

Upward Bound Channel Islands

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Back to School Night

Summer is officially over and it is time for classes again! A new school year, new teachers, but the same motivation to continue school. This year's back to school night was greeted by supportive parents and their students as the navigated the school grounds to meet with their students new teachers and the UBCI staff.



Washington Youth Leadership Seminar

Two of our students had the grand opportunity to visit Washington D.C. and learn more about the policy making system and various workshops that will later help them choosing the right college and career for them.



Fiestas Patrias

The students experienced the importance of staying connected in large crowds using the App Zello. They assisted at the parade with pedestrian safety as the 50 plus floats and cars rolled by. It was a first time for many of them getting involved in community service.



Community Meeting

" A magical memoralbe summer", were the kind words our student used to describe the UBCI summer program. Like every month, our students attend a community forum to speak with other community leaders to see what they can do to improve their communities.

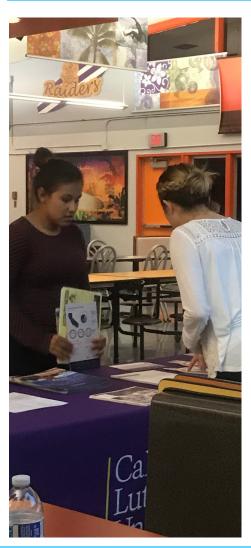


Road to College Series; Part 1

Part 1 of 2 of the series was designated to help the students with college and career research. It is important for 9th-11th grade to start looking into colleges and majors so they know what is required of them before they apply. As for the 12th graders, they had a chance to work on college applications and check-in with UBCI staff on where they were at in the college process.



College 101









The month of October was one busy one for our students, specially our seniors. it started of with Senior College Night, a chance for the 12th graders and their parents to speak to local colleges and universities. Followed by a college fair for all students to look beyond local school and into state colleges, universities as well as private. The rest of the month went into several days of college application workshops. Finally the month ended with a financial aid night, which was a very busy night filled of questions by parents who had never heard of the fafsa application.