

NJROTC trip to Nationals

We have qualified for the Navy JROTC National Competition in Pensacola! This is an outstanding achievement for Troy's NJROTC program, and we are preparing now for the trip. We will compete against 24 other schools from throughout the United States.

This trip is approved by Troy High School and all students participating in the trip will receive excused absences for the time they miss class. Students will be required to work with their teachers **before the trip** to minimize any impact on their academic learning.

Trip details:

- Team of 40 cadets, up to 10 extra cadets, 3 chaperones, 3 NJROTC teachers.
- After Spring Break, we leave Wed, Apr 15, so we will miss 4 days of school!
- Travel plan: fly from LAX to New Orleans (leaving Troy at 8:30 am on Wed Apr 15 and return to LAX at 8 pm on Mon, Apr 20).
- Cost for cadets is \$400.
- Travel Wednesday (Apr 15), practice on Thursday (Apr 16).
- Compete on Friday (Apr 17) and Saturday (Apr 18).
- Enjoy Pensacola on Sunday (Apr 19), and travel home on Apr 20.

Costs for cadets:

- \$400 will cover air fare, some meals, all lodging and all transportation.
 - Also includes Nationals t-shirt and Troy team photo.
- \$75 spending money recommended during trip to cover meals, consider extra for incidentals.
- **Checks should be payable to "Troy NJROTC Booster Club".**

- **Initial deposit must be made by Wednesday, March 11. Final balances due on March 31. If there are financial considerations, please contact Commander Stubblefield directly.**
- All cadets going to Nationals must have a Troy NJROTC embroidered jacket (\$36 if not already purchased) and a black Troy NJROTC t-shirt (\$10 if not already purchased). Orders may be placed with CDR Stubblefield.
 - o Orders for these items are being taken through Friday, March 20.
- Cadets will be assigned hotel rooms, with 4 cadets/room.

Details for chaperones:

- Responsible for assisting NJROTC teachers keep all cadets organized, safe and accounted for, including nightly room checks.
- \$200 will cover air fare, some meals, all lodging and all transportation
 - o Also includes Nationals t-shirt and Troy team photo
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- \$100 spending money recommended during trip to cover meals and incidentals
- (optional) \$15 for Nationals t-shirt, team photo.
- (optional) \$10 for team photo.
- (optional) \$30 for Troy NJROTC polo shirt with name embroidered.

Parents and family who want to travel with the team must arrange their own transportation and lodging. CDR Stubblefield will help where possible.

- Rental car recommended. We do not anticipate room in the team bus for extra parents or family.
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