



# Warriors & Wildcats Report

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## UHEF 2015-16 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Nov. 19	<b>Career Day</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Contact Uni Asst. Principal Cynthia Hedrick at <a href="mailto:cynthia.headrick@lausd.net">cynthia.headrick@lausd.net</a> or (310) 914-3605</li> </ul>	<u>Volunteer opportunity</u>
Dec. 3-5	<b>“You’re a Good Man, Charlie Brown”</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tickets available online: <a href="#">click here</a></li> </ul>	Stivelman Theater
Apr. tba	<b>All-Classes Picnic &amp; Car Show</b>	On campus
Apr. 16	<b>Spring Clean-Up Day</b>	<u>Volunteer opportunity</u>
Apr. 26-29	<b>“Disney’s High School Musical”</b>	Stivelman Theater
May tba	<b>Unveiling of naming plaques for Richard Kampmann Stadium and Mel Patton Track</b>	On campus

## DID YOU GET YOUR UHEF ANNUAL NEWSLETTER?

- ▣ An important note from **Judy Wolfenstein**, UHEF Co-President, about the Annual Newsletter sent by mail in October:

*“The Annual Newsletter should have arrived in mailboxes by now. Information about the 2016*

*all-Alumni event will be posted as soon as details are available. We will be asking for your help to make this return-to-Uni day a success. We've gotten responses from some of you so far, and look forward to getting many more soon. The outpouring of support for Uni through the UHEF is wonderful and hopefully we can exceed our previous annual donations so the UHEF can continue printing and mailing Newsletters and supporting projects at Uni.*

*“So far, we have been informed of one BIG GOOF in the Alumni Updates section, that **Caroline Lynch** brought to my attention. **Gretchen Van Doren**, Class of 1949, is alive, well and happily living in Ojai (like Mark Twain, our erroneous report of her passing was greatly exaggerated). Many profuse apologies to Gretchen and those who know her.*

*“Please continue to send back your updates when you return your annual memberships. If you know anyone who doesn't get the Annual Newsletter, please let us know so they can be added to our roster of more than 14,000 Uni High alumni and friends.”*

Everyone who has contributed to the Uni Hi Education Foundation receives the Annual Newsletter, so long as we have a valid mailing address. If you have **not** received it, please send a note with your *correctly-spelled name, address (and graduating class if a Uni alum)* to [Connect@UHEF.org](mailto:Connect@UHEF.org).

## **LAUSD BOARD PRESIDENT ZIMMER LEADS ENERGETIC CEREMONY TO DEDICATE NEW UNI FIELD AND TRACK**

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- ▣ In the presence of politicians, school officials and one of Uni's two Olympic medal winners, the school's new football field and all-weather track were dedicated on October 22.

The facilities were named for two Uni legends and will henceforth be known as “**Richard Kampmann Stadium**” after the legendary Uni cross-country and track & field coach – who was present to watch the ceremony – and “**Mel Patton Track,**” after Uni '43 grad who was a world-record-holding sprinter and double Olympic gold medalist from the London Games of 1948. The Uni Hi Education Foundation and more than 50 individual donors have raised more than \$43,000 to name these facilities in their honor.

Present to watch the 33-minute ceremony was 89-year-old **Craig Dixon**, Uni's other Olympic medalist, who won a bronze medal in the 110 m hurdles, also in 1948. **Larry Booth**, a Patton biographer who has made a generous contribution to the Uni Hi Education Foundation to help name the track for his friend and mentor, was present to represent the Patton family.

The event, witnessed by an enthusiastic crowd of more than 200 that included many Kampmann alumni and the Uni football team, was emceed by Los Angeles Unified School District Board of Education President **Steve Zimmer**, who played a key role in securing the funding for the project. “This is long overdue,” he told the crowd, adding that “for generations, Uni Wildcat athletes played on a field that didn't match their athletic ability.” He also underscored the critical role of Uni Principal **Eric Davidson**, who “fought and fought for this” until the project became a reality.

