



# THE UB

Monthly Program News

# UPDATE

April 2019

## *Director's Discussion*

April has appeared and the semester is drawing to a close...

UB Early Alerts have been shared with participant teachers of record and assigned program specialist will share the findings with you students..

In this edition of the UB Update, please be cognizant of the past events that have occurred.

Students invited to STEM College Tour to Georgia Southern University and East Georgia College, ensure you meet the deadline; if you do not, your seat will be forfeited.

We will have our Male Gender Specific mentoring session "Gentleman and a Scholar" event on Thursday, April 25 2019. Submit your RSVP.

Please find the announcement regarding the Scholar Saturday Session "Community Service: Give Back" April 27, 2019. Please be present and on time with your donations. The Annual Family Fun Day 2019 will occur on May 4, 2019 due to graduation being held on May 11, 2019. Please adjust your calendars.

- Mr. Roberts

Upward Bound Program

# SENIOR TRIP: ST. LOUIS, MO

3/16-19/19



## Student Comments:

- This was a very great and entertaining trip. I really enjoyed the activities that we were involved in. - V.Davis
- I really love how we were exposed to many different things and having the chance to expand our knowledge. - K.McKiver
- I really enjoyed my last trip, I really bonded with my peers and UB staff. -W.Jones
- I want to say thank you Upward bound to adding another state that I wanted to visit in the world. - T.Harris
- I loved the whole trip and was happy I came. - N.Lark

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# SPRING BREAK TRIP: TENNESSE

3/21-23/19



## Student Comments:

- I feel like I have learned much about my African American history at the Beck Cultural Center. The island was very exciting to go to for the first time. I learned on this trip not to let nobody tell you that you cannot ask questions about learning new experiences—Phillip Rolle
- This was very enlightening towards my future and my views towards slavery. I now have an idea of what I need to do to plan towards my future and I have an image of how bad slavery really was—Terron Mott
- This was by far the best trip besides the summer experience. I have never experienced being in a mansion and I learned the roots of my culture. The observation deck was scary, but it was very fun—Damauri Edwards

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# Gender Initiative

## 3/25/2019

*Each month we have a Gender Specific Initiative for our UB students.*

*These events take place on campus at SSU from 6pm to 8pm and students must RSVP to attend. For the March event, UB female scholar participants attended "Playing and Paying Fair." This was a workshop to inform young ladies how to market themselves in some male dominated industries. Thank you to every student that attended. We appreciate you!*

*The next gender specific activity is for our UB males on Thursday, April 25, 2019.*



### Student Comments:

- I gained a lot of information about being a registered nurse – M. Jenkins (10th grade SCJ)
- This was my favorite Purses 2 Briefcases workshop because the speaker was understanding and the topic helped me think more into what I wanted to do – T. Forest (9th grade SCJ)
- I really liked Mrs. Ellison. She should definitely come back and speak again – A. Brown (11th grade SCJ)
- I would like to participate in more activities like this - M. Stowbridge (11th grade GHS)
- Mrs. Ellison really gave us useful information for the future. - K. Hall (12th grade SHS)

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# Scholar Saturday Session

## 3/30/2019

*At this Scholar Saturday Session, students and parents participated at our 5th Annual Family Summit. They participated in workshops for the parent and student on information regarding how to read a transcript and high school credits; credit building and saving; and different forms of bullying and its consequences. Later, separated into groups: the parents participated in a mental health workshop and received information on tutoring services while the students attended workshops on conflict resolution and financial literacy. The day ended with lunch sponsored by the Upward Bound Program Parent Association. #TRiOWorks*



### Student Comments:

- It was a great workshop about test-taking and I enjoyed the workshop. – T. Best (11th grade HVJ)
- I learned a lot about a credit union and it will help me in the long run. - J. Grantham (9th grade SCJ)
- I really liked the all girls workshop and how we talked about communication. - T. Young (10th grade SHS)
- The workshop was fun with Mr. Brown because he taught us and expressed communication with people. - D. Edwards (10th BHS)
- Really helpful information. - Saxon (Parent)
- All the sessions were very informative. – W. Bing (Parent)

# Student Spotlight

## **Marquasia Black**

Albany State University  
Middle GA State University  
Georgia Southern University  
Voorhees College

