

## TRAVIS TIGER CODE OF CONDUCT

**BE RESPONSIBLE**

**BE RESPECTFUL**

**BE SAFE**

**BE READY TO LEARN**

### This Week in Tiger Land

#### Monday, October 17<sup>th</sup>

No School! Student Holiday!

#### Tuesday, October 18<sup>th</sup>

Spirit Day: Class colors (12<sup>th</sup> – white, 11<sup>th</sup> – black, 10<sup>th</sup> – grey, 9<sup>th</sup> – camo)

Senior Assembly – 10:00am

CIEE Global Navigator Student Meeting – Library (lunches)

Volleyball @ Bush (4:30/5:30/6:30pm)

CIEE Global Navigator Parent Meeting – Library (6:00pm)

#### Wednesday, October 19<sup>th</sup>

Spirit Day: Way Back Wednesday – 1990s Theme

PSAT Testing (9<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup>) & Senior Workshop

Homecoming Pep Rally – THS Football Field (7:00pm)

#### Thursday, October 20<sup>th</sup>

Spirit Day: TV Thursday – Dress like your favorite TV character

Football: JV @ BHS, 9<sup>th</sup> @ Travis (4:30/6:30pm)

Cross Country District Meet

#### Friday, October 21<sup>st</sup>

Spirit Day: Fiery Friday – WEAR TRAVIS RED!

Volleyball vs. HHS (4:30/5:30/6:30pm) – Varsity plays 1<sup>st</sup>!

Varsity Football vs. Bush @ Mercer (7:00pm)

#### Saturday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>

FFA Goodwill Drive – FFA Driveway (9:00am-11:00am)

Homecoming Dance (8:00pm-midnight)

## THS 2016-17 THEME

**“BE THE ONE...”**

### Submit Your Announcements Here

We are changing the way we accept announcement requests for the THS Parent Newsletter! If you represent a parent group that would like to make an announcement, please fill out the form found at [THIS LINK](#). This link will also permanently appear at the bottom left-hand corner of the first page of every parent newsletter.

## SOCKTOBER:

### A Month Long Community Sock Drive



**This October Socks & Souls wants to prove that even the smallest act of caring, like donating a pair of new socks, can help make a huge difference in the lives of our neighbors who are homeless!**

**SOCKTOBER is a national sole warming movement that gives everyone an easy and fun way to help those in need within their very own town via a new pair of socks!**



**So why should you participate in SOCKTOBER? Because every night in the United States an estimated 600,000 people live on the streets and need simple things, like socks, to help get them through the night.**

**So please donate a new pair of socks today and we will do the rest! Drop off new socks in the front office and wear those CRAZY socks all month! Let's BE THE ONE Tigers – and MAKE A DIFFERENCE!**

**Help warm Souls with Soles this SOCKTOBER!**



***“POWER IS LIKE BEING A LADY...IF YOU HAVE TO TELL PEOPLE YOU ARE, YOU AREN'T.”***

**- MARGARET THATCHER**

Need help? Have questions about date/time for a school event? Want to know what's for lunch tomorrow? Want to purchase a parking permit? Click [HERE](#) to go to our website for all this and more!

If you would like to submit an announcement for addition to this newsletter, click [HERE](#)

**HAPPY HOMECOMING WEEK  
2016!**

## TIGER TRACKS

**TRAVIS HIGH SCHOOL PARENT NEWSLETTER**

**ISSUE #145, OCTOBER 17<sup>th</sup>, 2016**

## Advertise with Travis STRIPES YEARBOOK

WORD COUNT	SIZE	PRICE
250 - 300	Full Page Ad	\$460
150 - 250	6/9 Page Ad	\$310
100 -150	4/9 Page Ad	\$210
80 -100	3/9 Page Ad	\$160
70 - 80	2/9 Page Ad	\$110
0 - 70	1/9 Page Ad	\$60

If Interested, Please Contact

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### THE BIG TEX CHICKEN FRIED STEAK DINNER



Catered by

Wednesday, October 19, 2016  
5:00 - 6:30 PM @ Travis High School

11111 Harlem Road - Richmond, TX 77406

Before the Homecoming Pep Rally!

Pick Up: Front Circle Drive

Dine In: THS Bus Ramp / Commons

Meal Includes: Chicken Fried Steak with Peppercorn Gravy,  
Mashed Potatoes and Green Beans with Bacon



Buy your ticket TODAY from a  
Belle, Charm, or Freshman Dance Team Member.

# \$12

JOIN THE TIGERS FOR THE THS HOMECOMING PEP RALLY AT 7 PM

### Letter Jacket Fittings

Balfour will be on campus on the following dates to size students for letter jackets:

October 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>

February 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>

April 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>

If your student might be eligible for a letter jacket, please have her/him check with their coach/director/sponsor to make sure they are on the eligibility list.

### ASVAB Testing

Travis High School will be hosting an ASVAB test on November 8th for those seniors who are interested! The ASVAB is a multiple-aptitude battery that measures developed abilities and helps predict future academic and occupational success in the military.