Congratulations were also conferred by State Assembly member **Richard Bloom** and LAUSD Deputy Director of Facilities Program Support Services **Bill Wheritt**, who recognized the important role of project manager **Don Tisdale**, architects **The Luckman Partnership** and construction contractor **Ohno Construction**. Introductions were made of representatives from the offices of Los Angeles City Council Member **Mike Bonin** and California State Senator **Ben Allen**, and the awarding of a Certificate of Recognition from California State Senate and the Los Angeles Unified School District.

Both Davidson and Uni Associated Student Body President **Rebecca Herrera** added their thanks, before the announcement that the facilities would be named for Kampmann and Patton. The football field itself was named for Uni's first principal. **Angus Cavanaugh**, many years ago.

After a symbolic tossing of a football between Davidson and Zimmer and Uni football stars **Paul Davis** and **Eugene Ford** on the Astroturf field, the red ribbon over the track was cut with giant scissors by Davidson, Zimmer, Kampmann and others.

A more relaxed event will be held in the spring to honor Kampmann and Patton at greater length and, hopefully, to unveil the plaques dedicating the facilities in their name. With some luck, the event can be scheduled in conjunction with a Uni home track meet, something which has been missing from the campus for more than a decade. But thanks to the new field and track, no longer.

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- ▣ For the record, here's a transcript of the remarks given at the October 22 dedication ceremony:

**Steve Zimmer**  
*President, LAUSD Board of Education*

Good afternoon, everybody.

I've got my Wildcat hat and I do so much appreciate being here, getting the chance to emcee this dedication. I want to add to what Lorena said: Thank you to our amazing students, Color Guard, Cheer, Band. Thank you so much for being out here and being part of this, but also you – together with our teams – make this field so special every week. This is really for you.

So thank you to our students. I also want to say a special thank you and we appreciate the alumni who are here today from various classes throughout the Uni proud tradition. Can we take our hats off and salute the Uni graduates, the Uni alumni: thank you for being here.

This is long overdue. For generations, Uni Wildcat athletes played on a field that didn't match their athletic ability and really didn't match what we want and what really should be right for all of our students in this District: to have state-of-the-art athletic facilities as we see now in our gym, as we see now here in our field and our track, as we're going to see in our great partnership with the YMCA.

I'm very proud to say that with this dedication and with the projects that have been completed and are going to be completed, Uni High School is going to have the finest athletic facilities of any high school in this District. I'm very, very proud of that.

And I want to thank – this doesn't happen magically – the project team from the Facilities Division, The Luckman Partnership, architects, and Ohno Construction.

Where we're standing – for a lot of you, you know – this is the first time we've ever had a field like this at Uni. But this is also the first time with a regulation track: we're actually going to be able to hold track meets here – home track meets – for the Uni Wildcats.

This is – again – state of the art. We've got everything that we have needed. But this was not a gift from LAUSD or even a gift from the voters. All of that was very important, but your administration, your parents, the advocates for Uni, the alumni, they fought for this. They fought for this hard. And they made sure, at every turn, that we were creating the best athletic facility anywhere in the District. So if you could, help me give a hand to Mr. [Uni Principal Eric] Davidson and your administration, who fought and fought for this to make sure it would happen and to make sure it would be the best.

I see the [football] team coming out here now that I'm going to play against in just a few minutes. We're really proud of you and proud that we can open up this facility today. There is partnerships across the city, across the state that make sure that facilities improvements, academic improvements, school improvements, can be possible. So that we believe in public education not just in our words, but in our actions. So that we believe that schools like Uni get the best: not just in our words, but in our actions.

And so the next important guest that I want to introduce to you and bring up to this mike today is an LAUSD graduate – I won't tell you which school – a lifelong supporter of public education throughout his career, but in the State Assembly, he is fighting for this District, fighting for funds for public education, fighting for environmental policies that move our District and our families and our City forward, fighting for justice on social-justice issues all the time, for you, for our families, for our communities, in the State Legislature, let me bring up and introduce to you our Assemblyman from the 50th Assembly District, the great Richard Bloom.

***Richard Bloom***

***Member for the 50th District, California Assembly***

Thank you, Board President Zimmer, and it's great to be here and it's great to see all of you young people, all you old people and all of you in-betweeners. It's great to see everybody here.

