

Upward Bound News

UB Thursday Session – January 17th

Our UB scholars were able to get a quick bite to eat, academic help, financial aid information, and enjoy fellowship with other UB students. Students' dinner was catered by Willie T's this month and is always a hit with UB students. The usual rotation of math, science,



ELA, and career classes was supplemented by a financial aid session for current seniors. The financial aid session was led by Interim Director, Terri Ricks.



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CONGRATULATION TO OUR UPWARD BOUND
STUDENTS WHO MADE THE HONOR ROLL FOR
FALL 2018

**Abbeville High
School**

Alison Danzey
Sheniya Howard
Kenaz Knowles
Asya Walker
Lindsey Waker

**Barbour County
High School**

Shaniya King
Michaela Morris
Claudasia Russaw
Kristen West

**Eufaula High
School**

Quantasia Anderson
Deremiah Avery
Da'Von Cromwell
Aniya Davis
Lakenya Lasseter
Jalyiah Pierce
Zatisha Starling
Adria Walker

**Bullock County High
School**

Zy'Kearia Beachem
Ja'Lani Bowens
Maricela Castro
Jamia Chapman
Dahkwon Feagin
Nadia Finney
Harmonie Gaschett
Bailey Grooms
Elizabeth Guice
Jecayla Howard
Diaveon Jackson
Zykendria Jackson
Kaleah Miles
Erick O'Neal
Jaliyah Robinson
Taniesha Tolliver
Kendarious Watkins
Destiny Williams
Karri Williams
Brashada Youngblood



Career Day at WCC – Dothan Campus

Upward Bound students were able to enjoy a cloudy day in Dothan, Alabama on Saturday, January 19th. Our First Annual TRIO UB Career Day was a tremendous success. Participants were greeted on campus and enjoyed juice and freshly made donuts. The opening session provided an overview of what was to come. Rotating workshops included: Too Legit to Quit (Two-year vs. Four Year Colleges), Money in the Bank (Financial Literacy), Tunnel Vision (Goal Setting), and Securing the Bag (Confidently Choosing a Career).



Bullock County Students learning together.

Because our students are always encouraged to play hard after working hard, fun activities followed the workshops. UB scholars were full of knowledge after the sessions and enjoyed getting full with the food offered at Ichiban Sushi & Seafood Buffet. After lunch, students were able to burn off some calories at Fun Zone by roller-skating and enjoying a game of laser tag.

ANNIE LEE CHERRY HALL



DaQuan Singleton showing off his skating moves.



Jaliyah Starling sharing her Vision Board

Congrats to our Varsity Girls and Varsity Boys on winning the 6A Area 3 Championship tonight!!!! We will host sub region at home next week. Great team wins tonight for our Tigers!!!

#WeAreEHS

#OutworkEverybody



Congrats to Eufaula High Varsity Girls and Boys on winning the 6A Area 3 Championship on Thursday, February 7.

TRiO Upward Bound & Educational Talent Search offered a financial aid workshop on Saturday, February 9. Students and parents were informed about scholarships, grants, loans, loan forgiveness, and the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). FAFSA is an important tool in determining financial assistance.



Upward Bound participant and parent Zameah and Leslie Haynes



Presenter Tameka Owolabi, Talent Search Director

**CONGRATS BARBOUR COUNTY HIGH CHEERLEADERS ON 2ND PLACE IN
CHEER 4 LIFE COMPETITION!**



Upward Bound participants Tamyra Williams, Tasjma Walton, Deja McKinnon, Tykeriah Williams

Congrats to the Eufaula Boys Basketball team! They are 2018 Dothan Downtown Hoops Classic Basketball Tournament Champions.



Upward Bounders pictured: Jordan Brown (#24), Jordan Lawson (#11)

CONGRATS FORMER UB PARTICIPANTS ON GETTING A HIGHER EDUCATION!!



Tyra Person – Medical Assisting/Nursing at CVCC



Della Holmes – Masters in Education, Walden University



Jasmine Harris – Bachelors in Criminal Justice, Troy University

Social Media Workshop at Barbour County High School

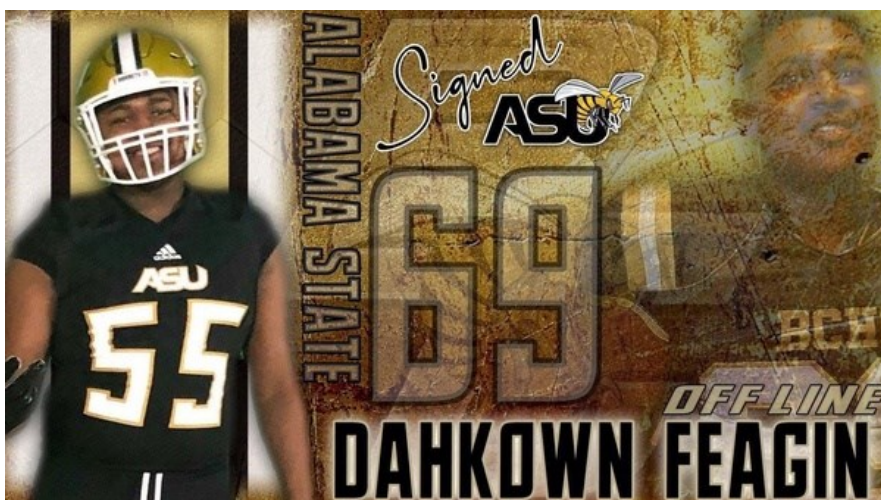


Students are engaged during a Social Media Workshop presented by Ms. Mays at Barbour County High School. The workshop included several tips and information about “What Not to Post on Social Media.” The goal was for students to realize that they never know who’s watching them and to act as young professionals on social media and post accordingly. The students really enjoyed the workshop. #TRiOworks

Congrats Aniya Davis on making the High School Honor Band at Auburn University and Troy University. #TRiOworks



Congrats Dahkwon Feagin! Dahkwon will be attending Alabama State University in the fall. He was awarded the *Academic Excellence Scholarship* which covers full tuition, required university fees, textbooks per academic year for 4 consecutive years. Dahkwon will also play on the football team. We are so proud of you Dahkwon. Keep up the good work!





Congrats Kristen West on being accepted to the following schools:
Alabama A&M University, Auburn University, University of
Alabama in Huntsville, University of West Alabama, Troy
University in Troy, and Wallace Community College. Great Job!
Now it's time to let the scholarships roll in. #TRiOworks

Upcoming Events

Students, get ready to explore and expand your minds!!

Upward Bound has planned many exciting adventures for the remaining of the school year and for the Summer Component.

In order to participate, you will need to be connected and committed to UB. Listed are just a few activities considered.

The Rocket and Space
Center in Huntsville,
AL

Residential Week on a
College Campus

End of the Year Trip
with fun activities

Stay Connected so you can join the fun!!!