

# THE UB INSIDER

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### Things to Remember:

It is time to register for the ACT. Check with Darlene for when is the best time for you to take it.

## A Special Note From the Desk of Jay

Hello Everyone,

Let me start off by thanking all of you for another great summer! To be honest with you, I have friends that look at me like I have lost my mind when I tell them I am going to the beach with 50 teenagers, after spending 6 weeks together on campus, and that I am looking forward to it. ;-) I guess it is just one of those things in life you have to live in order to understand it! I wouldn't trade my Upward Bound summer experience's for anything in the world! You are a very special group of individuals and I am thankful every day that I get to work with you.

A huge heartfelt thanks goes out to our

wonderful Summer Faculty. You all are simply the best. I enjoy working and learning from each and every one of you!

Summer Advisors, my respect and admiration for what you do is endless. The number of hours you put in without complaint, speaks volumes about the individuals you are!

To the school coordinators, your hard work and dedication, keeps us going all year long. Please keep recruiting the outstanding students that you do. Your welcoming smiles every time we show up at your doorway means more than we will ever be able to explain.

Roxanne and Darlene, your dedication, hard work, attention to detail, and love for the

students is the reason we are still here after 30+ years. I thank you for making my job so easy and for the ability to tell everyone that I enjoy coming to work every day!

Finally, to all you UB-ers, YOU make this a worthwhile experience for all of us. Have a great academic year, enjoy all the activities we have planned, read your newsletters, participate, and take advantage of all we have to offer you.

love,  
jay



The Summer Program of 2013 is now in the history books and what a great and exciting one it was for the record! Thanks for all the memories and to the entire Summer Staff for making it so successful and fun! The UB staff is now looking forward to this new school year, I cannot wait to see everyone once again!

Our academic quote for the 2013-2014 academic year is, "Your Attitude Is Your Altitude. It Determines How High You Fly!" What better way to begin this new school term by raising the bar high and striving for great success! Attitude is everything, and my desire is for each one in our UB family to possess a posi-

tive attitude, believe in yourself, and set your goals high so you can accomplish anything!

The academic calendar is now in place with school visits listed and all of the fun activities planned out! Make sure you all take the time to arrange your personal schedules, so you can know when I will be coming to your school and you attend these great events.

Please text, call, (304-654-6669) or email me (collier18@marshall.edu) weekly so I will know how you are doing or if I need to bring certain information to you on my school visits.

Please also check with your UB Coordinator each week for announcements and information! Listed below for our new UB participants are the Coordinators for this year!

Love you all and will see you soon!



Huntington High School:  
Mrs. Jennifer Day

Lincoln County High School:  
Mrs. Kerri Smith

Tolsia High School:  
Mrs. Kara Porter

Wayne High School:  
Mrs. Joni Ross

## Tutoring

Now is a good time to start thinking about if you need tutoring. If you are struggling in class, please talk to your school coordinator (listed above) about what options your school has available. If there isn't an option available to you then talk to Darlene when she comes for your school visit and we may be able to arrange a peer tutor for you.

Once grades come out, any Upward Bound student that receives a D or below in a class will be required to

attend a total of four hours of tutoring during the next six-week grading period. If the four hours are not attended, then your next monthly stipend check can be docked up to \$15.

Before you attend tutoring stop by your coordinator's office and pick up a tutoring slip.

The tutoring slips are filled out by the tutor and signed and then the student returns them to the coordinator to

send into the Upward Bound Office. The slips will be recorded so that your stipend is not docked.

All Upward Bound students are welcome to attend tutoring at any time for help with class work.



**September Activity**  
**Mock ACT/Lunch/Game Time**  
**September 28, 2013**  
**9:00 am, Harris Hall 134**

8:00 am Buses picking up at Lincoln County High (Lincoln Bus)  
And Fort Gay Middle School (Wayne Co Bus)

8:30 am Bus picking up at Wayne High School

9:00 am Drop off at Harris Hall, 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue  
Mock ACT in Room 134

9:00 am - 1:00 pm Mock ACT

Juniors and seniors will take entire ACT,  
Freshman and Sophomores will take only part,  
Then they will be going over UB guidelines and joining UB social media.  
There will be short breaks between tests.

1:00-3:00 pm To CCC for Lunch and Game Time

3:20 pm Students will return to Harris Hall for bus pick up at 3:30 pm

4:00 pm Bus drop off at Wayne High School for Wayne Students  
(Wayne bus)

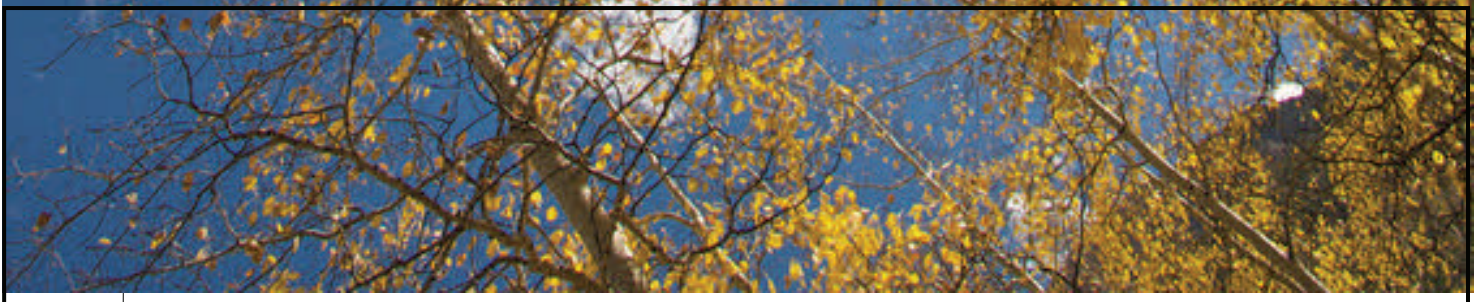
4:30 pm Bus drop off at Fort Gay Middle School for Tolsia Students  
(Wayne Bus)

4:30 pm Bus drop off at Lincoln High School For Lincoln Co. Students  
(Lincoln Bus)



# September 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> <b>HHS</b> <b>School</b> <b>Visit</b>	<b>4</b> <b>HHS</b> <b>School</b> <b>Visit</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> <b>THS</b> <b>School</b> <b>Visit</b>	<b>11</b> <b>WHS</b> <b>School</b> <b>Visit</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>
<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> <b>CMHS</b> <b>School</b> <b>Visit</b>	<b>26</b> <b>LCHS</b> <b>School</b> <b>Visit</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> <b>MOCK ACT/</b> <b>Games</b> <b>9:00 am</b>
<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>					





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## September Birthdays!

**Happy Birthday to these UB students!**



<b>Chelsea Maynard</b>	<b>9/20/1995</b>
<b>Nigale Cabell</b>	<b>9/25/1995</b>
<b>Tyler Morgan</b>	<b>9/26/1995</b>
<b>Ryan Saddler</b>	<b>9/26/1995</b>
<b>Halie Eplin</b>	<b>9/28/1995</b>