

Sahuarita Unified School District No. 30

Sahuarita High School Sahuarita Middle School Sahuarita Primary School Sahuarita Intermediate School Anza Trail School Sopori Elementary School Walden Grove High School Copper View Elementary School

Notice to Parents

December 12, 2016

Dear Parents/Guardians:

As you may know, there was a verbal threat made to Walden Grove High School. This was an individual student matter. Appropriate school and law enforcement interventions have been implemented.

Sahuarita Police Department was notified and an investigation has occurred. At this time, all investigative leads suggest there are no substantive threats besides the original verbal threat. Rumors of a weapon being confiscated are untrue.

Incidents such as this are quite challenging for schools, staff, students and parents; however, we must take every threat seriously. The school resource officer continues to provide support, visibility and guidance as needed. We thank you for your patience.

Parents, please support us by having a conversation with your child regarding the consequences of making threats towards students, staff or to the school. Students should understand that making a school threat is a serious matter with serious consequences. Please let students know that if they make a threat of any kind, they are subject to school discipline as well as potential involvement of law enforcement. In addition, please encourage your child to report anything that may be construed as bullying, intimidation, harassment or other threats of violence to any adult on campus.

Thank you for your cooperation in helping us to eliminate this type of negative behavior. Together we can work to ensure Sahuarita Unified School District schools are safe places for teaching and learning.

Respectfully,

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