

## Weekly Bulletin for the City High School Community ~ September 15, 2008

### Greetings

The other morning on my bike-ride to school, I met a graphic designer who works for Pima County. His office is on Pennington Street, right down the street from us. We spoke about downtown, our internship program, and possible partnering opportunities for the future. When we arrived at City High School, I said "It was nice to meet you, and, sorry if our kids are a little rambunctious on the sidewalk after school." He replied, "No apologies necessary, your kids make downtown a colorful place and they are always very polite!"

We'd like everyone downtown to feel this way. Here are some things that families can help support us with:

- **Skateboarding** is not permitted on the sidewalk at all. Students who bring skateboards to school should carry them to a place where it is legal to ride. It's dangerous to skateboard on a crowded sidewalk and many of our downtown neighbors see it as a nuisance.
- **Students are dismissed at 3:30.** After 4:30, there is no adult supervision as staff members are wrapping up their days and are often in meetings. Please encourage your child to find a safe and structured environment in which to spend after-school hours. The teen library at the downtown Pima County Public Library is a great place to stay cool and get some homework done.

Please help us to keep all of our students safe, and our downtown neighbors happy.

-Eve Rifkin, Academic Director  
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### Parent-Teacher Conferences: 9/18-9/19

Parent-Teacher Conferences are this **Thursday, 9/18 and Friday, 9/19**. Students will be dismissed after lunch at 12:15 p.m. on both days (see following page for school schedule). This is your chance to meet your student's teachers, and gain a deeper understanding of specific course curriculum, standards, and grading structures. We hope you are able to take advantage of this opportunity to discuss important issues pertaining to your student. Parents are invited to show up between **1:30-4:30 p.m.** to sign up for 15 minutes slots with teachers.

### Tucson's 35<sup>th</sup> Annual College Night

Mark your calendars! The annual college night is **Tuesday, 9/16, at 6:30 p.m.** The event will be at the **Tucson Convention Center** and free parking will be available. Please encourage your junior or senior to come to this event where they will have the chance to meet representatives from over 150 colleges and universities from all over the country. Parents are invited to accompany their students.

# **Parent-Teacher Conference Days SCHEDULE**

## **Thursday, 9/18**

**8:30-9:30 PERIOD 1**  
**9:35-10:35 PERIOD 2**  
**10:40-11:40 PERIOD 3**  
**11:45-12:15 Lunch**  
**(12:15 dismissal)**  
**Conferences 1:30-4:30**



## **Friday, 9/19**

**8:30-9:30 PERIOD 5**  
**9:35-10:35 PERIOD 6**  
**10:40-11:40 PERIOD 7**  
**11:45-12:15 Lunch**  
**(12:15 dismissal)**  
**Conferences 1:30-4:30**