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This Week in Tiger Land

Monday, January 9th

HAPPY MONDAY!!!

Tuesday, January 10th

Tiger Tuesday Theme Day: Hawaiian Day!

Girls' Soccer vs. Cinco Ranch (4:00pm)

Boys' Soccer @ Seven Lakes (6:00/8:00pm)

Girls' Basketball @ Hightower (4:00/5:30/7:00pm)

Boys' Basketball vs. Hightower (4:00/5:30/7:00pm)

Wednesday, January 11th

Blood Drive—Small Gym (7:30am-2:00pm)

Thursday, January 12th

HAPPY THURSDAY!!!

Friday, January 13th

Game Day Spirit Theme: Black Out!

Girls' Basketball vs. Kempner (4:00/5:30/7:00pm)

Boys' Basketball @ Kempner (4:00/5:30/7:00pm)

Saturday, January 14th

Travis Invitational Academic UIL Meet

Roaring Ahead!

January 16th—MLK Day (School Holiday)

January 19th—NCAA Parent Night (6:30pm)

February 2nd—Course Selection Parent Night (6:00pm)

February 6th-7th—Letter Jacket Fittings (All lunches)

February 11th—Project TEaM Day

February 17th—Early Release Day

February 20th—Staff Development/Student Holiday

"IF WE DO NOT DISCIPLINE OURSELVES, THE WORLD WILL DO IT FOR US."

- B.F. SKINNER

Have questions about date/time for a school event? Want to know what's for lunch tomorrow? Want to purchase a parking permit?

<u>CLICK HERE</u> 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.

Submit announcements for this newsletter HERE

THS 2016-17 THEME "BE THE ONE..."

Calling All Tigers...

The Boys' and Girls' track teams are having an informational meeting on Monday, January 9th. All interested students should meet directly after school right outside the track. For more info, please see Coach Johnson or Coach Odom. Hope to see you there!

143 DAYS

UNTIL GRADUATION FOR THE THS CLASS

OF 2017!!!



NCAA NIGHT

Thursday, January 19, 2017 6:30 – 7:30pm

THS Auditorium

Student-Athletes and your parents are invited to attend NCAA Night! We will have a NCAA specialist from the University of Houston here to share information and answer questions you may have about the process. This will be a great opportunity to learn everything you need to know about playing sports at the next level!





WANT TO PLAY COLLEGE SPORTS?

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Safety First

Please be aware that, when arriving at school early, all students must enter the building through the front entrance (when being dropped off or when driving themselves) & the bus ramp entrance (when arriving by bus). The safety of our students is our highest priority. As such, doors that are locked from the inside should not be used for entrance into the school. Additionally, students have been informed to NEVER open a door for anyone or prop an exterior door open. Thanks for encouraging your student(s) to keep Travis safe!

HABITUDES CORNER

The Laptop Computer

This week in our leadership lessons during advisory, our students will be learning the leadership principle about the **Personal Laptop Computer** – the data that goes IN to the computer is what comes OUT of the computer. We will refer to this as GIGO = Garbage in, garbage out.

Here is a sample of what our students will hear:

Leaders are disciplined about what they store in the mind and heart. Leaders work hard at investing the right material inside themselves. They also work hard avoiding the wrong materials, so that what comes out – is right.

The same principle applies with everyone, whatever you put in is going to come out. Your minds and hearts are just like this. If you put garbage in, you're going to get garbage out. You might be able to keep it in for a while, but when you're under pressure out comes all the garbage.

For example, if you spend hours listening to bad language in movies, video games, and T.V. shows, you can bet that it's going to come out at the worst time – like when you're helping your dad fix something and hit your thumb with a hammer. Or when you are helping your mom and burn yourself on a hot pan.

You see, your heart and mind are like sponges. They soak up anything that touches it or is poured on it.

If you pour good things into them like positive words, truth, good music, and love, then when you are under pressure, those good things will come back out again through your mouth and your actions.

But if you pour bad things into them like bad language, gossip, meanness, violence, violent video games, or lack of respect for authority, when you are under pressure, those bad things will come back out again.

Here's the thing --- it is up to YOU to change GARBAGE IN, GARBAGE OUT ---- to GOOD IN, GOOD OUT.

This lesson is for DIET too!!! TOO many of our athletes are walking around feeding their bodies JUNK food, sugary drinks and candy. It shouldn't be a surprise to them when their bodies don't perform like a Mercedes if they treat it like a junk car.

What about ACADEMICS? If you don't put anything IN (studying, tutorials, etc.) don't expect to get anything OUT when you need it – tests, quizzes, etc.

Remember G-I-G-O, let it mean **GOOD IN, GOOD OUT**. Work hard to only let good stuff into your hearts and minds. What goes into your mind influences your thoughts, actions, and habits. It creates a vision for what YOU BELIEVE your life should look like. Make it a good one!

- J. Diaz

Parent Booster Meetings

Monday, January 9th—THS Athletic Booster Club (7:00-8:30pm)

Tuesday, January 10th—FFA Meeting (6:00-8:00pm), ProGrad Meeting (6:30-8:30pm), JROTC Booster Meeting (7:00-9:00pm)