

TUCSON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Weekly Newsletter



Thanks to all who visited us at Festival of Books

We would like to thank all of the young authors and families who visited the Tucson Unified booth at the Festival of Books over the weekend. Hundreds came through the booth to make their very own poetry books and to learn more about our schools. We were so excited to meet new and prospective students and watch their creativity in action!



Nominate Tucson Unified stars for recognition!

Do you have a teacher, principal, custodian, office worker that really knocks it out of the ballpark? It's time to nominate staff in 10 categories for Celebration of the Stars.

This year, we've made the nomination process a little easier. Just answer a few questions about the person you would like to see honored and submit the nomination. Click [here](#) to find the categories and forms.

No school Friday! (or next week)

Reminder: Students don't have school on Friday. It's a teacher grading day. And also remember that March 20-24 is Spring Break. We hope everyone has a happy, safe week!



Check out sports coverage of Sahuaro and Palo Verde

Sahuaro, above, took the field in multiple spring sports last week. We

You're invited to the
Unveiling Ceremony
for the
**Christopher Moon
Memorial**



Please join us for this very special event.
Monday, March 27 at 5:00pm
Cherry Field, Tucson High School Baseball/Softball Complex

Tucson High memorial to be unveiled

Please join Tucson Unified and members from all over the community for the unveiling of the Christopher Moon Memorial on Monday, March 27, at 5 p.m. The Governing Board approved the memorial last year.

Chris Moon was a Badger who went on to play baseball at the University of Arizona. After just one semester told his coach that he wanted to rescind his scholarship and fulfill his dream to serve his country. He died in 2010 at the age of 20 while deployed in Afghanistan.

The memorial, which was fully funded by donations, honors Chris Moon and other Tucson High Magnet School graduates who have died in the line of duty.

caught up with the track and field team in a home meet against Ironwood Ridge and girls softball in their 6-4 victory over Shadow Ridge.

Below, check out recent highlights from Palo Verde, which kicked off the spring season with a three-sport battle against Catalina High, taking home a hard fought road victory in boys volleyball.

Find more coverage of high school sports at www.tusd1.org/sports/




Magnet schools recognized for great work

Congratulations to three of the district's magnet schools that recently won national recognition.

Borton Magnet School won the Magnet Schools of America School of Excellence award and Mansfield Magnet Middle School and Dodge Traditional Magnet Middle School were named Schools of Distinction.

These awards are given to magnet schools that show a commitment to high academic standards, curriculum innovation, successful

Attention All Tucson Unified School District
parents/guardians, students and family members.
IT'S TIME TO VOICE YOUR OPINIONS



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**JOIN US FOR A REVIEW OF OUR
NEW CODE OF CONDUCT DRAFT**

Wednesday March 15 6:00 p.m. Rincon H.S. Cafeteria	Thursday March 16 6:00 p.m. Pueblo M.H.S. Auditorium	Thursday March 30 6:00 p.m. Palo Verde H.S. Cafeteria
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Share your opinion during the discussion.

District holds forums for Code of Conduct

Tucson Unified School District invites parents, students, teachers and members of the community to attend forums to discuss its proposed new Code of Conduct. Please note that the Thursday forum was streamed live and

desegregation and diversity efforts and the consistent delivery of high quality educational services to all stakeholders.

IMPACT

TUCSON

Bullying · Behavior · Bravery

Saturday, April 8 • 8 am to 2:30 pm
Palo Verde High Magnet School

Register Now! TucsonUnified.org/IMPACT



Guest Speaker

Dr. Macheo Payne

Assistant Professor of Social Work
California State University East Bay, and
Senior Director of Equity and
Educational Initiatives at Lincoln

Light Breakfast
& Lunch

Free Haircuts
& Styles for Kids

Resource Fair &
Enrollment Bus

Workshops for
Parents and Students

Free Child Care Provided
Reserve Space Online Now

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Tucson Unified
Family Resource Center



DUNBAR BARBER ACADEMY



SEE IT
HEAR IT

REPORT IT

SCHOOL
SAFETY

TIP LINE

BE BOLD • SPEAK UP • END BULLYING NOW

Tucson Unified makes it easy to report concerns

Tucson Unified has a tip line and online form that make it easy to report

can be found on our [website](#).

Six sessions will be held at high schools around the district. The goal of the forums is to explain proposed changes and get feedback from stakeholders. You can also provide your feedback through our online [form](#).



Open enrollment for 2017-2018 under way

Tucson Unified School District encourages families to submit open enrollment applications for the 2017-2018 school year. The deadline for the next lottery is March 14th.

Open enrollment/magnet application forms are available at the district's School Community Services office, 1010 E. 10th St. in Building B.

Office hours are Monday-Friday from 7:45 a.m. to 4:45 p.m.

Forms can also be found online at www.tusd1.org/enroll, at school offices and at our Family Resource Centers at Catalina, 3645 E. Pima; Palo Verde, 1302 S. Avenida Vega; Southwest, 6855 S. Mark; and Wakefield, 101 W. 44th St.

Completed enrollment forms and documents can be:

- Turned in to staff on the Enrollment Bus.
- Mailed to School Community Services, P.O. Box 40400, Tucson, AZ 85717.
- Emailed to SCS@tusd1.org.
- Delivered to the School Community Services office, 1010 E. 10th St., Building B.

Visit www.tusd1.org/enroll for more information about the enrollment

concerns such as assaults, bullying, drugs, employee misconduct, fights, vandalism and any other crimes.

The district's School Safety department takes calls 24 hours a day, seven days a week. The number to call is 584-7676. If you would prefer to leave a message, call 584-7680. The district also has an [online form](#) where anyone can submit a report.

Additionally, the district has hired [Dr. Da'Mond Holt](#) to serve as an ombudsman and will assist in resolving conflicts that arise in our schools. If you have questions about the tip line, online form or the role of the ombudsman, please contact Dr. Holt at DaMond.Holt@tusd1.org or (520) 225-6412.

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