This is a great day. It's a beautiful afternoon here in Southern California, and these facilities are just terrific. They are going to serve you well.

Now, Mr. Zimmer mentioned that I graduated from another school. I'm actually here scouting the football team; I understand you're playing Fairfax here tomorrow, right? So, I'm a Fairfax High graduate . . . Go Wildcats! Today, I'm rooting for you; tomorrow, we'll see.

This artificial turf [field] is important for a lot of reasons. First of all, that big hole by the 30-yard line? It's not there any more . . . smooth! You're going to have clear running. This is just going to be great for you to play on, when you get out there and have your practices and your games, you're going to be able to play at a collegiate level, at a professional level, and feel that way. It's going to kick up your game. I'm absolutely certain of that.

But artificial turf is important for another reason. Something you don't have to do to this, that you have to do to grass that's really important right now in the middle of a drought: you don't have to water it. It's important for additional reasons: you know, you don't have to re-seed it every couple of years. You don't have to let it lie fallow [because of] all those holes when it gets muddy during rainy season. You can practice on this stuff; you don't have to wait for the mud to go away. This is going to – whether it's raining, whether it's a beautiful day like this, whether it's overcast – every day, this field is going to be out there waiting for you, to practice on it, to play on it, to do your best.

So, I'm really happy to be here and help you dedicate these great facilities. It's great to see you all here today. I've got a Certificate of Recognition that I would like to present to Principal Davidson. It's just recognizing University High School's track and field grand opening 2015!

*Board President Zimmer:*

All the things that happen in a facility [happen for a reason]. You've got an amazing, classic, historic building here. We stand on sacred ground, in terms of the original history of our community here in Southern California. We now have amazing athletic facilities and all of the management of facilities happen through who I believe are the best experts in the nation, our Facilities Division. And representing our Facilities Division today, I want to introduce you to Mr. Bill Wheritt, the Deputy Director of the Facilities Division.

***Bill Wheritt***

***Deputy Director, LAUSD Facilities Division***

Good afternoon, everybody. I'll be brief today. I am here representing the Facilities Division, and I want to repeat the names of a couple of firms that were involved in the design and the building of both the track and the field here.

You have an amazing facility as everyone has said. It is state of the art: a regulation track that allows you to host the track meets and hold the regulation events here. The designer is not in the audience today, but I want to recognize The Luckman Partnership. We do have a representative of the general contractor that was actually out here and built the field, Ohno Construction . . . folks in the back there, thank you very much.

And I want to recognize our project team from here at LAUSD. We have the project manager sitting in the stands there, Don Tisdale – waive your hand – thank you. And the Regional Facilities Director, Aman Vaish, is with us as well.

So I just wanted to recognize that group of people who worked really hard to make all of this come together. And Board President Zimmer recognized a number of people and talked about

how hard everyone fought for this. I want to also make the point that he himself was an active soldier in this battle. He made sure that this all came through. The original plans didn't call for the materials that you see on the track here and both he and the Principal made sure that you got the most amazing facility, and one that will serve this community well into the future. So, that you to them as well, and enjoy the new facilities.

*Board President Zimmer:*

They say, sometimes, that being on the Board is a hard job. I say, nothing compares to when I was on my Student Council in high school. So we have today a hard-working member of your [Associated Student Body], representative Ms. Rebecca Herrera.

Hold up, they got my notes wrong. They call me the President, but now I want to introduce you to your real President, Rebecca Herrera. You are the real president of this school.

***Rebecca Herrera***  
*President, Uni Associated Student Body*

Good afternoon. As you guys know, I am Rebecca Herrera. I am your ASB President. I'd like to welcome you to our ribbon-cutting ceremony. I'm honored to represent the student body in this really exciting moment. We are genuinely grateful to receive such a wonderful gift that our student body as well as our future student body will benefit from.

Our Athletic Department now has one of the safest, state-of-the-art facilities in LAUSD. This field enhances the beauty and exclusiveness of our campus. Once again, we thank you for your generosity and support. Go Wildcats!

