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The PUMA Times

Pathways High Family Newsletter



Mission

To unleash ALL learner's potential. NOW.

Vision

All of our graduates will use their unique talents to boldly and positively impact the world.

IMPACT Experience

On April 29, Pathways High students had an exciting opportunity to visit the Carpenters Training Institute. During this visit they explored five dynamic careers: carpenter, millwright, pile driver, floor installer, and cabinet maker. Throughout the day students toured the state-of-the-art training facility, interacted with industry professionals, and learned about the hands-on skills required for each career path. A key takeaway from the experience was understanding that joining a trade early offers the unique advantage of earning money while learning through paid apprenticeship programs. It was an inspiring day that opened many students' eyes to the valuable and rewarding opportunities available in the skilled trades!



IMPACT Experience

Pathways High students participated in Physics Day at Six Flags Great America on April 24. This special event transforms the amusement park into a hands-on classroom, with the park closed to the general public. Students had the unique opportunity to apply physics principles to real-world situations by analyzing roller

coasters, collecting data, and attending interactive demonstrations. Throughout the day, students measured acceleration, velocity, and G-forces on rides such as Raging Bull and Goliath. It was an enjoyable and educational experience that brought science to life in exciting new ways!



Upcoming Events & Announcements



No School: May 26th
No Early Release: May 28th

- Exhibition: June 3rd
- Defense: June 4th + 5th (sign up to be a panelist [here!](#))
- Graduation rehearsal for seniors after school: June 5th
- Last day of school: June 6th (early release for all students at 1 PM)

Our graduation ceremony will be held on June 6th at the Tripoli Shrine Center.

- All students are to arrive by 5pm
- All students are allowed 8 tickets for guests and should contact Julia Mach at jmach@pathwayshigh.org if more tickets are needed.

We look forward to celebrating our seniors and their accomplishments!

"Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world; indeed, it is the only thing that ever has." – **Margaret Mead**