

TRAVIS TIGER CODE OF CONDUCT

**BE RESPONSIBLE
BE RESPECTFUL
BE SAFE
BE READY TO LEARN**

This Week in Tiger Land

Monday, February 13th

Crystal Ball Week: Shade Out the Shine—wear sunglasses!
Girls' Basketball PLAYOFF Game vs. Katy Taylor @ Alief Taylor
(7:30am)

Tuesday, February 14th

Crystal Ball Week: Come Dressed in Your Best!
Girls' Soccer @ Kempner (4:30/6:30pm)
Boys' Soccer vs. Kempner (4:30/6:30pm)
Boys' Varsity Basketball @ Dulles (4:00/5:30/7:00pm)

Wednesday, February 15th

College Wear Wednesday
Crystal Ball Week: Wear White and Silver!
Academy 8th Grade Course Selection Night (6:00pm)

Thursday, February 16th

Crystal Ball Week: 1970's Day!
Sub-varsity Track Meet @ Travis (4:00pm)

Friday, February 17th

Crystal Ball Week: Lights Out! Pajama Day!
Early Release Day for students!
Baseball vs. Stratford (4:00pm)
Softball vs. Mayde Creek (4:30/6:00pm)

Saturday, February 18th

Practice SAT
Baseball Kick-Off (11:00am-2:00pm)
Girls' Soccer vs. Clements (10:00am/Noon)
Boys' Soccer @ Clements (10:00am/Noon)
Crystal Ball Dance (7:00-11:00pm)

***"A TIGER DON'T STOP UNTIL IT
GETS WHAT IT CAME FOR!"***

- SPENCER CONLEY

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](#).

Submit announcements for this newsletter [HERE](#).

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

101 DAYS

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

Technical Education Center Application

Attention all current 10th and 11th graders. Would you like to take a course in Automotive, Computer Technology, Cosmetology, Culinary Arts, Fire Fighting, Hospitality and Tourism or Welding at our Center? Our application will be available from January 17, 2017 through February 17, 2017 at 3:00 pm. Click here to apply: <https://secure.fortbendisd.com/techedapp/> Additional Information at: www.fortbendisd.com/tec

AP Exam Registration 2017

AP Online Exam Registration is now open. Registration ends on February 28th. Late Registration will begin on March 1st and end on March 13th.

Use the following link to complete online registration: www.TotalRegistration.net/AP/445848

This year each AP exam costs \$93.00. William B. Travis High School desires that every student be able to take their AP exams. Students requiring financial assistance should contact Ms. Metoyer, carlete.metoyer@fortbendisd.com, in the Travis Counseling Office to learn more.

Roaring Ahead!

February 20th—Staff Development/Student Holiday

February 26th—Senior Serve

March 11th—SAT

March 13th-17th—Spring Break

March 28th—English I STAAR EOC

March 30th—English II STAAR EOC

April 3rd & 4th—Letter Jacket Fittings

TIGER TRACKS

TRAVIS HIGH SCHOOL PARENT NEWSLETTER

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AMBUSH 2017-18

Are you the parent of a current sophomore or junior? If so, then don't let them miss out on an amazing opportunity! Applications to become an Ambush mentor for next year have been sent to all current 10th and 11th graders via Naviance. This is a great opportunity for your student to gain some excellent leadership experience, make connections with other student leaders and help set the standard for our newest group of TRAVIS TIGERS, the Class of 2021!!!

Practice SAT

Travis will be offering another opportunity to take a Practice SAT this Saturday, February 18th from 8:00 am-12:00 pm in the library. Tickets can be purchased at lunches for \$25 (cash or check).



PTO Needs Your Help!

PTO would like to say, "Happy Valentine's Day" to our wonderful teachers and staff. Please see [CLICK HERE](#) to sign up or contact us at travishspto@gmail.com. PTO Pizza Sales happening this Wednesday, Feb. 15th. Like us on Facebook at William B Travis High School PTO and follow us on Twitter @travis_pto.