*Board President Zimmer:*

And now, I have the great honor of introducing to you your fearless advocate: Uni's number one supporter. The man wears his Uni hat everywhere he goes . . . I don't think the man ever takes it off. He fought for this relentlessly. He made sure that there were no compromises. He really brought each and every one of you, each and every member of this football team, each and every member of the band, the track and field team, every one of you . . . he brought you with him when he was fighting for this project, to make sure there was no compromise, that you got the absolute best. Not just for today, but for generations in the future.

He really deserves a huge round of applause. Let's give it up for [Eric] Davidson, your principal and one of the best principals in LAUSD, Mr. Eric Davidson!

***Eric Davidson***  
*Principal, University High School*

Hi, everybody! Everybody said a lot of words here, but I think that the thing that transcends all of the generations that have been here, from Warriors to Wildcats, from the Class of 1924 to the Class of 2016, has been the care that we have for each other at this school. And the care that the District has committed to make sure that we're in a safe and state-of-the-art facility.

It goes without saying how much we thank the District, the Board President, Mr. Zimmer, the Facilities [Division], the alumni, our parents – who have mightily contributed to the success of the project – and I really wanted to also say a great thank-you to Ohno Construction. I've never had the privilege of working with a more professional construction group in the eight years I've been here. And in those eight years, I have had a construction project going on all the time, and I can say [for] a fact – and being very sure of it – that Ohno Construction has been the number one, best construction company we've had the privilege of working for [us], and they cared about our school just as much as we did. And I really want to appreciate them as well.

So, I want to thank everybody for being here. And let's have a really good time tomorrow night [vs. Fairfax on Homecoming].

*Board President Zimmer:*

Thank you, Mr. Davidson. We have alums here today – Wildcats, Warriors, Wildcats – from the Class of 1944 all the way on up. And you are part, Wildcats, of an incredibly proud tradition in this city. This high school, this flagship high school, this amazing place of learning, has always been a place where public education thrives, where we value our diversity, and where we have pride, both in ourselves as individual students, but in the collective body we call University High School.

And it's my pleasure to introduce Rich Perelman, Class of 1974, and a Board member from the Uni Hi Education Foundation. Rich, please come on up.

*Rich Perelman*

*Class of 1974 and Board Member, Uni Hi Education Foundation*

Thank you for coming out today to share the astonishment of this 1974 – yes, we're still alive – Uni graduate, to see a football field that is green instead of brown, a track which is Rekortan red instead of dirt. Thanks especially to Board President Zimmer, for his efforts to make this miracle a reality, to Principal Davidson and to the Uni Hi Education Foundation and dozens of donors who wanted to honor Uni's great history on this field by honoring two of the people who authored those achievements.

Back in 1925, in the first-ever yearbook issued for Warren G. Harding High School, principal Angus Cavanaugh – for whom this football field has named for decades – wrote to that inaugural class of students:

“The boys and girls here today are Pioneers in the westward growth of a great city and in the establishing of a new school.

“Its traditions are in the making. Yours is the opportunity for shaping them. It is not too much to hope that the boys and girls, here and to come, will carry on in the same fine way until character, service, and scholarship may become recognized as valued traditions of the Warren G. Harding High School.”

Now, what Cavanaugh knew, but couldn't predict: those traditions were created on this field and on this track, at what is today known as University High School, because [of the] two groups of people who populate this area after 2 o'clock in the afternoon. We call them students and coaches.

And we're going to honor one of each today. It's altogether appropriate that University High School will recognize its greatest athlete and its greatest coach by naming the stadium and this new track in their honor.

Now, the student who is going to have the track named for him was one of two known Olympic medal winners from Uni – we've had two – both in track & field. One of them is here today, a member of the 1944 Los Angeles City championship team, a six-time All-American in the hurdles at UCLA and the Olympic bronze medalist in the 1948 Olympic Games in the 110-meter Hurdles, the great Craig Dixon.

