



# THE TROJAN VOICE

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September 2017

### **"Water for Houston"**

Bryson Sargent

A devastating hurricane hit Houston hit Texas, with millions without power, food, and supplies so we decided to step in. Our goal was to reach 1,000 cases of water. We reached over 1,100 cases of water! We sent 2 trucks to Houston. When we come together as a community, anything can be accomplished.

### **"Golf" Hannah Messer**

The Trojans played at Scott County Park and at Clear Creek Golf course. Landon Moore and Grace Gillen led the team shooting a 41 and 40 on Monday, September the 18th.



Tuesday, September 19th, in a district meet at Clear Creek, Grace Gillen tied for medalist and the team placed second all together.

### **"Homecoming" Whitney Jackson**

Homecoming was a success on Battle Hill. The football team won 61-21, defeating Lebanon. Bryce Bowman & Chelsea Carter won Homecoming King and Queen. Other seniors: Hannah Messer, Jarret Pool, AnnaMarie Chapman,

Jacob Mumpower, Callie Haderer, Reed Crabtree. Juniors: Grace Gillen, Andrew Looney, Leah Rowe, Isaac Deel, McKenzie Ford, Dakota Worley. Sophomores: Addie Clark, Elijah Dye, Madison Chappell, Walker Osbourn. Freshmen: Caroline Hensley, Seth Scarbrough



### **"Fair" Hailey Rush**

The Washington County Fair was held on Friday, September 15. Auditions were held prior to the fair for two representative from Battle to perform. Madi Sage and Parker Smith were the chosen representatives. Ms. Jago won the traffic cone decoration contest. Congrats to Madi, Parker, and Ms. Jago!

### **"Volleyball" Callie Haderer**

The Trojans started off this month strong with a 3-0 sweep over Lebanon. They came up short against Virginia High but came back strong the following week, beating Abingdon in 4 sets. Losing to Union in three but shutting away Ridgeview was next. The Trojans swept Wise Central Tuesday night and face Gate City Thursday night

at 7. The Trojans are 3-1 in the conference and are in a strong second place spot.

### **"Football" Caleb Goins**

The Trojans have shown nothing but dominance the past 3 games. The Trojans have rolled past Holston 57-0, Lebanon 61-21, and Patrick Henry 58-26. The Trojans improved their record, 3-2.

### **"Rhythm and Roots"**

Camille Malone

Rhythm and Roots started on Friday, September 15 and went through Sunday, September 17. Many great artists performed. This included Dwight Yoakam! There were many stages that you could visit during the day, along with numerous vendors selling handmade and store bought items. There were other events as well, like a 5k and a Children's Day.

### **"9/11 Remembrance"**

Lauren Rhoton

Our school and student body had a moment of silence and said a few inspiring words over the announcements on the anniversary of 9/11. We should never forget the compassion that the United States' citizens and surrounding countries showed during this difficult time in history.

### **"Cross Country"**

Bryson Sargent

The JSB XC team through the month of September have crushed their times and are slowly moving up the ladder. The team traveled to one of the biggest meets ever, "Knights Crossing." Boys' varsity left with a shiny 2nd place trophy to bring home!



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## October 2017

### **"Volleyball"** Callie Haderer

The volleyball team starts out the month of October with two away games. The Trojans travel to Union High School in hopes of adding another win to their promising season. Next, they face Abingdon, hoping to shut the Falcons out one more time. The Trojans have a busy month with games winding down but striving to stay in the second place spot for a good selection in the region tournament.



### **"Football"** Caleb Goins

The JSB football team is headed into the chunk of their conference play.

Schedule is as follows:

@Wise Central Oct.6

Ridgeview Oct.13

Gate City Oct. 20

@Lee Oct. 27

@Union Nov. 3

Playoff games will start the following Friday after Union. The opponent is TBA.



### **"Golf"** Hannah Messer

Grace Gillen qualified for the region golf tournament where she placed 5th in September, allowing her to qualify for state. She will represent the Trojan Golf Team in the VHSL state tournament on October 9th and 10th in Harrisonburg, Virginia. Good Luck Grace!!

### **"Cross Country"** Bryson Sargent

The cross country team is starting off the month of October at Wise Central on the 12th. The season is beginning to wind down.. We hope to make it out of our conference and progress to regions. However, VHSL has reduced the amount of teams being allowed to advance. So, we have been training harder to get ready for conference.

### **"Columbus Day"** Hailey Rush

Columbus day is on Monday,

October 9. This holiday celebrates the arrival of Christopher Columbus in the Americas in 1492.

### **"PSAT"** Hailey Rush

The PSAT will be held on Wednesday, October 11 at JSB.

### **"Friday the 13th"** Whitney Jackson

Everyone has watched the movie but do you know it is actually a true story? Jason Voorhees was born deformed and lived in Camp Crystal Lake. He was bullied during his short life, but on Friday the 13th, it changed. He tried to prove that he could swim, resulting in him drowning in the lake.

### **"Halloween"** Lauren Rhoton

October is the month of trick-or-treating, pumpkin picking, and other fall related festivities. Corn mazes are also a main attraction that people enjoy during the spookiest month of the year. Local corn mazes would include Stickley Farms, Haunted Holler and Fleenor Farm

### **"MLB Postseason"** Camille Malone

October 12: NLDS- Game 5 Cubs vs Nats at 8:08

October 13: ALCS- Game 1 Astros vs Yankees at 8:00

October 14: NLCS- Game 1 Dodgers vs Nats/Cubs at 8:00

Games 1-4 will be played through October 17th. Starting October 18th for the AL and October 19th for the NL, games will be played as necessary. Game 1 of the WS is October 24th.



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