SENIOR SERVE 2017

We are **SO** excited to start gearing up for this year's Senior Serve Event! The fun-filled evening will take place at Travis in the commons area on

Sunday, February 26th at 5:30 p.m.

Senior Serve is an exciting evening where seniors create themed tables and sell tickets for a sit down dinner! The seniors will be the waiters for their guests! In addition to creating themed tables, a dessert will be provided that matches the theme! The dessert will be part of the fundraising as well, as it will be auctioned off!

Tickets for the event will be sold for \$25 per person. This ticket will provide a dinner with 2 entrees salad and bread provided by Lomonte's Italian Restaurant. Each table seats 10 guests! This will help you plan out your table arrangements!

There will also be music and some light entertainment as well as a Silent and Live Auction!

This is one of Project Graduation's (Pro Grad) biggest fundraisers! Therefore, we would like to present a challenge to all Organizations at Travis High School to support a table for your Senior Members. You will have the same opportunity to decorate your table or tables in a theme your group chooses. The only exception will be if it's already taken you'll have to choose another. There is a maximum limit of 10 persons per group.

Seniors please sign up with your group for your theme as soon as possible. This can be done during the week at lunches starting January 23rd. You may also sign up at the Pro-Grad meetings. Keep your themes a secret! Sign up fast as we will only allow one group to use a theme! Example book is available to view at lunches!

For further information, please contact Julie Goodwin 713-206-1569 (mjjrgood@sbcglobal.net) or Paula Finlayson 832-451-7800 (paulafin67@att.net) Paula and I look forward to working with you all on this fun event!

<<<<<< ADDITIONAL TIGER BUCK OPPORTUNITY >>>>>>



From Ms. Diaz:

So THIS is what can happen when you let students solve problems!! Thank you to EVERYONE who helped out - time, money, supplies, encouragement- we couldn't have done this in 10 hours without you!! It truly was a special day.

We got the first floor repainted - E, D, C, B Halls , and front entrance- 24,000 square feet, 115 gallons of paint and over 250 volunteers! More importantly, we empowered our students to go after dreams! They worked together- even with those they didn't know - to accomplish a feat that even the adults (me) thought may have been impossible.

Painting among the kids ---I heard SEVERAL comments that just made me smile...."I've NEVER done ANYTHING like this before! It's SO COOL!" "WOW, I really didn't think they'd let us do this!" "This is the most fun I've ever had at school." "We are making a difference!"-- and the kids meeting each other while they were working was also amazing ----- seniors working among freshman; student groups working with all different student groups. There really is nothing like it!! The cool thing is -- I've also had several former students contact me about how incredibly proud they are!!

Dr. Dupre and his wife stopped by for a while also --- they were SUPER impressed with our school community.

Our future will be just fine if we invest in our youth. Let's not tell them what they can't do because of our own self-limitations and doubts. Let's just ask them "How?" And then get out of their way!!

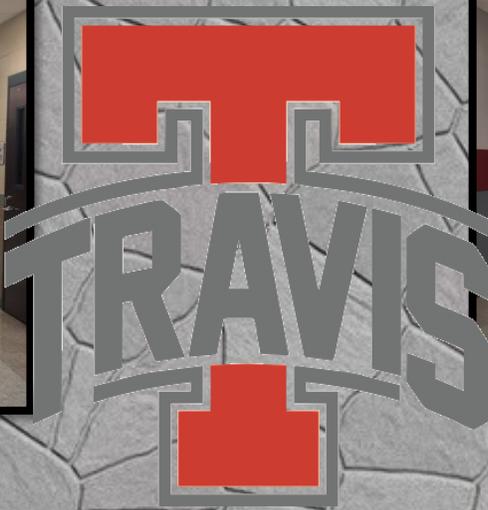
Now it's time to get some REST - because they are already talking about the next project they want to do!!

If you don't have a Twitter account -- it really is time to get one. It's the BEST way to keep in touch with our Gen iY. The entire process is documented on several of our Travis Twitter sites too!!

SEE YOU IN OUR BEAUTIFUL HALLS!!!



Before



After