Now, one of Craig's teammates in London was the face of that 1948 Olympic team, and a *Time* magazine coverboy. He was the world's fastest human, the world-record holder in the 100-yard dash and won two Olympic gold medals in the 200 meters and the 400-meter relay. He set a Uni school record in the 100-yard dash of 9.8 seconds in 1942; that record was not surpassed for 32 years. His Uni record in the 220 [yards] - 21.5 - was not bettered for 34 years. For these achievements, and his humility, class and dedication to sharing his expertise as a coach, it's an honor to confirm to you that henceforth, the new surface at University High School will be known as the Mel Patton Track.

Mel passed away in 2014, but I would be remiss not to recognize the stalwart work of one man who has tirelessly campaigned to recognize Mel's contributions, and a recent biographer of Mel Patton, Larry Booth. And Larry is here with us today.

Our other honoree is a coach, and what a coach he was. Coming to Uni in 1960, his teams won eight All-City championships, 77 Western League team championships, 24 All-City and 252 Western League individual champions and 875 dual-meet victories in cross country and track & field. Much more important than that was the impact he had on thousands of young men and women whom he coached, mentored and encouraged to achieve their potential not just as athletes, but as people. And for that, it's a privilege to confirm that this facility will henceforth be known as Richard Kampmann Stadium.

Now we're not going to let Coach talk yet, because we don't have enough time today. We're have a lengthier event in the Spring, hopefully around one of Uni's first home track & field meets in more than a decade, to celebrate the achievements of both these men, and to share more of the memories that they created with all of you and many more.

So I want to thank everyone for coming today, and thanks to Craig, to Larry on behalf of the Patton family, and most of all to Coach K, still going strong at the very young age of 90. Thank you so much.



*Board President Zimmer:*

Thank you, Rich, and congratulations, Coach. We can't wait to have [the] ceremony to honor your many achievements.

## **“CAREER DAY” VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO SHARE THEIR EXPERIENCES WITH STUDENTS**

- ▣ Uni alumni and friends are being asked to come and share their life experiences with Uni students to help show them the multitude of paths that they can take in their lives.

“Career Day” will be held on November 19 at Uni from 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. along the following schedule:

- 10:00 a.m.: Meet in the Parent Center  
Welcome and Program Overview
- 10:30-11:30 a.m.: Classroom presentations: 2 x 30 minutes  
Guests share their careers with two classes
- 11:30 a.m.: Tour of new facilities at Uni

“We’d love to have as many as 40 people come to campus and share their experiences with our students,” notes Uni Assistant Principal **Cynthia Headrick**. “These person-to-person sessions help them understand how people who sat in the same classes they did can become a success in life. There is no better lesson that we can teach them, and so we want people to contact us and come to campus on November 19.”

If you are interested, please contact Cynthia directly at [cynthia.headrick@lausd.net](mailto:cynthia.headrick@lausd.net) or by telephone at (310) 914-3605.

## **“YOU’RE A GOOD MAN, CHARLIE BROWN” READYING FOR SHOWS ON DECEMBER 3-4-5**

- ▣ With the first *Peanuts*-themed movie in 35 years set to debut at movie theaters on November 6, rehearsals are underway for “You’re A Good Man, Charlie Brown.”

The show is set for four performances over three days in December: Thursday, Friday and Saturday, December 3-4-5, supported in part by the UCLA AfterSchool program:

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| • Thursday | December 3 | 7:30 p.m. | <i>Tickets:</i> | \$10 for adults |
| • Friday   | December 3 | 3:30 p.m. |                 | (students only) |
| • Friday   | December 4 | 7:30 p.m. |                 | \$10 for adults |
| • Saturday | December 5 | 2:00 p.m. |                 | \$10 for adults |

The show is being directed by Uni Director of Theatre Arts **Ronnie Sperling** '76, with choreography by **Lindsey Lorenz** and musical direction by **David Kamenir**.

Tickets can be purchased **NOW online** at [www.BrownPaperTickets.com](http://www.BrownPaperTickets.com), or at the Uni Student Store, or at the door. Online purchases allow you to print tickets on your own printer; a small convenience charge of 99 cents plus 3.5% of the sales price is added to your order (\$1.34 for a single \$10 ticket).

