seniors: Friday will be this year’s first senior sunrise breakfast. Breakfast will be provided by Senior Cabinet. 6:45-7:25 on the home side of the stadium.
The Troy-Piqua Community Rally will be October 31, at 8:30 on Prouty Plaza.

Congratulations to the School Level winners of the Voice of Democracy Audio Essay Contest. They are Thomas Begley, Heidi Hansbarger, Grant Klopfenstein, Molly Montgomery, and Abigail Van Hook. They will now advance to the Post Level Contest.

Fees: Students fees have now been added to your accounts for classes you are taking. Please have your parent’s check your fee amount and either bring in the payment or have them pay it using EZ Pay.

Have you won a ticket for the first Trojan Way Drawing? First, congratulations on exhibiting traits that represent the Trojan Family. Second, tickets can be dropped off in the Guidance Office or in the Commons during lunch time. Ten lucky students will be chosen to participate in the first drawing where cash prizes range from $1 - $50. #YouMatter

The coffee bar will be making its debut Monday, November 4th in the commons. Hours of operation will be from 7:00-7:30, Monday - Friday. Drink options will include different varieties of iced coffees along with plain or flavored lemonades. All large drinks will cost $2 while all small drinks will cost $1. Students can pay with cash or their student lunch code.

Fall 2019 Award Nights are Tues., Nov. 5 at 6:30 in the Auditorium for Boys’ & Girl’s Golf, Tennis, Boys’ & Girls’ Soccer and Soccer Cheerleaders. Thurs., Nov. 14 at 6:30 in the Auditorium will be Volleyball and Boys’ & Girls’ Cross Country.

Seniors - Please check the list hanging in the Guidance Office window and the Main Office to make sure your name will be spelled correctly on your diploma. If changes need to be made, see Mrs. Schreiber in Guidance. This needs to be done by Tuesday, November 26th.

Underclass picture retake day will be on Nov. 13 at 7 a.m. in the TAC. They will only be here for a short time so be on time to school that day.

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.