## **Petrice Crawford**

Agnes Scott College

## **Lakeasha Hall**

East Georgia State College

## **Keishaun Johnson**

Bethune Cookman University

## **Nichlos Lark**

East Georgia State College  
Toccoa Falls College  
Benedict College  
Johnson and Wales University

## **Nicole Lark**

Johnson and Wales University

## **Tyshonda Stafford**

Savannah State University

## **Isaiah Walden**

University of West Georgia

## **Jameri Washington**

Johnson & Wales University

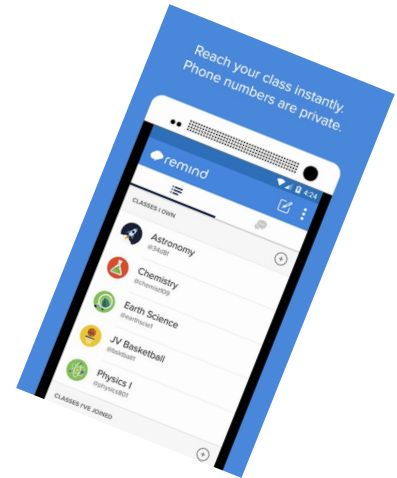
# CONGRATULATIONS



*Congratulations to the seniors above for being accepted to the listed educational institutions. Seniors should send in all acceptances and/or denials. We want to know either way. Information should be emailed to [ssuupwardboundprogram@gmail.com](mailto:ssuupwardboundprogram@gmail.com).*

*Congratulations, seniors!*

# Announcements



Some of you are not receiving  
our text messages:

## Text Messaging System

Remind: A Messenger App Fit For School

Group (Please enroll to your corresponding group!!!)	Text code to 81010 or (240) 428-2858.
Parents of UB	@ssusoteub
Beach High School UB	@aebhsub
Groves High School UB	@ghsub
Jenkins High School UB	@hvjhsub
Johnson High School UB	@scjhsub
Savannah High-Early College	@shsecub
Class of 2019	@ubsen19
Class of 2020	@ubjun20
Class of 2021	@ubsoph21
Class of 2022	@ubfres22

# Announcements



# COLLEGE TOUR

FRIDAY, 4/19/19

MEET AT SAVANNAH STATE UNIVERSITY

DEPARTURE: 9:30 AM

RETURN: 5 PM



\*This trip is invite only. Please DO NOT share with others.  
Friday, 4/12/19 at 12pm is the absolute deadline to RSVP.  
Email [ssuupwardboundprogram@gmail.com](mailto:ssuupwardboundprogram@gmail.com) to R.S.V.P.  
We will move forward with other students after that time\*





# Announcement

SCHOLAR SATURDAY SESSION

## Service Saturday

Saturday, 4/27/19  
8:30am

Howard Jordan Business Building

Each site is responsible for bringing the following items with them to Scholar Saturday Session. Students will sign cards and package care packages for the youth in Savannah. Each student enrolled in the program is expected to participate.

Beach: \$1 Toys    Jenkins: Coloring Books  
Groves: Crayons    Johnson: Coloring Books  
Savannah High: \$1 Toys



# Announcement

Upward Bound Program  
Parent Association



**You're Invited!**

***Family Fun Day 2019***

**Saturday**

**May 4, 2019**

**10am to 1pm**

**SSU Gazebo**



# Announcement



## 2019 Summer Session

### Save The Dates

Summer Dates (Rising 10th, 11th and 12th Grades):  
June 9, 2019 - July 12, 2019

Summer Dates Bridge Students (Invite Only):  
TBA

End of Summer Trip Dates (Invited Based off Summer Grades and Behavior):  
July 14, 2019 - July 20, 2019

# Parent Corner

## FINANCIAL LITERACY WORKSHOP



Wednesday, April 17, 2019

5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

400 East Broad Street

SASSC@ East Broad Street School

**Speakers will include local banks and home ownership programs.**

Adult Track and Youth Track Offered

For additional information, please contact Student Affairs at 912-395-5584.

*These are not UB sponsored events. Please see flyers for additional details.*

# Upward Bound Riddle

Solve and give your answer at the next  
Scholar Saturday Session!

Easter is always in April. True or False?

Explain your answer!