## ON CAMPUS

▣ Uni Fall sports report: *Follow the Wildcats on Twitter: [@Utownsports](https://twitter.com/Utownsports)*

- Boys/Football 1-8 overall (0-4 Western League)

Uni lost a hard-fought Homecoming game against Fairfax by a 34-19 score on October 23. Clad in bright orange jerseys and blue helmets, the Wildcats took a 13-7 lead in the third quarter on a 17-yard **Paul Davis**-to-**Eugene Ford** touchdown pass, but the Lions took over quickly and were never headed. Davis completed 12 of 24 passes for 187 yards and two touchdowns, but was also intercepted once. Nine of his completions were to Ford, for a total of 101 yards, and both touchdowns. Senior **Gabriel McClain** rushed for 138 yards in 14 tries, including a 60-yard scamper and one touchdown, plus 15 tackles. Junior linebacker **Terrell Cox** had 10 tackles, including two for losses.

The Wildcats had a rough time with Palisades, trailing 26-14 at halftime and losing 51-20 on October 16. Davis completed 14 of 24 passes for 178 yards and a touchdown, but was also intercepted twice. Senior **Roman Gonzalez** also got to see time at quarterback, completing 4 of 6 passes for 47 yards and a touchdown. Sophomore **Kareem Miles** caught both touchdown passes. Ford had another strong game with 10 receptions for 135 yards, and a 70-yard kickoff return. McClain registered 15 tackles in the game, including three for losses.

Good news for Ford: he has received a scholarship offer to play football at San Jose State!

Uni's football program, which has made significant strides under coach **Lee Lowe**, will not participate in the City playoffs in 2015 as part of a penalty for having an ineligible player participate in the 2013 and 2014 seasons.

### *Uni's 2015 schedule:*

Sep. 04	Morningside	Lost, 26-49
Sep. 11	Banning	Lost, 12-35
Sep. 18	Lincoln	Won, 28-13
Sep. 25	at Culver City	Lost, 21-34
Oct. 02	at Oaks Christian	Lost, 8-76
Oct. 09	at Hamilton	Lost, 16-26
Oct. 16	Palisades	Lost, 20-51
Oct. 23	Fairfax	Lost, 19-34 ( <i>Homecoming</i> )

Oct. 30 at Westchester Lost, 21-36  
 Nov. 06 at Venice 7:00 p.m. (*Western League game*)

- Cross Country (\* = meets at Kenneth Hahn Park)

Sep. 24 5-team Invitational at Peck Park (non-scoring)  
 Sep. 26 Bellarmine-Loyola Invitational at Griffith Park:  
     *Boys:* 20th, 507 points (Red Division)      *Girls:* 22nd, 623 points (Red Division)  
 Oct. 08\* Uni d. Fairfax, forfeit      Uni d. Fairfax, 15-50  
     Palisades d. Uni, 16-47      Palisades d. Uni, 15-50  
     (Fairfax did not field a full boys team)  
 Oct. 15\* Uni vs. Arete      Uni vs. Arete  
     Uni vs. Westchester      Uni vs. Westchester  
     (No scores reported)  
 Oct. 22\* Uni d. Hamilton      Uni d. Hamilton  
     (No scores reported)  
 Oct. 29\* Uni vs. Venice      Uni vs. Venice  
     (No scores reported)  
 Nov. 04\* Western League Finals  
 Nov. 12 City Preliminaries, at Pierce College  
 Nov. 21 City Finals, at Pierce College

- Girls/Golf

Congratulations to 2015 Western League Champion, soph **Kara Temena**, whose score of 79 (+6) at Balboa Golf Course also earned her league Most Valuable Player honors! She will play in Group 1 of the L.A. City Golf Championships on Monday, November 2.