### PTO NEWS

- The PTO has an Amazon Smile account. If you are ordering something on Amazon, you can support the Travis PTO with [THIS CODE](#).
- The next PTO Pizza Sale will be Wednesday, October 19<sup>th</sup> at all lunches. Pizza is \$2 per slice

### Roaring Ahead!

October 17<sup>th</sup> – District Staff Development – Student Holiday  
 October 19<sup>th</sup> – PSAT Test Day/Senior Workshop  
 October 22<sup>nd</sup> – Homecoming Dance (8:00pm-midnight)  
 October 27<sup>th</sup> – Student Picture Re-Takes (7:00am-12:55pm)  
 November 4<sup>th</sup> – Senior Panoramic Picture (10:00am)  
 November 5<sup>th</sup> – SAT  
 November 21<sup>st</sup>-25<sup>th</sup> – Thanksgiving Holiday – NO SCHOOL  
 December 1<sup>st</sup> – Academic Excellence Night  
 December 5<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> – STAAR/EOC Re-tests  
 December 12<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup> – Fal Semester Final Exams  
 December 19<sup>th</sup>-January 2<sup>nd</sup> – Winter Break

**227 DAYS**

**UNTIL GRADUATION FOR THE THS CLASS OF 2017!!!**

# THS FFA Goodwill Drive

*Need to de-clutter??* We are hosting a goodwill drive  
**Saturday October 22<sup>nd</sup> from 9am-11am in the Ag driveway at Travis High school.** If you are unable to drop off things Saturday you **can bring your things to school any day now through the 21<sup>st</sup>,** and FFA members will gladly unload and store your donation in our storage shed.

*You can also receive a tax write off slip!!!*



## **Items we can accept:**

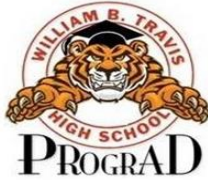
Antiques/collectables  
Artwork, frames  
Audio visual equipment  
Bedspreads, blankets, liners  
Books  
CDs, DVDs, records, videos  
Clothing, shoes, accessories-jewelry  
Computers, printers  
computer accessories (working or not)  
Cookware, dishware, utensils  
Crafts  
Electronics  
Giftware, knick knacks  
Glassware  
Handtools and small power tools  
Holiday decorations  
Lamps, shades  
Sporting goods

**\*Please contact Leslie Dohnalik if you have questions or would like students to unload your donation before the event!**

[Leslie.dohnalik@fortbendisd.com](mailto:Leslie.dohnalik@fortbendisd.com)

## **Items we cannot accept:**

Automotive parts/equipment  
Bed frames, headboards etc.  
Bed pans, Porta potty's  
Bicycles and wheeled toys  
Blinds (unless in package)  
Bolts of fabric  
Carpet  
Exercise equipment  
Filtration systems  
Food  
Furniture  
Gas powered tools  
Gus, knives, bows, arrows, ammo  
Hangers  
Hazardous product/waste  
Hospital beds, Air mattress, water beds  
Infant cribs, playpens, car seats, strollers  
Large household appliances  
Mattresses, beds, bed pillows  
Metal desks, cabinets  
Piano/organs  
Personal care items  
Pool tables  
Recyclables (paper, plastic etc.)  
Skis, ski boots  
Water heaters  
Wheelchairs, walkers



## **Upcoming Prograd Events:**

**October- Butter Braids for Sale**

**Tuesday 10/18 Spirit Night at Clancy's**

**(Mention Travis Prograd)**

**Tuesday 11/8 November Meeting at 7**

**Now until November 1- Holiday Evergreen and Accessories Sale**

**Make sure to wear your shirt and check in at the table each Tuesday!**

**If you would like to purchase Butter Braids or Holiday Evergreen, please contact [travisprograd2017@yahoo.com](mailto:travisprograd2017@yahoo.com) or Facebook Travis Prograd and we will find a Senior that you can purchase from!**



### Academy News

The Global Studies & International Business & Marketing Academies are excited to announce that, once again, Travis HS has been chosen to receive **Global Navigator Scholarship** funds for students to study abroad next summer! To reward THS's commitment to global education and our enthusiasm for world language instruction, our scholarship reward will be increased to \$25,000 so that even more students can participate in these incredible programs. These [summer study abroad programs](#) are offered by [CIEE](#), a leader in international education, and are open to ALL Travis HS students graduating in 2018, 2019, or 2020. CIEE has nearly 70 years of experience in international exchanges. The organization handles all aspects of programming and travel, and offers start-to-finish support – insurance, great attention to safety, and 24/7 support lines. Students may apply online at: <https://www.ciee.org/high-school-summer-abroad/myaccount/>. The priority deadline is Dec. 1, 2016. Last summer we had students visit Japan, Mexico, and China through Global Navigator Scholarships! CIEE will be on campus October 18 during lunch for students to visit with representatives in the Library. An evening presentation open to parents and families will also be held on **October 18 from 6-7pm** in the library. For more information review their website and read the [announcement letters](#).

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