- Girls/Tennis 8-5 overall (8-4 Western League)

*Uni's 2015 schedule:* (\*=*Western League matches*)

Sep. 03 at S.O. CES	Lost, 3-4	Oct. 12 at *Fairfax	Won, 6-1-
Sep. 17 *Fairfax	Won, 6-1	Oct. 14 at *Westchester	Won, 4-3
Sep. 21 *Westchester	Won, 4-3	Oct. 19 *Venice	Lost, 2-5
Sep. 24 at *Venice	Lost, 3-4.	Oct. 21 *Palisades	Lost, 0-7
Sep. 28 at *Palisades	Lost, 0-7	Oct. 26 at *Hamilton	Won, forfeit
Sep. 30 *Hamilton	Won, 5-2	Oct. 28 *L.A. CES	Won, 3-2
Oct. 05 at *L.A. CES	Won, 5-2		

- Girls/Volleyball 6-10-3 overall (5-7 Western League)

*Uni's 2015 schedule:* (\*=*Western League matches*)

Aug. 31 Arleta	Lost, 1-3	Sep. 19 Narbonne	Lost, 0-1
Sep. 03 at S.O. CES	Lost, 0-3	Sep. 19 Bell	Tied, 1-1
Sep. 17 *Fairfax	Won, 3-2	Sep. 19 Fremont	Tied, 1-1

Sep. 19	East Valley	Won, 2-0	Oct. 12	at *Fairfax	Won, 3-2
Sep. 19	Bravo	Tied, 1-1	Oct. 14	at *Westchester	Won, 3-1
Sep. 21	*Westchester	Won, 3-0	Oct. 19	*Venice	Lost, 0-3
Sep. 24	at *Venice	Lost, 0-3	Oct. 21	*Palisades	Lost, 0-3
Sep. 28	at *Palisades	Lost, 0-3	Oct. 26	at *Hamilton	Lost, 0-3
Sep. 30	*Hamilton	Lost, 0-3	Oct. 28	*L.A. CES	Won, 3-1
Oct. 05	at *L.A. CES	Lost, 0-3			

## REUNIONS

▣ Upcoming reunions that we know about include:

- April 16, 2016: CLASSES OF 1966  
At the Marina City Club *(please note the change of date and venue)*  
*Information: Neal Rein ([sabersafety@yahoo.com](mailto:sabersafety@yahoo.com)) and/or  
Joyce (Gordon) Rangen ([joyce.rangen@gmail.com](mailto:joyce.rangen@gmail.com)).*  
*(Please [click here](#) for the event's Facebook page!)*
- July 9, 2016: CLASS OF 1976  
At the Marina City Club  
*Information: Leslie Messer Ward ([lmward421@icloud.com](mailto:lmward421@icloud.com))*  
*Reservations and tickets: The Reunion Committee, at  
(661) 259-5999 or [www.reunioncommittee.com](http://www.reunioncommittee.com)*

Please send details of any and all reunions, meetings or informal get-togethers to [Connect@UHEF.org](mailto:Connect@UHEF.org) for inclusion in future issues.

▣ **Gloria J. Cotchonis** '46 ([showtimegloria@aol.com](mailto:showtimegloria@aol.com)) asks:

*"Will they ever have a 70th reunion? Combo reunion ? Maybe 55th, 60th, & 70th ? How many are left from 1946 class?"*

Unfortunately, we don't have any information on reunions for the Classes of 1946, 1956 or 1961 (but note below the Web site for W '61!). But we're posting your note here in hopes one or more of your classmates will reach out. Remember, we will have an All-Classes Picnic on campus, coming in the spring!

▣ **Lainie (Berger) Gelber Demars** '52 ([Lainie@JoyceRey.com](mailto:Lainie@JoyceRey.com)) writes:

*"It seems our class never really stayed together, and it has been years since we had a reunion. I would love it if someone could get one going. It would be a kick."*

We're happy to post these inquiries in the hope that a note here will spur like-minded classmates to find each other and then reach out to others. ***Formal reunions and informal get-togethers get organized because one person decides it should happen and finds other classmates who feel the same way. Make it happen . . .***

▣ **Roberta Goldstein** '70 ([eceteach1@sbcglobal.net](mailto:eceteach1@sbcglobal.net)) asks:

*“What's happening with the class of 1970?”*

Roberta, we can tell you that several members of the Class of '70 have contributed to the naming fund for Kampmann Stadium, so we know they're reading this! Sounds like a good time for a get-together!

As you can see above, we're happy to post notices of reunions, but have only two listed. We'd be delighted to have more, so let us know!

*If your class maintains a [Web site](#) or [Facebook page](#),  
please send the address to [Connect@UHEF.org](mailto:Connect@UHEF.org)  
and we'll add it to this list!*

*Class of 1965: Artesians & Peleans*

- <http://uni65.com> or <https://unihi65.wordpress.com>
- To join the Class Facebook page, send an e-mail to [UniHi65@gmail.com](mailto:UniHi65@gmail.com)

*Class of Winter 1961: New Yorkers*

- <http://www.unihiw61.com>

## UNI HI EDUCATION FOUNDATION NEWS

▣ The Uni Hi Education Foundation exists to raise money to support the instructional programming at University High School. A new LAUSD policy allows *on-campus signage* to be available to recognize donations which assist the educational program.

Interested for yourself or your company? Sent us a note and we'll help to get the ball rolling:  
[Connect@UHEF.org](mailto:Connect@UHEF.org).

▣ One of the easiest ways to donate to Uni is via the **Ralphs Rewards Card**. As part of its Community Contribution program, from 1-4% of monthly purchases made by members is sent to Uni, but only if you designate the school by linking it to your Rewards Card.

Have your card handy (you'll need the number on the back), go to the Ralphs [Community Contribution page](#) and either **register** or **sign in** (Questions answered [here](#)); Uni's code for the Ralphs program is **93275**.

▣ The Foundation, created by committed Uni administrators, alumni and parents in 1985, has raised nearly \$600,000 to support Uni's mission of educational excellence, and to supplement the instructional budget in these lean times. You can donate to the cause by [clicking here!](#)

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## UNI ALUMNI NOTEBOOK

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- ▣ **James Armstrong** '53 ([raminojwa@gmail.com](mailto:raminojwa@gmail.com)) sent an interesting request:

*"Hello, I graduated in 1953. I would like to know how to get the Annual for that year?"*

Generally speaking, spare copies of yearbooks are not available. ***BUT, stay tuned in 2016 for the beginning of a major UHEF project to digitize ALL of Uni's 91 annual yearbooks from 1925 to 2015!***

- ▣ **Richard Johnson** W '59 ([snurpus@roadrunner.com](mailto:snurpus@roadrunner.com)) is fired up for the return of the All-Classes Picnic and Car Show this coming Spring:

*"I am looking forward to the Car Show event. Please keep me posted, as I will probably bring my 1930 Ford from Simi Valley, or my 1966 Pontiac Lemans hardtop."*

Thanks for your note; here's a vote for the Ford!

- ▣ **Roy Kamen** '73 ([scrabbl@verizon.net](mailto:scrabbl@verizon.net)) wrote in that he's still a gamer!

*"As you might have guessed by my email address, I'm an avid Scrabble player. My wife, Maddy, and I run Scrabble tournaments in the Pasadena area every three months for four years now, attracting between 30 and 70 people each time. It's a great way to meet people and have fun at the same time. Maddy and I met through Scrabble. Also, I believe that it's one way to stave off Alzheimer's, as it keeps the brain active."*

*"On a related subject, is there a link to a list of all UniHi alumni and teachers who have passed away?"*

Maybe we should ask Roy and Maddy to host a Scrabble tourney at our All-Classes Picnic?

On the memorial list, there is no comprehensive list of Uni alums (students or faculty) who have passed. Neither the school of the Foundation has enough contact information to compile such a roster.

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## SIXTH PERIOD BELL

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- ▣ Beginning last June, the long-lost yellow-on-black California license plates, used from 1963 to 1969, are now in production again as special-order [Legacy License Plates](#), thanks to special legislation passed in Sacramento. **Larry Tistaert** '59 ([lt@brenlaw.com](mailto:lt@brenlaw.com)) didn't waste any time and now has an elegant plate that reads "UNI 59." He writes:

*"I thought someone besides me might enjoy my new retro license plate. I ordered it more than a year ago and received it a couple weeks ago. I already sent [a photo] to a few of my 1959 classmates for their entertainment."*

Larry sent along a terrific photo; you can check it out [here](#).

Contribute your comments, ideas and news to the *Warriors & Wildcats Report!*

Send a note to [Connect@UHEF.org](mailto:Connect@UHEF.org) !

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